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WANT AMERICANS SYMPATHY

Mexican Women of High Degree Imprisoned in City of Mexico Charged With An Attempt To Incite Revolution and Treated As Common Felons.

NEW YORK, July 4.—Mme. Maria de Ruis Sandoval of Mexico, whose husband, General Francisco Sandoval is now with the army of Guatemala, announces that she has received a letter from her sister, Isabel de Ruis, a resident of the City of Mexico, stating that she with about sixty other Mexican women of high degree have been imprisoned there on the charge of attempting to incite a revolution. The sister says the women are all confined in small, dirty cells in Belen prison and that they are treated as common felons. The prisoners are not allowed to see anyone and a trial has so far been of no avail and she hopes that some of the people in the United States will call attention to the unjust treatment meted out to them. Senora de Ruis writes further that the story of the arrests have been kept from the newspapers of Mexico City and that through a friend she made in prison, she was able to smuggle out the letter to her sister.

The women involved, according to the letter, belong to a society organized primarily for charitable purposes and for mutual improvement and politics is in no way involved in its affairs. The receipt of the letter has caused Mme. Sandoval deep concern.

GRAND JURY DECLINES TO INDICT.

NEW YORK, July 4.—District Attorney Darrin of Queen's county, will not discharge from custody for several days Henry Becker, the young man who was accused of having killed Amelia Staffeldt at Elmhurst and who has told several stories of how he did it. The

.... A Dangerous Man

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The colonel commanding the military post of Ghoorka, in the province of Nepal, India, and heard of the strange doings of Ram Lal up in the Himalaya mountains to the north. Ever since the great mutiny the British in India have been vigilant to suppress any native seeking to be conspicuous in a way to appeal to popular superstition. Queer tales were told about Ram Lal. He had suddenly appeared among the people, coming from no one knew where, and he had performed miracles. He had made 5,000 people believe that he was a god.

When things began to get a bit serious, the colonel dispatched a detachment of cavalry with orders to bring Ram Lal into Ghoorka. He did not run away when he heard of their coming. On the contrary, he met the riders two miles out of the hill town where he made his headquarters and waited for them on the banks of a creek. It was midsummer, and the bed of the stream was almost dry. Ram Lal took his station on a knoll a few yards away from the stream, and as the cavalry came up to cross he stopped them with a wave of his hand and said:

"You have come for me. Your sahib colonel says that I am a fraud and a cheat, and you would take me to Ghoorka and expose me. Very well, I will go."

When Ram Lal was brought out the colonel said to him:

"I have heard about you and your doings. You are a fraud and an impostor. Your so-called magic is all nonsense, and I am going to expose you here and now and then have you whipped off the grounds."

"It shall be as the sahib colonel wishes," was the humble reply.

A fine big horse bought for the artillery six months before had been found utterly useless, owing to his vicious temper. He could not be harnessed, and he could not be saddled. He had killed two men and injured three. No one would have him at any price, and while waiting on red tape to dispose of the animal somehow he was kept chained in a stable. After the colonel had addressed Ram Lal the horse was brought out. There were ropes around his neck and four men hanging to the free ends. The horse reared, kicked, squealed and flung himself about, and, pointing to him, the colonel said:

"If you are a magician you can quiet that beast."

"Ram Lal called out some strange words, and the horse dropped to his four feet and whined and stood with ears working. The men were bidden to let him loose, and at a nod from the

Queen's county grand jury has declined to indict Becker. Mr. Darrin at first intended to set Becker free, but has decided that no harm would be done by holding the youthful prisoner until a week from Saturday and possibly until the last Saturday in the month.

STORY OF HIS LIFE.

Row Over Publishing Whistler's Biography Now Being Written.

LONDON, July 4.—The question of the publication of certain information contained in the private letters of the late James McNeill Whistler, was raised in this city yesterday by Miss R. B. Phillip, suing as executrix of the estate of the artist, to restrain Joseph Pennell, Mrs. Joseph Pennell and William Neimann, the London publisher, from using these letters in a biography of Whistler now being written by the Pennells.

The Pennells claim that Mr. Whistler frequently expressed the desire that they write his life, saying also that he was willing to place all the material he had at their disposal. The plaintiff, who is a sister-in-law of the late artist declared she was authorized to make a selection from the letters to be published after a lapse of a number of years and that time had not yet arrived.

The case was adjourned.

BAN ON CHEWING GUM.

NEW YORK, July 4.—Ocean Grove, N. J. now prohibits the sale of chewing gum within the city limits. The ban on chewing gum has just come to light through the action of Dr. A. B. Ballard, head of the camp meeting association, in restraining its sale at the news stand just opened in the Wells House. There has been a ban on tobacco at Ocean Grove but chewing gum has always been sold there until now.

DEATH OF NOTED STALLION.

LEXINGTON, Ky., July 4.—News of the death of Letcher, 2:18 3-4 owned by M. J. Murphy of Paris was made public yesterday. The stallion was 19 years old and one of the last sons of Director. He was bred by W. R. Letcher of Richmond. He was the sire of Neddie Conner, trial 2:09.

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HAD HORROR OF BURIAL.

Death Of Former Mayor And Treasurer of Corning N. Y.

NEW YORK, July 4.—James Green Wellington of Corning, N. Y. died suddenly of heart disease, at Avon, N. J. Wednesday. He was 76 years old. He had a horror of being buried alive and several years ago made his brother, Dr. James F. Wellington, promise to use every known test upon his body before giving his consent to burial.

The doctor promised if he survived to carry out Mr. Wellington's wishes. So the body was carried in and placed upon the bed and beside Dr. Wellington who is now bed-ridden and who has for 14 years been an invalid. The examination of the body was painstaking. Not until Dr. Wellington was absolutely assured of death after half an hour expended in the closest scrutiny did he give consent to turn the body over to the undertaker.

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