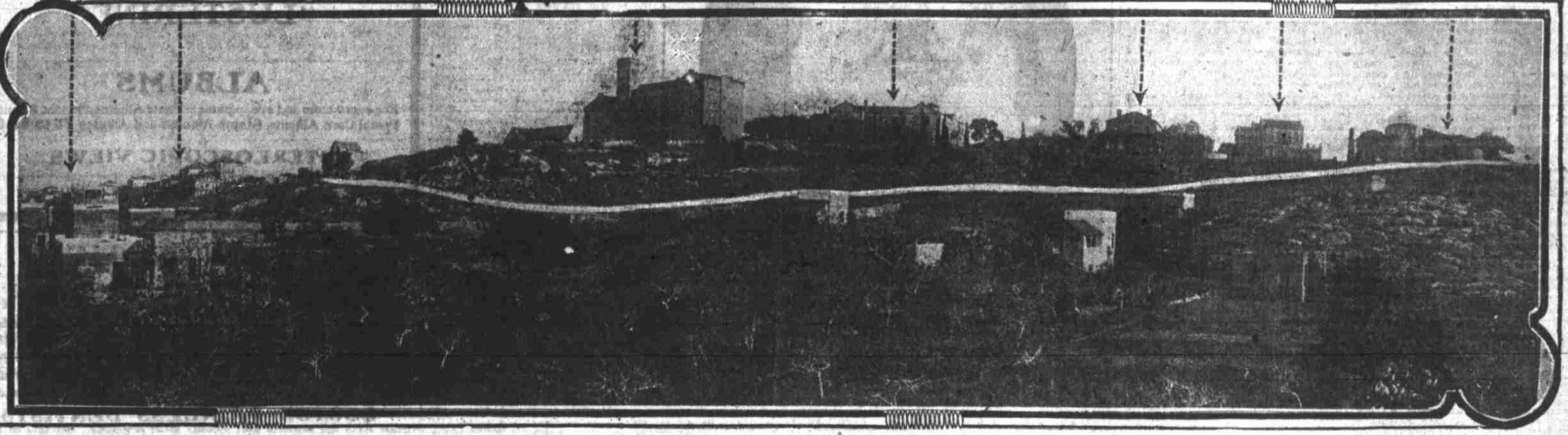


ENGLAND THOROUGHLY AROUSED OVER MACEDONIAN MASSACRE—WILL PROMPTLY AND VIGOROUSLY ACT



New York, Sept. 16.—A panoramic view of the American quarters at Beirut. First on the left is the Sacred Moslem quarters. Next is the American Consulate. The large building in the center is the American College and next is the college dormitory. Then comes the faculty residences, and on the right the college chapel.

THE LION AROUSED Great Britain Recognizes Stand Taken by Bulgaria and Will Intercede.

KNIGHTS TEMPLAR ACT Centuries Have Not Dissipated the Hatred of the Christian for the Infidel—An Army of Crusaders.

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TRIES TO TRICK THE GOVERNMENT DEPUTY UNITED STATES MARSHAL GAMBLE AT SAN FRANCISCO IS CAUGHT IN A NEW SORT OF GAME—CONFESSIONS NOT YET FINALLY OBTAINED.

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(Journal Special Service.) San Francisco, Sept. 16.—Deputy United States Marshal Gamble has confessed that he substituted six old and deceitful Chinese for six young ones who were to be deported.

PRESIDENT MAKES PUBLIC STATEMENT Oyster Bay, Sept. 16.—President Roosevelt this afternoon authorized the following statement on his position in respect to the majority campaign in New York.

PRESIDENT GRANTS PARDON. Washington, Sept. 16.—President Roosevelt has granted full pardon to George and Baranac Cosby, who were convicted at Montgomery, Ala., of peonage. They were sentenced in June for one year and were released today on telegraphic instructions.

TWO KILLED IN A POLITICAL RIOT. New York, Sept. 16.—An East Side riot occurred this morning between the Monk Eastman gang and the Paul Kelly association, rival political factions. A hundred shots were fired before the police gained control. Two rioters were killed and four were wounded.

ANOTHER BAD FLAW Attorneys Say the Law Assessing State Taxes Is Unconstitutional.

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DEFECT VERY SERIOUS If the Objection is Well Founded Counties Cannot Be Compelled to Collect or Pay Over State Taxes.

The serious doubt that has arisen as to the possibility of making a valid levy of taxes for 1903 under the present statutes has directed attention to another alleged defect in the tax laws of the state, regarded by some attorneys as even more momentous. It is said that the method prescribed for the apportionment of the state tax among the several counties is unconstitutional, because at variance with that fundamental principle of this government, which insures equal and uniform taxation to all.

It is pointed out that it is in the power of any taxpayer to dispute the validity of state taxes assessed under the present law, and any county may refuse to bear its share of the state burdens. While the courts would naturally seek, from motives of public policy, to sustain the law, it is contended that its defect is too serious to be remedied by judicial construction.

The question has been carefully investigated by Long and Sweet, the attorneys, and their conclusion is that the law in relation to state taxes is clearly invalid. J. M. Long, former city attorney, has given the matter thorough study and he stated the results of his investigations as follows: "The defect in the law lies in the fact that the method of assessing the state tax among the several counties is not equitable and uniform. It is clearly seen upon an examination of the statutes and the provisions of the constitution. The law of 1901 (Sec. 3697, Bellinger & Cotton's statutes) provides that the annual tax hereafter to be levied in this state shall be 5 mills on the dollar of all taxable property. In Sec. 3698 it is provided that by the 15th day of January of each year the county clerk of the several counties in the state shall prepare upon a blank form prescribed and furnished by the secretary of state a concise, tabulated statement of all the expenses of his county for the preceding year, except expenses for roads and highways, which statement shall be certified to by him as such clerk and forwarded to the secretary of state, and a duplicate thereof placed on file in his office."

COLOMBIA AGREES ON CANAL MATTER STATE DEPARTMENT NOTIFIED TODAY THAT REPORT OF COMMITTEE PASSED SENATE BY UNANIMOUS VOTE—SENATOR SOTO GIVES NOTICE OF AMENDMENT.

United States to Pay \$20,000,000 and Will Secure a Lease for 100 Years, at Expiration a Renewal May Be Made at Increase of 25 Per Cent—Colombia to Reserve Sovereignty of Territory and People.

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15,000 LIGHTS AND PRETTY DIXIE MUSIC Former Seattle Man and Prominent Actress Will Celebrate Wedding Festival with Elaborate Function.

New York, Sept. 16.—There is to be a Southern flavor—cotton decorations, Dixie wedding music and thousands of miniature incandescent electric lights both inside and outside the church—to a marriage which takes place tonight in Christ Episcopal church, Williamsburg.

To honor the bride's Southern birth the church chimes will play "Dixie" as the bridal party enters the church. The joined initials of the bride and bridegroom will be written in electric lights over the altar. These will be dark till the bridal procession approaches, when they will suddenly burst into flame. Lines of tiny electric bulbs will separate the pews reserved for relatives and special guests instead of the usual white satin ribbons, and there will be 20 pews reserved for members of the Professional Woman's league, which will attend in a body.

The bride to be is a member of the league and a well-known actress, having played with Joseph Hawthorne, Otis Harlan and other noted actors throughout the country. Several years ago she was converted to Mormonism and became president of the Woman's Relief association, which, though ostensibly a mission, is said to be a proselyting bureau of the Mormon church. Last year Miss Lane appeared in a Mormon play which had a special production under the auspices of the Mormon church in the old Salt Lake theatre, in Salt Lake City.

OLD INSTITUTIONS CLOSES ITS DOORS La Grange, Ind., Sept. 16.—The Ellison bank, an old institution, closed its doors this morning with liabilities of \$150,000. The loss falls mostly on small depositors.

HAMMOND IS GUILTY Methodist Conference Find Five or Six Charges That Are True.

(Journal Special Service.) Pacific Grove, Cal., Sept. 15.—The Methodist conference today found Dr. Hammond, agent of the Methodist book concern of San Francisco, guilty of five of the six counts with a penalty of one year's suspension from the ministry. The general charge of dishonesty was dismissed, holding instead the charge of "high imprudence and unministerial conduct" substituted.

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SAYS HE LIES AND GIVES LIFE SENTENCE Negro Murderer Denies Guilt and Court Says: "I Don't Believe a Word of What You Say, But We Won't Discuss the Matter."

(Journal Special Service.) Oakland, Sept. 16.—Victor Walkires was sentenced to life imprisonment at San Quentin by Judge Ellsworth today. He killed an aged colored woman and buried the body in a cellar on May 4. When asked if he had anything to say, he replied: "I don't remember doing what they say I did, and don't believe I did it." The judge replied: "All I have to say is that I do not believe a word of what you say, but I do not care to discuss the matter." The sheriff took the murderer to prison.

SIR THOMAS LIPTON HAS APPENDICITIS Chicago, Sept. 16.—Sir Thomas Lipton's physicians issued a bulletin this afternoon stating that their distinguished patient was suffering from colitis and catarrhal appendicitis. His condition is satisfactory. Doctor Senn, one of America's most noted surgeons, has been called in consultation, and this has caused deep-seated apprehension. Today's bulletin was the first intimation given out that Sir Thomas was suffering from appendicitis.

WOMAN HELD UP IN BROAD DAYLIGHT Mrs. Edward Rosenthal, in charge of her husband's cigar store at the north-west corner of First and Burnside streets, says she was robbed by a highwayman last Friday afternoon.

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HER STAGE ROLE IN REAL LIFE RUBY MIGUEL, PORTLAND ACTRESS, PLAYS PART OF HOUSEKEEPER SO WELL THAT ISAAC HARRIS OF SPOKANE GIVES HER PERMANENT ENGAGEMENT.

Renouncing the stage for the man she loves, Miss Ruby Miguel, a Portland girl well known here through her engagements with the Baker Stock Company last season, was married today in San Francisco to Isaac Harris of Spokane. The wedding took place in the residence of a relative of the bride at the California metropolis.

Both the bride and groom have a large number of friends in Portland. Miss Miguel appeared here last year in minor parts in the Baker stock productions. The courtship commenced in an unusual way and Mr. Harris, on one of his trips here, saw Miss Miguel, in the part of a housekeeper, and was so struck by her impersonation that he secured an introduction through an immediate friend in the same company. The acquaintance ripened into love and at length Miss Miguel consented to a permanent engagement.

"I have given up the stage forever," Miss Miguel is reported to have said to a personal friend, in answer to an inquiry. "No more of the footlights for me. After our marriage we will probably reside in Spokane."

STORM IS TERRIFIC Atlantic City, New Jersey, Cape May and New York Struck.

(Journal Special Service.) New York, Sept. 16.—A furious hurricane struck the city at 11 o'clock this morning. Many houses in the suburbs were greatly damaged and much minor destruction of trees, signs and windows are reported. Wire communication with the outside world is almost entirely suspended. All business is at a standstill, as it is the worst storm the city has seen in years. Intense darkness prevails and all street lights are out. The government yacht Slyph, with the Roosevelt party aboard, which was expected to arrive at Ellis island at noon, was unreported at 1 o'clock and it is believed it has sought some haven in the sound where it will remain until the hurricane abates. A heavy sea caused all crafts to flee to shelter. The wind is blowing 60 miles an hour and all fear for the south Jersey coast, where the weather bureau says the storm is at its worst. All communication by wire and rail has been cut off there since the storm struck.

Roosevelt in Danger Damage Will Be Immense—Railway Tracks Flooded and Train Service Will Stop—No Outside Communication.

Camden, N. J., Sept. 16.—A train reaching here this morning brings information of the hurricane which struck Atlantic City early this morning and which did \$1,000,000 damage. The piers on the beach from the ruined pavilions were washed away and the debris is piled high against the beach-front hotels, many of the hotels being unroofed, as were also many houses in the city. The railway tracks are flooded, threatening the suspension of the railway traffic. A heavy rain continues and all wires are down.

Severest Storm Known. Philadelphia, Sept. 16.—It was the severest storm in a decade. The fury of the storm off Cape May and Atlantic City was the highest at 5:30 o'clock this morning and is unprecedented in the history of the beach resorts. The train advices say that 60 buildings were demolished. Blinded by the rain, Prof. Stratton, principal of the Pitman Grove school, and John Glendinning, a capitalist of Ridgewood, N. J., drove into an express train entering Pitman Grove.

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