

PHILOMATH BANKER HAS 2 NAMES, 2 WIVES, IS CHARGE

Attorney Says Evans Is Former Wisconsin Banker Whose Name Was Then Evans—Now Under Arrest.

There can be no doubt that James Charles Evans, the Philomath banker, under arrest for making false statements of his bank's condition, and Charles James Evans, formerly a banker in Wisconsin and Wisconsin, and who though divorced, has two wives living, are the same man, according to Attorney Dwight and Lamoreux, representing Mrs. Emaline Evans.

C. A. Lamoreux returned yesterday from Philomath, where he talked with Evans, or Evans. The banker made an attempt to deny to him that he was really Charles Evans. His only explanation of the change in name is an effort to avoid his first wife.

According to Mr. Dwight, Evans' attorney, in arguing in the supreme court against the reversal of Evans' divorce from Mrs. Emaline Evans, explained the misunderstanding in names by saying that Evans was a careless writer and it was difficult to distinguish his "y" from his "e." In spite of the fact that the supreme court reversed the decree of divorce, Evans has filed a petition for a rehearing of the same before that court. Mr. Dwight does not expect that Evans will persist in the petition in the light of the exposure that comes as the result of his change of name and his arrest in Philomath.

Starts Small Bank.

Evans, according to testimony and affidavits in the possession of Mr. Dwight, has been trying to start banks in small towns for years. He was born in Columbus, Dodge county, Wisconsin, a little town south of Madison, and worked in a bank there. In 1901 he married Mrs. Emaline Evans. For a while he was an insurance agent and in 1901 removed to Felton, Minn., where he organized the First State bank of Felton, borrowing \$500 from his wife to help organize the bank. At that time Mrs. Evans did not go to Felton, owing to the serious illness of her mother. When she did join her husband there she found Mrs. Anna Gillies installed as his wife. Gillies' husband, Mr. Evans introduced the girl as his adopted daughter, according to Mr. Dwight's affidavits.

The two women lived in the house with Evans for some time, during which period Mrs. Evans claims she was cruelly treated by her husband, and frequently beaten and choked. In 1904, it is claimed, Evans and Miss Gillies were ordered to leave town and were accompanied to the station by a jeering crowd which egged them as they boarded the train.

In 1905 she learned that Evans was trying to get a position in a Spokane bank. He failed and later tried to organize a bank in Rainier, Wash. For a while he lived in Portland but the police printed a photograph of him in a local paper with the announcement that they were going to try to find him, and he skipped.

Decree Set Aside.

Mrs. Evans was unable to learn anything again until January, 1910, when his mother died in Columbus and he came back for the funeral. Later on she learned that he was living in Philomath, had obtained a divorce from her by publication of summons and had married Miss Gillies. The summons, it was claimed, had been sent to Mankato, Minn., although Mrs. Evans had never been there.

On the grounds the divorce had been fraudulently obtained the supreme court set aside the decree.

Mrs. Evans is said to be ignorant of the fact that her husband has been arrested for alleged mismanagement of the First State Bank of Philomath. Her attorneys claim he never paid her the

bill owing from his first banking venture at Mankato, Minn. Evans is now proprietor of a public school in Leitchfield, Minn.

DIPLOMAT IS MADE CHINESE EMPIRE'S VIRTUAL EMPEROR

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This may prove another obstacle to peace.

Negotiation should be open. Americans here agree that the hospitality of the American legation should be extended to the emperor when he seeks refuge.

While Yuan Shi Kai is working on his negotiations with the rebels, the government will be headed by Pao Ching, recently captured by the Chinese. Yuan Shi Kai is determined to succeed in his efforts to overthrow the rebel leaders. If he has to visit the revolutionary camp at Wu Chang he declares he will do so.

General Uprising Fanned.

(United Press Special Wire.) Canton, Nov. 1.—Evidence of fear of a general uprising of the people are everywhere manifest among the officials of the imperial government here today. The Chinese are no longer flustered over government buildings, the customs officers have removed their imperial badges, guns have been posted on the admiralty building and armed guards patrol the water front and guard all landing places. The Chinese gunboats are ordered for action.

Apprehensions among foreign legations is also apparent. A French gunboat has landed an armed force of sailors to protect the French consulate, while the British staff of the Canton and Kowloon railway has been ordered, for safety, to Shantung Island, where there are also foreign warships in the harbor.

The people propose the declaration of military and financial independence for Kwangtung province, and appointment of a board of supervisors, elected by representatives of the guilds, to whom the officials shall be responsible. The viceroy and the Manchus and Cantonese banderms have acquiesced.

Admiral Murdock at Shanghai.

(United Press Special Wire.) Shanghai, Nov. 1.—Rear Admiral Murdock, ordered to Hankow to protect American interests there, arrived here today from Manila on the transport Rainbow with 800 marines. He leaves up the Yangtze river for Hankow at dusk.

Imperial Troops in Mutiny.

(United Press Special Wire.) San Francisco, Nov. 1.—Cable advice from Hongkong to Young China, a newspaper here, state that the imperial troops in the province of Sin Si have mutinied and the soldiers are in complete control. The revolutionists in the province of Yunan are declared to have captured the treaty port of Tung Yit.

Careless Treatment Ruins Complexion

(From Woman's National Journal)

Wrinkles and other telltale marks of advancing or premature age, are frequently caused through the excessive use of powders and cosmetics, which clog pores and cause the surface skin to grow sallow and lifeless. "Crow's feet," wrinkles and other complexion faults can be made to vanish quickly, by massaging a plain mayatone lotion into the skin until it disappears.

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MASKED HIGHWAYMAN ROBS SALOONKEEPER

A masked highwayman last night entered a saloon conducted by John Cook at First and Pine streets, and with a revolver leveled at the head of the proprietor administered him a painful blow. Then hitting over the bar, he rushed to the cash register which he tried to open, but failed. Becoming nervous, he jumped at Cook and stole his watch from his pocket. The thief left the saloon and ran down First street toward the north end. He was about six feet tall and weighed about 175 pounds. His mask was a white handkerchief that crossed the lower part of his face and he carried a blue gun.

Two masked highwaymen held up W. T. Condit, chief clerk in the freight office of the Canadian Pacific Railway company, living at 424 East Forty-first street north, at Union avenue and Irving street at 12:15 o'clock this morning and secured \$7.00 in money and a gold watch.

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