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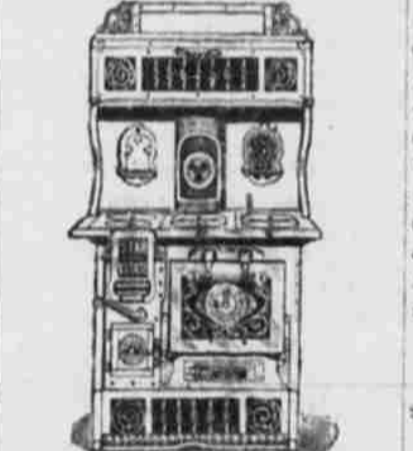
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TO CAPTURE GEN. PILAR

Vigorous Campaign by Gen. Lawton Begun Against the Rebel Chief.

TOWN OF CAINTAI TAKEN

The Town Falls Into the Hands of Colonel Wholley With Small Loss.

FLORENCE MAYBRICK'S CASE

Her Release Now Expected at Any Moment—Consul Laidlaw's Representations to Great Britain.

MANILA, June 4.—1899. A vigorous campaign was begun Saturday against General Pio Del Pilar's force of 300 rebels in the foothills at the mouth of Laguna del Bay and in the towns of Cainta, Taytay and Antipolo, under the supervision of General Lawton. General Hall with 500 men moved southeast from the pumping station and Colonel Wholley, who relieved General King in command of his brigade, proceeded east from San Pedro Macati, the two divisions approaching each other. Colonel Wholley captured Caintai with small loss, the rebels fleeing before the advance of the United States troops. General Hall drove the Filipinos from the vicinity of Marquina, sweeping them towards Colonel Wholley's column.

FLORENCE MAYBRICK'S CASE

Strong Effort Being Made for Her Release—Laidlaw's Representations.

LONDON, June 3.—A representative of the Associated Press has made inquiries with the result that he is able to confirm the report that those who have been working in favor of Mrs. Florence Maybrick will not be surprised at her release at any moment, now that United States Ambassador Joseph H. Choate has had two interviews with the subject with the Marquis of Salisbury, at which his strong representations of the American view of the matter met with the most promising reception. Mr. Choate received most definite instructions from Washington, the gist being that he was to press for an immediate revision of the case, as the United States government considered the time had arrived for an immediate consideration of it. To these instructions and the spirit in which they are being carried out by Mr. Choate, who said, "I will see this thing through." Mrs. Maybrick's pending freedom will be largely due.

Admiral Field brought up in the house of commons last month the question of "retiring" and of the desertions of British sailors, chiefly in American ports, the upshot being that the British consuls were requested to report on the subject and an interesting blue book was issued today, comprising the reports of consuls at New York, San Francisco, Philadelphia, Baltimore and Portland, Oregon, describing the operations of the boarding house keepers and shipping masters in alluring the men to leave their ships.

Consul Laidlaw, at Portland, Oregon, urges Great Britain to conclude a comprehensive consular convention with the latter the same exclusive jurisdiction as enjoyed by the French and German consuls. The general gist of the report appears to be that sailors desert in order to secure the higher rates of wages obtainable in American ports, but that at New York, San Francisco, Philadelphia

THE WEEK IN LONDON.

Copyrighted, 1899, by Associated Press. LONDON, June 3.—England was suddenly plunged from winter into summer during the week. Last week fires were necessary. Now the temperature is over 70 and the sky is clear and blue. London seldom seems so full of people, and Hyde Park presents a very gay appearance, the light summer toilettes and bright colored sun shades making a brilliant picture daily. The Princess of Wales, accompanied by the Princess Victoria, was about driving in Rotten Row, this being their first appearance for a very long time. A number of coaches were also out. One very smart team, driven by Mrs. Frank Mackay, of Milwaukee, was often seen. Considerable interest is being aroused in auto cars. The Duke of Marlborough and Manchester are doing all they can to start the fashion. A great automobile show will be opened on June 17, at Richmond, by Prince Edward, of Saxo-Weimar. There will be tests of

hill climbing and races between fast trotting horses and automobiles.

An American company is establishing works at Coventry for the purpose of building motor cars invented by a son of Hiram Maxim. Derby day is rapidly losing its character as the people's day, and judging from the character of the attendance at Epsom on Wednesday, it is becoming as fashionable as Ascot. A vast majority of those occupying the stalls and boxes in the grand stand and on the jockey club stand, were ladies well known in society, while their bright costumes made the paddock look like a garden party.

The sensational collapse of the French horse Holocauste, whose death represented a loss of \$20,000 to his owners, was an intense disappointment to the large French contingent which had come over to see what was confidently predicted to be a victory for their representative. The Paris papers are furious, and blame the Epsom authorities for leaving the course in a disgraceful condition, for it was gravely declared Holocauste slipped on a piece of orange peeling. There was a great rush for relics, after Holocauste was slaughtered. His ears, mane, tail and hoofs were cut off, and the gypsies did a roaring trade in selling bunches of hair cut from their own gray horses and palmed off as genuine Holocauste souvenirs.

A well known veterinary surgeon, Marz Stephenson, who witnessed the accident, attributes, in a published interview, the disaster to Sloan's method of riding, declaring that if the jockey had been sitting in the saddle instead of crouching on the horse's neck, he could have helped Holocauste to recover, after a first mistake, when he wrecked his ankle. Holocauste, he adds, was then going very well, and 50 yards farther Flying Fox was only a neck ahead when Holocauste stumbled again and broke his postern. Sloan, according to Stephenson, has no control over his mounts and his method extorts speed by frightening his mount, as Johnny Gilpin did. Holocauste's owner, M. De Bremond, certainly does not share the foregoing views. He said emphatically to a reporter of the Associated Press:

"Sloan's jockeyship was consummate and it is acknowledged that he had the race well within his grasp when the accident occurred. It was indeed ill luck to have victory snatched from me. Moreover, in Holocauste I lost a pet. The sympathy expressed on all sides will be extended to Sloan, whose disappointment is only second to mine."

Lieutenant Winston Leonard Churchill, eldest son of the late Lord Randolph Churchill, is making a distinct hit in the political field. He has been elected president of the Midland conservative club and, at a meeting held at Birmingham on Thursday to welcome him, he made an extremely able speech, earning the course of which he evoked much merriment by saying the expression of a presidential address always reminded him of the high politics of a queen's speech, a receipt of the czar or a message of President McKinley, or, coming to lesser matters, of Emperor William's telegrams, former Secretary Olney's notes or other dignified styles of public utterances. Churchill also treated Lord Rosebery, Sir William Vernon Harcourt, Mr. John Morley and other big leaders of the opposition to a dose of chaffing, but his clever criticism and speech generally attracted considerable attention. The conservative Morning Post says:

"The old political leaders had better look to their laurels. Churchill's speech has a force of movement and humor that delighted his hearers, and discloses a sense of form of consciousness that oratory is an art, which will leave the public to expect more in that respect than has hitherto been supplied."

The hotels are now full of Americans. Senator Wolcott, of Colorado, is staying at Claridge's hotel on his way to Carlsbad. In conversation with a representative of the Associated Press the senator grew enthusiastic on the subject of the growing prosperity in the United States, and the rapid increase in the exportation of American manufactures and predicted the triumphant reelection of President McKinley by an increased majority. He also said the democracy would not renege on William J. Bryan's silver platform, but would make the chief issue hostility to trusts and expansion. He was keenly interested in the forthcoming report of the Indian currency commission, and hoped it would not recommend a gold currency, as he thought an international agreement on bimetallicism would be reached before long, but with a chance of ratio.

Regarding the Anglo-American high commission, Senator Wolcott said the trouble was with Canada and not with Great Britain. The Canadians, he said, are not easy to deal with, but he thought a solution of the difficulty would yet be found.

Considering the advanced state of the season, numerous changes are announced at the theaters. The Americans are looking forward with interest to Nat Good-

DESTROYED BY FIRE

Business Portion of Town of Republic a Mass of Smoldering Ruins.

THE LOSS IS HEAVY

Estimated at a Quarter Million Dollars--Started by Gasoline Stove Explosion.

WARDNER MINE TROUBLE

Impachment Cases Against Sheriff and County Commissioner Soon to Commence--Mines Opening.

REPUBLIC, Wash., June 3.—A disastrous fire broke out here at six o'clock this morning and before the flames were brought under subjection, the damage amounted to a quarter of a million of dollars. At noon today the business portion of the town is a mass of smoldering ruins, while on three sides are rows of scorched buildings marking the path of the flames. The fire fighting apparatus could not check the blaze and it was only used to save some of the buildings outside of the fire zone that were smoking and breaking into flames at times.

The fire started by the explosion of a gasoline stove in the Segel building on Clark avenue, where some men were cooking breakfast. It spread on the west side of the street to Browne's restaurant and south to the Republic Trading Company's store. On the west side, two entire blocks were destroyed. The first powder was used to blow up the building occupied by Alexander's law office on the opposite side of the cross-street from the Percy building. Then the latter building was sent skyward and the flying brands scattered the fire to the buildings on the east side of Clark avenue.

It is rumored that two opium fiends were burned in one of the buildings. No authenticity is given to the report, and it is impossible to learn where the supposed victims were located. Twenty-eight buildings are ruined. They were occupied by the following firms: Republic Trading Company, Coeur d'Alene saloon, Manila saloon, Spokane Candy Company, Spokane Cigar store, Butte saloon, Bert Harris saloon, Percy building, McPherson's real estate office, Republic barbershop, McKinney's tailor shop, Bravinsk's bazaar, Montana saloon, Log Cabin saloon, Brown's restaurant, Keeks saloon, Belkeld Bros. drug store, J. D. Morris drug store (damaged only), Burke building (used as a county hospital), Madam Gildon's boarding house, Best Bros. building, A. W. Strong & Company cigar store, Republic bank, Bokstein's jewelry store, Eureka News Company, Jones' Club saloon, Spokane restaurant, United States barber shop, New York Kitchen, Rose's grocery, Brady's dry goods store and the Dewey saloon.

PRISONERS IN STOCKADE.

Stalls for Solitary Confinement Being Built--The Impachment Cases.

WARDNER, Idaho, June 3.—There are now 35 prisoners in stockade at this place. Several new buildings connected with the prison are under construction, one being the guard house with 12 stalls for solitary confinement for incorrigibles. All the new buildings and improvements indicate permanency.

The impeachment case against Sheriff Young and County Commissioner Boyle will commence before Judge Stewart, at Wallace, next Monday. It is expected that the inquest will be concluded by next Saturday. More than 350 witnesses have been examined and valuable evidence secured. State Auditor Sinclair left for Boise today and will return Wednesday.

Both mines in Wardner are in operation. There is difficulty in securing miners in Canyon creek for the dynamiters are threatening the new arrivals despite the soldiers.

MINERS BEING SECURED.

WALLACE, Idaho, June 3.—Two Canyon Creek mines will be running tomorrow. The Standard started today with a small force, but will not attempt taking out ore until more men are secured. Only development work is being done now. Men were sent from here to Burke today to start the Necla tomorrow morning with a full force of about 20 men. This morning the train from Burke dished, but in spite of that nearly 30 union men and women walked down here to attend the funeral of Mike Devine, who died in Wardner prison Thursday.

HABEAS CORPUS WRIT DENIED.

BOISE, Idaho, June 3.—The Boyle habeas corpus case was continued before Judge Betty today. The judge would not issue the writ, basing his action on defects of the petition. He finally denied the alternative writ and ordered the attorney general to show cause why habeas corpus should not be issued. This phase of the matter will be argued Monday.

THEIR NAMES WERE MISUSED.

Two Passengers on the Alameda Were Wrongfully Suspected of Stealing the \$5,000.

SAN FRANCISCO, June 3.—It seems that a remarkable mistake has been made in connecting Willard Reed Green and John H. Porter with the disappearance of the \$5,000 from the strong room of the steamship Alameda, which arrived last night from Australia. Green purchased tickets for himself, wife and Porter at Sydney, all in his own name and tickets were issued to him and Porter, the correct names being used. In making up the printed passenger list after leaving port, the names were printed as Willard Reed and wife and J. H. Reed.

It was this circumstance which caused Messrs Green and Porter to be interrogated by the police when they arrived here. It was soon shown that they had absolutely no connection with the matter and they were completely exonerated.

MARIE WAINWRIGHT WEDS.

Is Married to Franklin Roberts, the Actor, at St. George's Church.

NEW YORK, June 3.—There was a quiet little marriage at St. George's church last night. The bride was Marie Wainwright, the well known actress, and the groom was Mr. Franklin Roberts, an actor, who was Miss Wainwright's leading man this last season in "Shall We Forgive Her." The ceremony was performed by Rev. Oestham, and only a very few of the most intimate friends of the pair were present. Dr. A. J. Wittson was best man, and the Misses Slaughter, the actress' daughters by a former marriage, attended their mother.

Mr. and Mrs. Roberts and Mrs. Roberts' daughters will sail for London today. They will spend the summer abroad and will pass much of the time on the Thames.

Miss Wainwright is a daughter of Commodore Wainwright and a granddaughter of Bishop Wainwright, who was a very prominent American divine. Mr. Roberts is an English actor, who has been playing in America for the last few years.

RELEASED FROM CUSTODY.

SAN FRANCISCO, June 3.—W. R. Green and J. R. Porter, who were taken to police headquarters and questioned in connection with the mysterious disappearance of \$5,000 in gold on the steamer Alameda, on her trip from Australia to this port, were released by the police after a few hours at headquarters. The police have concluded that Green and Porter had no connection with the disappearance of the money. It is said Green was a well known mining man of Denver and Porter was his cousin, and they were returning from a trip to Australia. The police hold to the theory that the money was taken at Sydney before the vessel left that port.

M'CABE WILL NOT INTERFERE.

TACOMA, June 3.—Bishop C. C. McCabe writes to a Tacoma minister that he will not interfere in any way with the Puget sound university or Portland university, leaving both schools to settle the question of consolidation themselves.

PAYING OFF THE CUBANS.

HAVANA, June 3.—The payment of the insurgent soldiers was continued yesterday at Mellina. One hundred and seventy-six men received \$75, the amount allotted to each soldier on turning in their arms.

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