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BOURNE BETTING TEDDY

HEADS THE TICKET

FIRM IN HIS BELIEF THAT THE CHICAGO CONVENTION WILL BE STAMPEDED TO THE INVINCIBLE CHAMPION OF POPULAR REFORM IN THE WHITE HOUSE.

Washington, Feb. 25.—"I'll bet \$5000 President Roosevelt is nominated by the Chicago convention," suggested Senator Bourne, of Oregon, to Senator Elkins, of West Virginia, when these two legislators met in the White House.

"You're wrong," replied Elkins. "Well, where's your money?" continued Bourne, reaching into his pocket, as if to drag out a roll of bills.

"I'll not bet," muttered the West Virginian, "but if I thought you had that much money on you I would throw you down and take it away from you."

But no bet was made.

INSANE ASYLUM FOR LIFE

(United Press Leased Wire.) New York, Feb. 25.—Statements emanating from the alienists, who have examined Harry Thaw, indicate that nothing short of a miracle will save Stanford White's slayer from spending the remaining days of his life in an asylum for the insane.

It is said that Thaw is the victim of paranoia, which is a progressive disease of the mind. Thaw is entirely in the hands of the state board of lunacy and the alienists at Matteawan, and his fate rests with them. It is customary for these officials to report the mental condition of an inmate 60 days after he is entered, but there is nothing compulsory about it.

ECCENTRIC BACHELOR

(United Press Leased Wire.) Los Angeles, Cal., Feb. 25.—Believing that Bernard Graess, the eccentric German bachelor, who died in the United States Hotel Monday, buried \$50,000 in gold on a ranch at the head of San Fernando valley, several men who knew the old man have decided to dig for the supposed fortune.

Although it is known that Graess made thousands of dollars out of bees and speculation, only \$300 of his money was found in a safety deposit box following his death. He died intestate, and his property, valued at \$12,000, is in charge of the public administrator.

Graess lived on a bee ranch for 30 years and often came to Los Angeles.

The United States supreme court has upheld the law of Oregon, which prohibits women from being employed for more than a ten-hour day.

ORIENTAL FIRED AT 'FRISCO

SCHOOL IS CLOSED

GREAT BIG COREAN IS ORDERED TO LEAVE FIFTH GRADE AT SAUSALITO—JAPANESE TAKE UP THE GAUNTLET IN THE COURTS.

(United Press Leased Wire.) San Francisco, Feb. 25.—The Japanese school question has again made its appearance. The school trustees of Sausalito have adopted a resolution which practically bars all Orientals from the schools of that town.

As a result of the board's action

SAN FRANCISCO, FEB. 25.—BY A VOTE OF 18 TO 9 THE REPUBLICAN COUNTY COMMITTEE HEREBY ENDORSED WILLIAM H. TAFT LAST NIGHT, AND THEREBY FORETOLD ITS PROBABLE REJECTION OF THE STATE CENTRAL COMMITTEES REQUEST FOR UNOFFICIAL PRIMARIES MAY 2.

THE TAFT RESOLUTIONS WERE INTRODUCED BY TOM MAGEE, AFTER T. B. SULLIVAN HAD SECURED POSTPONEMENT OF CONSIDERATION OF THE STATE CENTRAL COMMITTEE'S CALL FOR PRIMARIES AND CONVENTION. THE RESOLUTIONS FOLLOW:

RESOLVED, THAT THE REPUBLICAN COUNTY COMMITTEE OF THE CITY AND COUNTY OF SAN FRANCISCO HEREBY ENDORSES THE CANDIDACY OF WILLIAM H. TAFT FOR THE OFFICE OF PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES, AND PLEDGES ITSELF TO AN EARNEST EFFORT TO SECURE FOR HIM A SOLID DELEGATION FROM CALIFORNIA TO THE NATIONAL REPUBLICAN CONVENTION."

Lung H. Cho, a 21-year-old Korean, who had been attending the Central school, fifth grade, which is taught by Miss A. Smith, has been compelled to leave the school.

Some time today Cho, who is said to be backed by half a dozen Japanese "study boys," accompanied by his attorney, Daniel Suter, of this city, will call upon Professor O. C.

CHINA TO GO TO THE FORE

MAKE RAPID STRIDE

NEW DIPLOMAT ARRIVES IN WASHINGTON WHO WILL PUT JAPAN ON COLD STORAGE FOR AWHILE.

(United Press Leased Wire.) Washington, Feb. 25.—With the arrival of Ambassador Takahira, successor to Japanese Ambassador Aoki, and Wu Ting Fang, the new Chinese minister to the United States, there is expected an entirely new phase of the diplomatic relations existing between Japan and China, with the Orient as the center of interest.

Diplomats in Washington who have been watching the situation assert that Japan will likely take the rear of the stage because of her financial troubles, while China presents an entirely independent policy as regards Japan's attitude in the Manchurian trouble.

As the matter stands the United States and the Orient seem to be

ABE RUEF STRUGGLES IN COURT

AFFIDAVIT IS FILED

HENEY HAS BEEN DETAINED BY THE ILLNESS AND DEATH OF HIS NEPHEW—GRAFTERS GET ANOTHER WEEK OF DELAY.

(United Press Leased Wire.) San Francisco, Feb. 25.—The expected affidavits from Francis J. Heney and other members of the graft prosecution, in reply to those of Abraham Ruef, his attorneys and Rabbi Bernard Kaplan, in connection with the present motion of Ruef's to set aside his arraignment on the indictment charging him with bribing ex-Supervisor Jennings J. Phillips to vote in favor of an overhead trolley franchise were not filed this morning.

Prosecutor Heney explained the matter by stating to Judge Lawlor that for the past two weeks he had been in strict attendance upon his nephew, who died in the southern part of the state, Judge Lawlor then continued the case until Friday morning, when the affidavits will be produced in court.

Attorney Ach caused a sensation when he suddenly called upon Detective Burns to take the witness stand and testify in regard to the part played by him in the granting of immunity to Ruef. Heney was on his feet immediately, objecting to the request of Ach, claiming that Burns was already preparing an affidavit covering the matter. Judge Lawlor refused to allow Burns to testify.

The affidavits of Rabbi Nieto was this morning given into the hands of the defense, after both the prosecution and Judge Lawlor had stated to him that it was his solemn duty to do so. His affidavit in regard to his participation in the midnight meeting at which Judge Dunne and Judge Lawlor are alleged to have agreed to grant immunity to Ruef is practically identical with the affidavit of Rabbi Kaplan, which was filed in court several days ago.

RICHEST NEVADA STRIKE

(United Press Leased Wire.) Rawhide, Nev., Feb. 25.—Another remarkable ore strike has been made here. It is said to be the richest ever made in Nevada, the ore assaying as high as \$79,000 to the ton.

The strike was made on the Happy Hooligan claim, which has been purchased by E. W. King, a Bozeman, Mont., banker.

The Capital Journal expects to be represented in the new district, John H. Cradlebaugh and son, Rudolph, left Sunday night for Nevada, and the veteran horse editor of The Capital Journal has promised us some letters from the mines. About once in two years "John" takes a hike to get the taste of fresh meat out of his mouth, and the mountain air into his lungs.

TAINED TELEGRAMS DON'T GO

WITH UNITED PRESS

PRESIDENT VANDERCOOK DEMANDS THAT SPEAKER CANNON ORDER AN INVESTIGATION OF THE CHARGE AGAINST NEWSPAPERS PRINTING SUCH NEWS.

(United Press Leased Wire.) New York, Feb. 25.—The following communication was today sent to Speaker Cannon by the United Press:

"Dear Sir: Widespread circulation has been given a report that you have refused to consider the advisability of starting a complete investigation of the charges involving the Electric Boat Company, newspaper representatives and members of congress. Our name has been brought into the matter through the admission of a United Press reporter in the house that he accepted a check from the boat company for an article circulated last August. It appeared that he did not even try to foist the article upon our report, and none of our papers received it. But we esteem the discipline of our organization, which demands that employees must not attach themselves to outside interests, and dismissed him. We cannot believe that congress will hesitate to clear up the graver charges in which it is involved. The service of every branch of this association will be at your command at all times in this matter. (Signed) JOHN VANDERCOOK, President."

Bulletin to Editors. You may have seen in the Sunday papers that Angus Ery, of the United Press Washington staff, was accused of circulating an article last summer, for which he received a check from the Electric Boat Company.

Upon admitting the truth of the charge, Ery was dismissed from the service. Employees of the United Press Associations are not allowed to have anything to do with "tainted" news of this character. It should be said for Ery that he did not try to foist the article upon us. The article was never seen by us, and did not reach any of our papers.

JOHN VANDERCOOK, President United Press. Representative Lilley, of Connecticut, today filed with the house committee of rules, of which Speaker Cannon is chairman, a brief setting forth charges that the Electric Boat Company exerted improper influences in the matter of the submarine boat legislation before the naval affairs committee.

CHIEF GIBSON MAY LAND BURGLARS.

Thief entered the home of Mrs. Clinton Kurtz, in North Salem, Sunday afternoon and stole a large quantity of furniture and miscellaneous articles. Chief of Police Gibson is conducting an investigation, and hopes to have the burglar in custody before long.

W. S. U'Hen has entered the race for the U. S. senate with Fulton and Calkins.

SIX-DAY RACE
Tonight at 9 O'Clock
AUDITORIUM RINK
Skates, 25c. Skaters' admission, 10c. Spectators' admission, 25c. Skating before and after the race.

Sharp, principal of the school, and demand that he be readmitted to the institution.

Attorney Suter will base his demand on the California law which holds that all children between the ages of 6 and 21 years shall be allowed to attend public schools.

According to a communication received by Professor Sharp his failure to comply with the Oriental's demand will result in an appeal to the courts to compel the school authorities to admit Cho to the school.

Members of the school board of the town declared that it will "stand pat" and will fight to the last ditch before allowing grow up yellow men to mingle with little white girls of tender years. All of the directors declare that they will never visit Washington, and that they cannot be coerced into a retreat.

Work on the Eugene-Springfield line is to resume Monday.

Ships Ordered South. Vallejo, Cal., Feb. 25.—In compliance with telegraphic orders received at Mare Island from the navy department, all stores and coal for the cruisers Tennessee and Washington, now in San Francisco bay, will be sent down from the navy yard by Saturday, as it is desired that the ships proceed south at once. The filling of requisitions is being rushed. Both ships require large consignments.