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WILL HAND UNARMED CAPTURE BOLD ROBBER

San Francisco, July 30.—William Cooney, the "man with the white mask" is in jail today, after being overpowered and bound hand and foot while attempting to hold up the saloon of C. C. Hasagen, where he met his match in Matthew J. Gould, a mill hand.

Cooney entered the saloon about midnight and walked to the rear of the barroom. Gould was talking to the proprietor. Neither paid much attention to the man until they heard the command, "hold up your hands, you don't want to be killed."

Turning, they saw the man wearing the white mask and pointing two revolvers at them. Gould, instead of holding up his hands,

SPECTACLES

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apt to fall into the basket of political oblivion. An investigation, which has been going on for over a year, under the direction of a special commission, named by the President, it is said, on the revealed evidence of alleged connivance on the part of immigration agents in the smuggling of Chinese and Japanese coolies into the United States, both along the Mexican border and in the ports of entry.

The commissioners who have been conducting this investigation now have their data almost complete and in a short time will make their formal report to Washington. When the material is in the hands of the President he will be ready to take immediate action.

Agents of the government are now in San Francisco working up the finishing details of the case. They are making use of a staff of Chinese detectives, and it is declared a complete underground system has been uncovered, and a ring of Chinese leaders revealed.

Much evidence has been obtained of this illicit practice in Southern California, where it is charged Oriental have been regularly passed across the Mexican border under the very noses of a large force of immigration inspectors.

The inspectors have called in the assistance of Detective W. J. Burns and Francis Heney. Within the last two days several conferences have been held between Heney, Burns, the Chinese detectives and the men at the head of the special commission, who are Prof. Jeremiah W. Jenks, dean of the department of economics at Cornell university, and Prof. Fernando Sanford, head of the department of physics at Stanford university.

Jenks came to San Francisco several days ago for a conference with the graft prosecutors, and Sanford has been in the city for some time, quietly making inquiry into the affairs of the local immigration bureau. Jenkins began the work in San Diego some months ago, but had to relinquish it on account of professional duties, and called in Sanford to complete the task. Under Sanford's direction most of the evidence in that section was obtained. By act of the last congress, President Roosevelt was given power to create a special roving commission to investigate the problem of immigration in the United States. This board was to consist of several government officials and three laymen, and was to have authority to travel at will, both in this country and abroad, for the purpose of gathering data. The three laymen named were Jeremiah Jenks, William R. Wheeler and Charles P. Nell. The members selected from officialdom were William P. Dillingham, Henry Cabot Lodge, Benjamin F. Howell, John L. Burnett, Asbury C. Latimer. As the work progressed it devolved upon the three laymen to conduct the Pacific coast departmental inquiry.

The first step when the commission began its work was to send to San Diego one of the best sleuths in the government's employ. Toll is alleged to have been exacted from each alien conveyed over the border, and, according to the information in the commission's hands, the smugglers are alleged to have had an understanding with certain agents of the government.

No such wholesale entrance of coolies has been revealed in the coast ports, but there is a well-organized plan for slipping them in. It is charged. It is said that the Chinese cook in the employ of one of the local inspectors is the chief representative of the ring here, and that when a countryman who knows the ropes is held up at the immigration office he sends at once for this Chinese, who usually gives him advice that is sufficient to bring about his entrance.

Sanford's ablest assistant in San Francisco is a Chinese detective, who has long been in the government service. On this man's head there is a price of \$2500 posted in the headquarters of the Chinese Six Companies, and the best "gun men" of the leading gangs are said to be seeking him. He is closely attended by two Chinese bodyguards.

Professor Jenks today was non-committal on the question of a scandal in the immigration service. He refused to discuss any phase of the commission's work which might involve any officials in the government employ.

H. H. North immigration commissioner, here today said that he had no knowledge of any impending exposure, and dismissed the reports as absurd. He said positively that there could not possibly have been any connivance between government officials and smugglers, and that he

had welcomed with great pleasure the work of the President's commissioners, and had aided them in every way possible.

CLEW TO IDENTITY OF WOMAN

New York, July 30.—A clew, discovered by the police today, indicates a possibility that the woman's body found burned in a trash heap in Williamsburg yesterday may be that of Mrs. Stanley Moskovich, who disappeared Monday.

The police say that Mrs. Josie Gim Brouski, cousin of the missing woman, informed them that she left home after a violent quarrel with her husband, who followed her. Later the man returned alone, and refused to answer any questions as to his wife's whereabouts. The authorities are tracing the evidence against Moskovich, and intimate that they have not told all they know.

Joseph Ruddick, who found the body, was held today under a bond of \$500, pending a hearing tomorrow.

On account of the woman's face being burned with acid there is little hope for an identification of the body, which was bound hand and foot, and badly burned by the fire when found. The police think the woman's throat was cut with a razor.

CANNOT GO THROUGH HUSBY'S POCKETS.

Los Angeles, July 30.—Married men are rejoicing today over the ruling made by Police Judge H. H. Rose that a wife has no right to go through her husband's pockets without his consent and that he may use force in preventing her from so doing. The ruling was made yesterday in the trial of E. C. Hurth, who was accused by his wife of battery because she forcibly objected to her taking angel cake from the bakery.

In acquitting Hurth the court said: "If a husband objects, a wife has no right to go through his trousers' pockets, or otherwise appropriate community property. To prevent her doing so, he may use a reasonable degree of force."

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The social condition of the day fosters crime.

TEACHER COMMITS SUICIDE

Cleveland, O., July 30.—Miss Minnie Datzel, aged 20, a teacher in the public schools here, today walked into the lavatory of the Erie railroad passenger station and shot herself twice. One bullet passed through her mouth, and another through her right eye. She will die. No reason is known for the suicide.

Miss Datzel had been around the depot for over an hour before her body was found. Employees of the railroad noticed that she was acting queer, but paid no attention to her, supposing that she had mislaid a friend for whom she was thought to be waiting at the railroad station. An hour afterward she was found in the lavatory, lying unconscious on the floor. A pearl handled revolver was on the floor by her side.

New Manchurian Railway Line.

The engineer appointed to survey the Changchun and Kirin railway route, namely, Taot' Lo Kuo-fu and Yu Chenliang (Japanese) having finished their survey, arrived back in Moukden a few days ago and are at present engaged in drawing plans for the construction of the line. These plans, we hear, are almost finished, and on their completion the two engineers will confer as to the details of the scheme, which will then be submitted to Wai Wu Pu and the Japanese Minister at Peking, so that they may be in a position to sign an agreement for the undertaking.

According to our information, the following is roughly the line of the route to be taken: Starting from the north wall of Changchung, the line will pass to the south of Shihlipu, Matoushan, and Chuanyuanhou, and reach a point 25 English miles south of the present main road. In the neighborhood of the Tashu river it will cross the main road at right angles and will then sweep round the Laoyehling to the north, and, passing through Santaolingtu and Erhtaolingtu, be brought to the northern gate of Kirin city, whence it will be extended to Lienhuapao.

The line will be 75 English miles in length, and the cost of construction approximately \$7,000,000, or that many yen (50 cents), as the text is uncertain. The station outside the northern gate will be for passengers only, and the station at Lienhuapao for the discharge and loading of cargo. We have further heard that after the contract has been signed at Peking, a further survey will be necessary in the autumn of this year before the work of construction is commenced; this will take two or three months, so that in all probability work will not be begun on the line until the spring of 1909. It will take about one year to finish the construction.—Consular Report.

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In 1872 there was a great deal of diarrhoea, dysentery and cholera infantum. It was at this time that Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy was first brought into use. It proved more successful than any other remedy or treatment, and has for thirty-five years maintained that record. From a small beginning its sale and use has extended to every part of the United States and to many foreign countries. Nine druggists out of ten will recommend it when their opinion is asked, although they have other medicines that pay them a greater profit. It can always be depended upon, even in the most severe and dangerous cases. For sale by Dr. Stone's drug store.

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Canned theology produces cowards.

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