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DIAZ DENIES HE IS PLOTTING SECRET PACT

Asserts There Is No Truth in Story Printed by Portland Telegram Regarding His Mission.

[UNITED PRESS LEARNED WIRE.] Portland, Or., Aug. 9.—Whether a coincidence or not, two prominent Japanese are scheduled to go north on the Shasta limited at 3 o'clock this afternoon, the train which will carry General Felix Diaz and his party on the next lap of their journey to Japan. The two Japanese, Dr. Juichi Soyeda, formerly assistant minister of finance in Japan, and Tadao Kamita, honorary secretary of the Tokio chamber of commerce, are also booked to sail from Vancouver, B. C., next Wednesday on the Empress of Russia, the vessel which will carry General Diaz and his entourage. General Diaz was vehement today in his denial of the truth of an interview appearing in the Portland Telegram yesterday, purporting to be with an attaché of his party, in which it was stated that the visit of Diaz to Japan was for the purpose of signing a secret treaty which would, in exchange for a cash consideration, give Japan a naval and military base in Mexico. "The report is absolutely false," Diaz declared. "I know that none of my party said it."

When asked concerning the report that General Huerta had declared that John Lind, President Wilson's personal representative, would be unwelcome in Mexico, City, Diaz said: "Until I am informed officially that Mr. Lind will not be favorably received in Mexico, I don't want to talk about it."

IMPRESSION OF HAND

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print of anyone connected with the murder can ever be had now.

Evidence Probably Stolen.

Chief of Police Welch is today trying to figure out who broke into the basement of the house last night. While making another investigation of the premises this morning, the chief discovered that some one had pried the staples out of the basement door with the use of a pick and entered the place. The door had then been refastened, but the instrument used to draw the staples had been left in front of the door. It is possible that some friend or friend of the men being held entered the basement last night for the purpose of making way with some tell-tale

bloody clothing or other articles which had been cast under the house by the one who committed the murder. Having no key, the police did not search the basement yesterday or last night, and there is strong indication that there might have been something hidden in that part of the house which would prove disastrous for either the men now in jail or others connected in the case. Friend of Koda, Maybe.

Investigation showed this morning that besides a sewing machine, an old lounge and some cordwood, the basement was practically empty. Nothing seemed to be missing, according to Koda, who told of everything in the building and just why anyone would be so anxious to enter the basement and use a pick to do so, is somewhat of a mystery.

Had there been anything there that belonged to others besides Koda, the latter would possibly have known it, and he stated positively this morning that there was nothing in the place but what belonged to him. The police believe that it is possible that Koda's statement may be true enough and that there might have been things in the basement that, while belonging to Koda, he was not desirous of having them displayed to the public.

On the other hand, why should any one break open the basement door when the place contained but a few worthless articles? This business indicates that some person had a great desire to remove something from the basement and did get something by stealing it under cover of darkness. What that something is, the police today would like very much to know.

Killed by Person Unknown.

After taking evidence from 2 p. m. to 9 p. m. yesterday, the coroner's jury which investigated the murder, brought in a verdict that the three people came to their death as a result of wounds inflicted by the knives in evidence by some party or parties unknown. F. R. Davis, Fred Rice, Frank Ward, Frank Morrison, A. H. Steiner and C. N. Matlock were on the jury and the inquest was conducted by Coroner Clough, with Deputy District Attorney Heltzel looking after the interests of the state.

The evidence submitted was pretty well covered in The Capital Journal's story of the murder yesterday.

Finds Bodies.

Following the testimony of Koda, given in yesterday's Capital Journal, Matsura testified that he went to the alley from State street about 7:45 and discovered the bodies. He notified people in the laundry and picked up the baby and gave it to Nakamura, telling him to take it to the Chinese doctor. He then covered the bodies with a sheet.

There was nothing new in Nakamura's testimony.

Bruno Boddighermer told of finding no one near the bodies when he arrived.

Koda's Story Assailed.

Evidence was introduced to show that Koda, Matsura and Nakamura were not telling the truth. Koda's testimony was especially assailed and his alibi was considered greatly weakened by evidence which indicated that he might have visited the hospital and still have killed the three.

K. Otsubo, secretary of the Japanese association at Portland, and Y. Matsui, and interpreter from that city held the belief that it was a case of murder and suicide, that the dead man was infatuated with Mrs. Koda and that he killed her when she fled from him.

It was found last evening that the baby was shot in the back, as well as stabbed in the stomach.

Bought Last April.

It has been ascertained that the revolver found at the scene of the killing, which belonged to the dead man, was purchased by him from Hauser Bros., April 7, 1913, and the calibre was .32. He gave his name as Joe Kyschawa. Believes They Live.

Up to the present time, Koda will not believe that his wife and baby are dead, according to Guy Smith, who is giving him legal advice. Koda states that his wife will come back to him sooner or later and stoutly claims that she will not leave him.

MISS NORRIS INNOCENT BEFORE TRIP TO RENO

[UNITED PRESS LEARNED WIRE.] San Francisco, Aug. 9.—Highly sensational testimony bearing without reserve the whole story of immoral relations between Harry L. Diggs, whose white slavery trial will be resumed here Tuesday before United States Judge Van Fleet, and Marsha Warrington, with whom he fled to Reno after deserting his wife and child in Sacramento, was practically promised here today by Theodore Roche, special prosecutor for the government in the famous case. Roche also intimated that the case against Diggs and that against his companion, F. Drew Caminetti, son of the United States commissioner of immigration, may take an even more serious phase than has so far been intimated. There has been no attempt to claim that Miss Warrington was not intimate with Diggs for some time before the Reno escapade, and it has been supposed that Miss Norris, who accompanied Caminetti, also was not above reproach. This idea was dispelled here today by Prosecutor Roche, who declared he has evidence to show that Miss Norris was bullied and brow-beaten into making the Reno trip by false threats of impending exposure when an amateur of fact she was pure until the arrival of the party at the Reno bungalow, where the arrest of the elopers was finally made.



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It also gives faults, but not vices. Impatience, a hastiness of judgment and quick temper are the faults given by Leo. Leo people should listen to their inner guidance, and follow it implicitly.

Women born on this date are susceptible to flattery, are apt to be flirts and yet, when in their own homes, make excellent wives and mothers.

Men of this birthdate are generous to a fault. They are domestic and take great pride in seeing their own family well dressed and occupying a high social position.

Seamstresses, stenographers, teachers, should watch the Want Ads for

the coming week, as new positions will be found through them, and advantageous change of location.

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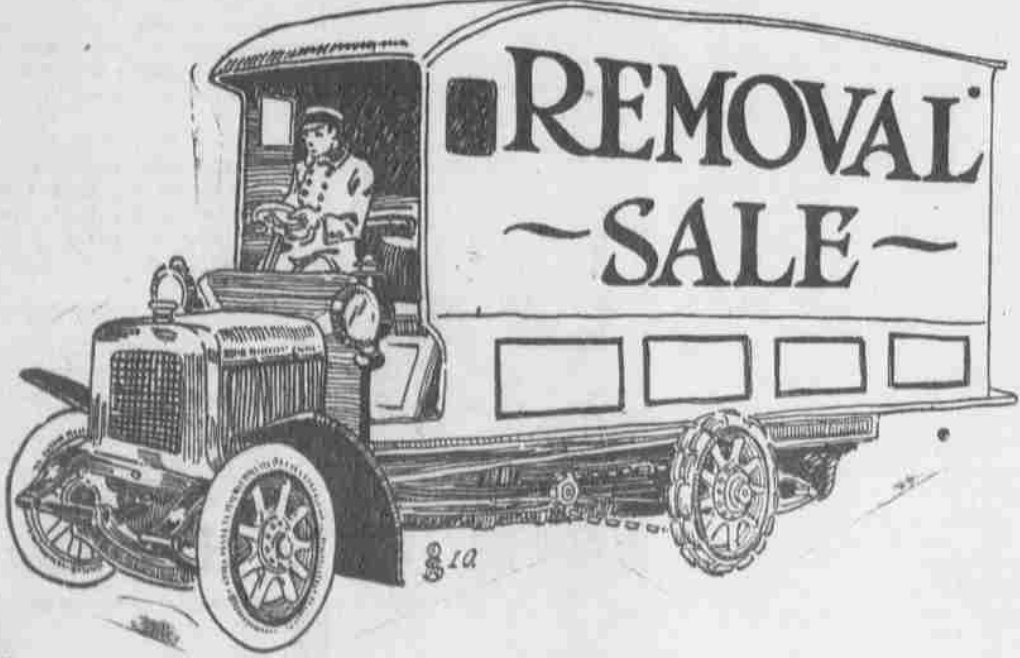
[UNITED PRESS LEARNED WIRE.] Milwaukee, Wis., Aug. 9.—Cardinal Gibbons, of the American Federation of Catholic Societies, which opens here tomorrow with a pontifical mass. This afternoon 20,000 Catholics participated in a parade.

Suffered Eczema 50 Years—Now Well.

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Man 73 got a divorce so as to have peace in his old age. That sometimes seems to be the only way.



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