

N. Y. ALDERMAN LAUNDERED IN JAIL

W. S. Clifford Arrested for Bribery and Was Unable to Furnish Bail.

HE DECLARES IT WAS A TRAP.

Accused Charged With Undertaking to Purchase Votes for Election of Court Recorder.

New York, Jan. 15.—In the arrest of Alderman W. S. Clifford and David Mann, foreman of a stone yard, on charges of bribery in connection with the election of a recorder of the general sessions court, the district attorney's office declared a plot has been uncovered by which 11 aldermen have been approached to sell their votes for recorder for \$500 each.

According to the district attorney's office, \$5,000 in marked bills was found on Mann, who is accused of being the go-between. It is alleged that Clifford accepted a bribe of \$5,000 in return for which he was to deliver the votes of himself and 10 other aldermen for ex-Judge Rufus B. Cowing for recorder.

According to the district attorney's office, Clifford met Mann today and took the \$5,000 for payment to the aldermen who Clifford said had delivered the bribed votes. Detectives from the district attorney's office were witnesses, they say, and promptly arrested Clifford. Clifford later was arraigned and held in \$10,000 for further examination.

At the board of aldermen meeting today voting for the new recorder, Cowing's name was mentioned for the first time by Alderman Clifford, who had been elected on the Municipal Campaign League ticket. Clifford had previously voted for ex-Judge Palmer.

Unable to procure bail, Clifford was lodged in a police station tonight. Regarding his arrest he said: "They prepared this trap and tried to catch me."

Asked about the \$5,000 Clifford replied: "That was for a business consideration. I have received money from Mann before. This is not the first time I have had close business relations with him."

Subpoenas were issued tonight for a number of aldermen to appear at the district attorney's office.

Aldermen Charles Kuntze, F. J. O'Neill and William Towcroft responded. All were summoned to appear before the grand jury tomorrow. The aldermen disclaimed any knowledge of the events leading to the arrest of Clifford and Mann.

SPEECH BY BRYCE.

Has Undertaken Mission to United States With Some Hesitation.

Newcastle, England, Jan. 15.—In a speech tonight before the Gladstone club, James Bryce, the recently appointed British ambassador at Washington, said he had undertaken the difficult and responsible mission to the United States with some hesitation. He felt reluctant to leave the work in which he was engaged in his country, but believed this mission offered great opportunities and he was sure that there was no task to which a man should be more ready to devote the rest of his life than that of trying to cement the ties of friendship between Great Britain and the United States.

Mr. Bryce dated the growth of the cordiality between England and America from Gladstone's conclusion of the Alabama treaty, which he called the "most fruitful act in the field of foreign politics of the present generation."

Mr. Bryce devoted the rest of his speech to a review of his administration as chief secretary for Ireland. He said feelings of suspicion and distrust of the English still existed, but that the Irish problem must be regarded as unsolved.

WOMAN KILLS THE MAN.

Lubeck, Germany, Jan. 15.—Ernst Stiller, manager of the local bank of commerce, an ex-member of the Reichstag and prominent in financial and political life, was shot and killed in a street here today by Miss Elizabeth Schulz, who then shot herself. Miss Schulz had been the nurse of Herr Stiller's wife, who died some time ago. She had desired him to marry her. Stiller repelled the woman and the tragedy followed.

EMMA GOLDMAN RELEASED.

New York, Jan. 15.—Emma Goldman, who was arrested Jan. 6, charged with making an incendiary speech at a Washington meeting here, was discharged from custody today. Alexander Berkman and John R. Cuddey, who were arrested at the same time, also were released. In moving the discharge of the prisoners an assistant district attorney said he was influenced by the fact that the grand jury a few days ago had re-

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fused to indict Miss Goldman for making an alleged incendiary speech recently at Manhattan Lyceum. The present case against the three defendants was of a minor character, and he believed it would be useless to prosecute them further.

MONTANA RANGES.

Those in Eastern Part of State in Worst Condition in Their History.

Butte, Mont., Jan. 15.—A Miner special from Glendive, in the center of the range conditions in that section of Montana are the worst in the history of the country. The range is covered with snow from a depth of 10 inches to three feet. In the Big Dry and Missouri country the snow is fully three feet deep, one foot of which fell in November.

A rain in early December fell on this range making a crust which holds up a team. Stock in that country that is not supplied with food and shelter will be a total loss. Sheepmen will suffer the heaviest, as horses and cattle can be driven out to some extent.

The sheep men in this immediate section are all pretty well supplied with feed, and those who are not are trailing to the railroad as fast as possible. Foe and Jordan, Herrick, Duplax, Dickman and other prominent sheepmen are arranging to ship to points west, with the present outlook the loss of stock will be very heavy. At the best the temperature is about 35 degrees below zero.

SHIPWRECKED MEN LANDED.

Victoria, B. C., Jan. 15.—Capt. Melville and 15 men of the American bark Carroll wrecked Dec. 26, on Midway Island, were landed here tonight by the cable laying steamer Restorer of the Commercial Cable company, which came from Midway Island for repairs. The shipwrecked seamen reported the Carroll left Newcastle on Oct. 7 and when some days out sprang a leak which made five inches of water an hour. Fresh water was exhausted, and it was decided to run for Midway Island to secure a supply. Midway Island light was seen Christmas night and Capt. Melville tried to tack ship but the vessel missed and struck head-on, embedding her bow in the sand. She pounded heavily, and fearing the yards would come down, the crew took to the boats and landed soon after daylight at the cable station. After a stay of 10 days they were given passage here en route to San Francisco by the Restorer. The bark remained intact until New Years day, when the forecastle broke down. Since she has broken up and her remains are scattered on the beach.

BRYAN'S MILITIA RECORD.

Spokane, Wash., Jan. 15.—William Jennings Bryan, who speaks here tonight, was visited by a delegation of Spanish war veterans today and asked to become a member. He declined, saying jestingly:

"I have never thought that my military record would look well under record."

In moving the discharge of the prisoners a reminder that President Roosevelt is a member, he replied:

"I am not traveling as much on my military record as he is."

MURDERER LENOX ARRESTED.

Butte, Mont., Jan. 15.—Sheriff Charles Henderson is in receipt of advices from San Bernardino, Cal., to effect the arrest of Charles Lennox, an escaped murderer from this place, is under arrest there. Lennox, who is under the sentence of death, had escaped from the jail here in a general delivery, in which his partner in crime, James Martin, also escaped. Martin was subsequently recaptured and executed for his crime. Lennox and Martin killed a locomotive fireman named Williams here about three years ago, holding him up.

MANUEL SILVEIRA.

Ceballos' Havana Agent Doing Business in Guayana.

New York, Jan. 15.—Manuel Silveira, formerly the Havana agent for J. M. Ceballos & Company of this city, who left Cuba suddenly last October for Venezuela, according to the latest reports from Caracas, is again active in business and is planning large enterprises.

It is said that he has purchased a large ranch in the state of Guayana having a herd of over 15,000 head of cattle.

Large refrigerating plants have already been installed in Puerto Cabello, the idea being to ship meat from that port to England and the United States. Another enterprise in which Silveira is the chief promoter is the development of the San Bernardino coffee plantation. The advices also state that Silveira may be appointed to a high government office and that he is well received by society in the Venezuelan capital.

FRENCH EPISCOPATE OPENS SPECIAL SESSION.

Paris, Jan. 15.—The French episcopate opened its special session at the Chateau de la Muette. Hundreds of curious persons surrounded the walls of the famous old structure built for the Duchesse Du Barry, to witness the assembling of the ecclesiastics.

chateau and singing the "Venit Creator," the cardinals, archbishops and bishops under the presidency of Cardinal Lecot, inaugurated the business of the day by electing four commissioners, as follows: First, to consider the questions in connection with worship, which must remain public for the present; Mar. Dadoile, the bishop of Dijon, having brought a formal order from Rome not to consider the contingency of private worship; second, the question of funds; third, the support of the clergy; fourth, the seminaries and primary schools.

The answer of the French bishops to the pope's question as to whether the episcopate would adopt in the event of further prosecutions is reported to be as follows:

"The development of events must be awaited. The episcopate will not without provocation and without yielding. No arrangements for the future will be made and the new laws will simply be ignored. The parish priests will leave their churches only on compulsion and on the advice of the bishop. The priests will not take the initiative."

CRIMINAL ASSAULTS.

Death Penalty Demanded of Illinois Legislature for Them.

Chicago, Jan. 15.—The death penalty for criminal assault on women and girls was demanded of the legislature last night by the Chicago city council, which adopted a resolution which had been recommended by the committee on criminal legislation. The resolution also provides a penalty of life imprisonment for cases of attempted assault.

TRAFFICKERS IN WOMEN.

Two of Them Given Heavy Sentences In Butte.

Butte, Mont., Jan. 15.—As the result of the determined campaign being waged by federal agents against the so-called traffickers in human flesh in this city, Pierre Vonderburgh has been sentenced by Federal Judge Hunt to four years in the penitentiary and fined \$500. A companion of Vonderburgh was sent to the penitentiary last week for a similar offense. Vonderburgh's victim is insane.

GOT RICH TOO QUICK.

Telegraph Operator Manipulated the Wires and Won Big Money.

Great Falls, Mont., Jan. 15.—After winning \$2,000 in a local poolroom on the results of races at Oakland and Ascut, William H. Molden, a telegraph operator in the employ of the Postal Telegraph company, was yesterday arrested on a charge of sending false messages. The poolroom management alleges that he was a party to a successful wire tapping scheme.

Molden commenced betting with \$40 and made three bets which netted him \$1,950. It was later learned by the manager of the poolroom that false returns had been received over the wire, as two of the horses on which Molden had cashed bets were not winners on today's card. When arrested Molden denied the charges, saying that he was betting for another man, a stranger to whom he had turned over his winnings and from whom he had received \$100 for his services. He was unable to describe this man. No other arrests have been made.

FORTUNE FOR BELL BOY.

Los Angeles, Jan. 15.—Frank Averill, a bellboy at the Hotel Alexandria, 20 years old, 48 in receipt of a telegram signed by A. J. McPherson, a bank official in Greenwater, Nev., stating that \$25,000 in cash and 125,000 shares of copper stock valued at \$50,000 have been deposited to his credit in the Greenwater bank. Averill knows nothing of anyone likely to be very rich, to the best of his knowledge. He has responded to the dispatch saying that he is of the opinion that it is meant for someone else.

REHABILITATION OF CHICAGO'S CAR SERVICE.

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GERMAN ELECTIONS.

Chancellor von Buelow Will Take Part In the Campaign.

Berlin, Jan. 15.—Prince von Buelow, the German chancellor, is stated to have decided to take part in the electoral campaign. This is a step against all traditions, and it is brought about, it is said, because of the unfavorable signs so far as the government is concerned, in the electoral prospects.

The chancellor is expected to take the stump on Saturday and will appear in behalf of the imperial policy as against the Socialists and other opposition parties. The speech will be made to a select audience at a banquet, but it will be sent broadcast throughout the country. The move is supposed to have been inspired by the Kaiser.

A WAR OF EXCHANGES.

New York, Jan. 15.—The Tribune today says that many brokers in the financial district are expecting a declaration of war between the stock exchange and the produce exchange ever since the produce exchange's board of managers reported at the beginning of this month in favor of trading in mining and industrial stocks which are not in the stock exchange list and which have been traded in extensively on the Broad street curb. The special committee appointed by the produce exchange to formulate rules for an exchange of trading in practically all of the stock exchange recommendation will embrace nearly all of those recognized on the curb.

In commenting on this, a leading official of the stock exchange is quoted as saying: "If the produce exchange plan contemplates trading in practically all of the stock exchange recommendation will cut off its produce exchange connections and force its members to resign as produce exchange members. If that does not suffice, we will move the curb to the stock exchange, or cutting out the trading in worthless stocks. At present nine-tenths of the curb trading is for the benefit of the stock exchange firms."

MEDAL FOR PROF. BROWN.

London, Jan. 15.—Ernest W. Brown, professor of mathematics at Haverford college, has been awarded a gold medal by the Royal Astronomical society in recognition of his researches into the lunar theory.

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TRIAL OF D. P. DYER, JR.

Charged With the Embezzlement of \$61,200 of Government Funds.

St. Louis, Jan. 12.—The trial of David P. Dyer, Jr., the suspended teller of the United States sub-treasury, charged with the embezzlement of \$61,200 of government funds, was begun here today in the United States district court. The prosecution is being conducted by Fred W. Lehmann, special counsel for the government. The United States district attorney, D. P. Dyer, and his assistant, Horace Dyer, are the father and brother respectively, of the defendant.

Lehmann, special counsel for the government, testified regarding the discovery of the alleged shortage:

"I went to Dyer's cage and told him I intended to examine his cash. He was about to come out. He went back and received through a revolving basket the receiving and paying teller's cages a small package of money from Paying Teller M. B. Ferguson."

"After counting up his stock and checking his books I found that the cash balanced, I then O.K'd his daily settlement book in lead pencil."

"I was called to my desk, and looking up saw Dyer come out of his cage with a handful of money. Dyer went outside, and when he came back I told him I was going to count his cash again. I then found the discrepancy of \$61,200."

"I asked him why he had not reported it to me, and he said the amount was so large he was frightened, and hoped the money would turn up."

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VERY BAD WRECK ON THE SOUTHERN PACIFIC.

Reno Nev. Jan. 15.—Two women were badly injured, three cars overturned and an engine demolished in a wreck at Verdi last night, caused by train No. 4 running into the limited train No. 2. Train No. 4 was traveling on a siding at the rate of about four miles an hour, when the engine overrode onto the main line, over a switch that had been left open, so it is said by a freight crew, and crashed into a sleeping car of the limited, which was going at the rate of about 20 miles an hour. The injured women were caught in their births and had to be chopped out. Their injuries, so it is said, may prove fatal. The smashed engines and cars still lie in the snow near the track. Traffic was tied up about 13 hours.

The two women injured were Mrs. J. McCune of Oakland and Mrs. George Galbrit of Fresno. They continued on their journey east.

A BOLD ROBBERY.

Portland, Or., Jan. 15.—Expert cracksmen, who evidently knew that yesterday was the company's collecting day and that a large amount of money would be on hand, blew open the safe of the Mount Hood Brewing company, in the offices at Hawthorne and East Water streets some time early this morning, and succeeded in escaping with almost \$1,000 in gold and silver. Several hundred dollars in checks and other valuable papers were scattered on the office floor and left behind by the safe-blowers.

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