

DESERTED BY WIFE COMMITTS SUICIDE

August Sindar Drinks Carbolio
Acid at Clarence House
And Dies.

DESPONDENT AND UNHAPPY.

Precedes Rash Act by Giving Mother's
Wedding Ring to Brother and
Writing Note to Son.

Because of unhappiness over domestic troubles, August Sindar ended his life in a Salt Lake rooming house yesterday afternoon. The method he chose was that of drinking carbolio acid, and apparently he drank a portion of the fatal dose before reaching the room in which he died.

A note, scrawled in a hand far from the usual legibility of the dead man, read: "Useless and unhappy. Good-bye." The man was found by his room mate locked in room No. 1 of the Clarence house, 54 east First South street, at 6 o'clock last night. The note giving the cause was handed to P. Ford, proprietor of the rooming house, when Sindar first arrived. He was then suffering, the proprietor at first thought, from intoxication, but later concluded he was sober, but ill, when he handed him the note and asked to have it delivered to his brother, Charles G. Sindar, proprietor of a saloon at 48 west First South street. It was put on a table, and was still there when the officers arrived after the discovery of the body.

FINAL MESSAGE.

The message was addressed to his son, who lives in St. Paul, and was meant as a farewell to him. Two years ago Sindar had trouble with his wife in St. Paul, and they separated. He coming here recently to work for his brother as bartender, and the wife remaining in St. Paul. Friends and relatives say that Sindar brooded over his troubles constantly, and spoke often of them, especially when depressed.

LAST SEEN AT NOON.

Sindar was at his brother's saloon at noon yesterday, and left there at 12:30, after having a talk with his brother, Paul, and Charles, the former of whom had come from St. Paul about three weeks ago. He gave Paul two rings, one of which was his mother's wedding ring, but this incident did not arouse a suspicion of the giver's motive. He went from the saloon to the rooming house where he handed a message to the proprietor, who no longer when he did it that he seemed ill, but not intoxicated, as he had thought on hearing his arrival. Sindar then retired to his room and no more was heard from him. William Percy, a brother-in-law of Paul Sindar, went to the room, which he shared with Sindar, at 6 o'clock, and found it locked. Failing to get a response from Sindar, he finally looked over the transom, and found Sindar lying upon the bed, with a telltale bottle and glass upon the dresser. The door was then forced. The deceased is survived by five brothers, Paul, Charles G., John, Peter F. and Theodore. He served with the Minnesota volunteers in the Spanish-American war. The son who survives him in Minnesota, is being cared for by Mr. Sindar's stepmother. Justice Dana T. Smith, acting coroner, called and made an investigation, but found that an inquest would not be necessary. The funeral arrangements are being completed today.

AUSTRIAN WILL RECOVER.

Mike Musga, Murderously Assaulted
Thursday, Reported Improving.

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MISS BABCOCK'S RECITAL.

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Last night at Barrett hall Miss Maud May Babcock made her first public appearance in the city since her recent stay in eastern cities and abroad. Miss Babcock had during her stay in Paris the privilege of a course of instruction in dramatic reading in the famous French national conservatory under such instructors as Sarah Bernhardt and other artists of the great French theaters, and it was appropriate that she should choose for her first recital that most fascinating of French heroes, Monsieur Beaucaire.

To say that all the skill of that most charming creation found happy expression in Miss Babcock's recitation is the highest praise that could be given, and this praise Miss Babcock won. The delicate irony and wit, the courage, tenderness and chivalry of the disguised nobleman is a difficult test even in dramatic art, with all the aids of stage accoutrement and costume; it is doubly hard as a mere recitation without these aids and Miss Babcock held her audience throughout by her rendition which ranks perhaps as her best effort in her chosen art.

The story lends itself easily to such expression and the time of its recital was in excellent to such an entertainment. Its success suggests the popularity of the short prose story as a theme for public recitals, especially such as offered the opportunity for distinct characterism as Monsieur Beaucaire.

Many who had enjoyed the "Symphony orchestra concert" capped the afternoon's enjoyment with the added treat of Miss Babcock's entertainment, the body of the house being filled with an appreciative audience.

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FUNSTON FINDS CONDITION BAD

Possibility of Serious Trouble at
Goldfield Greater Than His In-
formation Led to Believe.

THE SOLDIERS WILL REMAIN.

Rumors of Organization of Vigilance
Committee Under Gause of Volun-
teer Firemen and Police.

Goldfield, Nev., Dec. 13.—After having met and conferred with many citizens of Goldfield today, Gen. Funston stated tonight to the Associated Press that he is finding conditions here worse than he had anticipated.

"The possibilities of serious trouble growing out of the difficulties between the mine owners and the miners," he said, "are greater than my information previous to coming to Goldfield had led me to believe. I have just telegraphed a second report to Washington, which is based on the information I have gathered today. I do not believe the governor will declare martial law at once, as no serious disturbance has occurred. I am satisfied with this, and shall not advise such action until it is absolutely necessary. As to the matter of patrolling the vicinity of the mines and the streets of the city with the regulars, that is a procedure that may become necessary at any hour."

TROOPS WILL REMAIN.

The statement of Gen. Funston tonight settles effectively the question of the withdrawal of the troops from Goldfield. Neither Gen. Funston nor Gov. Sparks will yield to the pressure that has been brought to induce them to favor the withdrawal of the troops before the arrival of the labor commission from Washington.

"Tomorrow a delegation of women, composed of members of the Women's club of Goldfield, will call on Gen. Funston and lay before him their side of the question, which will be that previous to the coming of the troops they had lived in constant terror, believing that their homes might be destroyed and their lives endangered by deeds of violence and depredations of desperate strikers. They will ask that the troops be kept here until all danger of trouble is past."

Delegations from the Goldfield chamber of commerce, the Mine Owners' association and the Goldfield Stock exchange also will call on Gen. Funston to present the same matter.

VIGILANCE COMMITTEE.

Tonight there is a well-authenticated rumor that a committee of citizens has been formed, ostensibly to act as a volunteer fire and police department in the residence district, but which will be more in the nature of a vigilance committee of the early California days' sort.

A story is circulating to the effect that J. W. Finch, formerly manager of the Consolidated properties, had witnessed a case of deportation, where two union men had escorted a miner who had signed the agreement and gone back to work, to a point some three miles from camp, and then brutally beaten him and started him for Tonopah across the desert.

Detective Ramsey of the state police, and Sage of the Mine Owners' association, searched all day for verification of the story, which created great excitement in the city this afternoon, but could find no trace of the miner who was alleged to have been beaten or of the two men who are alleged to have committed the outrage.

Gen. Funston was informed of the matter tonight. He stated emphatically when questioned that the troops here would endeavor to protect Western Federation men if any attempts to deport them were made, just as they would protect men who might be set upon by strikers.

"The troops will try to prevent out-

rages or violence of any sort, no matter by whom committed," he said.

After an all-day session the Mine Owners' association late this afternoon decided to continue the card system in operation, and to require all those who go to work to sign the agreement acknowledging all allegiance to the Western Federation of Miners.

In support of their refusal to accept scrip in payment for wages, the officers of the local union today dug up a section of the Constitution of Nevada which declares that no bank shall issue or cause to be circulated any money other than national currency or bank certificates authorized by Congress.

The federation miners have maintained a more rigorous picketing of the mines in operation today than was maintained yesterday, and the guards of the Mine Owners' association have been more active.

It is said that the Mine Owners' association has 200 strike breakers on the way here, but strict secrecy is being maintained as to the movement of the train and the hour when they will arrive is not known.

A night shift has been put on in the Consolidated mines, and the guards have been doubled tonight.

WAGE SCALE SUSPENDED.

Secy. Erb of the Goldfield Mine Owners' association announced today, after a meeting of the executive committee of the association, that a resolution had been passed suspending the wage scale of the association recently adopted for 10 days at the request of the American Federation of Labor. During the 10 days a committee of the American Federation and of the association will perfect a new wage scale, which will be satisfactory to the American Federation.

This arrangement will also affect the employees of the Nevada-California Power company, who walked out yesterday, and under the new agreement these employees will return to work tomorrow morning, thus removing the immediate possibility of the shutting down of the plant of the power company, which furnishes all of the power to the mines and the lights and power for the city of Goldfield.

The new arrangement also affects the carpenters and engineers in the mines, and these men, who are not affiliated with the Western Federation of Miners, will resume work in the mines tomorrow morning.

AUTOIST MUST STAND TRIAL FOR MANSLAUGHTER

New York, Dec. 13.—John C. Rodgers will have to stand trial at White Plains on four indictments, charging him with manslaughter, based on the deaths of Mrs. Richter and her sister, Miss Levinia Stein, aged women, who were run down by Rodgers' automobile. At the time of the accident, Mr. Rodgers' chauffeur was running the machine. The district attorney said the machine was running at a high rate of speed, and the fact that Mr. Rodgers did not direct his chauffeur to reduce the speed made him equally guilty with the man who was actually running the machine.

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THE SQUAW MAN.

New York, Dec. 13.—Intermarriage of white persons and Indians was advocated by Francis E. Leupp, commissioner of Indian affairs, who addressed the Patriotic club tonight. Since the government attempted their education, the Indian men, he said, had proved excellent wives for white men. The two races, were

merging, he added, and the government was encouraging the whites to live among the Indians.

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