

## DECEPTION AND EVASION.

Which is the Policy That Some Insurance Co's Are Adopting in San Francisco.

## OTHERS DOING SQUARE THING

Committee of Forty Advises Insured Persons to Serve Two Notices.

San Francisco, May 24.—The subcommittee of 40 on the construction of the San Francisco earthquake insurance policy, which was adopted at a meeting of the committee today, advised that some of the insurance companies are doing what is fair and intend to adjust losses speedily and justly. Others have not yet been able to surmount the conditions existing so that we can, with any degree of certainty, report as to what they will or will not do.

Still others, either through choice or because of the exigencies of the situation, are following a policy of deception and evasion that is both annoying and expensive. We are of the opinion that the defenses based on the earthquake cause and dynamite use will, in general, be of no avail to the insurance companies, and advise against any action being made by the insured based upon an argument of that kind.

We advise that all insured persons should at once serve two written papers upon the insurance companies, one designated as a notice and simply stating that they suffered damage at a certain place on a stated date, and that they were insured, and the second a more formal document designated as a proof of losses, naming the company, the amount of loss, and the character of the property damaged and where and when. Both these papers should be served forthwith and positively before June 15, 1906.

The employment of a force of clerks, experienced by a skilled insurance agent, to inspect and supervise proofs of loss for the insurance companies, is a device that every prudent insured should not know what to do, and who will assist in enforcing the collection of the demands and the organization of a corporation which will charge policyholders a fixed per cent. for taking charge of and attempting to collect the loss of the policies was recommended, the profit, if any, to be paid into the relief fund.

## ANNIE S. PECK WILL CLIMB HIGHEST ANDES.

New York, May 24.—A daring mountain climbing exploit is planned by Miss Annie S. Peck, the famous woman alpinist of Providence, R. I., who sailed from here today for Colon. Alone except for her guides, she will attempt to climb Mount Huascarán, said to be the highest peak in the Andes mountains.

## MUTUAL LIFE TRUSTEES.

Not Improbable Several of Them Will Be Indicted.

New York, May 24.—The Times tomorrow will say: From the evidence which has been deduced by the special grand jury in insurance matters, it is practically certain that material has been obtained on which to base the indictments of several men who are now members of the board of trustees of the Mutual Life Insurance company. According to the plan which the grand jury is following, the special grand jury sitting this month will not return the indictments, but will cover the preliminary ground so that another grand jury can go through it with expedition.

## CROW INDIAN RESERVATION.

Registration of Applicants Begins June 14, Ending June 28.

Washington, May 24.—In accordance with a proclamation of the president opening to settlement and entry 1,000 acres of the Crow Indian reservation in Montana, the commissioner of the general land office today announced that a registration of applicants will be held at Miles City and Billings, Montana, and at Sheridan, Wyo., commencing June 14 and ending June 28, 1906. The drawings will be held at Billings commencing July 2.

## EMMA EAMES ARRIVES.

New York, May 24.—Mrs. Emma Eames, the grand opera singer, was among the passengers sailing today on the steamer La Savoie for Havre.

## HEAVY SNOW IN COLORADO.

Pueblo, Colo., May 24.—A special to the Chieftain from Telluride, Colo., says: San Miguel county is covered with 18 inches of snow. The storm, which began yesterday afternoon, has spent itself. A rocksides 200 feet long came

## Who Gets Consumption?

One human being in every nine dies of it. The strongest man isn't proof against consumption—nor the cleanliest family.

No medicine will cure it, but every man can cure himself and avoid spreading contagion if he is just a little careful.

Read Eugene Wood's vitally interesting fact-story in June Everybody's—“The Campaign Against the Great White Plague.”

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## CHINESE CUSTOMS.

Rockhill Instructed to Act With British and German Representatives.

Washington, May 24.—Upon Minister Rockhill's report to the effect that he had not succeeded in obtaining satisfactory assurances from the Chinese government as to the recent edict relative to the assumption by natives of the control of the customs, he has been instructed to join the British and German representatives at Peking in energetic protest against the proposed change.

## DELAWARE LEGISLATURE.

Gov. Lea a Petition to Call an Extra Session.

Wilmington, Del., May 24.—A committee of Republican members of the Delaware legislature tonight presented to Gov. Lea a petition requesting him to call the general assembly in extraordinary session for the purpose of electing a United States senator to fill existing vacancy. The governor declined to say tonight what action he will take. The petition was signed by 27 of the 29 Republicans of the legislature. The total membership of the legislature is 62.

## DENVER ELECTION

Notice of Contest of Returns Filed With County Judge Lindsey.

Denver, May 24.—Notice of contest of the returns of the recent city election was filed with County Judge B. H. Lindsey today by attorneys representing William H. Watley, defeated municipal Ownership candidate for alderman. It was stated that the contest would extend to certain franchises which were declared carried by the elections commission.

Judge Lindsey issued an order directing the elections commission to permit the contesting party to copy names from the poll books. This followed a proceeding in the supreme court when Chief Justice Gabbert rendered an informal opinion that the poll books were public property and accessible to all. The order of Judge Lindsey was made, however, to enable the League of Honest Elections to begin work on the books having set 6 o'clock tonight as the time when they could have access to them.

It was announced authoritatively tonight that every legitimate course open to the Municipal Ownership league would be used if necessary to contest the vote of the successful franchisees. If need be, the federal court will be appealed to, in the name of some non-resident taxpayer on the ground that he is being deprived of valuable property rights through alleged fraudulent votes on franchises.

## COUNTESS BON MARTINI.

Woman Convicted of Participation in Husband's Murder Released.

Turin, May 24.—After serving three years and eight months of a 10 years' sentence, Countess Theo di Linda Bon Martini, who was convicted with four others of participation in the murder of Count Bon Martini in 1902, has been released on a ticket of leave, ostensibly because of ill health, but really as the result of agitation of influential believers in her innocence.

## GOODRICH EMBEZZLEMENT TRIAL ENDS ABRUPTLY.

Ploche, Nev., May 24.—The trial of H. J. Goodrich, charged with embezzlement of the county funds, came to an abrupt end Tuesday afternoon. A jury had been impaneled and two witnesses for the prosecution had given their testimony, when attorney for the defendant W. W. Warner of Salt Lake moved for the dismissal of the defendant for the reason that it was not shown that Goodrich had appropriated any of the money himself. Civilly he could be held responsible for the acts of his deputies, but criminally it had to be shown that he had used and taken the money with a felonious and a criminal intent. It was proved there was a shortage, as shown by the experts' accounts, but who had taken the money could not be determined. The court ruled accordingly.

F. R. McNamee, prosecuting attorney, stated to the court that it was impossible to identify the defendant criminally with the taking of the money, and on motion of Atty. Warner the court instructed the jury to bring in a verdict of not guilty, which they did without leaving the jury box.

This is the last of the embezzlement cases wherein officials have been charged with embezzling the funds of the county. The bondsmen have made up the shortage, but the county will have to stand the expense of the prosecution, which will amount to a great many dollars, as the jury panel has been very large and a large number of witnesses have been in attendance from all over the county.

## U. S. TARIFF POLICY.

Eugene Foss Thinks Will Have to Have Maximum and Minimum One.

London, May 24.—Eugene N. Foss, vice president of the Reciprocity Association of Boston, who has been looking into the question of maximum and minimum tariffs and reciprocity treaties in Europe countries, will sail on the White Star line steamer Arabia tomorrow for Liverpool for Boston. During his stay in England Mr. Foss has been studying Joseph Chamberlain's tariff policy, and has had interviews with a number of leaders of the movement. He also believes that the time is opportune to conclude a reciprocity treaty with Germany.

## MILITARY ACADEMY BILL.

Washington, May 24.—The senate committee on military affairs today concluded consideration of the military academy bill, and a report will be made to the senate as soon as it can be prepared. The original provision of the house bill, appropriating \$1,700,000 for completing and improving the academy at West Point was adopted.

## NEGRO APPOINTED CHAPLAIN.

Washington, May 24.—Another negro minister of the gospel has been appointed a chaplain in the army, with the rank of captain. He is Rev. Washington E. Gladden of Colorado. He will be assigned to duty with the Twenty-fourth infantry, a negro regiment stationed in the Philippines.

## STARVED ON ICE CREAM.

Little Rock, Ark., May 24.—An investigation by Dr. W. H. Abington of the Argenta board of health into the

## ENGINEER STEVENS ARRIVES.

He Makes It Clear He is for a Lock Canal.

New York, May 24.—Chief Engineer Stevens of the isthmian canal commission arrived here today from Colon, Mr. Stevens said: "I knew nothing about the favoring of a sea-level canal until I reached quarantine today. I consider that it will take from 15 to 20 years to build that type of canal. The lock canal can be built in about eight years. What is wanted now is a definite decision as to the type to be constructed. The entire working force on the isthmus is about 14,000 men. A cause of delay is the want of equipment."

## SHOT WIFE AN IDEAL.

Los Angeles, May 24.—Because his wife refused to live with him, Michael Scerpes, a flower peddler, attempted to kill her today by shooting her in the face and neck with a revolver. He then shot himself in the mouth. The police surgeons say that both will die. The shooting took place at the home of Mrs. Scerpes. There were no eye-witnesses.

## SUNDAY QUESTION IN LABOR DISPUTE.

Chicago, May 24.—The idea that a workman should be allowed an opportunity to attend church every Sunday was advanced yesterday by union leaders as an argument in favor of a six-day week. Upon the response of grocery and market proprietors may depend a strike of 2,000 drivers June 2.

In a long memorial addressed to their employers the teamsters made the Sunday question the first time in labor negotiations the most prominent feature in their demands. They asked relief from Sunday duties entirely, or at least a few hours respite from work, to permit them an opportunity to attend religious services. In the petition several scriptural passages were quoted.

Among the other demands filed by the drivers was one for an increase in pay from \$10 to \$12 a week for men employed in the outlying districts, and another covering the right of the union to engage in a sympathetic strike.

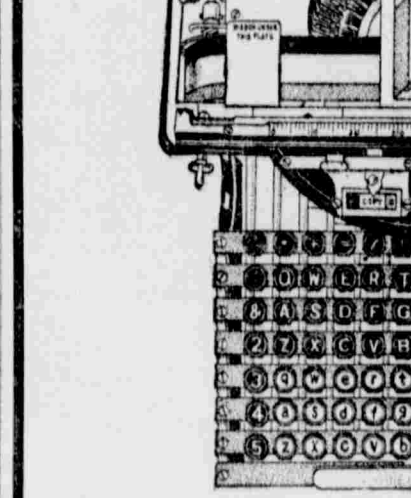
## DETECTIVE TANNEY CASE.

Somerset, Pa., May 24.—The grand jury failed to find a true bill today against W. J. Tanney, the Pittsburgh detective, and his men, who were alleged to have done the shooting that killed the miners at Windber during the strike riot in April. The information was made by the wife of one of the miners that was killed. Tanney and nine of his men were acting as deputies at Windber during the strike trouble.

## BODIES FOUND.

Butte, Mont., May 24.—Salt Lake, Ida., special to the Miner says: The bodies of William Douglas and Joe Wardell, the two men who were drowned in the Pond D'Oreille river

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Boise Council Votes Money for Members' Entertainment.

Boise, Ida., May 24.—The city council tonight voted \$100 toward the fund for the entertainment of the National Irrigation congress that is to meet here Sept. 20.

## TRUSTY ESCAPES.

Sacramento, Cal., May 24.—John Brown, serving nine years for burglary committed in Alameda county, escaped from the state prison at Folsom this morning.

Brown, although a third timer, was a trusty, assigned to the power house. He walked from the prison grounds without hindrance. He did not wear the convict garb, being permitted to wear overalls and jumpers, such as are worn by engineers and firemen, and this made his escape easy. His term would not have expired until Aug. 30, 1908.

## FOR SAN FRANCISCO RELIEF.

New York, May 25.—The sale of pictures and engravings contributed mostly by art dealers for the San Francisco relief fund realized \$2,388 at the Fifth Ave. art galleries last night.

## OGDEN EXCURSION

Sunday, May 27th

Via Oregon Short Line. \$1.00 round trip. Carriages meet all trains for Ogden canyon and the Hermitage. Leave Salt Lake at 7:10 or 10:30 a. m., or 1:30 p. m., returning leave Ogden at 4:10 and 6:25 p. m.

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