

ELOPING COUPLE UNDER SCRUTINY

Relentless Sleuth on Trail of American Woman and Her "Count."

ANGRY HUBBY IN PURSUIT

YESTERDAY, "COUNT" GREGORIO AND MRS. LANCASTER, A WEALTHY BOSTON WOMAN, ARRIVED AT DUBLIN, IRELAND.

Dublin, July 26.—Mrs. Joseph Lancaster, of Boston and Count Guido Costarelli de Gregorio, who eloped on the steamship Balutic, arriving here Sunday, are experiencing almost as much unpleasant notoriety and surveillance as they did on board the ship as a result of the wireless message from Mr. Lancaster to the Captain.

The husband of Mrs. Lancaster, a wealthy business man of Boston, is reported to be on the ocean in pursuit of his wife and the alleged Count. In his absence, however, a Pinkerton detective is acting for him and has never allowed the couple out of his sight since they landed.

The couple left here tonight presumably for London. By the same boat and train the detective is traveling with them. Several efforts have been made by the Count to balk the pursuit of the detective, but without success.

He adroitly managed to occupy the adjoining compartment to the eloping couple on the train from Cork to Dublin, and when the train left last night for Kingston he unobtrusively gained a similar vantage point so that the couple will be always under his eye, and it is understood that his instructions are to follow them until relieved by Mr. Lancaster.

Both at Cork and in Dublin "Count" Gregorio persisted in his policy of denying his identity. Beyond saying "You are wrong; you are making a great mistake," when approached and asked if it is true he is de Gregorio and that his companion is Mrs. Lancaster, he cannot be persuaded to make any statement.

Both Mrs. Lancaster and the "Count" looked tired and care worn. Mrs. Lancaster particularly seeming ill and distraught.

A VALUABLE LETTER

Cambridge City Woman Has One Written During the Revolutionary War.

IS IN EXCELLENT SHAPE

Cambridge City, Ind., July 26.—Miss Emma Pritchard, of this city, has in her possession a valuable letter, written by her great-grandfather, David Pritchard. The missive bears the heading, "Edenton, N. C., twenty-second of November, 1778." The writer was at the time serving in the Revolutionary War. The letter is well written and is yet very legible. Joseph Wallick, a local artist has made a number of fine photographic copies for distribution among the descendants. James H. Clark, of this place, is also a great grandchild. The letter is written on a sheet of paper, ten by seven and a half inches, and bears the old time wax seal.

DREW LARGE CROWD

The band concerts at Main and Fourth, and Eighth and North E streets Saturday evening attracted large gatherings. Main street was the most densely crowded it has been all summer and North E street was in almost the same condition. The music was good at both concerts and the public appreciated the spirit of the merchants in providing the free entertainment.

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HUNDRED ROSE BUSH

"Wizard" Lilenthal Working On a Freak to Adorn Jap's Garden.

WILL HAVE MANY COLORS

San Francisco, July 26.—A single bush containing a hundred varieties of roses! That is the ambition of George Shima, better known as the California "potato king" one of the wealthiest Japanese in the state. And Shima's dream may come true. With infinite care Hugo Lilenthal, Berkley horticulturist and landscape gardener, founder of the Juvenile Horticultural Society, is pruning, trimming and grafting in an effort to produce the wonder bush. Lilenthal has promised Shima that he will produce a rose bush which will grow 100 varieties, in red, in yellow and snowy white.

Shima recently built a magnificent home in College avenue, Berkley. He commemorated the event by writing a check for \$100 for the University of California to furnish a student's room in the university sanitarium.

Then he began the planting of a garden. Lilenthal was employed. Now Shima's garden is rapidly becoming talked of throughout Berkley, though the college town always has been the home of magnificent flowers.

But the wealthy Japanese was not satisfied. He wanted something different from his fellows. So he conceived the idea of a rosebush bearing 100 varieties. He communicated his plan to Lilenthal.

"It can be done," said Lilenthal. "Go ahead and produce it, then" said Shima.

THE THEATER

Cutter Stock Co.

The Cutter Stock Company, sixteen people, two car loads of special scenery, electrical equipment, and other paraphernalia, arrived in this city yesterday and will begin a week's engagement at the Gennett theater, presenting a series of new and popular royalty plays, each one a scenic production, and staged under the supervision of a former member of the David Belasco forces.

While it is a fact that Richmond has been particularly fortunate in having had some of the leading stock organizations in the past, yet there is always a hesitation in which one could be considered the best. The Cutter Stock company comes to this city with the reputation of being one of the best organizations traveling, and in the matter of plays as has been stated, they have the newest and most popular, and an entire change of program and play nightly.

The company is composed individually of well known stock people and the specialties are in the hands of performers that have been top-liners in vaudeville. The opening bill, "The Triumph of Betty" tests the strength of the entire company, it being one of the latest successes and affords each member an opportunity to display their histrionic abilities to the best advantage. Popular prices, nights 10, 20 and 30 cents, matinees 10 and 20 cents will prevail all this week. Seats on sale at the box office.

A RELIGIOUS SECT

"Pillars of Fire" Held Their First Meeting in Brooklyn, Sunday.

ALL GOOD JIG DANCERS

New York, July 26.—The "Pillars of Fire" sect is the latest thing in Brooklyn. The meetings of the Pillarites began Sunday. Mrs. Alma White, the founder, hopes to "reach the Jews" and convince all of them in the neighborhood that they must accept the leader of the Christians, and that all saved Jews and Gentiles must before long go back to Jerusalem and stay there to give the Lord an opportunity to purge the rest of the world by fire.

"Salvation is as plain as the nose on your face," shouted Mrs. White today at the first meeting. Then she grabbed her shapely nose to bring out the point of her discussion. "Do I think I've got a nose?" she asked sarcastically. "Do I hope I've got a nose?"

"Hallelujah!" "Amen!" groaned the lesser pillars from the settees as they seized their noses. Then she danced a jig. Mrs. White's jig was the signal for everybody to be up and jumping, and the dance began.

Miss Hubbard followed Mrs. White and sang a hymn about flying. Then all tried to fly, but not having aeroplanes, remained on terra firma.

MRS. AULT IS DEAD

Cambridge City, Ind., July 26.—Mrs. Rachel Ault, mother of Prof. Lee Ault, died at her home in Greenville, Ohio, early Sunday morning, aged ninety years. She was well known in this county, having resided for many years near Whitewater and having frequently visited in this place and at Hagerstown.

"Doctor, your tonic made a new man of me."

"A new man? Well, how is he offensively?"

GIRL FIGHTS LION WHILE MEN WATCH

Heroine Saves Two Boys, But Hurt So Badly That She May Die.

RESCUERS FEAR TO FIRE

They Were Forced to Stand Idle During a Desperate Struggle Near San Jose—Used a Hatpin.

San Jose, Cal., July 26.—With no weapon but a hatpin, Miss Isola Kennedy battled with a savage mountain lion until help arrived and the animal was killed. Miss Kennedy, by her heroism, saved the lives of two boys, but was herself terribly mangled by the claws of the lion.

Miss Kennedy is the daughter of John Kennedy of Morgan Hill. With two boy companions she was strolling in the vicinity of Glen Willis, on Coyote Creek, when a large lion sprang from the side of the trail and savagely attacked one of the boys. Without an instant's hesitation the girl drew a long hatpin from her hair and, springing to the side of the boy, who was being torn by the claws and teeth of the beast, began jabbing the hatpin into the animal's face, trying to penetrate its eyes, at the same time screaming for help. The lion abandoned the boy and sprang fiercely at the girl.

She was borne to the earth and would undoubtedly have been quickly killed had not one of the boys succeeded in attracting the attention of two men, armed with rifles. Seven shots were fired into the lion's body before he was killed.

Miss Kennedy's condition is serious. The boy was badly clawed about the neck and one of his ears was nearly torn off.

The girl has only a fighting chance to survive her injuries.

Rescuers Afraid to Shoot.

With every plunge of the hat pin into the lion's flesh the battle between the woman and the beast waxed fiercer. John Conlon and Frank Fletcher, who were the first rescuers to arrive, were powerless. So close was Miss Kennedy to the beast that the men feared that they might end her life if they fired. Several times Fletcher leveled his gun upon the lion's head, only to draw it down again when he found that the girl's form was in the way.

The chance came after fifteen minutes' fighting. As the lion was about to spring at the throat of the girl the men opened fire and three bullets entered the lion's body.

While the fight was at its height men were rushed to Morgan Hill for aid and returned with an automobile, in which Miss Kennedy was conveyed to the home of Dr. J. T. Higgins.

Find Cubs in Cave.

The body of the lion was taken to Morgan Hill. It measured eight feet. The lion is the largest ever seen in this section of the country. There are but few of the species in the surrounding foothills. Only a few hundred feet from the scene of the attack the lioness had left her young in a small cave.

Miss Kennedy is one of the best known young women of Santa Clara county. She is president of the County Women's Christian Temperance Union and is a leading worker in all temperance movements. She has resided near Morgan Hill with her parents, nearly all her life. Her father, John Kennedy, is a man of considerable wealth and power in the section around Morgan Hill and Gilroy.

Not the Same.

On one occasion when "The Mikado" was being rehearsed Gilbert called out from the middle of the stalls, "There is a gentleman in the left group not holding his fan correctly." The stage manager appeared and explained, "There is one gentleman," he said, "who is absent through illness." "Ah," came the reply from the author in grave, matter-of-fact tones, "that is not the gentleman I am referring to." —Dundee Advertiser.

The Mayflower Compact.

During examination in American history in one of our big city schools the question was put, "What was the Mayflower compact?" This is the thoroughly logical reply of one good little American:

"The Mayflower and the Speedwell started together from England, and the Speedwell went to pieces and sunk, and they put all the people into the Mayflower, and so the Mayflower came packed."

How a Bee Gave Up Work.

On landing in Australia our hive bee industriously collected quantities of honey. Finding, however, that there was no winter such as we have in England, it gave up laying in stores. Its morals are corrupted, for it is no longer busy, and leads a butterfly life.

—Nature Notes.

No Extension.

"Is the wind due east or due west today?" asked an evasive creditor by way of changing the subject of his debt.

"It's due now, and you'd better hush to raise it," was the unfeeling reply.

His Defense.

The Count—You do me an injustice. I am not mercenary. The Heiress—No? The Count—No, I assure you. It is my creditors who are—New York Press.

A very honest man and a very good understanding may be deceived by a know—Jenner.

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Watch This Space Tomorrow

BUSINESS

SALE

Finding Wife is a Convicted Forger He secures a Divorce

New York, July 26.—Because the woman he married as a Sunday school worker in 1907 concealed from him the fact that she had served a three-year sentence in the Bedford reformatory for forgery, Fred Rowland Hill today obtained an annulment of his marriage to Eugenia A. Hill. She is a daughter of James A. Edwards, banker of Ridgefield, N. J., and did not defend the suit.

Hill testified that he then set about to find out something about his wife's previous career, and learned that she had been convicted of forgery in 1901 and sentenced to prison.

At the time of her trial for forgery her counsel said she had got into trouble on account of her infatuation for Baker, whom she married a short time before. It was stated that she had begun to pass bad checks to get money for him even before their marriage.

The court annulled the marriage on the ground that the young woman was not a responsible person of good reputation when she was married, and that she concealed the fact of her former conviction from her husband.

"She was a member of a church in Paterson, and taught a Sunday school class," testified the husband. "She

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WAS A RAINY WEEK HAS A BOX TURTLE

Last Thursday in a Short Length of Time Over An Inch Fell.

ONLY THREE CLEAR DAYS

Rain to the extent of one and nineteen hundredths inches fell on Thursday, according to the registration at the pumping station, east of the city, as recorded by Walter Vossler, government weather observer. This rain was one of the hardest rains of the year. It also rained on Sunday and Friday, making the total amount for the week, one and forty-two hundredths inches. In respect to the character of the days, the report shows that there were three clear days and four partly cloudy. The thermometer did not soar upward to any great height, but it fell as low as 48 degrees on Tuesday. The daily maximum and minimum temperatures for the week are as follows:

	High	Low
Sunday	79	58
Monday	74	49
Tuesday	81	48
Wednesday	86	53
Thursday	85	57
Friday	76	61
Saturday	76	51