

PENROSE MEN PLAN TO QUELL REVOLT BY INTIMIDATION

Orders to Break Up Meeting of Italian Political League Issued by Manipulators of Machine Downtown.

The Penrose and Vreese machine in South Philadelphia has started a campaign of intimidation to put the Italian Political League, formed last Monday night to urge a revolt among the Italian voters against Penroseism in the Vreese district, out of existence. This was the accusation made today by officers of the league.

PENROSE MACHINE A HOPELESS WRECK IN CHESTER COUNTY

Remarkable Change Wrought Among the Voters Awakened to the Moral Issue of This Campaign.

WEST CHESTER, Sept. 18.—That there is a change in the political atmosphere in Chester County goes without saying. This fact is seen in the faces of the men who once were the acknowledged bosses of voters here and the word "machine" as it has been employed in the telling of political conditions in the past no longer has any significance.

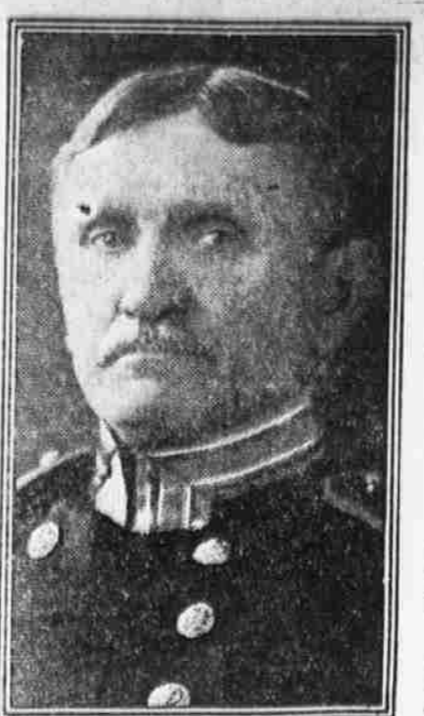
ISAAC H. CLOTHIER DECLARES STRONGLY AGAINST PENROSE

Philadelphia Merchant Indorses Ledger's View That Economic Issues Must Yield to Higher Considerations.

Isaac H. Clothier, one of Philadelphia's most prominent citizens and merchants and a lifelong Republican, in a letter to the Evening Ledger, advocates the defeat of Senator Penrose and the election of A. Mitchell Palmer, Democratic nominee for the United States Senate.

FUSION IN FAYETTE COUNTY TO DEFEAT SENATOR CROW

Candidates Now in Field Will Withdraw and New Ticket Named. UNIONTOWN, Pa., Sept. 18.—Democratic, Progressive and Prohibitionist candidates in Fayette county have declared for fusion for the purpose of defeating State Chairman William E. Crow, Republican candidate for State Senate, R. G. Higbee, of this place, Democratic candidate for State Senate, J. W. Dawson, the Progressive candidate, and Albert G. Gaddis, the Prohibitionist candidate, have all decided to withdraw from the contest and the Democrats, Progressives and Prohibitionists will select either D. M. Herzog, Theodore Bliss or George B. Jeffries, all of Uniontown, to oppose Senator Crow.



REAR ADMIRAL CAPERTON TO COMMAND CRUISER FLEET

REAR ADMIRAL CAPERTON. He has been in command of the reserve fleet at the Philadelphia Navy Yard. He will leave this week for the West Indies to take command of the newly organized cruiser fleet.

CONTEST OVER ESTATE

Distribution of Lands Among Heirs Is Opposed in Court. TRENTON, Sept. 18.—An application for a certiorari was made today in the Supreme Court by Madison Newton, of Atlantic City, to have the proceedings of the Court of Common Pleas of Atlantic County in the case of the distribution of lands of the late William Emley taken into the Supreme Court.

MAYOR RIDDLE JOLTS PASTOR

Politician and Saloon Manager Fellow Delegates to Purity Convention. ATLANTIC CITY, Sept. 18.—Mayor William Riddle, advocate of a Continental Sunday and a seashore Monte Carlo, who never misses an opportunity to jolt city clergy and prod earnest exponents of uplift and culture, has caused his climax.

WAR TAX MEASURE FOLLOWS LINES OF DEMOCRATIC CAUCUS

Majority of Ways and Means Committee Approve Rates on Beer and Wines—Republicans Plan to Fight Bill.

WASHINGTON, Sept. 18.—Formal approval of the Democrats of the Ways and Means Committee of the House was given today to the war tax of \$1.50 per barrel on beer, 20 cents per gallon on sweet wines and it cents a gallon on dry wines. The committee's action simply follows the directions of the Democratic caucus. No other subjects in the proposed bill were mentioned at the morning session. The committee will resume its work on the bill later in the day.

POLICE CAPTURE SUSPECTED BURGLARS AT PISTOL POINT

Shots Fired in Chase Through Fashionable Chelsea District. ATLANTIC CITY, Sept. 18.—Chelsea cottagers had a real burglar scare at an early hour this morning, when Policemen Corbin and McMenamin discovered three stealthy figures leaving Hamilton Hall, on Chelsea avenue. The man fled while ordered to halt and the officers fired 12 shots, bringing hundreds of persons from their beds, before the fugitives were captured. Fearing an attack, the policemen kept their prisoners walking up and down the Boardwalk at the pistol point until a patrol wagon arrived with re-arrives.

WORKS TO AID ORPHANS

Prison Aid Society Secretary Here to Get Help and Data. Secretary of the Carolina Prisoners' Aid Society, Sidney Love, of Raleigh, N. C., in Philadelphia visiting penal institutions. Mr. Love wants information which will aid him in his work in the South. He thinks that the conditions of the prison in the East present great opportunities for improvement.

LABORER'S LEGS BROKEN

Tony Divaly, a laborer, of 238 Orthodox street, was struck by a Pennsylvania Railroad express train near the Church street freight station early this afternoon and had both legs broken when he was hurled several feet to one side of the tracks. He was taken to the Frankford Hospital. Physicians found that in addition to his broken legs he had incurred injuries to the head. He will recover.

DANIELS GOING TO OHIO

WASHINGTON, Sept. 18.—Secretary of the Navy Daniels will go to Hamilton, O., tomorrow afternoon to deliver an address at the dedication of the Y. M. C. A. building there Sunday. On Monday he will speak at the ceremony beginning construction of the shipways at Philadelphia.

CALIFORNIA GIRL, WHO DESERTED HIM, SUED BY HUSBAND

Montclair Man Told That Married Life Did Not Appeal to Western Belle, Now in London.

TRENTON, Sept. 18.—After waiting two years in vain for the return of his wife, a famous California beauty, who left him and their children because married life did not appeal to her, William Elmer Marcus, Jr., son of the head of the head of the jewelry firm of Marcus & Co., at 54 Fifth avenue, New York, has filed a suit for divorce here. Both were prominent in the social set of Montclair. The suit is brought on the grounds of desertion. No answer to the complaint is likely to be filed by Mrs. Marcus. Mrs. Marcus, it is understood, is in London with her father, George B. Cooke, of Pasadena, Cal., where she has spent most of the time since July, 1912, when she left her husband and two little daughters. The children now live with their father.

REGISTRATION CONSPIRACY IS CHARGED AGAINST TWO

Republican Committeeman and Companion Held For Court. Timothy J. Welsh, of 236 Green street, the Republican committeeman from the 8th Division of the Eleventh Ward, and Patrick Keleher, of 518 Callowhill street, were held under \$500 bail for court by Magistrate Remslay in the Central police station this morning, accused of conspiracy to subvert false registration.

FOOD MISBRANDERS FINED

Department of Agriculture Announces Conviction of Dealers. WASHINGTON, Sept. 18.—The Department of Agriculture today announced a number of fines imposed on dealers for the sale of misbranded and adulterated food.

BULL MOOSE MUDDLE MADE STOCK OF BY BOIES PENROSE

Senior Senator Labels Withdrawal of Lewis a Sell-out. TROY, Pa., Sept. 18.—The withdrawal of William Draper Lewis in favor of Vance G. McCormick as the Washington party candidate for Governor, and the consequent revolt of many Bull Moose followers against what they term a sell-out of their party, made good political capital for Senator Boies Penrose in an address here last night.

WOMAN IS GIVEN CHANCE

Must Prove She Is Social Worker and Not Disorderly Character. Mrs. Ruth Wilcox, of Hilldale, Va., who was arrested by a vice squad policeman early on the morning of September 2 and fined on a charge of being a disorderly character, today appealed from the fine and was given an opportunity by Judge Carr, in Quarter Sessions Court, to present substantial proof of her assertions that she is a social worker, short story writer, sufficient speaker and solicitor for a local publishing concern.

RESERVISTS SAIL FOR ITALY

Steamship Ancona Leaves Race St. Wharf With 400 on Board. With many reservists for the Italian army entered upon its passenger list of 400, the Italian steamship Ancona, with Captain Consiglieri in charge, sailed for Genoa shortly before noon today from the Race street wharf.

PINCHOT SAYS HE'D DROP OUT IF PALMER "COULD WIN"

Then He Qualifies Statement by Talking of Democratic Factionalism. KANE, Pa., Sept. 18.—The declaration made by Gifford Pinchot, the Washington party candidate for United States Senator, in an address here last night, that he would willingly drop out of the race if he thought by so doing Congressman Palmer could defeat Senator Penrose, has excited a considerable stir in political circles. Talk of fusion in the United States Senatorship is being renewed and the possibility of Mr. Pinchot's withdrawal in favor of Mr. Palmer to effect complete fusion, is now being regarded seriously by political leaders.

FUSION SLATE WORK OF PADDED CONVENTION

Independents Declares Harrisburg Indorsement Was Prearranged. HARRISBURG, Sept. 18.—Independent temperance workers here have no hesitancy in stating today that the Anti-Saloon League convention, which met here yesterday, induced McCormick and Pinchot only because of a prearranged program, for which the convention had been called.

ROBS WARDEN AND FLEES

Sing Sing "Trusty" Escapes With New Suit of Clothes. OSWEGON, N. Y., Sept. 18.—John Fitzmaurice, a Sing Sing prisoner, escaped early today, before his departure, by snatching a new suit of clothes belonging to Warden McCormick, who also employed Fitzmaurice as a waiter.

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