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## Boston's Scandal.

BOSTON, October 27.—The woman who has been under arrest at headquarters since Saturday night, in connection with the Bala conspiracy, is Mrs. Emma Coalidge, wife of Officer J. E. Coalidge, of the Boston police. Her identity was concealed so carefully that even her husband was not aware of her arrest until this forenoon when Mrs. Coalidge was arraigned in the Municipal Court. The charge against her according to the warrant reads: "Soliciting aid to commit murder." She pleaded not guilty, and was held in \$5,000 bonds for her appearance for examination on December 11th. The case was disposed of very quietly, and but few of those in the room knew what was taking place. Mrs. Coalidge looked very much dejected, and her eyes were red with weeping. She is a large woman and is fair looking.

It appears that she visited three times at Boze Cabbs' place on Norman street, where the plot was arranged. Her husband had a short interview with her to-day, but she had little to say. She claimed that she did not intend to allow the murder to be committed, but wanted to get half the money, \$1,000, and keep it. She also claims that she was dragged into it, but does not say how.

The husband knew nothing of the elder Mellon, the father-in-law of the intended victim of the alleged conspiracy, and says he has no idea how his wife became acquainted with him, or was induced to enter into the plot. He feels deeply grieved over the affair. He has been married about seven years, and they have one little girl. His home is broken up, and he intends to put the child away.

A dispatch from Baltimore this afternoon states that Assistant District Attorney Docey, Inspector Garraughty and John Donahue, alias "John Bull," of Boston, are in that city. Donahue is the man who was approached, it is alleged, with the proposition to commit the murder. The man to whom the dispatch was directed, on account of which Mrs. Coalidge was arrested Saturday night, is S. Mellon, proprietor of the St. James Hotel, Baltimore, and the Boston officers are unable to find him. His son Charles, who has been living in lodgings with his young Irish wife, refuses to believe the story.

## THE PLOT DEEPENS.

BALTIMORE October 27.—Developments in the story started by the arrest in Boston of Mrs. Emma Coalidge fail to show any motive for a desire to put out of the way the young wife of Edward S. Mellon, of this city. It seems that about three years ago a bright English girl, Mary A. Somerset, secured employment at the St. James Hotel, of which A. S. Mellon, father of Edward L. is proprietor. The young man formed an attachment for her, which resulted in the birth of an illegitimate child, and the young people secretly lived together as man and wife for some time.

Last Spring they quarreled and were not reconciled until April 14th, last, when Miss Somerset called at the St. James and told her story to the mother of her seducer, who immediately sent for a priest and insisted on the two being married at once, and they consented. Shortly after the St. James was closed for the summer, and

Mellon, Sr., took charge of the Stockton, at Cape May, where the whole family remained until the end of August, when they returned to the St. James. About fifteen days ago Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Mellon went to Cambridge, Mass., and have not yet returned. They were last heard of at the St. George Hotel Philadelphia.

Boston detectives are understood to be here for the purpose of arresting Mr. Mellon, but they refuse to be interviewed. One of them said to-night that he knew the story sounded improbable, but the real motive for the desired murder was known only to himself, and would not divulge until the chain of evidence is complete. Young Mellon admits the truth of the story as given above, but ridicules the idea that there was any conspiracy on his father's part, and does not believe that there was any scheme on foot to murder his wife.

## Gas Explosion in a Mine.

WILKESBARRE, Pa., Oct. 21.—A terrible explosion of gas, resulting in the death of three men, the fatal burning of three others and serious injuries to thirteen more, occurred this morning at No. 2 Colliery, Plymouth, operated by the Delaware and Hudson Coal Company. A Polander named Zelintsky went into an old opening of the mine with a naked lamp, and death and destruction followed. The portion of the mine that he entered was marked out and filled with gas. The mine foreman had notified all hands not to enter the dangerous portion, and, to make "assurance doubly sure," had posted up a notice forbidding any one to enter. The Polander could not read this, however, and unknowingly disobeyed the order. There were two explosions, the first one of a fatal character, and the second one carrying destruction everywhere in its path. The force of the latter explosion was so great that it sent the flames twenty feet above the fan house and demolished part of the latter.

The scene that followed the first and fatal explosion was a heart rendering one. The victims of the disaster lay in every direction. When the gas ignited the men in that portion of the mine nearest to the scene of the old workings were thrown violently to the ground, against the gangways or on the cars. In this way they were crushed almost to death. Dennis Titus, a miner, was found in his gangway, 200 feet from the place where he was drilling coal. He was a shapeless mass of flesh. Frank Spinette was thrown with such force against the cars as to break every bone in his body. John Woods was thrown against the roof and fell back on the ground minus his head and legs.

The cries of the dying miners brought to their rescue fellow-workmen who at once commenced to carry them to the surface. The news of the explosion spread like wildfire, and soon a great number of people gathered at the opening. As the dead and injured were brought to the surface the agonizing cries of their relatives and friends were very affecting. Physicians were promptly summoned and everything was done to relieve the sufferings of the unfortunate men. Following are the

## KILLED.

Dennis Titus, Thomas Hervard, Frank Spinette.

## FATAALLY INJURED.

Sandy Love, John Woods, Thomas Collins.

## SERIOUSLY INJURED.

David Bryans, Joseph Thomas John Kirst, John Colby, Jacob Levinsky, Thomas McDermott, Ed. Jones, Anthony Spinette, David Grimes, Frank Lamaroux, and three others. All the fatally injured will die, Zelintsky was not killed, but was removed from the slope with only his boots on and no hair on his head; he was otherwise uninjured.

The shaft at which the explosion took place is one of the largest operated by the Delaware and Hudson Company, the average daily hoist of coal being from 350 to 400 carloads. Over 400 men and boys are employed in preparing this coal for market.

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D. M. Cowher, of Colerain Forge, Huntingdon county, was registered at the Brocherhoff House on Wednesday.

—The Lewisburg News says that in a very few weeks they may inaugurate a new era in modern county journalism, and requests the public to wait and see what the movement will be. Perhaps it will be an original editorial or an attack on the people of Milton. However we will wait and see.

A VALUABLE BOOK.—We have just received from the enterprising publishers A. H. Andrews & Co. a most useful little volume, suggestively called "LOOK WITHIN FOR FIVE THOUSAND FACTS THAT EVERYBODY WANTS TO KNOW." It contains 75 pages of condensed information on Mechanics, Statistics, History, Medicine, Astronomy, Finance, Mythology, Education, Mathematics, The Bible, Politics, Agriculture, Region, Science, Temperance, Trade, etc., etc., in fact there seems to be something for everybody and nothing that some one will not be glad to know. It is embellished with a number of colored diagrams, and is by far the most valuable and complete Pocket Cyclopaedia we have yet seen. It is offered for sale at the exceedingly low price of 15 cents, for which sum in stamps it will be sent postpaid by the publishers, A. H. ANDREWS & Co., CHICAGO.

—Railroad Officers Houck and Anderson yesterday afternoon were called upon to break up a camp which was being extensively patronized by the genus tramp. These wanderers had been making themselves comfortable in the hollow back of the "three culverts" and had built a fire. This latter caused the fences on the dairy farm of S. C. Baker to be in considerable danger, and the officers were called upon to disperse the crowd. No arrests were made, for the reason that quite a number of the campers-out were cripples. They asserted they had been given permission to make themselves comfortable and built the blaze to boil some coffee. After all the life led by these men is full of hardships, and why they persist in engaging in it is beyond conjecture. It would be far better for the ones who cannot work to go to the different almshouses in the state. They would receive better shelter and be better cared for. They seem, however, to be joined to their idols and would rather lead a wandering life.—Tribune.

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