

GEORGIA WOMAN IN N. Y. SCANDAL

Tells Story of Abuse and Deception

MATTER IN THE COURTS

A Puppet to Wealthy New Yorkers, Edna C. Cameron is at Last Jilted and Turned Loose on World—Her Attorney Robbed Her and She is Now Bringing Suit—Complaint Against Detective Bureau.

(By Leased Wire to The Times.) New York, Sept. 20.—Mrs. Edna C. Cameron, who says she is the widow of a prominent and wealthy Georgian, today told an amazing story of alleged deception and abuse of power of the detective bureau of this city.

She is suing William B. McNiece, a lawyer of 108 Broadway to recover \$1,100 alleged to have been borrowed and her attorney today moved in the supreme court to have the case advanced on the short calendar for October.

Mrs. Cameron is about thirty years old and good-looking. Lawyer McNiece is middle aged and lives with his wife and four children at Essex Falls, N. J.

Mrs. Cameron's suit is but the initial action in a series of actions she says she contemplates bringing.

"Soon after I was widowed," she says, "I met Robert Douglass Buchanan, half brother of Mrs. R. G. Dun, widow of R. G. Dun and Dun's Commercial Agency. Mr. Buchanan was a widower and the favorite brother of Mrs. Dun, who inherited several millions upon the death of her husband.

"Mr. Buchanan immediately paid me marked attention and within a short time induced me to go to Savoy, where he lived as Mr. and Mrs. R. Douglass. There we occupied an expensive suite and Mr. Buchanan showered presents and money upon me. At other places we lived as Mr. and Mrs. Buchanan and I was introduced by him as Mrs. Buchanan. Mr. Buchanan said he would marry me as soon as a proper time had elapsed after the death of his wife.

"About September last year he made a couple of trips to Washington on business, he said. I afterward learned that he had become engaged to a widow who had millions. But I was ignorant of all this at the time and I implicitly trusted him.

"In October last while we were dining at the Manhattan restaurant Mr. Buchanan called over Mr. McNiece and introduced him to me as the attorney employed by his brother, Dr. Buchanan, in some litigation over the estate of Mr. Dun. Mr. McNiece at once paid marked attention to me, and subsequently told me that he represented Robert D. Buchanan, who desired to be released from his promise to marry me. He said that Mr. Buchanan mentioned making suitable provisions for me.

"I was heartbroken and at first refused to hear of any financial arrangement. But McNiece became so insistent that at length I permitted Buchanan to go and enter into negotiations with him looking toward a financial settlement.

About this time Mr. McNiece told me that he loved me and induced me to take up his home in various hotels, where he paid my expenses. Finally he came to me and told me that he had \$2,400 for me, all the money, he said, which was coming to me after he had deducted his own fee of \$2,800."

"I was ignorant, needed money and accepted the sum. I later learned that Mrs. Dun gave \$15,000 to settle the matter."

She then told how she loaned him all the money she had and how he left her, then when she pressed him for settlement she says she was hounded by central office detectives, who warned her if she did not let McNiece alone she would be arrested for blackmail. Then she employed a lawyer and began suit.

William B. McNiece made a general denial of the facts. He was violent in his denunciation of Mrs. Cameron and again and again called her a blackmailer.

"I am a respectable, married man with a wife and four children, the eldest ten and the youngest three years. If this case is printed my home will be broken up. I deny that I was an admirer of this woman."

BLACKMAILER HAS GUEST ARRESTED.

(By Leased Wire to The Times.) Atlanta, Ga., Sept. 20.—Bruno Bukofzer, proprietor of the Terminal Hotel, is held on a bond of \$500, to answer the charge of blackmail. It is alleged that Bukofzer approached one of his guests and demanded \$50, on pain of having the guest arrested for disorderly conduct. On refusal of the guest to hand over the \$50 Bukofzer had him arrested and he was fined \$25 and costs. However, the guest, who is a young man of good character, immediately had a warrant sworn out and Bukofzer was arrested on the blackmail charge. It is not known specifically the nature of the charge, but the police say it has some of the aspects of the "badger" game.

NEGROES ORGANIZE AGAINST TAFT.

(By Leased Wire to The Times.) Washington, Sept. 20.—Operating from Washington, some negroes have formed an organization which has for

its avowed purpose the defeating of the presidential candidacy of Secretary of War Taft and of wresting party control from the Roosevelt element at the next republican national convention.

Treatment of the colored soldiers by the present administration is the issue. W. Calvin Chase, a negro attorney and editor of the Bee is the leader of this movement.

"The time has come for the negro to assert his power in politics, and to that end an organized endeavor has begun, such as has never been undertaken in this country before," said he in a statement today. "Appointment of negroes to federal positions by President Roosevelt will have no effect on the result. Senator Foraker has shown himself to be our friend, and the negroes owe it to themselves to assist the senator in every way, and to effect a rebuke of President Roosevelt and Secretary Taft."

Chase stated that if the convention did not harken to the cry of the negro, the Bee will flock to the democratic party and carry the organized vote of the race with it. In Pennsylvania they are to support Knox, in Ohio they will support Tom Johnson and vigorously fight Taft and Burton; in Indiana they are for Fairbanks, in Illinois for Cannon, and in Missouri they will attempt to defeat Senator Warren's efforts to swing the delegation for Taft.

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SUES PRESIDENT HARAHAN FOR CONSULTATION FEES.

(By Leased Wire to The Times.) New York, Sept. 20.—Dr. S. LeStrange has sued President J. T. Harahan, of the Illinois Central for services to Mrs. Harahan. The case is on the calendar of the first district municipal court, but has been adjourned for one week, upon request of Mr. Harahan's attorneys.

Dr. LeStrange's attorney said the claim was for consultations.

Harahan is the man who was punched by Stuyvesant Fish at a recent meeting of the Illinois Central directors.

Brother of Pope Dead.
(Special Cable to The Times.) Mantua, Italy, Sept. 29.—Angelo Sarto, a brother of Pope Pius, is dead here. He was a country postmaster.

S.S.S. CURES BLOOD POISON

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AFTER EAST RALEIGH WOMEN

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BOTH CASES APPEALED

Women Convicted Under Law Passed by Last Legislature Making General Reputation of House Admissible as Evidence—Two Women Were Released—Other Cases to be Tried.

Four women from the red light district faced Police Justice Badger this morning. Two were convicted of keeping a house of ill repute and the others were released, the evidence not being sufficient even from general reputation of houses to hold them. There are two other cases yet to be tried, one having been continued on account of an important witness for the state and the other woman sent the certificate of a physician, saying she was too sick to attend.

First case tried was Mildred Stewart and the evidence was practically the same as that given in the cases tried last Tuesday—that she lived in east Raleigh and that the house had the reputation of being a bawdy house. She was fined \$100 and her attorney at once gave notice of appeal. Her bond was fixed at \$125, which promptly gave and left the court room.

May Shepard was more fortunate than her companion of the red light district. The house she occupied had the reputation of having been a house of ill fame in the past but this woman had been there only a short time and no one was willing to swear it had such a reputation since she had occupied it, and it was shown that only one other woman was in the house with her. When Justice Badger said: "The judgment of the court is that you are not guilty," the woman, with a countenance that showed

she was very much relieved, hastened from the court room.

The order today was "guilty" and next "not guilty," for the next woman to face his honor occupied a house that had a worse reputation than May Shepard and she was fined \$100. This case was also appealed and her bond placed at \$125. They all were ready for any emergency and had the sh.

The women did not seem to have much sympathy for their companions, for as they gave bond they left the court room and when the case against Myrtle Hill was reached she was the only woman present. She was very fortunate, though, for there was no evidence to show the house had bore a bad reputation since she had occupied it and the case was dismissed.

Bertha Brown has managed to get her case continued twice and City Attorney Snow asked that an officer be sent after her, and if she was too unwell to attend let it be shown by the proper certificate. Unless the Brown woman responds to the summons of the police justice or sends in the proper certificate she will probably forfeit her bond.

A case against Maggie Fleck, who is charged with selling whiskey without license, was continued and will be tried October 10th.

If the women are not required to get out of the houses, and the judgment of the lower court holds when it gets into the higher courts the owners of the property and real estate men who rent the houses will probably be indicted for renting houses for such purposes, as it is against the law.

TO THE MEMORY OF CAPTAIN STORY.

Chapel Hill, N. C., Sept. 20.—The (Special to The Evening Times.) following resolutions have been drawn up to the memory of Captain Romy Story, whose death so saddened all at the University:

Into the hopes and plans for this new year of our University life comes the sad message that Romy Story is dead. To us this is an irreparable loss, for he was a man in the broadest sense, unselfish, speaking evil of no one and thinking no evil himself. In all of his efforts he was earnest, loyal, and fair.

We admired him for his manliness, respected him for his kindness, loved him for himself. Therefore, he is resolved by the students of the University of North Carolina, in body assembled:

First, That we miss Romy Story; a place is vacant which none can fill; that we have a grief in our hearts that years cannot efface.

Second, That we mourn with his family over our mutual loss.

Third, That a copy of these resolutions be sent to his family, to the Watauga News, to the Tar Heel, and to the state papers, and that a copy be written in the minutes of the Athletic Association of the University of North Carolina.

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Some Denials by J. Pierpont.

(By Leased Wire to The Times.) New York, Sept. 20.—J. P. Morgan denies most emphatically that he or his firm has taken over 60,000 shares of Union Pacific from Kuhn, Loeb & Company, supposed to be managed by H. H. Rogers. He also denies that his firm has been accumulating Union Pacific stock.

FEAR RIOT AND DISORDER TODAY

Special Precautions Taken in Rome Today

MOB AT THE VATICAN

Thirtieth Anniversary Celebration of Entry of Italian Army into Rome May Bring Bloodshed—Troops Surround Buildings and Angry Crowd Today Driven Off.

(Special Cable to The Times.)

Rome, Sept. 20.—Special precautions have been taken by the authorities to prevent riot and disorder today on account of the celebration of the thirtieth anniversary of the entry of the Italian army into Rome. Fearing a possible attack on the Vatican by mobs, the buildings have been surrounded by troops heavily armed. The police have received word that threats have been made to sack the Vatican and so every precaution has been taken to check any outbreak.

Early this morning, before the arrival of the troops the Vatican was surrounded by crowds. The people were at once made to fall back, which they did under angry protests.

In Rome and in many of the larger Italian cities fear that there may be anti-clerical riots, of which there have recently been a great number. During the celebration excitement it is expected that the anti-clericals will attempt to inflame the people, and so orders have been given to watch the crowds closely and to check at once any attempt at rioting.

MAY HAVE ANOTHER PEACE CONFERENCE.

(By Leased Wire to The Times.)

The Hague, Sept. 20.—From the present outlook, the peace conference will adjourn sine die October 5th. On tomorrow a plenary session will be held to consider a resolution adopted by the heads of the various delegations in regard to the convening of future conferences. The resolution, in part, is as follows:

The conference recommends to the powers the convocation of a third conference within a period similar to that which elapsed between the former conferences, leaving the exact date to be fixed in common accord by the powers. The conference calls the attention of the powers to the necessity of having the work of the conference prepared a sufficient time before the meeting so that its deliberations may be taken with indispensable authority and rapidity.

Although the American plan for the formation of a permanent court has failed it is hoped by the time that the next conference is held, the sentiment fostered among the delegates may prove strong enough to induce them to agree to the organization of a permanent tribunal of some kind based on the American plan.

BIG INTERURBAN FOR ALABAMA.

(By Leased Wire to The Times.) Montgomery, Ala., Sept. 20.—Richard Tillis, the richest man in Montgomery, and one of the wealthiest in the state, has announced that he will build an interurban electric railway in southeast Alabama. Arrangements have been completed to begin work soon on the main line from Geneva to Dothan, by way of Hartford and Slocomb, a distance of about forty miles.

This line will cost approximately \$500,000. Mr. Tillis proposes building the line if citizens on the route would subscribe \$60,000. He was advised yesterday that the money had been raised. It is intimated when this line is completed it will be extended to Montgomery, touching Ozark, Clayton, Eufala, and other southeast Alabama cities.

FAMOUS HORSE DYING IN N. Y.

(By Leased Wire to The Times.) New York, Sept. 20.—Roseben, peerless sprinter among the thoroughbreds of America, is dying of blood poisoning. His temperature early today had reached 103.

David Johnson, his owner and Frank Wier, his trainer, have slight hope of his recovery.

The champion's illness is due to a stonebrise. During his last race over the Sheepshead Bay track, which he won easily, he picked up a stone and this cut and bruised one of his legs so badly that blood poisoning set in.

Wealthy Woman Suicides.
New York, Sept. 20.—Mrs. Marguerite Carter of No. 14 West 29th street, a wealthy society woman and philanthropist, committed suicide today by shooting herself through the head in the home of J. J. White at No. 113 East 57th street.

Made Mile in 2:01 3/4.
Kalamazoo, Mich., Sept. 20.—Dan Patch paced a mile here in 2:01 3/4 on a poor track at the opening of the great western circuit.

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