

TWO MEXICANS TRYING TO BUY ARMS FOR REBEL

Men Arrested at St. Louis as Suspects—One Admits He Is Agent of General Obregon.

St. Louis, Mo., May 1.—One of two Mexicans under arrest here today, according to police, said he was Manuel M. Prieto, mayor of Juarez, Mex., from 1914 to 1916, and that he came to St. Louis recently to purchase arms for Gen. Alvaro Obregon and the armies revolting against the Carranza government.

Prieto and a man who today asserted he was Raymond R. Morfin of El Paso were arrested on suspicion when it was learned they were in possession of \$27,000. They gave different names then and asserted they were hardware dealers of Douglas, Ariz. Morfin, police said, has not deviated from his original story.

Prieto, according to police, asserted he was formerly a member of the Mexican congress and came to the United States two weeks ago and withdrew \$32,000 from the United States National bank at Douglas to purchase arms and ammunition. He acted on his own initiative and not on orders of Obregon, police say he emphasized.

Morfin joined him, he is reported as saying, and, after purchasing the arms, they intended to open a hardware store in El Paso and furnish the articles to Obregon through it. They were unable to purchase the arms, it was said, because of inability to furnish business reference. Both men are held for government agents.

Record Maple Sugar

Crop Reported in Vermont

Vermont, Vt., May 1.—A careful survey of the Vermont maple sugar crop shows an average of more than two pounds to the tree at present, and on the east side of the state there are several days more of the season.

About 5,000,000 trees were tapped in Vermont this year, and this gives a crop of more than 10,000,000 pounds, the largest crop in six years. In spite of the labor shortage the farmers stretched every effort, and as many trees were tapped as in an average year. In addition to Vermont's big crop, a big crop is reported in Canada.

The price has not been fixed as yet, but last year the manufacturers of maple sugar products paid \$1.65 and \$1.75 per gallon, and they expect to pay more than that this year.

Emergency Teachers Are Failure in Western Schools

Auburn, Neb., May 1.—(Special)—"Emergency" teachers are characterized as a failure, generally, by County School Superintendent Garrett.

Mr. Garrett stated that he would close some of the rural schools in preference to granting emergency certificates to incompetent instructors, pointing out that the granting of these certificates tends to discourage those who otherwise qualify for a state certificate from doing so as the emergency teacher receives the same pay as a properly accredited instructor. The supply of teachers for the city high school and the rural schools is far below the demand.

North Platte Rotary Club Entertains Boy Scouts

North Platte, Neb., May 1.—(Special)—The Rotary club entertained the heads of each troop of boy scouts here at a banquet in the Union Pacific dining room. Mr. Reed of the Omaha boy scouts was the out-of-town speaker, making a very interesting talk. The local speaker, L. C. Carroll, talked for a few minutes to the boys also. Each one of the 25 boys was a special guest of one of the members of the club.

Bushy Eyebrows Return To Favor In Paris

Paris, May 1.—While they're pulling them out in America, they're sticking and growing them on in Paris.

This refers to eyebrows. The Paris hairdressers are being besieged by women who want tonics guaranteed to make their eyebrows longer and heavier. One enterprising hairdresser advertises that he will glue on artificial eyebrows, warranted to stick for at least 24 hours, for eight francs.

Johnson Man Refuses to Sell Patent for \$1,000,000

Auburn, Neb., May 1.—(Special)—Norval Clark, a native of Johnson, in this county, recently was granted a patent on a threshing machine which is revolutionary in character and is of a nature that will permit each farmer to own his own threshing outfit. He has refused an offer made by one of the largest implement manufacturing concerns in the country of \$1,000,000 in cash for his invention.

Pawnee City Subscribes \$35,000 for M. E. Church

Table Rock, Neb., May 1.—(Special)—Sufficient funds have already been pledged for the erection of a new M. E. church at Pawnee City to replace the structure destroyed by fire a few months ago. The intention was to raise \$35,000 by voluntary subscription and already more than this sum has been pledged. To this will be added \$10,000 received from insurance on the burned structure.

Commercial Club Banquet.

Mullen, Neb., May 1.—(Special)—The new Mullen Commercial Club held its first banquet at the Spurock Club. Speeches touching subjects of vital interest to Mullenites were made by leading citizens. Rufus Jones of Alliance was the principal speaker and guest of honor.

Recount of Primary Vote in New Jersey Is Ordered by High Court

Newark, N. J., May 1.—Chief Justice William S. Gummere of the supreme court, today signed an order for a recount of the vote cast in last Tuesday's presidential preferential primaries for Senator Johnson and Major General Wood.

The recount will be for the entire state and will begin on May 10 in Essex, Morris, Camden, Gloucester and Cape May counties, where the supporters of Senator Johnson allege that mistakes were made in vote tabulations.

The sum of \$50,000 must be deposited with the secretary of state of New Jersey by Senator Johnson before the recount will begin, to defray expenses entailed by the various county boards in the recount.

The justice's reason for allowing the recount to start in the first five counties, it is said, was to give Johnson supporters an opportunity to abandon the contest should it be shown by the recount in these counties that the recount was not materially changed.

Attempt to Assault Negro Girl Fails as Mother Shoots

Auburn, Neb., May 1.—(Special)—Auburn police are looking for William Snelling, 22 years old, of Falls City, who is charged with attempted assault on Agnes McCullough, a 13-year-old negro girl. The screams of the girl attracted the attention of the mother and she ran to the rescue of her child with a loaded revolver. Snelling ran to a boxcar and while Mrs. McCullough was shooting through it he managed to get out of an end door and board a freight train. It is thought he made his way to Omaha.

Lighting Fixtures. Burgess-Gran- den.—Adv.



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The man or woman who has been so unfortunate as to lose those beautiful teeth to which a few years ago gave to them natural appearance, comfort and service, now are wondering who is the dentist that can restore them with artificial so that the most critical would be baffled to know.

What other dentist is more qualified than Dr. Todd, who has invented and manufactured more kinds of porcelain teeth than all the dentists of many states combined.

DR. G. W. TODD
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Dresher Brothers Cleaning Prices Advance Less Than Any Other Service Since Prices Became Upset by World War.

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But, taken all in all, Dresher Brothers, the Dry Cleaners and Dyers at 2211-2217 Farnam St., Omaha, have advanced their prices LESS than any other service, line or item one could mention.

And it has cost Dresher's far more than ever to do business—they've paid 150% to 1,000% more for material. And labor—well, you know all about the cost of labor these days.

However, Dresher's prices even today are only about 25% higher than they were five years ago. Dresher's are trying manfully to keep prices as low as they are now, at least—but the struggle is a hard one—prices might have to be raised slightly in the near future.

Now then, expect Cleaning, Cleaning, Pressing and Remodeling will pile your old clothes in plenty good enough condition for Spring and Summer wear. You needn't buy new attire. Of course, expense is no object if you are willing to pay money, but most of us can't afford new clothes. But it's an assured fact that "overalls" won't be necessary as long as Dresher's sell a cleaning service as cheaply as they do.

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Mullen Rancher to Be Tried For Murder of Neighbor

Mullen, Neb., May 1.—(Special)—Charged with the murder last fall of Perry N. Kirkpatrick, rancher, Lewis G. Holcomb, also a rancher, will face trial at the opening of the spring term of the district court here next Thursday. Kirkpatrick

was shot during an altercation occurring on his ranch which was witnessed only by a brother of the prisoner.

Holcomb, who rode into town and surrendered immediately following the tragedy, waived preliminary hearing and was spirited out of town on an early morning train. He is being held in the Grand Island jail.

Grand Island Hotel Clerks Purchase McCabe Hostelry

North Platte, Neb., May 1.—(Special)—Hotel McCabe, now under the management of C. O. Weingand, after June 1 will be operated by W. Cheney and Harry Harkin. The new managers are well known in this city, each of them starting as

clerks in this hotel. Mr. and Mrs. Weingand go to California, where they will make their home.

Plan Stock Sale.

Mullen, Neb., May 1.—(Special)—Plans are being made for the staging of the first sale at the new sales pavilion and feeding station of Harding and Tucker next week.

Raise Live Stock Embargo.

Auburn, Neb., May 1.—(Special)—The Missouri Pacific has lifted the embargo on the shipment of live stock from this point to the market centers, the same to go into effect Monday. Since the switchmen's strike at the terminus this road has accepted cattle consigned to mar-

ket only on one day each week from this point.

North Platte Growing.

Washington, May 1.—(Special)—The census for North Platte, Neb., is announced officially as 10,466. This is an increase of 118.4 per cent over 1910 or 5,673 people.

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THE "PEOPLE'S STORE"

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House Cleaning Sale

An Event of Importance to House Cleaners and Home Furnishers

WETHER it is the old home you are going to clean up, or a brand new one you are about to furnish, you'll find Monday a great array of helpful bargains from basement to roof.

THESE every-day values will give you a hint of the reasonable prices on furniture here, due to our location—"Out of the High Rent District". As always—you make your own terms.

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CEDAR OIL

for oil mops and dust cloths, a large quart bottle

39c

Princess Carpet Sweeper, with good bristle brushes that clean thoroughly, only a limited number, at \$1.49.

4-Foot Household Step Ladders

\$1.19

Curtain Stretchers, large size, to handle the largest or smallest curtain; special, at \$1.39.

12-quart, Galvanized Self-wringing Floor Water Pails, for cleaning clothes, large, folding clothes bars, \$1.95.

Electric Irons, with 6 feet of cord, only, \$2.95.

Good Brooms—33c

Made of a good quality broom corn; tied and wired four times to insure long service.

Clothes Horses, large, folding clothes bars, \$1.95.

Electric Irons, with 6 feet of cord, only, \$2.95.

Flower or Window Boxes—Made of metal with painted finish, enameled finish, with mirror on door and sheet inside, while they last, \$2.95.

Medicine Cabinets, painted green; special, at \$2.95.

Sturdy Window Boxes, painted green; special, at \$2.95.

Vacuum Sweepers, with brush and a good bellows that creates a strong suction; a \$7.50 value, \$4.95.

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