

# KING AND BAND CAPTURED SURROUNDED IN THE CAMP GIRL'S FATHER WAS FINED

Man and Comrades Who Terrorized a Whole District Now Rounded Up.

White Plains, N. Y., Aug. 1. — In the arrest of Antonio Filipo, known as the Westchester bandit king, the deputy sheriffs of the county believe they have captured the leader of a band which has robbed laborers in the vicinity of New York city's waterworks. Filipo's wife, a pretty Neapolitan girl, was also placed under arrest. It is alleged that she lured the victims to her husband's camp, where they were robbed.

The man was captured in a shanty near Cornell dam by Charles M. Lane, under sheriff, and his deputies at the muzzle of a revolver.

For more than six weeks laborers employed on Cornell dam and other reservoirs in Northern Westchester County have been held up and robbed by a band of desperadoes. Sheriff Merritt, of White Plains, was notified on Friday night that the bandits were hiding in what is known as the Bowers, at Croton on the Hudson. He directed Lane to round up the band, and as a result fourteen men are now locked up in the White Plains jail.

When the camp of Filipo was searched a Winchester rifle, a black mask and two revolvers were found. According to the statement of one of the men under arrest the bandits are members of the Black Hand Society. Most of the holdups occurred after the men had received their pay. It is said that each man was threatened with death if he did not give up \$40. Friends of the victims generally paid the money to save the man. An Italian who received a letter saying that unless he paid \$50 he would be murdered sent word to the sheriff and sent out to round down the band.

The posse consisted of Lane and fifteen deputies, and knowing the desperate character of the men they had to deal with, approached the camp in the dark with drawn revolvers. A fight started when the deputies went to the British flats, where a large number of men who are employed on the dam live. The Italians stoned the deputies, but they surrendered after a few shots from the revolvers.

Filipo, the leader, is a short, dark man with a heavy mustache. All his countrymen fear him. His reputation has spread through the waterworks, and Italian women and children have been afraid to leave their homes after dark.

The followers of the bandits number about thirty. They have been living with him and his wife in a large roomy cottage at British flats. Filipo pretended that he was keeping a boarding house, but other Italians say the flat was a rendezvous for the Black Hand Society. The bandits, it is alleged, sent men to live at boarding houses so that they could spy on their countrymen and pick out as victims of their process of extortion those who had saved money.

So thoroughly terrified are the Italians in the neighborhood that no one would tell the deputies where Filipo had fled when the raid began. He was found with his wife hidden in a shanty. He was in bed and under his head was a big revolver. The deputies surrounded him and took him prisoner before he could fire.

The men were committed to the White Plains to await the action of the Westchester county grand jury.

Several men who failed to contribute to the band have received attestation wounds, and Italians have been found dead under suspicious circumstances in the district terrorized by the robbers.

The latest hold up by the band occurred about midnight Tuesday at a shanty occupied by workmen on the state road, near Cross River, twenty-one miles north of White Plains.

Eight of Gannon's men were robbed of more than \$1000 by the highwayman in front of a boarding house at Katonah.

"Parts of the watershed," said Sheriff Merritt to-day, "have become the retreat for the worst characters in the United States. I am going to drive the brigands from the county."

It is said that fifteen more robbers are hiding in the woods north of Croton, and if they do not surrender the brush will be fired.

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# Escort Was Assaulted and Laid Charge—North Toronto Happenings.

Toronto Junction, Aug. 2.—Council was to have met to-night, but the meeting has been postponed till the end of the week. At the police court this morning, Samuel Irvine was fined \$2 for assaulting Percy Pitkin. The quarrel arose over the latter's shooting one of Irvine's daughters to her home.

No arrest has been made by the Junction police in the case of the baby which was found dead between North-avenue and Victoria-street, Sunday last, although they are in possession of all the particulars relating to the case. On Saturday night the inquest will be resumed, when developments are expected.

The Toronto Junction Gun Club has appointed Messrs. G. W. McCall and D. C. Walton as delegates to the Canadian Trapshooters' association, which meets at Brantford next week.

James McConaughy is making satisfactory recovery from an operation.

Mr. Hinde and his son are erecting two brick dwellings on King-street.

Edward Kelly is suffering from a sprained ankle, received while alighting from a Metropolitan car.

A. Armstrong, treasurer of York Township, has been gazetted a justice of the peace.

The regular meeting of the town council was held last night. Councillors Weddington and Jones were absent.

Wrote regarding the obstruction on Yonge-street at the Metropolitan Railway, and stated that the company was willing to agree to remove the cattle platform when the railway was in possession of the street.

It was stated that a new one-way street was being planned for the city.

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3 ENGLISH LADY SERVANTS.  
Educated Domestic to Solve Servant Question.

"Please come into the kitchen; that is my domain," laughingly exclaimed a pink-frocked, muslin-aproned young housemaid as she led her visitor into the kitchen of a Queen's-race flat on Saturday afternoon.

The daintily-garbed parlourmaid wore the uniform of the Archibute Club, and she was one of the first to go forth from that centre of domesticity as a pioneer to solve the servant problem.

The Archibute graduate, who is in her first "place," is the daughter of a professional man, and she has never regretted the day she first put on the cap and apron.

"For girls who are domesticated and willing to place themselves under proper training, the role of professional servant offers many advantages," she told a press representative.

"I am house-patrician, and I do the work of the flat. Cook was a fellow-student of mine. We receive \$25 a year each, which, as our expenses are small, is practically clear profit."

"We have a month's holiday in the year, and when we like, provided, of course, no work is neglected. When I go out in the afternoon, cook makes tea, and in this way we accommodate each other."

"We have far more freedom than if we were governesses or lady's companions, combining useful little poodles all day, and being snubbed by the servants."

"Our mistress calls us by our surnames, and we are not treated as if we were as they would treat ladies or servants—with perfect civility. Of course, they are not very complimentary to us when we are talking to them."

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# LORD DUNDONALD'S WARNING.

Writer in Blackwood's Magazine Warns of a Canadian Invasion and the Military Position of Canada.

The dismissal of Lord Dundonald, commanding the Canadian militia, from his post is a misfortune, the gravity of which it is idle to underestimate. We will not insult the soldier himself with our pity or condolence. None knows better than he how to preserve his dignity and to serve his country. But we must take our share in Canada's discomfort, and from whatever point of view we regard the dismissal, it is a blow to the unity and stability of our empire.

The immediate cause of the quarrel is doubtless misleading and immaterial. But it may be briefly recalled: Lord Dundonald, a Canadian by birth, was appointed to the command of the militia in 1901, and he has since then been a Canadian minister with a certain appointment, as his illustrious ancestor, he protested against the minister's action, on the ground that he was a Canadian and not a British subject.

Once relieved of his command, the distinguished officer had the right to explain and justify his conduct, and he has taken every opportunity of doing so. In a document which the Canadian ministers will read without pleasure, Dundonald was plainly inevitable from the first; and even if Mr. Fisher, who holds the portfolio of agriculture, had not cancelled an appointment made by Lord Dundonald, another cause of dispute would doubtless have been found.

Lord Dundonald declares that he has retained the command so long as 20,000 men, and that he has made to that end every effort which he could make. His reports were either garbled or suppressed; his suggestions were treated with contempt; and while the government vindicated its own supremacy and independence, it allowed its efficiency to be in a state of miserable inefficiency. For his own part, he has loyally attempted to carry out the wishes of the government; and he has endeavored to make the best of a bad situation.

Moreover, it is in no spirit of bitterness that he makes his protest, and he utters a final warning, which Canada will do well to accept. He says that the militia is a matter of indifference to some, and that it is necessary to make a fighting force efficient. It may be a matter of indifference to some, but it is not to the Canadian people, and it is not to the Canadian government.

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20 Dressers and Washstands, in mahogany finish, shaped tops, 30 inches wide, 22 x 28 inch British shaped mirror, washstand with large drawer and double doors, regular price \$17.50, August Sale Price Thursday..... **11.90**

All Brass Bedsteads, with heavy 2-inch post pillars and fancy mounts, extension foot ends, high head ends, regular price \$37.50, August Sale Price Thursday..... **31.75**

Dressers and Washstands, in mahogany veneered and birch golden finish, regular price \$12.50, August Sale Price Thursday..... **12.25**

Shaped mirror, 28 x 32 inch British bevel plate shaped mirror, extra large washstand, regular price \$50.00, August Sale Price Thursday..... **38.75**

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