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POLIGAMY NO KINDRED OF MORMONISM

(Scripps News Association)
Washington, Jan. 11.—The first voice in the senate to favor Senator Smoot the United States Senator from Utah who has caused untold disturbances in social religious and political factions for many years, was raised this afternoon by Senator Albert J. Hopkins of Illinois who said: "The Mormon church is undergoing a radical change for the better and Smoot is an apostle of better and high mormonism. He stands for high things in the church, is against polygamy and kindred vices. Smoot has done more to stamp out vices than any one thousand men outside of the Mormon church. I dissent wholly, from the conclusion that polygamy is a part of the Mormon church."

The senator continued by saying that no power could add any qualification for senatorship other than that which is prescribed in the constitution.

DANCER WEDS WEALTHY AMERICAN

(Scripps News Association)
New York, Jan. 11.—It was announced here today that La Belle Otero, long a queen of the Paris stage, has married Mr. Rene Webb, an American. The famous Spanish dancer first met Mr. Webb at Buenos Ayres. The marriage took place at the American Consulate in Paris and the religious ceremony at the Madeleine. Sorrita Otero made her debut in Barcelona, and her first appearance in Paris in 1891. She was 38 years old on Christmas day.

MISSING STEAMER ARRIVES

(Scripps News Association)
Bermuda, Jan. 11.—The long missing steamer Ponce arrived here today, she is badly disabled and was towed to this port by the steamer Wable. The Ponce reports having encountered severe storms but no deaths.

LABORERS REQUIRED IN THE SOUTH

(Scripps News Association)
New Orleans, Jan. 11.—During the next few months strenuous efforts will be made to bring white labor to the Southern States. The colonizing of Italians in some of the mill sections is well on the way. The very rapid pace with which new mills are being run up has greatly exceeded the growth of labor and though many inducements are held out to families to go to mill towns in the South, where wages are good and steady employment offered, the supply is yet far below the demand. With the world's requirements fast approaching a 16,000,000 bale crop, it is estimated that several hundred thousand more field laborers are needed in the South to help to produce the raw cotton, and if the present percentage of advancement in the south continues.

GOLD IN COLUMBIA RIVER BAR

(Scripps News Association)
Astoria, Ore., Jan. 11.—A company has been formed here to dredge for gold at the bar of the Columbia river. The sand contains both iron and gold in large quantities and the recent analysis made by a government geologist show that the iron would pay for the working. Electricity and a magnetic separator will be used. Dredging commenced today.

TAUGHT THE USE OF DOPE

(Scripps News Association)
Seattle, Jan. 11.—C. Conley, is arrested charged with conducting a school for teaching youthful messengers the use of cocaine opium and other drugs. Several packages of drugs were found on his person when he was arrested. The druggist who sold the medicine will probably be arrested soon. Investigation discloses fearful depravity among the messengers of that concern.

CIGAR FACTORY BURNS

(Scripps News Association)
Lancaster, Pa., Jan. 11.—The warehouse of S. R. Moss Tobacco Company was destroyed by fire this morning. The blaze ignited a neighboring cigar factory which was also destroyed. The loss will reach a million.

ARCHBISHOP DEAD

(Scripps News Association)
San Francisco, Jan. 11.—Archbishop Montgomery of the Los Angeles Catholic diocese and who has been ailing for some time, died yesterday afternoon.

ON THEIR WAY TO CHICAGO

Delegates from the brotherhoods of conductors and brakemen on the O. R. & N. have gone to Chicago to meet with E. H. Harriman in person concerning the eight-hour day movement now in progress on all the Harriman lines.

Conductor Butler, of the freight division of La Grande, and Brakemen E. E. Cross of La Grande, have gone to Chicago, as well as representatives of the Portland and Starbuck lodges and together with representatives of the brotherhood from all other Harriman lines will hold a personal conference with Mr. Harriman in Chicago early next week.

When the settlement of the matter on the O. R. & N. was deferred for 30 days at the meeting of officials and representatives of the brotherhood in Portland last Monday, it was with the understanding that the O. R. & N. employes should take part in the Chicago conference and abide by the decision reached with Mr. Harriman.

COLORED MURDERERS APPEAL

(Scripps News Association)
Alexandria, Va., Jan. 11.—A stay of execution has been placed on the warrant of the sheriff's possession for the execution of Howard Banks, colored, who was sentenced to death for the murder of a colored youth named Eliza, as an appeal will be taken to the Court of Appeals, Howard would have been executed this morning but for the appeal.

NEW MINERALS IN SOUTH DAKOTA

(Scripps News Association)
Deadwood, S. D., Jan. 11.—Tin, mica, tungsten and spodumene are now being produced in the Black Hills in large quantities. The Westinghouse Electric and Manufacturing Co. for the use of their plant in Denver, are taking large quantities of mica. The other new minerals are being shipped east.

CATHOLIC ARCHBISHOP SUCCEUMBS

(Scripps News Association)
Montgomery, Ala., Jan. 11.—A hundred miners are entombed in a cave in at Schoss mines in Calhoun county, according to a telephone message just received here. Defective timbering is given as the cause. One rescue party has entered the cave and another is organizing.

It is known that some of the men are alive for the rescuers have heard tapings on the interior of the walls.

The body of Arch Bishop Montgomery was today moved to the chapel in St. Mary's cathedral where it will lie in state until ten o'clock Monday morning when the funeral services will be celebrated by a sermon by Bishop Conmy, of Los Angeles.

After his ordination to the priesthood Father Montgomery went to San Francisco as Secretary to Archbishop Alemany in the late seventies and when Archbishop Reardon the present incumbent succeeded that prelate in 1885 Father Montgomery was made Chancellor of the diocese. This office he held until 1894 when he was appointed co-adjutor to Bishop Mora of Los Angeles whom he succeeded a few years later. In 1905 he was appointed co-adjutor to Archbishop Reardon and so Bishop Montgomery has ended his ecclesiastical career in the city where he began it. Like his uncle Zach Montgomery, the late Bishop was a student of educational affairs and these formed the subject matter of many of his public speeches. The Bishop was no orator but he was a clear thinker and a forcible speaker. He was a tireless worker too and perhaps he will be long remembered in California for having introduced and established there the League of the Cross. This society was first formed in England by the late Cardinal Manning and its object is to promote Total Abstinence. The idea is to pledge boys to abstain from the use of all intoxicating drinks until they are twenty-one years old. This plan has worked well in England and there can be no doubt that it has produced like results in California by giving thousands of youths in that state the habit of temperance.

The strict ecclesiastical Bishop Montgomery was a genial soul, the simplest and least affected of men. The entire State of California knew and respected him and many thousands in San Francisco and Los Angeles will feel his death a personal loss.

The late prelate was noted for his intense of quiet American patriotism and for his deeply loved California and her people the singing or playing of "My Old Kentucky Home" and of other songs of the Southland had at any time the power of bringing tears to his eyes.

MUST TELL THE TRUTH

(Scripps News Association)
Chicago, Jan. 11.—Judge Going of the new municipal court today opened the trial of Johan Fox, charged with the murder of Miss Emily Miller, with a warning to newspapers, that sensational accounts of the trial in his court must cease. He told a reporter the exclusion of newspaper men from his courts would be enforced unless they remained close to the facts in reporting trials. He said:

"If this government of the people of this country, ever fails, it will be because of the abuse of liberty of the press and perversion of the truth by newspapers. There has been more harm done by reports of this case than by persons who committed the crime."

MOVEMENTS OF U. S. WARSHIPS

(Scripps News Association)
Guantanamo, Cuba, Jan. 11.—Eight battleships comprising the squadron of Rear Admiral Evans of the U. S. Atlantic fleet arrived here today. In the squadron are the Maine (flagship) Missouri, Kearsarge, Kentucky, Alabama, Iowa, Indiana and Illinois. The midwinter manoeuvres of the fleet will be conducted off this coast.

Brooklyn, N. Y., Jan. 11.—In about four days time the U. S. Battleships Connecticut, Louisiana, Georgia, New Jersey, Rhode Island, Virginia, Ohio, Tennessee, Washington and St. Louis will sail for Cuba where they will join the fleet of Rear Admiral Evans and take part in the mid-winter manoeuvres of the Atlantic Fleet.

NEW INCORPORATIONS IN DECEMBER

(Scripps News Association)
New York, Jan. 11.—The total capitalizations of incorporations formed in Maine, New York, New Jersey and Delaware, during the month of December, amounted to \$259,800,000 an increase of almost \$100,000,000 over the total for the same month last year, and compares with \$184,000,000 in November and \$110,600,000 in October. The December incorporations exceeded in amount those of any other month in the year.

POLICE DOUBTS STORY

(Scripps News Association)
Chicago, Jan. 11.—Walter S. Bogle, aged 26, a son of Walter Bogle, president of the Crescent Coal Mining Company was found dead at the home of his parents with a bullet wound in the right side of his head. The father says that he committed suicide. No motive is signed by the family. The police say it is hardly possible that the fatal shot was fired by the weapon shown because it bore no marks of a recent discharge.

REV. C. H. NELLOR RESIGNS

Rev. C. H. Nellor, who has been pastor of the First Congregational church in this city for the past nine months, has resigned and will perhaps accept an offer from the Congregational church at Genesee, Idaho. He expects to leave for Genesee in the morning and if he finds everything satisfactory there, will return in about three weeks for his family.—East Oregonian.

SILVER STILL HIGH

(Scripps News Association)
Washington, Jan. 11.—The directors of the mint today purchased a hundred thousand ounces of silver at 69.365, with delivery at Philadelphia.

The State department admits that the Tokio government has inquired into the advisability of a Japanese training squadron visiting San Francisco.

PENSION FOR ALL

(Scripps News Association)
Washington, Jan. 11.—The Senate this afternoon passed a bill providing a service pension for all survivors of the Mexican and Civil Wars.

PROSSER JAILER IS BEATEN

(Scripps News Association)
Prosser, Wn., Jan. 11.—While locking up prisoners last night, Jailer Gilpin was overpowered, bound, and gagged and robbed of his keys, money and revolver by four prisoners. One was subsequently recaptured. P. O. Pa Bare and Sidney Davis, the horse thief and Kin Parker, who is held for the murder of Marshall Glover of Kennewick escaped.

At the time of Parker's arrest three were killed near the scene of disturbance Glover being one of them. Parker is only nineteen but is a desperate character. He has his jailer's gun and declares that he will not be taken alive. A posse of a hundred men is in the man chase.

KNOWN IN LA GRANDE

John Gilpin is known in La Grande, Oregon, where he owned half interest in the Gilpin & Bennett firm, a clothing house that did business in that city about five years ago. He also owned mining property at the head of the Grande Ronde river.

GRAFTERS ALL RIGHT

(Scripps News Association)
San Francisco, Jan. 11.—Grand Juror Livingston, who helped to indict Abe Ruef and Mayor Schmitz, created a sensation this morning when he was asked by Ruef's counsel what he thought of Schmitz and Ruef, by replying: "Grafters! I mean by graft doing things that are illegally and morally wrong. I admit I told many people that that the Mayor and Ruef were grafters."

Judge Dunne, during the examination of Livingston, again threatened Attorney Ach, Ruef's counsel, with punishment for contempt of court for insulting remarks of the witness.

PLEISTINE FOR THE JEWS

(Scripps News Association)
London, Jan. 11.—In the Albert Hall today Jews numbering over six thousand gathered under the auspices of the English Zionist Federation for the purpose of advocating the claims of Zionism. Lord Rothschild presided and amongst the speakers were Mr. Israel Zangwill, H. Bischoffshiem, Rev. M. Zadoc Kahn, Dr. Friedberger alter Mathan and J. Shire all prominent in commercial and financial circles. Mr. H. H. Pentwich L. L. P. said that Zionists would not rest until they had Palestine-Palestine and nothing else. Resolutions were adopted pledging the meeting to work to secure a publicly-recognized, legally-secured home in Palestine as the only solution of the Jewish question.

NORTHWEST APPEALS

(Scripps News Association)
Washington, Jan. 11.—Senator Hansbrough today turned over to the Interstate Commerce Commission a number of dispatches complaining of the coal shortage in the Northwest. One is from North Dakota which says that not a pound of coal has been for sale the past month.

FEARED SHIP IS LOST

(Scripps News Association)
Salina Cruz, Jan. 11.—A steamship bearing nine hundred and twenty-two Japanese which was due here the ninth of January, has not been sighted yet, and it is feared that she has encountered several storms and is lost.

"Happy Week"

Happy Week is making smiling shoppers

Smiling shoppers reflect the happy spirit which predominates every corner of the store. The aisles are filled with happy shoppers, completely surrounded by bargains. There is no reason why every shopper should not be happy—here are needed or coveted articles priced within reach of every woman's purse. No need to think of economy, we have done that for you happily. A smiling shopper becomes a loyal customer. We want your friend to learn of the spirit of our "happy week" If they have not attended this sale, there is still time. New bargains are added daily and are conducive of the most appreciative smiles. And there is a practical side to the smile—to buy exactly what you want at your own price makes shopping a joy and makes possible the jollity of our "Happy week". A happy bargain makes a merry buyer. Come - its smiling time this week.

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CITY IN DARKNESS

(Scripps News Association)
Ventura, Cal. Jan. 11.—The recent flood of the Ventura river has completely destroyed the water supply system of the Ventura County Power. Apprehensions are felt that the limited supply of water for the gas and electric light plants will be exhausted before night and the city will be in darkness and without fuel as well.

WILL HANG TONIGHT

(Scripps News Association)
Denver, Jan. 11.—Philip Stewart telegraphs that he declined the commission-ership of the general land office. John Mc Carvey aged twenty-two will be hanged before midnight in Cannon City for the murder of the jailer at Grand Junction while trying to escape sentence for burglary. Governor says he will not interfere as the crime is liable to capital punishment.

OTHERS WILL FOLLOW

(Scripps News Association)
Los Angeles, Jan. 11.—John S Schirm, president of the Grand Canyon Lime and Cement Co. is under arrest on the charge of receiving concessions from the San'a Fe. This is the first arrest growing out of the grand jury investigation of the rebate evil. Other arrests will follow.



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