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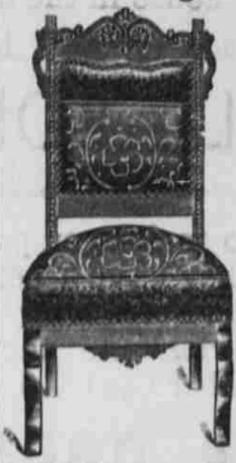
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His Daughter's Letter.



Dear Father:—New Years is coming; we are all well and happy. The baby has grown ever so much, and has a great deal more sense than it used to have. Hoping the same of you, I remain,
Your daughter,
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Mollie meant what she said; she had her mind on New Years. Next time she will write father that Bellomy & Busch are keeping a fine assortment of children's Rocking Chairs, Fancy Rockers, Parl Suites, Lounges, Bedroom Suites, and endless variety of Toys.

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Fire in Frisco—The Pope's Message—From Pacific's Isles—Shipping the Negroes.

LITTLE ROCK, Ark., Dec. 23.—The expected in the railroad world happened today. The Atchison, Topeka and Santa Fe and St. Louis and San Francisco railroads and branches, comprising the Santa Fe system proper, have been placed in the hands of three receivers, the order being made by United States Circuit Judge H. C. Caldwell in chambers at 5:30 o'clock this evening. The application was made by the Union Trust Company of New York, trustees and bondholders of the St. Louis and San Francisco. The petition sets forth that the company is totally insolvent; that with all this debt staring it in the face it has not enough money to pay the day laborers along its line, and that, inasmuch as its creditors are becoming impatient, it is a question of but a few weeks until suits may be brought that will disintegrate and ruin the system; therefore, in consideration of all these numerous allegations, receiver or receivers are asked for the property. Accompanying this bill was the answer of the Santa Fe company. George R. Peck, general solicitor of the company, answering the charges, confessed that all the statements were true; that the Santa Fe was wholly insolvent; that the creditors were growing impatient and liable at any time to close in on the company.

The Pope Speaks.

ROME, Dec. 23.—The pope has recovered from his recent indisposition and is now enjoying excellent health and spirits. His voice is clear and powerful. Cardinal Monaco la Valleta, dean of the sacred college, who has also recovered from his late illness, read to him today an address of congratulation from the college, in which reference was made to the pope's labors to extend universal peace and harmony, and to the success of his recent jubilee celebration. The pope, in reply, said:

"Great and signal, without doubt, have been the blessings we have received from a loving and divine providence. We are pleased that the sacred college recognizes them and gives praise and thanks to the blessed God, for our praises and thanks alone would be little to offer for such abundant mercies. It is the hand of God that preserves us to this advanced age. It is the hand of God that gives us the great comfort of seeing an increase in the various people's reverence and devotion to this apostolic see, and that leads us, in the midst of the cares of a ministry, which even in less difficult times and circumstances would have been very heavy on our shoulders. While intending, as we do, to accomplish this ministry and its duties to our best ability, we feel the need of asking more ardently than ever the favor so well expressed by you, to be able to effectually be, as were many of our illustrious predecessors, the minister and messenger of the peace of Europe and the world.

The Call and Bulletin Searched.

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 25.—At 11:30 this morning fire broke out in the block bounded by Clay, Commercial Sansone and Leidesdorf streets, and in a few minutes one of the biggest fires of the year was raging. The block was composed of the oldest brick buildings in the city and was occupied by the Call and Bulletin newspaper offices; Francis Valentine & Co., printers; the Bosqui Printing & Engraving Co.; Blake, Moffitt & Towne's paper warehouse; E. J. Shattuck & Co. ink manufacturers; the Commercial Steam Power company and numerous smaller concerns. Every engine in the city was called out, and it was over two hours before the fire was put out. A large portion of the block was totally destroyed. The Bulletin's editorial and composing rooms are a complete wreck and the Call's presses are injured by water, but the fire will not interfere with the publication of the papers. It is estimated the damage will reach \$500,000.

The Feeling in Hawaii.

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 21.—The steamship Mariposa arrived this morning, bringing advices from Honolulu up to December 13th as follows:

Interviews with the cabinet show that the government interprets Cleveland's message to congress to mean "I will restore the ex-queen peaceably if possible, and in case I find this cannot be done I will refer the matter to congress for settlement.

President Dole assured the Associated Press that in case Minister Willis made any advances either before or after the sailing of the Mariposa looking toward restoration, this government wished it

announced in the most public manner that such negotiations would make no headway here, and if pushed would be absolutely rejected by the provisional government.

A serious change in the situation took place this morning, in consequence of the unexpected arrival of the United States Cutter Corwin with cipher dispatches for Minister Willis. The Mariposa has been detained in consequence. The only information received by the public is that contained in the president's message. His language on the Hawaiian question is construed by many to imply that he postpones further action by Minister Willis to such action as congress may take. The Corwin's arrival created severe alarm. The cabinet met nearly as soon as the captain landed with his dispatches. A general query is, why are these dispatches so hastened down here if her errand is merely a friendly one?

To Export the Negroes.

BIRMINGHAM, Ala., Dec. 23.—J. H. Daniels, formerly a New Yorker, but recently a resident of Missouri has a plan for the removal of a large part of the negroes of the South to the Congo Free State and other African countries. Mr. Daniels has begun work on his scheme, and at this time feels very much encouraged over its ultimate success. He has written to Raymond LeGhait, the Belgian minister and envoy extraordinary at Washington, asking him what inducements the Belgian government would offer a colony of some 20,000 intelligent negroes from Alabama and Georgia for settlement in the Congo Free State. The minister replied that no such proposition had ever been made before, and he could not say positively what his government's policy in the matter would be. He said the chances are the Congo government would furnish transportation to a good class of emigrants. He asked Mr. Daniels to advise him with particulars as to what class of emigrants he would furnish, what sort of tradesmen, whether some would serve as soldiers, etc. Mr. Daniels replied that he could furnish as many emigrants as the Congo state might want. They would all be good citizens, and almost every trade and profession would be represented among them. A competent detective has made an exhaustive investigation and reported that Daniels was all right.

Vicissitudes of the Oregon Pacific.

CORVALLIS, Ore. Dec. 22.—Attorneys Hughes and Clarke, who bid in the Oregon Pacific, applied at the office today for a statement of the floating indebtedness against the property, which suggests the probability that their people are considering a plan of buying up the claims in order to secure confirmation of the sale. The statement furnished aggregates \$282,000. The situation respecting the river boats and the steamer Willamette Valley remains unchanged, with no prospect of immediate solution. The examination of the receiver's book by the employees' experts was concluded this afternoon, and the only statement that could be elicited was that the expense accounts of Superintendent Mulcahy and the attorneys were unsatisfactory. Receiver Hadley places Mulcahy's expenses at about \$1,400, and the total amount paid the lawyers \$4,500. Mulcahy's telegraphic resignation was handed in this afternoon.

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SMUGGLERS TRIAL.

Ended in Conviction of Three—Twenty Others Discharged.

GLEN HOLMAN WAS NOT GUILTY.

Disagreed on Lotan and Seid Back—National Finances—The Trial of Prendergast.

PORTLAND, Dec. 23.—The jury in the Chinese conspiracy trial after being out twenty-two hours, returned a verdict tonight. C. J. Mulkey, especial agent of the treasury department, William Dunbar, and P. J. Bannon were found guilty. In the case of James Lotan, ex-collector of customs and Seid Back the jury disagreed. The remaining defendants were acquitted. The penalty is a fine of from one to ten thousand dollars or imprisonment from two to five years or both. Upon the trial of Glen O. Holman several witnesses testified to the good reputation of defendant after which Holman took the stand in his own behalf. Early in December Blum requested him to make out thirty or forty certificates for Chinamen who were going on Clom's ship to Victoria and thence to China. Blum told him the Chinamen would be at his store that evening to meet Holman. The latter was there but the Chinamen did not appear, and being in bad health Holman went home. While waiting for the Chinamen to come he had signed some of the certificates, to be filled out when they appeared, but did not put on his seal. Blum told him he would have the Chinamen there the following morning, and Holman left the certificates and his seal in Blum's office over night. The next day Blum told him the Chinamen had not appeared and that the signed certificates had been destroyed. He went after his seal but it could not be found. Then he was called out of town on several trips, and did not get his seal back until about March. Holman identified several certificates bearing his signature and seal, which he said had been regularly executed according to law. The court stated that he should direct the jury to find Holman not guilty as there was nothing to implicate him and the jury found accordingly.

The Government Needs Money.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 23.—The government receipts for this month up to date have been in round numbers \$5,000,000 less than the expenditures which so far have been \$26,243,000, of which latter \$11,969,000 have been on account of pensions. Taking these figures as a basis of calculation, the excess of expenditures over receipts for the month will be between \$6,000,000 and \$7,000,000, and as the deficiency in the revenues for the first five months of the fiscal year approximated \$30,000,000 the indications are that the first half year will show a deficiency of between \$36,000,000 and \$37,000,000. It is not anticipated by treasury officials, however that the next six months will make such a showing.

Secretary Carlisle estimates a probable deficiency at the close of the year of \$28,000,000. The available cash in the treasury today was \$90,487,268, of which \$82,422,104 is the net gold reserve. On the first instant the available balance was \$95,169,616.

A Prominent Mason Killed.

PENDLETON, Or., Dec. 25.—James P. Bushee, of this city, Masonic grand lecturer, who has been engaged in official duties in the Willamette valley for several months past, while returning home this morning on the east-bound Union Pacific train to pass Christmas with his family, in some unaccountable manner was thrown from the steps of a chair car, striking on his head, killing him instantly, while the train was just entering the city limits. It was some hours after the accident that the body was found. It is supposed ice and frost on the platform caused him to slip, his head striking the ties and rails. Mr. Bushee was in this city a few weeks since instructing the Masonic fraternities here.

Rio Not Captured by Mello.

PERNAMBUCO, Dec. 23.—The report that Rio had been captured by the rebels has not been confirmed, but the most startling reports are still in circulation here. It is announced in a dispatch from Rio that Admiral Gama and the insurgent war vessels are off Cobras Island and have succeeded in stopping the collection of revenues from the custom-house, which have, up to the present, been paid to Peixoto.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 23.—Both the State and Navy departments are very positive today in discrediting the reports that Mello captured Rio, though it cannot be positively ascertained. It is believed one or both departments received advices to that effect from Rio. The general impression, however, is the report was merely premature, and that Peixoto would be eventually overthrown.