

COASH HEAD ON Express and Freight Meet on a Curve.

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Wreck Is on Northern Pacific Near Bearmouth.

ENGINES GO INTO THE DITCH

Mail and Express Cars of Twin Cities Express Are Telescoped, but the Passenger Coaches Remain on the Rails.

MESQUITA, Mont., March 5.—Two men are dead and six people injured as the result of a collision of a freight train and the west-bound Twin Cities express on the Northern Pacific at Bearmouth this afternoon at 3:30.

The express was 30 minutes behind time and the freight had orders to wait at Bearmouth siding. Engineer Sheehan misunderstood his orders and proceeded east. As the freight rounded the curve east of Bearmouth it crashed head on into the express.

A high bank shut off the view of both engines, and no attempt had been made to slow down. Both engines were thrown from the track and the mail and express cars telescoped, but the passenger coaches came to a dead stop and remained on the track.

The dead and injured were brought to this city on a relief train. The injured are being cared for in the company hospital. Traffic has been resumed.

MISTRESSES OF SPOKANE.

Minister Estimates at 1000 in Population of 65,000.

SPOKANE, Wash., March 5.—(Special.)—Dr. W. Van Oedel, minister of the First Baptist Church of Spokane, preached a sermon tonight devoted to the expounding of alleged immoral conditions in Spokane. The minister had caused the church to be lighted with 100 red-colored electric lights and his sermon was in accord with the color scheme.

"Old Lady Michel's" Estate.

ASTORIA, Or., March 5.—(Special.)—An order was made in the Probate Court Saturday appointing as executor of the estate of the late Jane Michel, who was commonly known as Jennie Michel, the "last of the Clatsops."

Patents at Roseburg Office.

ROSEBURG, Or., March 5.—(Special.)—Cash payments were received at the Cashier Land Office March 5, as follows:

Lively School Election.

KALAMAZOO, Wash., March 5.—(Special.)—After the most content in the annals of school politics in Kalamazoo, Robert E. Turnall defeated Dr. L. M. Sims for school director by a majority of 10 votes, at the annual school election held Saturday.

Water-Users' Association Formed.

KLAMATH FALLS, Or., March 5.—(Special.)—The Klamath Water-Users' Association was incorporated here Saturday, with a capital stock of \$100,000.

DEATH WAS IN THE DELAY

Russian Reform Plans Decided Upon Months Ago.

ST. PETERSBURG, March 5.—(Special.)—The history of Friday's imperial rescript, as it has been authoritatively disclosed to the Associated Press, sheds a curious illuminating light upon the struggles for ascendancy between the forces of reaction and liberalism which are raging about the Emperor, again compelling us to draw a parallel with the French Revolution and the truth of Prince Bismarck's famous remark that everything King Louis XVI did to preserve his throne came a day too late.

Reflections of a Bachelor.

There is mighty little fun in being so good that everybody expects you to live up to it. When a man hasn't seen a pretty girl in 30 years it would be better if he never saw her. A man has to be very careful to pretend he is jealous or a woman won't believe he loves her any more. A man never realizes how old he is until grown-up girls try to make him think they don't believe he wears false teeth. When a man is doing a lot of work for a politician he calls it diversion; when he is asked to rest at home with his family he calls it hard work.

EMPEROR PERMITTED UPON PRESERVING THE PRINCIPLE OF AUTOCRACY.

His Majesty, while upholding the definite approval, asked that it be placed in concrete form. This was done in the intervening weeks. The text is believed to be largely the work of Finance Minister Kokovoff, although the Associated Press is not in a position absolutely to affirm this.

UPON THEIR ARRIVAL AT TARSCHOK-SELO

Friday afternoon the ministers were greeted by the Emperor's waiting staff. They were informed that the Emperor would not interfere with the receipt which he had refused to sign, explaining the connection between the two as stated in the Associated Press dispatch of March 4.

IT IS A FACT, HOWEVER, THAT THE MINISTERS

were so fearful that some adverse influence might intervene before it could appear in the regular morning edition of the Official Messenger of Saturday that it was made public instantly upon their return to St. Petersburg, and at the same time the ministers ordered its publication in a special edition of the Official Messenger.

NOTWITHSTANDING THE PRAISE OF PRINCE

Notwithstanding the praise of Prince Mentschikov, which was contained in the papers greeted the document, hailing it with such expressions as "the dawn of the new era for the Slav race," the "Rubicon of Russian history," and "the voice of the people of the Empire," there is the greatest diversity of views as to what is actually intended; but by evident design all translate the imperial rescript as a promise of a real legislative chamber, upon which they intend to make the fight.

EXTREMISTS, OF COURSE, WHO DEMAND AN

out-of-the-constitution device as a delusion and a snare; but thoughtful liberals, who are convinced that the autonomy intended to yield as little as possible to the Emperor, are at least secured a fulcrum for their lever, and that the Emperor, like Aladdin, has rubbed his lamp and called the genie into being, but that he will not be able to control the new creation when it appears.

A GREAT GIGANT MUST COME ON INTERIOR

Ministry's committee upon which the liberals have already demanded that the Zemstvos be represented. The decision has been taken to keep the application at white heat and to strike while the iron is hot.

IN THIS THE LIBERALS WILL HAVE POWERFUL

support in high quarters within the government. They mainly fear is the danger of the coming of a people into the apathy of fancied security of a victory achieved. At the same time they hope the general situation will ameliorate, especially that there will be no repetition of terrorism. Certainly the rescript has created a powerful impression.

THE DISORDERS WHICH WERE PREDICTED

here and at Moscow for Saturday and Sunday did not occur, although the strike situation here appears distinctly more threatening. The authorities profess great hope that the rescript will completely change the attitude of the vast bulk of the workmen, who really are only demanding economic reform by a strike, but who are easy victims to the intrigues of their revolutionary comrades.

A POLITICAL HOTHOUSE.

Some of Advanced Measures Adopted by Australasian Governments.

Burriss Gaban in Bookkeepers. Sunny Australia is best described as a political hothouse. Beneath the glass of extreme democracy 100 varieties of state socialism are being bred and reared, more have reached their full bloom here a generation or two before their due time in other parts of the world. You in the United States have to think the political millennium not far distant if your civil service were reformed by leaving all appointments to commissioners as impartial as possible, and the election of judges by the people.

IN AUSTRALIA, INDEED, THEY HAVE ABOLISHED

plurality voting, and have freely given the suffrage to all women. They have established graduated income and progressive land taxes. Their great land difficulty is being met by such heroic means as the compulsory repurchase of large estates for closer settlement, and by state loans to small holders. The rescript in Australia is being met by such heroic means as the compulsory repurchase of large estates for closer settlement, and by state loans to small holders.

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the event that these reports make it certain that the cause of Mrs. Stanford's death was the result of strychnine poisoning?" the Chief was asked.

"Yes, we are prepared to act,"

was the reply. As to who was to be placed in prison, the official would not say. Police officers said detectives working on the case are beginning now to express doubts that Mrs. Stanford was really poisoned. It is believed that a private detective agency of this city will continue to stand all suspects

CHEMISTS EN TASK

Honolulu Sheriff Refuses to Disclose the Results.

MYSTERY OF DEATH REMAINS

Inquest on Body of the Late Mrs. Stanford Will Be Begun, Says Henry, When He Receives the Report.

HONOLULU, March 5.—The chemists

who were engaged in making analysis of the contents of the stomach of Mrs. Stanford completed their task last night and communicated their findings to High Sheriff Henry. They are preparing a detailed report.

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when to expect the report of the chemists. He has refused to give his consent to a statement by the chemists and consequently they decline to say anything for publication other than that they have completed their work. Henry declares that he will not wait for the arrival of the steamer Alameda, but will commence the inquest as soon as he gets the report from the chemists.

HIGH SHERIFF HENRY TONIGHT STATED

positively that he did not know whether or not there was poison in the stomach of Mrs. Stanford or in the bottle of bicarbonate of soda found in her medicine chest. This statement was made notwithstanding the fact that the high sheriff of the official investigation and that the chemical analyses were concluded 48 hours prior to his statement tonight.

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MISS BERNER GIVEN EXTRA PAY

Demands of Her Employer More Exact With Increasing Age.

SAN FRANCISCO, March 5.—Harry N. Morse, who has taken personal charge of the investigation by the private detectives since Captain Callaghan's departure to Honolulu, denied that any of the Chinese servants in the Stanford mansion was under surveillance. There has never been any strong suspicion of any of the Chinese who were in the house at the time of the poisoning.

THE DETECTIVES AT AN EARLY STAGE OF

the investigation had a theory that the poison was water from which Mrs. Stanford drank on January 31. It might have been meant for Miss Berner, and that the poison was placed in it by one of the Chinese servants out of desire for revenge on the secretary. This theory was based on the fact that there had been a quarrel over a trivial incident a few days before the poisoning, the principal parties to the quarrel being Miss Berner and Wong Gin, the Chinese cook.

ACCORDING TO MAX MACHNER, WHO WAS

Mrs. Stanford's butler in December, the relations of Miss Berner and Miss Machner were very friendly. Continuing, Machner said:

"Mrs. Stanford enjoyed life, and I know

she desired to live until some work at the university was completed. Mrs. Machner was in the employ of Mrs. Stanford for about six months and says his dismissal was due solely to the jealousy of the other servants.

IN AN ANSWERING TO A QUESTION OF

searching questions, Machner said that Miss Berner was in receipt of additional salary from Charles G. Lathrop, unknown to Mrs. Stanford. That Miss Berner was very exacting at times, and she had frequently threatened to leave, but Mr. Lathrop had added to the salary paid by Mrs. Stanford for the reason that he well knew Miss Berner better than any one else, understood her aged employer.

MAY BE QUESTION OF SANITY

Report of the Chemists Is Withheld From the Public.

HONOLULU, March 5.—The conduct of the police department of the local inquiry, in some quarters the suggestion is made that those interested in the estate of Mrs. Stanford are having great influence in the management of the local inquiry, on account of a possible will contest raising a question of sanity.

REARIGHT INQUIRIES ARE BEING MADE

regarding every detail of Mrs. Stanford's life here. The police continue every effort to get every incident connected with the case.

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conference today with Mrs. Stanford's secretary, Judge Stanley, Mrs. Stanford's secretary.

IT IS BELIEVED THAT, UNLESS THERE IS

very positive proof of poisoning, the strongest effort will be made to secure from the coroner's jury a verdict that death was due to natural causes.

JUDGE STANLEY, WHO IS REPRESENTING

the coroner, is representing the police department are apparently working closely together. Judge Stanley has been present at most of the interviews with Miss Berner and Miss Machner.

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efforts will be made to continue secrecy and withhold the chemists' report until the steamer Alameda reaches San Francisco with representatives of the Stanford estate and detectives.

THOUGH HIGH SHERIFF HENRY HAS REPEATEDLY

promised to give to the coroner's jury the chemists' report, it is known that he has been in possession of them since last night. Today he could not be found by the representatives of the press, many of whom were seeking him.

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strain of constant examinations and the shock of Mrs. Stanford's death. Developments in the case are possible at any time.

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