

GERRY'S DEATHS

Notable Assemblage at Marriage of Miss Harriman in New York.

THROUGH BLOCKS BROADWAY

Hundreds of Women Intent on Catching Glimpse of Wedding Party Force Their Way Through Lines of Police.

NEW YORK, March 3.—In the presence of a notable assemblage of persons prominent in the social life of New York...

Church Beautifully Decorated.

Essentially American Union.

Hold Up Social Ideals

Prominent Men Organize to Promote University Spirit.

KANSAS CITY, Mo., March 3.—A new social movement of national scope has established headquarters here.

SMALLPOX PANIC IN ROME

Suppression of News Leads to Exaggerated Reports.

ROME, March 3.—Via Paris, March 3.—The municipal government of Rome has made a mistake in endeavoring to suppress the news of an outbreak of smallpox in this city...

SUE FOR IMMENSE ESTATE

Portland and Seattle Women Attack Eastern Will.

WORCESTER, Mass., March 3.—Mrs. Mary A. Booth, of Portland, and Mrs. Fanny Dunbar, and Mrs. J. C. Cooper, of Seattle, have joined forces and entered suit in the courts here in an attempt to break the will of Mrs. Emma G. Vinton, a prominent Springfield society woman...

who at her death left her estates and fortune, amounting to \$7,000,000, to George D. Nelson, at one time a hostler and at another home also lived for some years. She ignored her relatives entirely. They are her cousins. The will was drawn in 1886 and makes Nelson executor and sole legatee without bonds. How much was transferred to him before her death cannot be ascertained. He came from the West in charge of horses 25 years ago.

SEATTLE, Wash., March 3.—In response to advices from the East that she had parted with her fortune, Mrs. Vinton, the wife of her late first cousin, Mrs. Emma Vinton, of Springfield, Mass., involving an estate worth more than \$6,000,000, which she left to a son-in-law, Mrs. J. C. Cooper, of 27 Fourteenth avenue north, says she knows such a contest is under way, but that she knows none of the details. Mrs. Vinton is a widow, who was left a fortune from a vast business as a manufacturer with no children, and when she died about two weeks ago there were but five cousins who were entitled to participate in the estate from the standpoint of blood relationship. Although the names of Mrs. Fanny Dunbar, of Seattle, and of Mary Booth, of Portland, Or., are mentioned as participants in the estate, Mrs. Vinton's son-in-law, Mrs. Cooper says she does not know either woman and has been under the impression all along that she and four other first cousins were the only surviving relatives. The others she assumed were all living in the East.

HARRIMAN PUTS MEN ON ILLINOIS CENTRAL BOARD.

Harriman, Astor, Hackstaff and Titus Elected—Ogden to Become Director—Fish Prevents Purchase of Branch Lines.

CHICAGO, March 3.—The long struggle to control the Illinois Central Railroad was ended, at least temporarily, today, when the officially adjourned annual meeting of stockholders was held and four directors were elected. With only formal protest recorded by the opponents headed by Stuyvesant Fish, which have been opposing the administration of

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FORESTERS OF AMERICA TEAM OF SNOHOMISH, WASH.

The Foresters of America team, of Snohomish, Wash., has a clean record for the season, the only close game being the one played with the Nome Arctic Brotherhood team, when the game was called with two minutes to play and the score 22 to 20 in favor of Snohomish. The game was stopped by the National Guard authorities, who were compelled to use their force for state protection. Other teams taken into camp this season are the Bellingham Y. M. C. A., Everett Y. M. C. A. (two games), Dawson, Pullman, and Portland Y. M. C. A.

Alaska Road Gains Time.

WASHINGTON, March 3.—The bill granting additional time to the Alaska Pacific Railway & Terminal Company to complete surveys to road sections was ordered favorably reported without amendment today by the House committee on territories.

Big Plant Resumes Work.

BERWICK, Pa., March 3.—After having been shut down for the last two weeks in all the departments, the Berwick plant of the American Car & Foundry Company has resumed work, giving work to 4000 employees.

RULING AGAINST CROTHERS

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Judge Dooling Outlines Position in Criminal Libel Suit Caused by Article in Bulletin.

SAN FRANCISCO, March 3.—Judge M. T. Dooling, of San Benito County, sitting for Superior Judge Frank H. Dunne in the trial of R. A. Crothers and Fremont Older, charged with criminally libeling W. S. Tevis, president of the Bay Cities Water Company, during a ruling this morning said in an early word that he would instruct the jury to bring in a verdict of guilty. He said:

Fish Party Not Bound by Action.

I refrained from taking any part in the meeting because I deemed it best for those stockholders whose proxies I hold that they should not be bound by anything done at the meeting. Those who have left their proxies in my hands vested me with discretion to act for them as to their shares as I might act for my own.

SPLIT TRICK FOR OPERATORS

Trouble Brewing Over New Hours on Great Northern.

ST. PAUL, March 3.—According to P. H. Abbott, secretary of the Great Northern branch of the Order of Railway Telegraphers, trouble is brewing over the new schedule of working hours for operators after March 4. He said complaints are already coming in regarding the split trick, which he says will work out so that operators at one-man stations will work 15 hours a day without over-time, instead of the 12 hours formerly worked when over-time was paid. Under the split trick, he says, the railroad obeys the letter of the law and makes money by it.

REBATE HEARING TO BEGIN

Tracy C. Becker Will Take Hand in Los Angeles.

LOS ANGELES, Cal., March 3.—With the arrival of Tracy C. Becker, special assistant to Attorney-General Bonaparte, and Thomas B. Neuhausen, special inspector for the Department of the Interior, who are expected to arrive tomorrow, it is believed that the Government investigation

tion of alleged railroad rebates will be begun in earnest. While the principal object of Becker's visit is to appear for the Government on extradition proceedings against local men alleged to be implicated in the Oregon land frauds, it is understood he will take a hand in rebates that he will also cause the Imperial Valley land fraud investigation. There will be a hearing before United States Commissioner Van Dye Wednesday on the Oregon case. Assistant Attorney-General Bonaparte has concluded his local investigation of the Salt Lake and Santa Fe Railroads, and will submit his report to Attorney-General Webb and leave it to his superior to give out any information. Thursday the railroad commission begins its investigation of the Southern Pacific Company in the matter of alleged rebates.

REBATE CHARGE AGAINST ROAD

FRISCO RAILWAY INDICTED BY FEDERAL GRAND JURY.

ST. LOUIS, March 3.—Indictments charging the St. Louis & San Francisco Railroad Company with the granting of rebates and the Chapman & Dewey Lumber Company, of Kansas City, Mo., with accepting rebates, were returned by the Federal grand jury today.

There were 13 counts in each of the indictments, charging the Frisco Company with giving rebates to the lumber company on that number of shipments and the lumber company with accepting the rebates.

LOS ANGELES, March 3.—Jimmy Britt, of San Francisco, and "Batling" Nelson, of Hesperia, Ill., fought 19 rounds before the Pacific Athletic Club in this city tonight, with Britt a slight victor in point of blows landed, and Nelson somewhat the stronger at the close, but unable to overcome the cleverness of his opponent. The fight

seemed ended in the sixth round, when Britt appeared to have received a knockout blow at Nelson's hands, but was saved by the gong.

Nelson showed to advantage in only three rounds, because of telling blows landed when the men were sparring openly. The fight was by no means a savage affair, and at times the audience howled to the men to fight.

Time after time Britt escaped the lead of the always coming Nelson, awaiting his opportunity to send in hard lefts that finally tired the Dane and rendered it improbable that he should land a knockout blow. In all, Nelson did not land over a dozen blows that figured in the result, while Britt, always giving ground, stepped out of range whenever possible and frequently straightened Nelson up with the left. In conformity with the law, no decision was rendered.

LOCATION OF RACING AUTOS

CARS ARE NOW SCATTERED OVER THREE STATES.

CHICAGO, March 3.—The automobiles in the New York-to-Paris race were located tonight as follows: American car at Logan, Iowa. French car No. 1 at Cedar Rapids, Iowa, disassembled. Italian car at Ames, Iowa. French car No. 2 at Chicago. German car at Chesterton, Ind.

THE DAY'S HORSE RACES

AT OAKLAND.

OAKLAND, Cal., March 3.—Results: Six furlongs—St. Edgar won, Belmore second, Mabel Holland third; time, 1:16 2-5. Mile and 20 yards—Mrs. O'Farrell won. Alcibiades second, Rustler third; time, 1:47. Six furlongs—Dick Wilson won, Billy Myer second, Hulford third; time, 1:16 1-8. Seven furlongs—May Amelia won, Dorado second, Shennandoah third; time, 1:28 2-5. Mile and 20 yards—Menden won, Fullerton second, Whidden third; time, 1:48. At Los Angeles.

LOS ANGELES, March 3.—Results: Five furlongs—Billy Mayham won, J. J. McC. second, Koenig Louise third; time, 1:09 2-5. Three and a half furlongs—St. El won, Incident second, J. H. Reed third; time, 1:41 4-5. Five and a half furlongs—Royal Queen won, Laudable second, Lackfoot third; time, 1:50 4-5. Mile—Stanley Fay won, Meelock second, Center shot third; time, 1:52 2-5. Mile and one-eighth—Avontellus won, August second, Rubins third; time, 1:51 4-5. Six furlongs—Talarand won, Wisteria second, Hereafter third; time, 1:13 2-5. At New Orleans.

NEW ORLEANS, March 3.—Fair Grounds results: Three and a half furlongs—Aronette won, Tony W. second, Bermuda third; time, 1:42. Five furlongs—Shirley Ross Moore won, Linda Lake second, Tartar Maid third; time, 1:49 4-5. Six furlongs—Gold Proof won, Quadrille second, Bellecheer third; time, 1:13 1-5. Mile and eighth—Jack Handicap—Jack Atkins won, Old Homestead second, Yankee Girl third; time, 1:51 4-5. Mile and sixteenth—Severus won, Sain second, St. Harlo third; time, 1:47 2-5. Mile and eighth—Jack Witt won, George second, Fowaway third; time, 1:54 1-5. Bowling Contest at Albany.

ALBANY, Or., March 3.—(Special.)—A

bowling contest of unusual interest has been inaugurated at the Alton Club in this city. The married men will contest against the single men of the club in a tournament of ten games for a beautiful silver cup, which the club has already secured for the contest. Try-outs are now being held to select the two teams and 40 members of the club are competing for places.

ARMY CAR AT BEATRICE.

CORTLAND, Neb., March 3.—The Army car, on a test trip from New York to Fort Leavenworth, passed here at 11:15 this morning. Muddy roads delayed the car.

BEATRICE, Neb., March 3.—The Army car reached here at 3:15 P. M.

ROBERTSON DEFEATS DAN KELLY.

NEW YORK, March 3.—Lawson Robertson, of the Irish-American Athletic Club, won the 60-yard invitation race at the Sixty-ninth Regiment's annual Madison Square Garden last night, defeating Dan Kelly, the Oregon sprinter, and holder of the world's 100-yard record.

ASK NATION TO BUY LAND

JAMESTOWN RECEIVERS WOULD SELL FAIR SITE.

Offer Government 350 Acres for \$2,500,000, Which is Needed to Pay Debts.

WASHINGTON, March 3.—The receivers of the Jamestown Exposition (Jamestown, N. D.), today met the House committee on naval affairs and advocated Government purchase of the 350 acres composing the exposition site, to be used by the United States as a naval and coaling station. The price asked is \$2,500,000, and a bill for the purchase will be introduced by Representative Maynard, of Virginia.

The committee was informed that, in addition to the \$50,000 loan owed to the Government, the company's debts aggregated \$1,900,000, exclusive of liabilities to stockholders, so that the whole of the \$2,500,000 purchase price is needed to straighten out the company's affairs. The committee reached no decision.

WILFLEY HEARING ENDS

Judge Cross-Examines Witnesses Who Appear Against Him.

WASHINGTON, March 3.—The taking of testimony preliminary to a determination by the judiciary committee of the question whether or not impeachment proceedings should be instituted against Judge L. R. Wilfley, of the United States Court for China, pursuant to a resolution of inquiry introduced by Representative Waldo, of New York, was concluded today by the submission of the testimony of the witnesses in charge. Today's session was consumed in a further and final cross-examination of Lorin S. Andrews, the American attorney who, with other Shanghai lawyers, brought charges against Judge Wilfley of misbehavior in office.

Judge Wilfley himself conducted the cross-examination today, and clashed before him and Andrews were frequent. The subject-matter mainly considered was the refusal of Judge Wilfley to allow Andrews and other American lawyers in Shanghai, to practice before his court, and the names of Secretaries Taft and Root and Solicitor-General Scott were brought into the controversy.

Officials declared that he was given before his court, and the names of the United States Court for China, on the strength of his admission to the highest Federal Courts of the United States.

Judge Wilfley disputed this. Oral arguments will be heard by the subcommittee next Friday, Representative Waldo speaking for Andrews and Judge Wilfley for himself.

MURDER THEORY REJECTED

Jury Returns Suicide Verdict Despite Doctor's Evidence.

NEW YORK, March 3.—Although Dr. Otto Schultze testified at the inquest today that an autopsy which he made proved conclusively that Gerolamo Cella, a wealthy importer, was murdered, the coroner's jury returned a verdict that he came to his death by his own hand. Cella was found dead in his office in West Broadway on February 27. His body had been covered with a hammer and his mouth burned by acid.

OLD REGIME OVERTHROWN

Liberal Party Loses in New Brunswick Election.

FREDERICKTON, N. B., March 3.—The Liberal government, of New Brunswick, today lost its majority in office under one form or another for 25 years, was overthrown in the general election held throughout the province today. The opposition ticket swept St. John and a majority of the other constituency. It is expected that the next Premier will be J. Douglas Hazen, leader of the opposition forces.

Dr. Plamondon Elected Mayor.

PENDLETON, Or., March 3.—(Special.)—Athens's city election today resulted in an overwhelming majority for Dr. J. D. Plamondon for Mayor. This is his third successive term. Personal enemies of the doctor have made a strong fight on him for several weeks, even going so far as to secure his indictment on the charge of selling liquor in a local option precinct, his drugstore being the part of the city in which saloons are prohibited. It is said that persons were hired to buy the liquor, alleging they were ill. The overwhelming majority, which resulted, would seem to vindicate the Mayor.

Other officers elected were: A. B. McEwen, M. L. Watts and F. S. Legrow, Councilmen; A. P. Fox, Treasurer; D. W. Richards, Recorder; C. A. Barrett, Water Commissioner.

Will Buy Supplies at Seattle.

VANCOUVER BARRACKS, Wash., March 3.—(Special.)—Major Winthrop S. Wood, Quartermaster in addition to his other duties as depot quartermaster, will take charge of the office of purchasing commissary at Seattle until such time as an officer of the subsistence department shall be available for assignment to that duty, relieving Lieutenant-Colonel George B. Davis, deputy commissary general.

Hughes Elected Mayor of Rainier.

RAINIER, Or., March 3.—Two hundred and forty votes were cast yesterday in the Rainier election, which resulted as follows: Mayor, T. E. Hughes; Councilmen, J. L. Bell, W. J. Deitz, G. W. Ever-

man, W. C. Fry, C. I. Houghkirk and P. Spennick; Treasurer, S. D. Howard; Police Judge, A. B. Doan; Marshal James Jesse; Water Commissioner (long term), George W. Voelz; Water Commissioner (short term), Dr. F. R. Davis; Marshal James got the largest vote, 238.

Elk Benefit Fund Grows.

VANCOUVER, Wash., March 3.—(Special.)—At the benefit entertainment given tonight by the local lodge of Elks, a number of visitors from Portland were present, and the show was equal to the one given last night. A handsome sum was realized for the benefit fund.

Do Not Advertise Dentistry

NEW YORK, March 3.—(Special.)—PHILADELPHIA, BOSTON, ST. PAUL, DENVER, SALT LAKE, SAN FRANCISCO, SEATTLE.

It is a fact there is none of the above cities, in fact none in the United States of America, that is advertising its dental services in the scare-head advertisements to do here in Portland. But Oregon people will soon convince themselves and their work that it will not pay them to continue that here. Because the New York Dentists cause more than years ago, prepared to do all classes of modern dentistry, with the aid of their world renowned New York Specialists and our existing work which is always done with the very best of materials.

Because we have proven to the public that we do everything exactly as we advertise. Because of the above facts, dozens of professional scare-head advertisers have located in our immediate vicinity, trying to mislead the people, advertising to give away something, apples, soups, or even dentistry, free, to entice the unsuspecting to their offices. We pity these poor mortals who every day come in to us to have their work done over, after some one or the other advertiser, "too good to be true," has misled them, and not helped their aching teeth, or perhaps, tried to make them a crown or set of teeth in our crude way. Now as a warning, we say: If you wish painless dentistry, if you would save your teeth, if you would have the best work done, ask any of our thousands of patrons about

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They are guaranteed with a protective guarantee for 10 years. Gold fillings, \$1.00. Silver fillings, .50. Gold crowns, 25c. Gold bridges, 25c. We are making a specialty of Foreign and Domestic Dentistry. Largest and best equipped dental establishment in the world. DR. C. FROOD, DENTIST. Hours 8:30 A. M. to 6 P. M.

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