

## HARRIMAN WILL SOON BE ON OCEAN

Impending Return Believed to Be for Closing of Vanderbilt Deal.

### SAILS FROM FRANCE TODAY

Expected to Take Up Option on Stock on Arrival—Stocks Fluctuate, but Rally on News of His Homecoming.

NEW YORK, Aug. 17.—E. H. Harriman's homecoming at this time is awaited with interest, in view of the recent reports in Wall street that he has obtained an option on controlling interest in the New York Central lines, which would give him an ocean-to-ocean route. But that this is the reason for his return is but speculation, for no statement has been made to that effect at the Union Pacific offices here or by Mr. Harriman's associates.

It was even said that the Union Pacific offices today that no word had been received of his contemplated departure from Cherbourg tomorrow.

The coincidence of the financier's return at a time when the New York Central rumor cropped out strongest, however, is interpreted by Wall street gurus to mean that he is exercising the option under which he has converted his \$10,000 worth of stock formerly controlled for the most part by the Vanderbilt interests. Because of the conflicting reports concerning Mr. Harriman today, the so-called Harriman stocks fluctuated widely and the market generally was unsettled. Union Pacific broke from 21% to 20%, but late in the afternoon, when the report of his homecoming was confirmed, Union Pacific rallied and there was a general recovery.

### HEALTH GREATLY IMPROVED

Arrives in Paris and Sails From Cherbourg Today.

PARIS, Aug. 17.—E. H. Harriman arrived here today by automobile and proceeded immediately to the home of James Stillman. According to his friends, Mr. Harriman's health has been greatly improved during his stay in Europe.

Arrangements have been made for Mr. Harriman to sail for Cherbourg tomorrow on the North German Lloyd steamer Kaiser Wilhelm III.

### GOOD HEALTH AND SPIRITS

Harriman Looked Well When Left Munich.

MUNICH, Aug. 17.—When E. H. Harriman left here last Sunday to proceed by rail to Paris, he looked well and friends who accompanied him from Salzburg to Munich said that he was in good health and excellent spirits.

### SEARCH ON FOR CLIMBERS

Stevens and Callaghan May Yet Be Alive on Rainier.

TACOMA, Wash., Aug. 17.—The offer of \$500 reward by the family of Joseph W. Stevens, who with T. V. Callaghan is lost on Mount Rainier, has spurred expert mountain-climbers to renewed efforts to find the missing dead or alive.

A party led by the Harriman brothers, who have lived at the foot of the mountain for years, left for the summit this morning, equipped with ropes and hooks for examining the fissures, and with an abundance of food for many hours' search.

Stevens was a contractor in Trenton, N. J., Callaghan was a student of nature and physiology and lived in Portland. He was 35 years old and accustomed to mountain hardships.

SEATTLE, Wash., Aug. 17.—T. Y. Callaghan of Portland, who is searching for the bodies of Sidney Sherman, 1095 Forty-sixth avenue, Southwest, who was 50 years old and a student of philosophy and psychology. He is said to be a man of means and the owner of considerable Oregon timberland. He has a brother, O. Callaghan, living in Philmont, Calif., and a sister, Mrs. Burns, a student of nature and physiology and lived in Portland. He was 35 years old and accustomed to mountain hardships.

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The Dupont individual tyro match, open to those who had won a first or second place in the individual matches of the National Rifle Association or who had never been on a winning team in the National team match, was won by Private J. E. Burns, of the Sixth Massachusetts, and Lieutenant C. M. Gail, of Illinois, each made a perfect score.

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### YOUNG CRANE WILL MARRY

Actor's Son to Wed Miss Rose Gardiner, of Pittsburgh.

Mercantile Exchange to Be Governed by Real Prices Now.

NEW YORK, Aug. 17.—The practice of the New York Mercantile Exchange, which deals in butter, cheese and eggs, of fixing the prices of dairy products by what is known as official quotations, determined upon by a committee of members, will be discontinued under a vote of the exchange today.

The practice was condemned by the investigation committee appointed by Governor Hughes. Under the plan adopted by the members today, the prices ruling in the dairy markets will prevail.

### GOLD HILL MINES RESUME

Activity Is Renewed in Southern Oregon District.

GOLD HILL, Or., Aug. 17.—(Special)—Recent developments in several mines in

this vicinity indicate a renewal of activity in the Gold Hill district, and point toward a resumption of work on several claims which have been lying idle for the past two years.

The Gray Eagle claim, in the Sardine Creek district, some eight miles from Gold Hill, is one of the propositions that is causing a renewal of interest in mining matters in Southern Oregon. The mine is owned and operated by the Oregon-Gold Hill Mining Company, composed principally of Portland people, and for the past three months has been worked under the superintendence of Paul Eberle.

The first thing the new owners did was to start workings which were intended to tap the ledge 50 feet below the first workings on the mine, although the superintendent was positively informed that the ledge didn't "go down," but it did, and the miners found 15 to 20 feet of very good gold in gold, the main pay streak running as high as \$25 to the ton, and they haven't reached the foot wall yet.

A ten-stamp mill from the Union mine,

in the Bohemia district, has been purchased and is now on the way. This will be installed at once, the consulting engineers having engaged to do the installing. The ore is capable of being worked by the cyanide process, and it is probable a plant will be installed for that purpose.

Messrs. Adams and associates, who purchased the Black Hawk mine on Drummond Gulch, have sold shares of incorporation and are doing development work. They say they have now one in sight to more than pay for the mine and the expenditure they have gone to heretofore, and are now preparing to install

the Trans-Mississippi Congress to De-

bate Vital Problem—Barrett

Pleads for Trade Relations

With South America.

DENVER, Aug. 17.—Coupled with the possibility of renewed hostilities between the Gifford Pinchot and Secretary Ballinger forces, the Trans-Mississippi Com-

missioner, and the principal address was delivered by Samuel Bowes Smith of Chattanooga, president of the American Life Convention. He said that the people of the West and Northwest will arrive tomorrow and that then the real work of the congress will begin. Tomorrow will be the first day for the introduction of resolutions.

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SALEM, OR., Aug. 17.—(Special)—As a result of opinions handed down today by the Supreme Court, Edward Hugh Martin will have to go to the penitentiary for killing Nathan Wolff, the Portland pawnbroker. B. F. Gerber, a Portland jeweler, agreed to serve two years for obtaining money under false pretenses; Charles H. Walsworth and Norval Walsworth, Jackson County men, who have served a year and a half in the penitentiary for killing James Mankin, will get a new trial and various other matters are finally determined.

In the Martin case, Justice Slater holds that the indictment is sufficient, in the following language: "The language employed is substantially the same as that authorized by the code, which has been repeatedly sanctioned by this court."

Other cases were decided as follows:

In an opinion by Justice King, the case of Isabella Taylor vs. Moses Taylor, an appeal from Umatilla County, is reversed, and remanded. Judge H. J. Bear presided in the trial court. This was an action for money.

In the case of August Zueske vs. Emma Zueske, appealed from Umatilla County, Judge Bear, the decision was re-

versed. The opinion of the court is written by Justice Eakin, and a dissenting opinion by Justice King.

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On George and Neil Layton vs. August Peterson, Bertha Peterson, J. N. Hunter and W. H. Staats, appeal from Cook County, Illinois, Judge reversed. Opinion by Justice Slater.

State of Oregon vs. J. H. Miller, appeal from Grant County, George E. Davis, Judge, affirmed. The Justices held that the defendant was convicted of peddling drugs without a license.

Jesse L. Marshall vs. Edith Munroe, ap-

peal from Washington County, Circuit Judge T. A. McBride, motion for rehearing de-

nied. Opinion by Justice King.

Joseph R. Ross vs. Portland Lumber Company, appeal from Multnomah County, Judge Thomas O'Day, motion for rehearing de-

nied. State of Oregon vs. R. A. McDonald, State Land Board and others, appeal from Union County, Judge J. W. Knowles, per curiam; motion denied.

### QUALITY QUEEN TO BE SOLD WITH THEATER MAGNATE'S VALUABLE STEEDS.

John W. Considine, the Seattle theater magnate, will dispose of his entire string of thoroughbreds and replace them with automobiles. All his blue-ribbon bearers, eight in number, together with the entire contents of his show stables, including carriages, harness, saddles and all appurtenances, will be sold under the hammer at public auction and without reserve to the highest bidder Saturday afternoon, August 21, at the Green Room of the Western Washington Fair Association, Lakewood, Seattle. All of the thoroughbreds to go up for hammer have lengthy breeding pedigrees and have received many ribbons in various horse shows held on the Pacific Coast in recent years. The reputation gained by several of the equines has not been confined to the Pacific seaboard. In the string to be sold are four well-known winners of Englishtrophies. Sunshine, a chestnut mare, holds English honors, and Belle Brandon, The Tsar, Quaker Maid, Dorothea, Black Diamond, Miniature Forest King and Quality Queen are also prize winners.

machinery for the mine. These two miles are within a few miles of Gold Hill.

The Corporal G. has been showing good ore; the Braden, one of the oldest and most reliable paying propositions in the district, will soon be in full operation, and with the established mines going, new ones will be opened up, and Gold Hill district will once more come to its own as a mining center.

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