

PIONEER AMERICAN BUSINESS DEAD

Consuelo of Manchester Was Daughter of Antonio Yznaga del Valle.

KING AND QUEEN FRIENDS

Among First of American Girls to Wed Title—Beautiful, Talented, She Ruled Favorite Both in London and Abroad.

LONDON, Nov. 20.—Consuelo, Dowager-Duchess of Manchester, died early this (Saturday) morning of heart failure following an attack of neuritis.

She had been ill for some time from neuritis, but recently complications developed. She was living in her London residence and was attended by Sir Alfred Phipps, M. D., surgeon to King Edward.

At her bedside were Lady Lister-Kaye and Miss Emily Yznaga, of New York, her sister.

In her illness King Edward frequently made inquiries concerning her condition.

The Dowager-Duchess of Manchester was the daughter of Antonio Yznaga del Valle, of Ravenswood, La., and Cuba. After the Crimean War, Yznaga, having lost most of his fortune, moved North and Consuelo became a prominent figure in the social life of New York City.

Her wedding in May, 1876, to the Viscount Mandeville was a brilliant affair and one of the first alliances of American girls with foreigners.

At the death of the seventh Duke of Manchester, in 1890, Viscount Mandeville assumed the title of his father, and Consuelo Yznaga became the eighth Duchess of Manchester. A son and twin daughters were the fruit of the union, and in 1892, at the death of his father, Consuelo's son became Duke.

He married Miss Helena Zimmerman, of Cincinnati, in 1890, and Consuelo became the Dowager-Duchess. Her two daughters died in young womanhood.

For many years the Dowager-Duchess was a great social favorite in London and on the continent. King Edward and Queen Alexandra were her constant friends.

HOME HERE OPEN TO BOY

Portland Man Would Adopt Lad Who Dug Mother's Grave.

COLORADO SPRINGS, Colo., Nov. 18.—(Special.)—A home, with the comforts of life, awaits little Dick Swinford, at Portland, Or., if the authorities will permit the boy to go there. Dick is heart-broken over the death of his mother, whose grave he dug at Colorado City several weeks ago.

Mother and son had lived in poverty in a tent at Manitou, and Dick, who is 11 years old, had struggled manfully to combat the disease which finally claimed the frail woman.

The story that Dick had dug the grave with his own hand was published far and wide, with the result that Michael Anderson, said to be a well-to-do citizen of Portland, Or., has written to Mayor Avery, of this city, offering to adopt the boy.

BLAST KILLS, MEN FLEE

Survivors Run Away Without Trying to Recover Comrade's Body.

VANCOUVER, B. C., Nov. 18.—(Special.)—By a premature blast at Little Moufftain reservoir, south of Vancouver, yesterday afternoon, Joseph Batroglis was blown to pieces and three fellow-workmen narrowly escaped destruction. One of these will probably lose an eye.

The others escaped with bruises. All were blown many feet. The three comparatively uninjured men, after regaining their feet, ran a Marathon race into the city without stopping to see what had happened to their comrade.

PLUM PUDDING BROUGHT

Steamer From Mexico Comes Loaded With Christmas Cheer.

VANCOUVER, Wash., Nov. 18.—(Special.)—The steamer Leticia, which arrived at Victoria last night from Mexico, brought one hold full of wine and spirits and plum pudding for the Christmas trade, this cargo amounting to about 200 tons.

Her decks were heavily weighted down with large iron girders and in one hold was 500 tons of salt to be used for curing herring on this coast. The Leticia felt the stiff gale in the straits last night which did considerable damage in Seattle.

WICKERSHAM HAS A BILL

(Continued From First Page.) regulations that impose undue burdens on shippers.

"By providing that the Commission may proceed either on its own motion or upon complaint filed with it.

Compel Through Routing. "By specifically empowering the Commission, on the application of one carrier or of an individual or at the instance of the Commission itself, to compel connecting carriers to unite in forming a through route and in fixing the rate and the apportionment thereof among the carriers.

"By providing that it shall be lawful for carriers to unite in fixing a rate, providing the same be filed and published, the question of the reasonableness of such rate to be subject to the other provisions of the act in like manner as any other filed and published rates, agreement, however, not to amount to a contract to maintain the rate for any given time, but each party to have the right to withdraw from or alter such rate.

"By specifically empowering the commission to prescribe regulations under which shippers shall have the privilege of designating the route over which shipments shall be carried.

"By providing that no railroad company shall acquire stock in any competing company, and, possibly, that no railroad company engaged in interstate commerce shall hold stock in a competing railroad.

"By providing that no railroad company engaged in interstate commerce shall issue any additional stock or bonds except with the approval of the commission and for a price not less than par for stock, and not less than the reasonable market value for bonds.

"These modifications in the act would, it is believed, make it an effective measure to obtain reasonable rates and fairness of practice in the operation of interstate railroad lines." Sherman Law Not Understood.

Mr. Wickersham, in speaking of the Sherman anti-trust law, said that no statute was so generally misunderstood. The speaker said the great purpose to be borne in mind in connection with this and similar legislation is always the preservation of the freedom of trade.

"No doubt," said he, "the Sherman act is sufficiently comprehensive to destroy such monopolies as the holding corporation, but at the same time that the National Government forges a weapon to destroy abuses, it must provide a substitute for these legitimate enterprises that are equally dependent for their existence upon the system abolished.

"Such a law should provide for the organization and management of trading corporations. It should protect the corporations organized under it from undue interference by state authorities, subjecting its real and personal property only to such taxation as is imposed by the state upon other similar property located therein; and it should require it to file complete reports of its operations with the bureau of corporations or some other similar office.

"Such corporations should be prohibited from acquiring or holding stock of other corporations."

Dr. Wise on Municipal Reforms. Dr. Stephen D. Wise, rabbi of the Free Synagogue of New York, spoke on municipal reforms. He said in part: "The reform effort, as a matter of continuous and ceaseless striving. The civic reform will not be attained if municipalities grow tired after a few years of the reform effort, as San Francisco has grown tired. Leaders of the cause of civic reform, like the churches, spend too much time and strength in fighting each other instead of united warfare upon the common enemy."

STETSON CHURCH TALKED

WHAT EXCOMMUNICATED LEADER WILL DO, UNKNOWN. Still Member of New York Body 'ut Has Resigned From Board of Trustees.

NEW YORK, Nov. 19.—Mrs. Augusta E. Stetson, excommunicated Christian Scientist leader of this city, has secluded herself, following the action taken against her by the Mother Church in Boston, and just what will be the outcome of matters in the First Church of Christ, Scientist, of which she was formerly the dominant figure, is problematical.

Trustees of the church met today but took no official action in her case. There is much talk of a new church, being organized, with Mrs. Stetson at the head, but there is nothing authoritative.

Although dropped by the Mother Church, Mrs. Stetson is not barred from the New York institution, whether she will be dropped is to be decided. She is still a member of the board of trustees of the local church and although it is understood she has tendered her resignation, it was not acted upon today.

DOG SHOT, GIVES CHASE

Bruno's Life Sacrificed in Pursuit of Horse Thieves.

ELIZABETH, N. J., Nov. 18.—In a battle with horse thieves, Bruno, the fine St. Bernard dog belonging to Henry Boardman, a grocer at Westfield, and Walnut street, Roselle Park, sacrificed his life. The thieves had taken Boardman's delivery wagon from the stable and were hitching the horse to it, when Bruno attacked them.

The thieves shot the animal and then made their escape, just as Boardman, aroused by the shooting, appeared on the scene. The animal pursued the thieves for half a block, when he collapsed from loss of blood. In order to relieve the dog's dying agony, Boardman fired a bullet in its brain, which was fatal.

Bruno was the pet of the neighborhood and his untimely fate is sincerely mourned.

RADER ACCUSED OF FRAUD

Ex-Member of Legislature Charged With Directing Land Lottery.

SEATTLE, Wash., Nov. 19.—Charged with conducting a land lottery an accretion and manager of the Sound Pacific Land Company, a \$100,000 corporation, L. E. Rader, who served as a member of the State Legislature from 1894 until 1898, representing districts in Pierce and Kitsap Counties, was arrested today by a Deputy Sheriff. His bond was fixed at \$1200, which he was unable to furnish.

His office here the Sound Pacific Land Company flooded Seattle and the entire western half of the state with circulars announcing a gigantic land drawing by which 1500 acres of land in the Chehalis Valley, near Elma, Wash., was to be placed on the market.

CRISIS HERE, SAYS LEADER

John Redmond Declares New Era Has Dawned for Ireland.

NEW YORK, Nov. 19.—John Redmond, leader of the Nationalists in the British House of Commons, today called T. P. O'Connor, who is here in the interest of the Irish cause, declaring that the greatest constitutional struggle in England in the last two centuries had begun.

"No such opportunity has been offered Ireland to strike for liberty since Gratton moved for the Declaration of Independence," says Mr. Redmond in his cable thanking the Irish-Americans through Mr. O'Connor for their contributions to the cause.

O'Connor said today that he had been able to send Mr. Redmond \$20,000 in cash and that between \$20,000 and \$30,000 more had been pledged.

COPPER COMPANIES RICH

Earning Power of Properties of Combine Is \$25,000,000.

NEW YORK, Nov. 19.—Consideration of the earning power of the various copper properties which may enter the proposed copper combine was given today by financiers.

It was stated that the earning power of the companies concerned is between \$25,000,000 and \$30,000,000 based on 15-cent copper.

Thomas Dimmock, Critic, Dead at 79. ST. LOUIS, Nov. 19.—Thomas Dimmock, veteran journalist and critic, is dead here, aged 79.

Today is positively the last day for discount on East Side gas bills. Read "Gas Tips."

RESPECTABILITY IS WHAT LOEB WANTS

Collector Says He Is in Midst of Greatest Shakeup in History of Customs.

73 MORE EMPLOYES GO

James A. Vail, Deputy Collector, Among Ousted, and Says He Has Been Made Scapegoat. 104 in All Dismissed.

NEW YORK, Nov. 19.—"We are in the midst of the greatest shake-up in the history of the United States customs department," said William Loeb, Jr., Collector of the Port of New York, tonight, when shown Secretary MacVeagh's summary of the work thus far accomplished in cleaning up the New York Custom-House.

"More employees have been dismissed from the New York service since I took charge than in the entire previous history of the service, and we are not through. We are going to keep at it until the New York Custom-House is made thoroughly respectable."

Among those dismissed today was James A. Vail, deputy collector. "I have been made the scapegoat," said Vail. "Not only have I been absolutely faithful to the Government for the 22 years I have been in the service, but it is a known fact that while I was at the head of the weighing department, I ferreted out the original frauds."

Mr. Loeb today announced the removal from the customs service of 73 employees and attaches of the weighing and other divisions of the customs service here.

The collector stated, since March 9 last, he day he took office, he had removed from the service for irregularities in the weighing department, 18 other officials, six of whom are now under indictment. In other branches of the service he has removed for cause 35 officials, making the total number of removals from the service since March 4, 73.

SUGAR INQUIRY THOROUGH

Attorney-General Declares Government Will Punish All.

KANSAS CITY, Mo., Nov. 19.—Attorney-General George W. Wickersham, who will be the guest of honor at the annual John Jay Treaty banquet of the Commercial Club tonight, arrived here today. Discussing the Government's attitude in the investigation of alleged sugar customs frauds, the Attorney-General said:

"The object is two-fold. We are going to recover as far as possible all the back duties due the Government and we are to ascertain who are guilty of frauds, wherever they may be, in order that they may be punished.

"A manufacturer or a malfeasor and anybody who is found to be implicated in any fraud against the Government will be prosecuted, no matter how high up he may be."

MACVEAGH GIVES OUT NEWS

Secretary of Treasury Announces Changes in Customs Service.

WASHINGTON, Nov. 19.—The elimination from the customs service of Acting Deputy Surveyor James Vail, the abolition of that office in the New York Custom-House, the dismissal of 104 men and demotion of 122 other men at New York from March 4 up to last night, together with about a score of other changes included in Collector Loeb's statement today from New York, were announced by Secretary MacVeagh tonight.

Yegmen Secure \$1600.

DES MOINES, Ia., Nov. 19.—Two masked men dynamited the safe in the Bank of Allman, near here, early today, obtaining \$1600 and escaped.

MAN KILLS HIS GIRL-WIFE

Roadhouse Scene of Tragedy— Husband Cries Self-Defense.

BAKERSFIELD, Cal., Nov. 19.—Charles Thompson, the 17-year-old wife of Ruth Thompson, who was shot by him at the Cottage Roadhouse, near this city, last night, because she would not return to him, died this morning.

Frank Newton, who attempted to act as peacemaker and was fatally wounded, is expected to live only a few hours. Thompson, in jail, declares he fired in self-defense.

Catarrh

Whether it is of the nose, throat, stomach, bowels, or more delicate organs, catarrh is always debilitating and should have attention.

The discharge from the mucous membrane is because this is kept in a state of inflammation by an impure condition of the blood. Therefore, to cure, take the best blood purifier,

Hood's Sarsaparilla

In usual liquid form or chocolate tablets known as Sarsatabs. 100 doses \$1.

The doctor says you have got to take Cod Liver Oil—if so, why not take it in the easiest and best form—why not take

Scott's Emulsion

That is what the doctor means. He would not force you to take the crude oil when he knows the Emulsion is better—more easily digested and absorbed into the system—and will not upset the stomach like the plain oil.

FOR SALE BY ALL DRUGGISTS

Send 10c. name of paper and this ad. for our beautiful Savings Bank and Child's Sketch-Book. Each book contains a Good Luck Penny.

SCOTT & BOWNE, 409 Pearl St., New York

GREAT JEWELRY SALE TODAY Lipman-Wolfe & Co GREAT UNDERWEAR SALE TODAY

SATURDAY--Last Day Cloak Dept. Sale



Every Garment Reduced in Price

—Unprecedented, has been our business in the Cloak Department the past week. This sale was patronized by more women than any sale ever conducted by this firm.

—Unlike most sales the interest never lagged, but, day after day, increased. Yesterday was no exception. Our department has been crowded from morning to night, taxing the cleverness of our salespeople to handle this enormous trade.

—For Saturday, the last day of this great sale, we have made preparations for disposing of many unsold lines in new suits, new coats, new military capes and new misses' apparel. IMMENSE BARGAINS AWAIT THE SATURDAY SHOPPER.

—THE SCHOOL GIRL AND MISS unable to attend this sale during the week will find bargains in many pretty stylish misses' suits and capes in youthful, girlish models, designed especially for them.

JUNIOR SUITS, SORORITY SUITS and Military Capes all specially reduced for Saturday.

Xmas Sale of Handkerchiefs, Buy Now

—Purchased under the most favorable market conditions our stock of Handkerchiefs was secured with the utmost care. Imported long before the tariff took effect from the most representative foreign manufacturers. THIS YEAR WE ARE ABLE TO OFFER THEM AT PRICES IMPOSSIBLE ELSEWHERE.

—Every known want from the child's cheap, plain cambric handkerchiefs to the most exquisite hand-embroidered Madeira, Princess and Duchess Lace. Beautiful initial handkerchiefs in many designs. Appenzelle, Armenian, Amriswyle hand-embroidered styles. In offering this enormous importation of foreign handkerchiefs to our customers we make sharp reductions from our regular prices as an inducement to early Christmas buyers.

75c Values at 47c Box —500 boxes of Ladies' Swiss Embroidered Handkerchiefs. Three in a box. Just the thing for Christmas gifts.

\$1 Values at 83c a Box —250 boxes of Ladies' Swiss Embroidered Handkerchiefs. Four in a pretty holiday box. Exceptional values.

\$3.50 Values \$2.78 Box —150 boxes of Ladies' Extra Fine Quality Swiss Embroidered Handkerchiefs. Six in a box.

\$2.25 Values \$1.87 Box —Ladies' Linen and Swiss Embroidered Handkerchiefs. Six in a box.

\$1.75 Values \$1.37 Box —6 specially selected Ladies' Swiss Embroidered Handkerchiefs in a pretty holiday box.

25c Child's Handkerchiefs 19c Box —Children's White or Colored Border Hemstitched Handkerchiefs, with any initial. Three in a box.

25c Handkerchiefs 15c Box —Good grade White Hemstitched Cambric Handkerchiefs for children. Three in a box.

50c Handkerchiefs at 35c —Best grade Children's Colored Border Cambric Handkerchiefs. Four in a pretty box. Our holiday exceptional value.

17c Handkerchiefs at 12c —1000 dozen Ladies' Swiss Scalloped and Hemstitched Handkerchiefs, in hundreds of designs.

1000 Rich Plumes at \$1.19 Special at \$10.95 —1000 black 15-inch rich Ostrich Feather Plumes. Very full. Very finest quality.

\$3.50 Plumes \$2.19 Special at \$13.95 —400 perfect richest black. Wide flue Ostrich Plumes with French curl. 18 inches long.

\$6.50 Ostrich Plumes at \$4.19 —400 extra wide African stock, long Ostrich Plumes. Worth \$6.50.

\$10.00 Ostrich Plumes for \$7.23 —Exceptionally fine, rich, full plumes, with 9-inch wide flue. Extra large.

\$12.50 Plumes \$8.45 Special at \$37.50 —Beautiful long black French Plumes, with flues fully 10 inches wide, in extra long lengths.

500 Pyrography Outfits, Reg. \$1.50 at 95c 1000 Wood Panels, Assorted Designs 7c An Assortment of Panels, Special . 17c Assorted Large Panels, Special . . 23c 1000 Glove Boxes, Special . . 14c-23c 1000 Handkerchief Boxes, Spe. 14-23c

—Ladies' full 16-inch Hand-embroidered Initial Handkerchiefs. Six in a box. Ladies' Emb. Initials 65c —Many pretty floral and conventional designs in ladies' hand-hemstitched and hand-embroidered initials, specially priced for annual sale. Ladies' Emb. Initials 50c —Several exclusive patterns of ladies' hand-embroidered initials in this lot. Ladies' Initial Handkerchiefs 35c —1000 dozen Ladies' Initial Handkerchiefs, on heavy and sheer cloth. Several designs to select from. Ladies' Initials at 7c-12c-17c-25c —Thousands of dozens of Ladies' Initial Handkerchiefs. Positively the best values ever offered. Hand-Made Madeiras 65c-\$7.50 —We were never better prepared than at present time to supply your every demand for this popular style. Our line of Madeira hand-made effects is to be seen in hundreds of patterns. Real Lace Handkerchiefs \$2.25 —We show many pretty patterns in real hand-made Princess and Duchesse Lace Handkerchiefs. Each in a pretty holiday gift box. Mourning Kerchiefs 20c-35c-75c —We have the very best values in 1/8 and 1/4-inch hemstitched sheer and heavy cloth Mourning Bordered Handkerchiefs to be found in the city.