

GATES MANSION WORK IS HALTED

New York Contractors of \$1,000,000 Minneapolis Home Stop Labor.

WIDOW TO BE CONSULTED

Though Young Multimillionaire Reported to Be Worth \$20,000,000, Father's Will Held Him Much in Check—Relatives Aided.

MINNEAPOLIS, Minn., Oct. 29.—Work on the \$1,000,000 mansion which the late Charles C. Gates was erecting here was stopped today on orders from the general contractor in New York.

The building was intended by Mr. Gates to house the magnificent art collection left him by his father, the late John W. Gates, and which now is stored in New York.

Father-in-law Gets Fine Home. This home was the one which young Gates decided to build for his second bride, after constructing for his father-in-law, Frank P. Hopwood, a \$300,000 mansion nearby.

It was given out today that young Gates had given much of his riches in the last year to needy relatives all over the country, as well as giving many of them positions of trust.

Will Names Women. It is said he made out a will soon after his marriage in Uniontown, Pa., with Miss Hopwood, of this city, two years ago, in which the greater portion of his personal wealth was left to his wife and his mother, to whom he was especially devoted.

Gates' second marriage was the result of a romance begun in West Baden, Ind., where Gates had gone for his health, and where Miss Hopwood had traveled from here with her mother, also in search of health.

Mr. Gates' body is expected to pass through here tomorrow, on a special train, arriving in New York on Friday. The funeral will be held at the Methodist Episcopal Church at 2:30 o'clock next Sunday.

Mr. Gates will be buried beside his father in Woodlawn cemetery. Because the mausoleum erected by the Gates family is still in process of construction, the body will be placed temporarily in the family vault.

Both Mrs. John W. Gates and Mrs. Gates are said to be prostrated with grief and are being cared for by the family physician in New York.

Mr. Gates had an aversion to "society," and it was on this account, he once said, that his first wife divorced him in 1911.

DELAYS AITCHISON'S TOPIC Oregon Railroad Commissioner Attends Washington Conference.

OREGONIAN NEWS BUREAU, Washington, Oct. 29.—State Railroad Commissioner Aitchison, of Oregon, who is here attending the annual conference of the State Railroad Commissioners, yesterday read the report of the committee on delays attending enforcing the orders of railroad commissioners, he being chairman of that committee.

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A decision on the question probably will be reached tomorrow. The committee will proceed to develop both the regional and the central bank plan so far as possible along parallel lines until each is perfected, so far as the committee can agree. Then the vote will be taken on the two plans.

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"KIDNAPING" CASES FAIL

WOMEN PHILANTHROPISTS NOT TO BE PROSECUTED.

Action in Arranging to Place Children of Strikers in Homes Declared Misunderstood.

DUBLIN, Oct. 29.—The dropping of the prosecution of Mrs. Lucille Rand, daughter of Henry T. Gage, of California, and Mrs. Dora Montefiore, a London philanthropist, virtually was decided today when the case against them on a charge of kidnaping came up before a police magistrate here.

FEDERAL COUNSEL ROW CALIFORNIA BLACKMAIL CASE CAUSES RESIGNATION.

LOS ANGELES, Oct. 29.—The blackmail charges that resulted in the arrest of Attorney Stevens and McKelvey on Federal warrants caused a quarrel and a resignation in the United States District Attorney's office here today.

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