

STAKES AS CASH ON JOHN STORY

St. Louis Preacher Refuses to Pay Unless College Teaches It.

BACKED BY PROFESSOR

College Accused of Heresy in Denying Story Sues for Donation. McGarvey Says Every Word in the Bible is True.

LEXINGTON, Ky., June 8.—(Special.)—President J. W. McGarvey, of the Bible College of the Kentucky University, not only justified Rev. S. A. Hoffman, of St. Louis, in his refusal to pay a \$1000 contribution to the Missouri Bible College, but upholds him in his criticism of the University of Chicago. On this point he says: "As for the University of Chicago, I think that it reports about that school as true. Mr. Rockefeller would be justifying in reclaiming the money he has donated to the University. For several years it has been reported to be a hotbed of infidelity."

Every Word of Bible True. "As I understand the case from the papers, Dr. Hoffman declined to pay the note because he believes the Bible College is not teaching the doctrine it should to the young men being prepared by the institution to enter the Christian ministry. If all allegations are true, then I think he is correct in his contention, for there is no doubt that the Bible, every word of it, is true, and no Christian minister should preach any other kind of doctrine."

"In the story in the papers it is said that the court would have difficulty in producing a witness to prove that the whole swallowed Jonah, but I will take for my witness our Saviour. If you will look at Matt. xii:41, you will see that Jesus said:

Jonah Indorsed by Jesus. "As Jonah was in the bowels of the whale three days and nights, so will be the Son of Man in the bowels of the earth three days and nights. If Jonah is repudiated, then Jesus Christ must be repudiated, but he is as good a witness as I want. Our Bible college teaches that the Bible is as good a witness as I want. Our Bible college teaches that the Bible is as good a witness as I want."

Survey Oregon Placers. Bourne Urges Geological Survey to Study Goldbearing Gravel.

OREGONIAN NEWS BUREAU, Washington, June 8.—Senator Bourne has been urging the director of the geological survey to make a comprehensive study of those regions of Oregon supposed to contain gold-bearing gravels. There appears to be no doubt whatever that there are numerous gold deposits in the state which, if properly studied, would render handsome returns on investments. But these placer fields have not been carefully studied in many instances and little is known as to their extent or the quality of the gold deposits.

GET THEIR HANDS HARD. Norfolk Business Men Weld Shovels at Jamestown Fair.

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THE DAY'S HORSE RACES

Daruma Wins Mile-and-50-Yard Go in 1:41 4-5.

SAN FRANCISCO, June 8.—Oakland results: Mile and sixteenth, selling—Lord of the Dance, second; Kermit second; Realty, third; time, 1:40 3-5.

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At Gravesend. NEW YORK, June 8.—Gravesend results: Mile and sixteenth—Saylor won, Herman second, Rio Grande third; time, 1:47 1-5.

Greater New York steeplechase, about two and one-half miles—Ed Chubbuck won, Rocket second, Dick Shaw third; time, 4:57.

At Louisville. LOUISVILLE, Ky., June 8.—The 50-day meeting of the Louisville Jockey Club came to a close today. Results:

Six furlongs—Bozerian won, Blaze of Light second, Telescope third; time, 1:15 2-5.

Escape in Night-Clothes. Dredge Seattle Burns in Drydock at Naples, Cal.

LOS ANGELES, June 8.—The steam dredge Seattle, belonging to the Atlantic Gulf & Pacific Dredging Company of San Francisco, caught fire in drydock at Naples last night from an explosion of oil and was burned to the water's edge, with a loss of \$150,000. There was no insurance.

THAW TRIAL DRAMATIZED. Produced at Cheap London Theater by Actor and Author.

LONDON, June 8.—(Special.)—London has seen its first Thaw drama. It was not honored by a West End production, as seven plays of American origin have been presented on two consecutive nights at the Castle Theater, Brentford, a cheap house attached to a fourth-rate hotel in a grimy, manufacturing suburb.

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NOT THE SAME GIRL

Identity of Dead Bertha Beilstein Disputed.

Fortune Hangs on Point

Eastern Claimants Say Real Heiress Went to Europe, but Brother Says She Is Dead—Story of the Escape From the Asylum.

LOS ANGELES, June 8.—The body of Bertha Beilstein, the young woman who died in this city under the name of Olga Miller, and who escaped from a Pennsylvania insane asylum, where she had been confined after killing her mother, is being guarded by police officers day and night. Telegraphic advices received from the East today indicate an intention to dispute the identity of the body, it being said that the real Bertha Beilstein sailed for Europe one week after she is said to have died in this city.

Flight from Insane Asylum. Man Who Helped Her Tells of Bertha Beilstein's Wanderings.

CHICAGO, June 8.—In connection with the death at Los Angeles, Cal., of Bertha Beilstein, who killed her mother in Allegheny, Pa., in October, 1899, and escaped from Dixmont Asylum for the Insane, where she was confined in October, 1906, Edmund W. Wander, of Chicago, last night said:

"I aided Miss Beilstein while she was in Chicago, and so purely out of friendship of the family, I nursed her as a child, and she wrote me many pathetic letters from the Allegheny County Jail right after she killed her mother, in October, 1899. She also wrote me from the insane asylum at Dixmont, Pa. 'She escaped from the asylum between October 19 and last, and reached my mother's house. She was drenched through with rain. My mother gave her a hot bath and she remained there for two days. Fred Beilstein, her brother, my brother Alfred and I together raised \$100 and sent her to Los Angeles, Cal. At Los Angeles she remained in the relative of mine until they came back to Chicago. Then she got a place as dining-room girl at the Roslyn Hotel, and earned \$20 per month. After a time she wrote us that Richard Hardy wanted to marry her. She said she told him her full life's history. We advised her to wait."

FLED DOWN THE FIRE-ESCAPE. Bertha Beilstein's Crime Due to Spiritualist Delusion.

PITTSBURG, June 8.—Bertha Beilstein escaped from the hospital for the insane at Dixmont, near here, on the night of September 21. She had been in inmate for eight years. It was learned she went down a fire escape. As no trace was found of her afterward, it was reported she had been taken away by two men in a carriage. She was classed by Dr. Hutchinson, the superintendent of the institution, as a degenerate and a married woman. Shortly after the escape two of the women attendants were discharged.

MORE LOSS IN THE BAY CITY. Fire Destroys \$200,000 Worth of Property in Rebuilt District.

SAN FRANCISCO, June 8.—Fire which broke out shortly after 11 o'clock tonight on Bryant street, between Seventeenth and Eighteenth, did damage estimated at \$200,000. The fire started in a stable, and although five alarms were turned in and a large portion of the fire department was on hand in a few minutes, the Franklin Grammar School, the Yosemite Flour Mills, a lodging-house and the wholesale houses of the Customs Seed Company and the San Francisco Paste Company plant were destroyed before the flames were under control.

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WOMEN ON THE ROAD

Interesting Experiences of a Fair Traveling Agent.

Eleanor C. Davidson in Chicago Tribune. Do women make good traveling "salesmen"? At the present time they emphatically do not.

There is a field for them? One of the biggest fields in the world? "I have had six years of experience as a traveling salesman." During those six years I have come to the conclusion that if women would train themselves in a big plant that pettinous of equal men, and in many lines would outstrip them. I have figured that at the present time there is room for 10,000 women traveling agents in the United States, and I wonder why don't women fill the positions?

Because, unlike men, they rely too much upon their sex; they don't work hard; they don't begin right; they don't learn their own business. A woman who has an ambition to become a "traveling man" should become thoroughly acquainted with the line she intends to represent. I have found that pettinous of considerable weight in securing trade, but knowledge must accompany them. The agent, woman or man, must be able to talk his or her goods.

Once I was in a small Illinois town. I was talking paint to the dealer when a local painter was standing near. The painter, who made his own paints, took offense at my talk and butted in with a lot of remarks which I could see were influencing the dealer, to whom I had never sold. Finally I turned on the painter and with some wrath said: "I'll wager you \$10 I can take a can of my paint and do a better job of patting than you can with this stuff you're talking about. Mr. — (referring to the dealer) can be the judge."

HARRIMAN WILL ESCAPE

Wall Street Men Rely on Statute of Limitations.

NEW YORK, June 8.—The decision of the Federal authorities not to institute criminal proceedings against E. H. Harriman in connection with his railroad operations was the principal subject of discussion on Wall Street today. Mr. Harriman spent the day at his country home, and his associates would not discuss the matter for publication.

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LONG FIGHT IN PROSPECT

Gould Trial Comes Up in Fall—Wife Claims Hugo Sun.

NEW YORK, June 8.—Both Delaney Nicoll and Clarence J. Shearn, opposing counsel in Mrs. Gould's suit against her husband for separation, are devoting their time to preparing briefs to be submitted to Justice McCall on Monday, when Mr. Nicoll's application to have certain allegations in Mrs. Gould's complaint stricken out on the ground that they are irrelevant and scandalous, will be heard. Justice McCall will take the brief under consideration and announce his decision later in the week.

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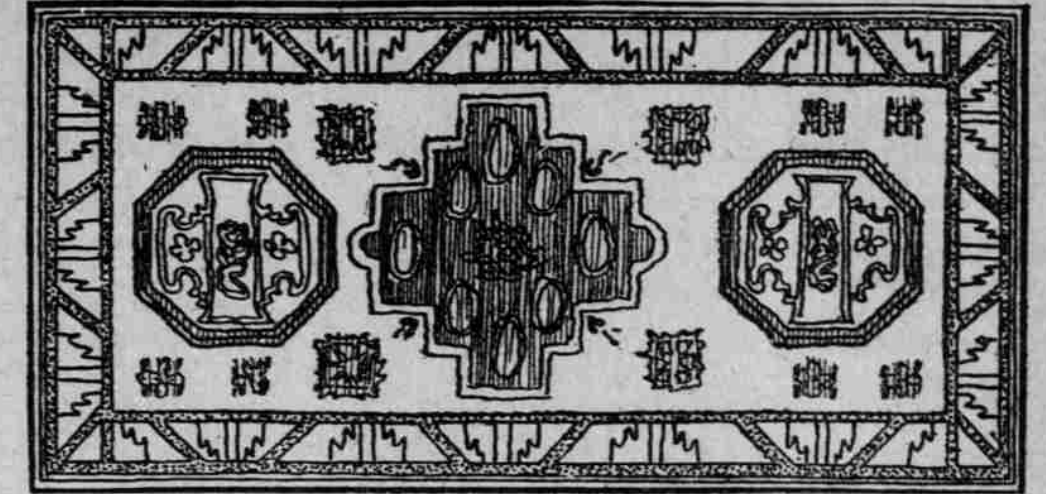
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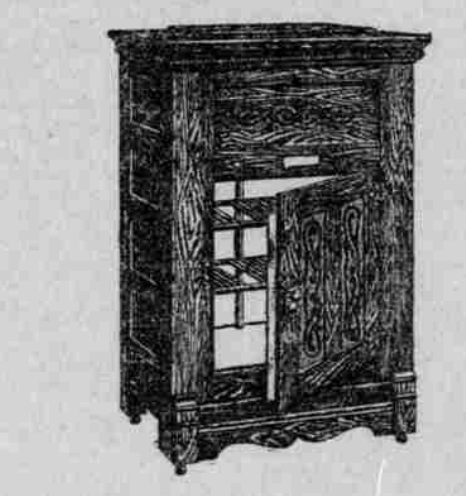
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LIGHTNING PLAYS FREAK

Camera Attached to Kite Struck, Operators on Ground Stunned.

DENVER, June 8.—George S. Spear and M. C. Weimer, both of Chicago, were struck by a bolt of lightning north of this city this afternoon and badly shocked. Both men were stunned but will recover.

STOP NATURAL GAS COMPANIES.

INDIANAPOLIS, June 8.—Four decrees, closing natural gas properties in this state and Ohio amounting to almost \$5,000,000 were entered in the United States Circuit Court this afternoon by attorneys representing the Central Trust Company of New York. The foreclosures result from failure of the gas supply. The losses sustained will be pro-rated among the bondholders.

RECEIVER FOR HARVESTER COMPANY.

SPRINGFIELD, O., June 8.—Application was made in Common Pleas Court here today for a receiver for the Farmers' Co-operative Harvesting Machine Company. The company is capitalized at \$500,000 and was organized three years ago by William N. Whitely, the well-known agricultural implement manufacturer. The complainant is a stockholder, who alleges the financial condition of the company is disturbed.

TOM REED'S BIRTHPLACE.

Kennebec Journal. The birthplace of the late Speaker Reed, which is about to be torn down, is in the heart of Portland's Italian quarter, and is now a tenement, swarming with sons and daughters of sunny Italy. How much they are impressed with the greatness of their surroundings was shown last week when a visitor, desiring to get a look at the celebrated statesman's birthplace,

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Advertisement for Dent's Toothache Gum and Coffee. Includes an illustration of a woman and a child. Text: DENT'S Toothache Gum. The best name for coffee is one that tells where the money's to come from, if you don't like it.