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WOMEN AND CURRENT TOPICS.

A PROMINENT "ladies weekly" published in London complains that "this season there's nothing to write about."

The cultivated and thoughtful women of England doubtless resent the statement. Certainly American women, whether of the suffragist or anti-suffragist sisterhood, would consider it an insult and libel.

Nothing to write about? Is there anything human that is alien to the modern woman? Are not the topics which clamor for space in "men's papers" also topics of interest to women?

The world was never more various and exciting than it is today. Topics? The cable and telegraph and telephone bring them to the live office by the score.

CONTRACTORS ARE BUSY.

Fourteen Firms Bid on Construction of Coos Bay Line.

PORTLAND, Ore., Nov. 21.—Activity of railroad contractors in the Northwest is more marked right now than for many years, as is evidenced by the numerous construction firms that bid on the Eugene-Coos Bay line work.

It is probable that a contract for another portion of the Eugene-Coos Bay road will be let early in the spring.

The San Francisco office of the Southern Pacific, under Mr. Hood's direction, will have complete charge of the Coos Bay line work.

COAL STRIKE SETTLED

Several Thousand Miners to Resume Work at Fernie

FERNIE, B. C., Nov. 21.—The mines at Coal creek were in operation yesterday for the first time since April. Five hundred men are employed clearing up preparatory to the employment of a normal force of several thousand men.

Have your calling cards printed at The Times' office.

TO KEEP MILL SLOUGH OPEN

Major Morrow Grants Permission to Fill Flat If Waterway Is Kept Navigable.

That Mill Slough is a navigable waterway and shall be so maintained is the gist of a letter from Major Morrow of the United States Engineering Department at Portland to Engineer Leeffe giving permission for the dredge to fill the sawdust district.

Mr. Leeffe says that now all the people in that district who are desirous of having their property filled at the same time the streets are being filled have to do it to take the matter up with City Engineer Gidley. Mr. Leeffe will turn the whole matter over to Mr. Gidley, that is so far as distributing the dredgings is concerned.

Major Morrow's letter to Mr. Leeffe is as follows:

Replying to your letter of the 14th inst., forwarding a letter from Mr. A. B. Gidley, city engineer of Marshfield, in regard to having the dredge Oregon fill certain parcels of land in Marshfield in the course of her work, I will state that there would appear to be no objection to filling the blocks described if reasonable precautions are taken to prevent the dredged soil being carried into Mill Slough to the extent of injuring navigation.

"You are authorized to make the above described fill when you come to it, and may inform Mr. Gidley that he can make his preparations to receive it. "It is understood that Mill Slough is a navigable stream and it would seem that it would be well to have the city authorities agree to restore the channel of Mill Slough at their expense by dredging should it become shoaler through the leakage of considerable mud from the dredging or through failure of any of the bulkheads."

ECHO OF DAM DISASTER

Superintendent of Pennsylvania Company Arrested

COUDERSPORT, Pa., Nov. 21.—Frederick J. Hamlin, Superintendent of the Bayliss Pulp and Paper Company, the bursting of whose dam on September thirtieth brought death and destruction to the town of Austin was arrested today on a warrant charging him with manslaughter. He came here to consult attorneys.

REFORMS IN CALIFORNIA.

Gov. Johnson Calls Special Session of Legislature.

SACRAMENTO, Cal., Nov. 21.—Governor Johnson issued today an official call for an extraordinary session of the legislature to begin November 27. Free text books, reapportionment, a presidential preference primary enactment and several amendments to the state constitution are among the subjects included in the call.

FARRING TRIAL ON.

Noted Kansas Case Opens at Lincoln Center Today.

LINCOLN CENTER, Kas., Nov. 20.—The trial of the men indicted for alleged participation in the "farringing" of Miss Mary Chamberlain, a pretty school teacher, last August, commenced here. Much sensational testimony is expected to be forthcoming.

ASK FOR REHEARING.

Harvester Trust Makes Appeal in Missouri.

JEFFERSON CITY, Mo., Nov. 20.—The International Harvester company today filed in the Supreme Court of Missouri a petition for rehearing in the recent case in which it was conditionally ousted from the state and fined fifty thousand dollars, on the charges violating the state anti-trust laws.

STATE OF OHIO, CITY OF TOLEDO, vs FRANK J. CHENEY.

FRANK J. CHENEY, defendant, that he is senior partner of the firm of F. J. Cheney & Co., doing business in the City of Toledo, County and State of Ohio, and that said firm will pay the sum of ONE HUNDRED DOLLARS for each and every case of Catarrh that cannot be cured by the use of Hall's Catarrh Cure.

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DENVER CASE STRANGE ONE

Gertrude Gibson - Patterson, Former Chicago Beauty, on Trial For Murder.

(By Associated Press to Coos Bay Times.)

DENVER, Colo., Nov. 20.—Gertrude Gibson Patterson was placed under trial today charged with the murder of her husband, Charles A. Patterson, September 25. At the time of the alleged murder, Patterson, who came here from Chicago for his health had only a fortnight or so to live. In the course of the trial attorneys for the defendant say will be unfolded the story of a sixteen year old girl whose beauty attracted the attention of the Chicago millionaire, who at his declaring his intention to wed her, sent her to Paris to be educated. On her return, the established relations which continued five years, during which they were thought by the family and friends of both to be husband and wife, it will be asserted that the millionaire finally tried of the girl, arranged with Patterson, a young Chicago broker, to marry her and Mrs. Patterson will declare her husband received fifteen hundred dollars for so doing. The unhappiness of their married life marked from the beginning with repeated attempts to force her to wring money from her former admirer, will be related by the witness.

The name of Emil Strauss, of Chicago, a wealthy clothing manufacturer, was brought into the case when Special Prosecuting Benson was examining Venreman Lewis Cohen. He asked Cohen if he was acquainted with or had had any dealings with the Chicagoan.

Mrs. Patterson will claim self-defense. She says her husband attempted her life following a quarrel, whereupon she fired two bullets into his body. She first claimed her husband shot himself.

BUSINESS MEN JURORS.

Expect to Get Jury in Denver Murder Case Today.

(By Associated Press to the Coos Bay Times.)

DENVER, Colo., Nov. 21.—With excellent prospects of securing a jury before night fall, the counsel in the Patterson murder trial today resumed the work of examining talesmen which was begun at the opening of the trial yesterday. Mrs. Gertrude Gibson Patterson will be tried by a jury of representatives composed of Denver business men.

FOUND SLAIN UNDER REFUSE

San Francisco Jewelry Clerk Killed and Robbed of Valuables.

(By Associated Press to the Coos Bay Times.)

SAN FRANCISCO, Nov. 21.—The body of Benj. A. Goodman, salesman of a local jewelry company, was found today in a heap of refuse in the gutter on Oregon Street near Front. Unset diamonds, valued at five thousand dollars, which Goodman had in his possession when he left his employer's store late Saturday afternoon, are missing. It is believed that Goodman was lured to a place near where the body was found and murdered. Two deep wounds in the head were said by examining physicians to be more than 24 hours old. The police believe that Goodman was gassed and killed Saturday night and the body was concealed until last night or early today and then removed from hiding place and stowed away under the refuse. Goodman's parents reside in Stockton, Calif. Besides other jewelry belonging to the firm, a diamond ring, valued at several hundred and a handsome gold watch and fob, the property of Goodman, are missing.

LABEL IS CHARGED

Jesse O. Drake indicted for Attacks on Judges Hamilton and Coke.

ROSEBURG, Ore., Nov. 20.—An indictment returned by the grand jury accuses Jesse O. Drake, a local laborer, in connection with writing and publishing an article in which he referred to a number of Douglas county officials—including Judge J. W. Hamilton.

The article, which is on record, and is a part of the indictment, was printed in the Portland Oregonian, on July 16, over Drake's signature, in which he attacked Judge Hamilton, Judge Coke and others in connection with the McClellan murder trial.

NOTICE TO FISHERMEN.

We want fresh salmon and are prepared to pay the highest cash price for them. For further particulars see C. G. HOCKETT, Empire City, or GEO. F. SMITH, Coos River

STATE TO PAY GIRLS' HEIRS

Washington Arranges to Make Restitution For Victims of Powder Factory.

(By Associated Press to the Coos Bay Times.)

SEATTLE, Wash., Nov. 21.—The State industrial insurance commission will pay \$8,459 to the dependents of the eight girls whose lives were lost in the fire at the plant of the Imperial Powder Company at Chehalis last month. The money will be paid in monthly installments of twenty dollars each in seven cases and of ten dollars in the eighth case. The commission has only \$700 in the powder insurance fund, but will begin monthly payments now. The commission will collect \$1,297 from the Imperial Powder company as a penalty for employing two girls under sixteen and the rest of the money will be obtained from assessments levied against the three powder companies having plants in this state. The assessments are apportioned among the powder companies according to the size of the payrolls. The Dupont Powder Co. has the most extensive plant in this state and will be called upon to contribute the largest amount towards caring for the Chehalis sufferers. It is understood that the Dupont company will fight the matter out in the courts.

SHIPS TO SANTO DOMINGO.

United States to Protect Interest on Islands.

(By Associated Press to the Coos Bay Times.)

WASHINGTON, D. C., Nov. 21.—To safeguard American interests and prevent a state of anarchy in Santo Domingo, as a result of the assassination of President Caceres, the cabinet decided today that the armored cruisers Washington and North Carolina of the Atlantic fleet should be despatched with all speed to Santo Domingo city. The vessels are now engaged with the rest of the fleet in practice off Chesapeake capes. They have been communicated with by wireless and will come into Hampton Roads and pick up Mr. Russell, the American minister, and convey him to the Dominican capital.

CARELESS ABOUT APPENDICITIS IN MARSHFIELD

Many Marshfield people have stomach or bowel trouble which is likely to turn into appendicitis. If you have constipation, sour stomach, or gas on the stomach, try simple buckthorn bark, glycerine, etc., as compounded in Adler-I-ka, the new German appendicitis remedy. Lockhart & Parsons states that A SINGLE DOSE of this simple remedy will relieve bowel or stomach trouble almost INSTANTLY.

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