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SAN FRANCISCO WOMAN HAS JEWELS WORTH \$50,000 STOLEN

Ms. Eugene De Sabla of El Serrito Victim of Hotel Robbery.

D WORN COLLECTION AT MARDI GRAS BALL

Diamonds and Pearls Taken From Chiffonier Soon After She Retired.

Associated Press to Coos Bay Times) SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 22.—The collection of diamonds and pearls, valued at fifty thousand dollars, was taken from Mrs. Eugene DeSabla in her apartments at a local hotel here yesterday morning.

ENIES COAST LINE RUMORS

Pioneer Hoey Says That it is All Newspaper Talk About Extension.

The Eugene Guard says: Asked in regard to the alleged proposed coast line which Portland dispatches stated that Messrs. Hoey and Staine were surveying to join the R. & N. line with the Coos Bay & Mr. Hoey laughed and said: "Really, I know nothing about that and what I read in the papers, there is absolutely nothing to it as far as I know. I had business over P. R. & N. line and went out to look into it, but the idea that was being pushed was a proposed extension of the coast never occurred to me and I read it in the papers. It is newspaper talk."

PLANS AT ROSEBURG

Brother J. Arnold Doyle Will Visit Roseburg in Near Future. The Roseburg Review Tuesday published the following: Further in reference to the proposed railroad movement of J. Arnold Doyle and his associates, from Roseburg to the coast, the following self-satisfactory letter was received Monday morning: "Retary Roseburg Commercial Club, I have your wire of 17th. Dreadfully sorry, Schlosser, but I cannot page to get away before first of next week on account of a large party to be put down in writing that if built and operated lines Roseburg to Marshfield they will donate one hundred dollars. Whatever you do will be highly appreciated."

ELECTRIC LINE TO COOS BAY

Other Concern Wants Information about Right-of-Way, Bonus, Etc. The Roseburg News says: The day does not go by but there is some inquiry from outside capital for a railway from here to the coast. The following letter was received by Publicity Manager G. P. Schlosser: "Feb. 14, 1912. Geo. P. Schlosser, Roseburg, Oregon. Dear Sir: I have just had an interview with Mr. J. Arnold Doyle and he informs me that you are anxious to have an electric line from your town to Coos Bay. I have clients amply able to build roads, and who will take it up, but it through promptly if all conditions are favorable and satisfactory. Before submitting the proposition, it is necessary to have full data, and if it should receive favorable consideration, a reliable guarantee also is necessary. That my clients have exclusive right to build, so as to justify sending their engineer to investigate. The proposition still open? Investment Securities."

HOUSTON LOSS IS \$6,500,000

Insurance Estimated at \$4,500,000 and Salvage Will Reduce it Some.

(By Associated Press to Coos Bay Times.) HOUSTON, Feb. 22.—The total loss in Houston's great fire was \$6,500,000 and insurance \$4,500,000. The salvage in the burned district is counted on to reduce the actual insurance payments to about \$3,000,000.

COUNCIL WILL HOLD MEETING

Members Will Confer With T. J. Nolan About Waterworks This Evening.

A meeting of the members of the Marshfield City Council as a committee of the whole has been called tonight at the Council chamber by Mayor E. E. Straw for the purpose of conferring with T. J. Nolan relative to the latter's proposition to sell the municipality the waterworks for \$160,000. Mr. Nolan expects to leave tomorrow morning and wants a definite understanding with the Council as to what it proposes to do.

It is understood that he insists that he will not hold his \$160,000 offer open after May 1, when his option on the property expires, unless the city has decided to take the waterworks at that figure and all that remains is the arranging for the financing of it. It is expected that he will endeavor to have the Council tonight decide whether or not it will call a special election before May 1 to submit the matter. As the charter requires 60 days notice of a special election, the call for the election must be issued before February 29. City Attorney Goss will leave Saturday for a week or so and consequently if any election is held before May 1, it is stated that it must be arranged for at once.

It is understood that the plan is to submit two propositions, one to amend the charter permitting the increase in bonded indebtedness to take over the plant and the other whether or not the city shall buy it at the \$160,000 valuation. This afternoon Arno Maeren, E. G. Ferham and City Engineer Gidley, the special committee appointed by Mayor Straw to appraise the value of the real estate included in the waterworks property, is holding its first meeting. This being a legal holiday, no official action can be taken but it is planned to have the Council reach an agreement which can be ratified at a later meeting.

TOYS DIRECT FROM FACTORY

Norton & Hansen Will Arrange for Shipments From Germany.

Warner Ogren, of the firm of Norton & Hansen, leaves tomorrow on the Redondo for San Francisco to arrange for the purchase of this year's holiday stock. With the echoes of the Christmas bells still ringing in our ears it seems strange that a business firm would be making preparations for another Christmas so soon. The reason is that this Coos Bay firm purchases its toys direct from the factories in Germany and by this method and by placing orders early it secures a much lower price than could be obtained otherwise. This method was inaugurated last year for the first time and proved so successful that it will be continued. The enterprise of this well-known firm enables the people of Coos Bay to obtain the very latest novelties at prices just as reasonable. S. W. PAINT at Milners. SARTER'S for SWEETS.

POISONING OF BABES INVESTIGATED

Six Dead and Three Dying in Brooklyn Infants' Hospital—Bad Milk May be the Cause.

(By Associated Press to Coos Bay Times.) NEW YORK, Feb. 22.—Six infants are dead and three are dying from what is believed to be poison at the Brooklyn Nursery and Infants' Hospital, according to reports at police headquarters today.

Physicians connected with the nursery are puzzled over the deaths, the first of which occurred Sunday. On the theory that the milk supply may be infected a careful analysis is being made. There is no foundation to the rumor that the victims were poisoned, they say.

HEARINGS ON TARIFF BILLS

Senate Arranges to Dispose of Democratic Measures From House.

(By Associated Press to Coos Bay Times.) WASHINGTON, Feb. 22.—The Democratic tariff revision measures will be assigned for hearing before the Senate Committee on Finance as fast as they are sent over from the house. The adoption of this plan by the regular Republicans is the only progress the Senate has made in arranging for a disposition of the big tariff problems before Congress. There is a formidable list of witnesses yet to be heard on the steel bill.

CLARK AHEAD IN OKLAHOMA

Missourian Has Slight Lead Over Wilson in Democratic State Convention.

(By Associated Press to Coos Bay Times.) OKLAHOMA CITY, Feb. 22.—When the Oklahoma Democratic convention met here today the contingent supporting Champ Clark for presidential endorsement seemed to have a technical advantage over the Wilson workers. A Clark supporter was selected temporary chairman and of the inducted delegates, the Clarks were in a slight majority. The uninducted delegates held the balance of power, however, though there is indication of the way their vote would swing. A proposition to send a split delegation to Baltimore is pending.

BILL IS TATTERED

(By Associated Press to Coos Bay Times.) WASHINGTON, Feb. 22.—The House chemical revision bill was referred today to the finance committee without discussion.

TAFT'S REPLY TO ROOSEVELT

President Will Not Make Attack but Will Contrast His Stand on Issues.

(By Associated Press to Coos Bay Times.) WASHINGTON, Feb. 22.—President Taft will reply to Roosevelt's Columbus speech. Although the president will make no direct attack on Roosevelt and although the administration officials refused to discuss the latter's Columbus speech, it became known today that the president would answer the speech and present a clear-cut issue between his political creed and that of his predecessor. Taft's answer will not be made all in one speech, but between the present and the last of March he has many speaking engagements which will be utilized for this purpose. President Taft, it was said, felt that Roosevelt had at last given him opportunity to make his position clear without indulging in any personal attack. With many of the doctrines the former President enunciated at Columbus, Taft is in agreement, to others he is known to be unalterably opposed. Among these are the initiative, referendum and recall of Judges, and recall of judicial decisions.

TAMALES at SARTER'S.

MILK PAHS, Strainers and MILK PANS at Milners. Best TAMALES in town at Sarters.

SHOOTS TWO AND HIMSELF

Seattle Man Slays Wife and Companion Because She Sought Divorce.

(By Associated Press to Coos Bay Times.) SEATTLE, Wash., Feb. 22.—Monroe J. Palmer, a mill employe aged 46, broke into his house at Issaquah early today and shot and mortally wounded his wife as she lay in bed and instantly killed Mrs. Marie J. Carr, the wife's companion, and then shot and killed himself. Palmer was enraged because his wife had commenced divorce proceedings. He had been drinking heavily lately. Two children survive the Palmers.

SAN FRANCISCO HAS MYSTERY

Death of Mrs. Elsie Rohe Arouses Suspicions of Detectives There.

(By Associated Press to Coos Bay Times.) SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 22.—Detectives are investigating the death of Mrs. Elsie Zuhl Rohe, sister-in-law of Assemblyman Nathan C. Coghlan, who was shot and killed at the Coghlan home last night, made little progress today. Mrs. Coghlan who was present when the shot was fired, declared her sister was killed by the accidental discharge of her husband's revolver. Absence of powder burns and the extent of the laceration and fracture of the skull, however, aroused the suspicions of the police. Detectives report the woman's head was apparently battered with a blunt instrument. Coghlan was not present when the shot was fired. But one chamber was emptied. Coghlan stated he left the revolver on the mantel a few minutes prior to the firing of the shot and was on the second floor when he heard the report of the weapon. Mrs. Rohe had lived in the Coghlan home several years.

ARRIVE TODAY ON BREAKWATER

Steamship in Early This Morning From Portland—Sails Saturday Afternoon.

The Breakwater arrived in today from Portland, after a fairly good trip down the coast. She had a large cargo of general freight, including a shipment of about 120 tons for the McCleary estate of Portland which is arranging to develop the Hume properties on Rogue River which it recently purchased.

She also brought in a large list of passengers. The Breakwater will sail at 1 o'clock Saturday afternoon for Portland.

Among those arriving on the Breakwater were the following: N. Erickson, E. Nass, Claude Nasberg, Mrs. Nasberg, C. E. Getty, Mrs. Getty, Mrs. Hannah, Alma Edwards, Mrs. D. L. Peters, Mrs. Williams, C. E. Johnson, J. H. Murphy, Miss Richards, Mrs. F. Schmitt, C. G. Irwin, G. C. Nichols, J. Lang, Alex Peterson, W. H. Kenner, T. Despres, M. F. Hoff, Mrs. Hoff, Mrs. Lyle, G. S. Averill, E. McFarland, J. T. Harrigan, Mrs. Harrigan, W. J. Maggis, Wm. Turpen, Jas. McCarly, Jao. Henry, R. C. Bishop, T. J. Thrift, J. Gerstel, J. D. Guiss, J. A. Bowe, Geo. Heath, Miss Shull, Mrs. B. C. Shull, M. Phelan, Wm. Tollman, H. G. Hutter, C. F. Sutton, Fred Lund, C. L. Gregg, E. Boyd, L. Colombo, L. C. Noah, C. Whitman, A. Reimers, J. Le Roy, F. W. Hinman, C. J. Smith.

NEW REBEL ARMY THREATENS NORTHERN MEXICO TO DAY

WILL TRY TO AVERT STRIKE

British Government Endeavors to Prevent Coal Miners' Trouble.

(By Associated Press to Coos Bay Times.) LONDON, Feb. 22.—The government today opened negotiations for peace in the British coal-district dispute, which threatens to paralyze the British trade if the 300,000 miners carry out their intentions of striking Feb. 28.

BIG CONCERNS ARE INDICTED

Adams Express Company and National Cash Register Company Accused.

(By Associated Press to Coos Bay Times.) CINCINNATI, Feb. 22.—Thirty officials and employes of the National Cash Register Company of Dayton, Ohio, were indicted on charges of criminal violation of the Sherman anti-trust law by a special federal grand jury here. The Adams Express Company was indicted on eleven counts charged with having attempted to collect more than the established rates.

The first count charges that nearly all competitors have been bought out or driven out of business. It is charged that restraint has been in operation for twenty years, although specific charge is confined to the last three years. It is said to have been effected by bribing employes of competitors and of transportation, telegraph and telephone companies and injuring credit of competitors in libeling their machines. Second and third counts charge the defendant with monopolizing the cash register business by the same means.

LOOTING BY EXPRESS.

Companies Accused of Making Many Overcharges.

(By Associated Press to Coos Bay Times.) WASHINGTON, Feb. 22.—The indictment of the Adams Express Company is the first of what probably may be a series of indictments against the express companies for exacting more than the published rates through a general campaign has been instituted by the Interstate Commerce Commission. Recent investigations of the operations of the express companies, Commissioner Lane said, had developed 3000 instances of overcharge in a single day.

CALLED HOME FOR REMARKS

Colombian Government Reprimands Minister for Knox Insult.

(By Associated Press to Coos Bay Times.) BOGOTA, Feb. 22.—General Pedro Nel Ospina, the Colombian minister to the United States, was recalled by the Colombian government today.

The action of the Colombian government was taken because neither it nor the Colombian people uphold the position taken by the Colombian minister at Washington in notifying the State Department that the proposed visit to Colombia of Secretary Knox would be inopportune because Colombia's claim in connection with Panama had not been arbitrated.

For LUNCH try one of SARTER'S TAMALES.

SPAULDING BASEBALLS, Bats, Mitts and GLOVES at Milners. AT LEWIS—Chicken TAMALES—the George Washington Kind—They're hot.

About 1500 Armed Men Constitute Vasquistas Force Marching North.

REPORTED TO BE UNDER BANNER OF GEN. GOMEZ

Juarez Excited Over Likelihood of Being Captured by New Insurgents.

(By Associated Press to Coos Bay Times.) SAN ANTONIO, Texas, Feb. 22.—Emilio Vasquez Gomez today received a telegram dated at Columbus, N. M., and signed by Colonel Demetrio Ponce of the Vasquista army saying that rebel forces numbering 1700 with four pieces of artillery are advancing on Chihuahua City under General Emilio Gomez's banner.

JUAREZ IS EXCITED. Town Can Offer Little Defense to Advance of New Rebel Army.

(By Associated Press to Coos Bay Times.) EL PASO, Texas, Feb. 22.—Juarez is much excited today over the report that Vasquistas is coming from the south to capture the town. There is little to hinder the advance as Juarez has no defense.

IMPORT MORE ARMS.

Mexican Rebels Get Ammunition From United States.

(By Associated Press to Coos Bay Times.) COLUMBUS, N. M., Feb. 22.—At least 1500 men are armed and mounted south of here in the Galena district, of which Casas Grandes is the governmental seat. All are avowed Vasquistas and declare themselves in open opposition to the present Mexican government. The Vasquistas hold the port of Palomas, opposite this point, and are busy importing arms and ammunition. United States troops may detain the shipments of arms which arrived from El Paso today, but as yet there are no orders to interfere with anything imported into Mexico through the regular customs port, as Palomas is.

"FRATS" GO IN MISSISSIPPI

State Legislature Enacts Law Prohibiting Them at State Institutions.

(By Associated Press to Coos Bay Times.) JACKSON, Miss., Feb. 22.—Seconding the action of the State Senate, the House of Representatives of the Mississippi Legislature yesterday adopted the "Anti-Frat" bill which orders the abolishment of all Greek letter fraternities, societies and secret orders in the educational institutions supported in whole or in part by the state.

ASK FOUR NEW BATTLESHIPS

Appropriation of \$20,000,000 Sought for Increasing U. S. Navy.

(By Associated Press to Coos Bay Times.) WASHINGTON, Feb. 22.—A resolution for four battleships in this year's naval appropriation bill was introduced in the House today by Representative Jefferson Levy, a Democrat from New York. The resolution asks for an initial appropriation of \$20,000,000 to begin the work.

GLADYS BROCKWELL STOCK CO. In "MERRY MARY ANN" MASONIC THEATER—Two nights—Commencing Monday February 26th. Prices 25c, 35c and 50c. Entire new scenery—FULL ORCHESTRA.

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