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SUBPOENAS SERVED

Missouri Preparing to Prosecute Standard Oil.

ROCKEFELLER IS SUMMONED

King of the Standard Oil Will Be Required to Appear Before the Courts and Give Testimony in the Suits Now Pending.

New York, Dec. 13.—Henry Wellman, who will act with Attorney General Hadley of Missouri, in the suits brought against the Standard Oil Company by the State of Missouri, said yesterday that subpoenas had been served upon James A. Moffatt, one of the executive committee of the company and Frank Q. Barstow and Howard Page, who are high officials of either the Standard Company or some of their allied corporations.

Henry H. Rogers had been served with a subpoena, as had John A. Archbold. According to Mr. Wellman, both these men have stated that they will appear in his office in January to give their deposition.

"We are having some little difficulty," said Mr. Wellman, "in serving some of the others with subpoenas, but by Jan. 5 all of the men who are in the State of New York will be served."

When Mr. Wellman was asked if he thought he would be able to serve a subpoena upon John D. Rockefeller in this state, he said:

"I do, but in case we should not by January 5, I understand that Attorney General Hadley will give notice to take Mr. Rockefeller's deposition in Virginia or New Jersey, or wherever Mr.

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ARRESTED FOR FORGERY.

Confidential Bookkeeper of Drug Firm Falls From Grace.

Chicago, Dec. 13.—William J. Smith, for twelve years confidential bookkeeper for the Roberts Stevenson Drug Co., was yesterday arrested for forgery.

Although he had taken almost \$3,000 from the funds of the company in less than a year, little or none of it was spent on himself as was evidenced by his appearance when arrested. His clothing was old and worn and his overcoat was not warm enough to protect him from the weather.

"The money all went to the loan sharks," he said. "They kept threatening to garnish my wages and I knew if that happened I would lose my job and be unable to do anything for my children."

Smith lived with his wife and two children in a cottage.

"My first false step was taken about three years ago, when a friend of mine invented a candy slot machine," Smith said. "I borrowed \$200 from the money lenders and signed a note for \$350, which he borrowed to put the machine on the market. Well, it fell through. I lost my \$200, my friend disappeared, and I was at the mercy of the money lenders. All the money I took was paid to them. I didn't get any of it, neither did my wife and children."

"I shall make a clean breast of it," said Smith. "I guess I can do my family as much good while in the penitentiary as I have in the last year."

PURSUIITS OF PEACE

Japanese People Settling Down After War.

SAYS MINISTER GRISCOM

Common People Are Now Glad that the War Is Over—Excitement Which Prevailed After the Peace at Portsmouth Is Subsided.

New York, Dec. 13.—Lloyd Griscom, United States minister to Japan, arrived in this city yesterday coming by way of San Francisco on a short leave of absence. Last night he talked interestingly about Japan, her condition after the war, and present prospects in the Far East.

Since the war, Mr. Griscom said, the Japanese people have settled down to their regular occupations. The government is busy paying off its war debt's and adjusting its finances. The whole aim of the Japanese is toward industrial expansion at present. All their efforts are turned in that direction.

As to the after peace rioting, Mr. Griscom said that the dissatisfaction over the peace of Portsmouth was merely temporary, and had become unimportant now. The feeling of discontent has entirely disappeared and the Japanese people feel great gratitude toward the American people, and particularly to President Roosevelt for bringing about peace. The Mikado issued an edict telling the people that there was a government caring for their interests and advising them to attend to their regular occupations. The people obeyed as they obey everything emanating from the mikado.

Mr. Griscom declared emphatically that after the excitement due to the first news from Portsmouth had subsided, the people sided harmoniously with the government and recognized the wisdom of making peace with Russia. He was asked about Corea and the Japanese protectorate.

"Corea is not strictly in my province," he said, "and although I saw Marquis Ito shortly before his departure from Japan to Corea, the Corean question has developed since I left Japan. People in the United States are better informed concerning Corea than I am."

"I saw Admiral Togo frequently before my departure from Japan," the minister added. "He told me that he intended to visit the United States with his fleet next autumn, after first paying a visit to England, Japan's ally. I told Admiral Togo that he would be cordially received, as the American people are always glad to welcome a brave man."

Mr. Griscom intends to go on to Washington in a day or two. His departure from this city has been delayed by a cold, brought on by the change to the American climate. He has not decided just when he will return to Japan.

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D. E. Duncan, who is employed with his brother at the Astoria soda works, 426 Duane street, and who resides at the corner of Duane and Ninth streets, says: "I had been troubled with a weakness of the back and kidneys for a number of years. There was a constant dull aching pain in the loins and as far up as the shoulders. Not only did my back ache, but there was a weakness from the kidney secretions which was very annoying and disturbed my rest. I heard about Doan's Kidney Pills and one day I stepped into Charles Rogers' drugstore and got a box. I found them to be a great benefit. After the first few doses I felt better. I know of others who have used them with the same good results."

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AGAINST POLYGAMY

Meeting Held In Gotham to Prosecute Mormons.

CAMPAIGN AGAINST SMOOT

Women and Men in New York City Are Determined to See that Utah's Mormon Senator Does Not Take His Seat.

New York, Dec. 13.—Last evening Rev. Dr. J. Wesley Hill addressed an anti-polygamy mass meeting at the Thorp avenue Presbyterian church. This meeting was arranged by several organizations of the city which are engaged in gathering petitions and directing the campaign against the seating of Senator Smoot of Utah.

Dr. Hill, who has recently entered upon the pastorate of the James Methodist Episcopal church, Brooklyn spent five years in Utah. Several years ago he came East, where he has since been actively engaged in disseminating knowledge concerning the history and doctrine of the Utah hierarchy. Last evening, in discussing the Smoot question, among other things, he said:

"The question of expulsion of Mr. Smoot does not and should not hinge primarily upon his guilt or innocence of the practice of polygamy. There is a broader ground upon which to try this case.

"I bring the general charge that Mormonism is incongruous with the spirit of Americanism, being antagonistic to the great basic principles upon which our political institutions rest.

"First, in its form of government, it is a centralized power, with all the lines of authority held in the grasp of one man, who has revelations 'made to order.'"

"Second, the very vows imposed as a condition of membership in the Mormon church not only disqualify its members, for official participation in the affairs of the nation, but for good citizenship."

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Rockefeller happens to be; meanwhile the proceedings here will be kept alive. You know I have never made the statement that Mr. Rockefeller is endeavoring to evade the service of a subpoena upon him, nor do I wish to be understood in any way as making that statement now, or intimating anything to that effect."

It was the general opinion in Wall street yesterday that Mr. Rockefeller, who is now at Hot Springs, Va., would soon come home and take steps to accept the service.

Owing to the postponement of the Standard Oil proceedings in this state from December 4 to January 5, new orders of subpoenas have to be obtained from Justice Stover.

HOTEL ARRIVALS. The Occident.

- A. L. Conger, San Francisco. Mrs. D. L. Kelly, Knappa. C. E. Palmer, Knappa. T. B. Waters, Oshkosh. Walter Seaborg, Ilwaco. Henry Teller, Ft. Roberts. B. F. Huff, Hoquiam. G. W. Ellis, Portland. D. W. Heilman, Portland. J. T. Hoge, Portland. J. Stevenson, Cascades.

BURGLARS SUFFOCATE WOMAN.

Asbury, N. Y., Dec. 13.—Mrs. N. Nafatal, a wealthy resident was attacked by burglars in her apartments, bound and gagged and stripped of her jewels. She died of suffocation before her plight was discovered.

WILL ASK FOR RECOUNT.

New York, Dec. 13.—Hearst's counsel stated tonight that an appeal would be made to the legislature during the first week in January to pass a bill providing specifically for a recount of all the ballots cast in the recent election. This is regarded as the most direct course to pursue as further court proceedings, through "quo warranto" would be slow and tedious.

LONG BEACH TO HAVE DEEP WATER HARBOR

Will Dredge and Deepen the Bay to Accommodate Sea-Going Vessels and Compete With San Pedro.

Los Angeles, Dec. 13.—The Los Angeles Dock and Terminal Co., which has announced its intention to construct a deep water harbor within the city limits of Long Beach, yesterday made their first effective move in the direction of request of the Harbor Company the Salt Lake Railway Company, removed the bridge of their switch across the narrow inlet which opens into the extensive marsh where the new harbor is to be made, to permit the passage of a dredger to begin deepening the harbor. After the dredger had entered and before the railroad company could replace the bridge structure, the dock and terminal company secured a temporary injunction in the United States court, restraining the railroad company from replacing the bridge. The dredger then began the work of dredging the harbor.

It is the intention of the company to build a free harbor which will accommodate the largest shipping vessels and be a competing factor with the San Pedro harbor. The cost of this work is estimated at \$1,700,000.

Approval of United States has been sought and obtained and the harbor will be finished in five years.

STORM DOES DAMAGE.

Rome, Dec. 13.—A violent windstorm today caused the damage of many steamers in Neapolitan waters. At Venice a launch was capsized and the five occupants drowned. At Sarano, a freight train and twenty-one cars were overturned by the wind. Several towns were flooded.

GETS EVERYTHING.

New York, Dec. 13.—Harry C. Pullman was today elected president, secretary and treasurer of the National League of baseball clubs.

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