

# NOTED SWINDLER ORDERED TO LEAVE

## Police Make it Warm for a Man Who Claims to Be J. Coleman Drayton, the New York Banker.

### He Registered at the Portland Hotel, Banqueted Prominent Men, But Didn't Pay Up.

The noted swindler who for years has used the name of J. Coleman Drayton, the New York millionaire, was ordered out of Portland this afternoon by Chief of Police McLaughlin. He registered at



The imposter who calls himself J. Coleman Drayton.

the Portland Hotel ten days ago, under the name of J. C. Drayton. There are many here who know him and there seems to be no doubt that he is the man who for years has given the New York banker great trouble by swindling people in all parts of the world, by passing as the capitalist.

The smooth fellow gave a banquet at the hotel to a number of his Portland acquaintances the other night, but up to noon today the bill had not been paid, either for the banquet or for the use of the room, which he secured but seldom used.

It was a mystery why he slept at the Calumet apartment house on Seventh street, until today, when it was found that he had a woman with him. She is a New Yorker.

The prominent men to whom he was introduced and to whom he gave the banquet will be greatly surprised to hear that when the clever talker failed to pay his bill he was escorted to the office of the Chief of Police and told to pay his bill or suffer arrest and imprisonment. He promised to settle his account this afternoon, and if he does, he will board the first train going out, or in case he fails, he will be in the city prison.

**THE IMPOSTOR'S IDENTITY.**  
This is the man who has pursued Mr. J. Coleman Drayton in America and abroad, who carries his name and impersonates the millionaire who married Miss Astor in 1879. The imposter runs up big bills in his name at fashionable hotels and cuts a wide swath from Baden Baden to San Francisco.

By using Mr. Drayton's name he lived on the fat of the land, had fast horses, played the races like a lord and traveled with a baggage car full of trunks, trawls and blooded dogs.

The other day a tall, well dressed, distinguished looking man, with a companion, blaring in silks and diamonds, arrived at the Auditorium Annex Hotel, in Chicago, and registered, "J. Coleman Drayton, New York." In a few minutes it was whispered over the place, and he was pointed out as the millionaire from New York.

The wealth and fashion of the hotel were paying respectful homage to the

stranger, and he moved about the establishment like a prince. Beautiful women envied the splendid of "Mrs. Drayton's" Paris gown so deeply as to forget that there was no "Mrs. Drayton," she having been divorced and married again to Mr. George Haig, in London.

While the guests were admiring the engaging personality of the man called "Drayton," they were surprised to see Detective William A. Pinkerton walk into the hotel and inspect the

with Detective Rapetto, of the hotel. Mr. Pinkerton had found his man at last. Word was telegraphed to the real Mr. Drayton in New York, who hurried to Chicago and confronted the imposter in the presence of Mr. Pinkerton and the hotel manager.

**HE HAD MONEY.**  
Mr. Pinkerton asked the hotel cashier not to honor his drafts, and produced one which he had been carrying for some time—a draft on which the imposter is said to have secured \$500 of Mr. Charles Bush, president of the New Orleans Jockey Club. The young man paid the draft instantly, and seemed to have loads of money.

Then Mr. Drayton proceeded to crush him by getting his record, and asked him if he hadn't got enough after his arrest in Europe for swindling a German diamond merchant, under the Drayton name.

The result of this arrest was a trial and sentence to two and one-half years' imprisonment. After serving 12 months by extraordinary efforts and strong representations of penitence, and probably the influence of his wealthy parents in America, the man was pardoned.

Since then the Pinkertons claim to have unearthed this record of a man corresponding with him in every detail.

On June 25, 1895, he masqueraded, it is claimed, under the name of Jackson Cummings Davis, was arrested in San Francisco because of a defective check, but again influence was brought to bear and he was discharged.

On September 11, 1895, he was alleged to have defrauded W. A. Burge, at Fort Scott, Kan., of \$25, under the name of I. D. Williams.

On October 9, 1895, he was arrested, it is alleged, in Kansas City under the name of "Harry" Goldstein for attempting to pass a defective check. Still again his good luck and magic influence secured his discharge. It was after this that he turned up in Europe and was arrested for the Baden Baden affair.

**COMES OF GOOD FAMILY.**  
And who is this gentlemanly looking man who has been so successful in personating a New York banker and gentleman of high social influence and affairs? His real name is withheld. It is a secret, it is said, because his family are of influence and high standing, because of his parents, brothers and sisters there is a disposition to save them from the shame and disaster which would follow publication of his identity. His father has made powerful appeals, and put the facts in a clear and startling light, and offered to repay any amount of money for losses or injury inflicted by the young man. So the boy seems to have a gift of securing aid and escaping imprisonment to any serious extent even from his family, who are made to suffer under sorrow because of their prodigal's acts.

He was born in Ohio of a well known and reputable family, is 35 years old and frequents race tracks and sporting places where the stakes are high and the losses great. He lives at the best hotels when he travels, and he has yet to discover anything too good for him. He is a tall, slenderly built man, nearly six feet high, and weighs 145 pounds. His complexion is dark, his hair a very dark brown and his eyes dark hazel.

His original dream in life was to become what he called a "journalist." He learned the art of interviewing people,

verified by the officers and some of them are known to be fakes.

The only story that may prove true is the one telling how Tracy appeared at a logging camp and had breakfast. Sheriff Cuddehe is still on the hunt for the outlaw and something definite will be heard from him soon.

**ANOTHER FALSE ALARM.**  
SALEM, July 24.—The men seen at Woodburn last night and believed to be Tracy and two companions, were two hunters going to Southern Oregon to hunt deer. The leader of the trio answered the description of Tracy in some particulars. The men were seen this morning by Levi Herren, a farmer living near the Reform School, who knows Tracy.

and then introduced features on his own account; and soon, it is said, became an accomplished poseur, deceiver, bogus check manufacturer and various other things common to lordly adventures.

**HE'S A CLEVER FUGITIVE.**  
A favorite scheme is to double on his



The real J. Coleman Drayton, of New York.

tracks and baffle justice; to write to defraud men in search of vengeance; say that he has been duped by the bogus Drayton and he would like to know more of him. Such letters sent to Mr. Drayton, for instance, by strangers, with references and high sounding titles, would be traced to the one source—the culprit himself.

In England he had a lot of photographs taken at one of the most expensive London establishments, but they reached the real Coleman Drayton, who thus secured a perfect picture of the rogue. It appears at the head of this page, and came from another gentleman who has been fooled.

While on a tour in Old Mexico, in 1897, the young man—travelling for a time in Texas, a man claiming to be J. Coleman Drayton, the New York millionaire, arrived in Dallas one day, but up at the best hotel, and was soon receiving calls from the solid men of the town.

The Texas banks, the Chamber of Commerce and all the institutions, worth talking about threw their doors wide open to the alleged Mr. Drayton. To their astonishment it was soon discovered that he was the liveliest millionaire seen in these parts in years. He succumbed to the charms of one Clara Barklow, a woman of style and dash. Her establishment, known as the "Reservation," was run on an expensive scale, but to the alleged millionaire, who had lived abroad, such matters were nothing.

It was the beauty, the chic, the glorious eyes and indescribable fascination of the young woman that landed "Mr. Drayton" in the seventh heaven of delight. Miss Barklow says they were married in San Antonio, November 28, 1897, by the Rev. Mr. Ulrich, of the Lutheran Church there.

It is said that about two years ago the woman secured a divorce. A year ago last June she received a letter from a man still claiming to be J. Coleman Drayton. It was dated Cleveland, Ohio, and asked her to meet him in St. Louis and accompany him to New York. To this end he sent her \$100, but as her ordinary pin money was in thousand dollar notes, she did not leave.

She claims to have had much correspondence with the real James Coleman Drayton, of Wall street. Whether it was a plan to entrap her by the adventurer masquerading under the same name is yet to be known.

**Guilty of Assault.**  
The trial of Edward Uffer occupied a large part of the afternoon yesterday in the East Side Justice Court. Uffer was charged with having been with a gang of boys who assaulted Harry Vall, son of the postmaster of Palestine, while on his way home on a bicycle one day last week. A number of witnesses testified to having heard the cries of the assaulted boy and C. Millem told of going to his rescue and the fleeing of young Uffer and the gang. Uffer was not represented by an attorney so the justice had to be both prosecutor and also see that the young man's interests were looked after. Justice Seton said that it was a lucky thing for the defendant that it was a lucky thing charge had not been filed against him and after summing up the evidence found him guilty and imposed a fine of \$10.

## BRYAN SCORES THE REPUBLICAN PARTY

(Scripps-McRae News Association.)  
BOSTON, July 24.—William Jennings Bryan today addressed the New England Democratic League at Nantasket Beach on "The Basis of Harmony." He said the Democratic party must have a controlling purpose unchanged by victory or defeat; it must stand for that purpose at all times and everywhere, unmoved by threats of disaster and unshaken by temporary gain. He denounced the Republican party for taking no legislative steps to curb the trusts and for more openly avowing imperialistic methods.

## GOTHAM MYSTERY

### Police Don't Know Who Slaughtered Joseph Catino.

NEW YORK, July 24.—The mutilated remains of the man found in a gunny sack near the water's edge in Brooklyn last night have been identified as those of Joseph Catino, a grocer. Vincent Trica has been arrested on the belief that he knows something of the crime.

## STRONG IN LONDON

### The Gay Captain Says May Yohé Is Sore—She Sails For Paris.

(Scripps-McRae News Association.)  
LONDON, July 24.—Capt. Putnam Bradley Strong arrived here today. He sailed from New York under an alias. In an interview he declared Yohé's allegations against him were probably prompted by her dismay over his desertion of her.

**OFF TO GAY PARIS.**  
NEW YORK, July 24.—May Yohé sailed today for Paris. She refused to say what her intentions were.

## NEGROES LYNCHED

### Speedy Justice Dealt Out by Enraged Mob in West Virginia.

(Scripps-McRae News Association.)  
PHILIP, W. Va., July 24.—Two negroes, names unknown, were taken from jail at Womelsdorf last night and lynched. One was shot, the other hanged. The lynching was the result of the assassination of Chief of Police Wilmoth, of Elkins in which the mob's victims are believed to have been implicated.

## THE DALLIES.

(Journal Special Service.)  
THE DALLIES, July 24.—The loss of an eye by being struck with a stick is the affliction to be born by little Constance Sauter, the 7-year-old son of Franklin Sauter, while playing in the orchard yesterday afternoon a branch struck him in the left eye, necessitating its removal.

Last Tuesday night 24 Catholic young men met William Weber, of Walla Walla, Supreme President for the Northwest, and organized themselves into a Young Men's Institute with 29 charter members. The object of the institute is fraternal and benevolent.

Shortly after noon Tuesday, Mrs. Lulu Ward, wife of Ike Ward, died at her home on the hill east of the old fair grounds. George Holling arrived in the city from Rosalia, Wash., having come down to see Mrs. Holling, who is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. Phirman.

Miss Grace Hobson is spending her two-weeks vacation with Miss Clara Blythe at Hood River.

Frank Reuffer is entertaining two foreign visitors from Europe, in the persons of Count Klevenhusen and Prince Wotzinski. They are large salmon buyers who purchase for their head firm in Berlin, Germany.

## A BIG GAME

### Local Merchants Must Fight Salt Trust.

## MEETING HELD TODAY

### Salt Prices Cut in Two to Intimidate Importers—War Is On.

A drop of one-half in the price of salt within a month is the startling disclosure made by the local market report today. This is a drive at the pocketbooks of the wholesale merchants of this city, who have purchased large quantities of this commodity in the Liverpool market, the first consignment of which arrived by the Sierra Estrella, now discharging cargo here. Salt that formerly sold in this market at from \$3.50 to \$8 per ton was elevated in price by the salt trust to from \$22 to \$25 per ton. All salt producers of the country were bought out, interests consolidated, and then the bulls in control started in to increase prices to suit themselves.

Stockmen and meat packers of the country were the first to feel the clutch of the salt trust's iron hand. The Armour, of Kansas City, notwithstanding salt wells were in operation less than 100 miles from their packing establishment, imported 200 car loads of salt from abroad. Seattle was next to try the experiment, but the single ship's cargo ordered in that city was purchased by the trust before the time of its arrival. Portland is now "up against" the trust with 6000 tons, all told, ordered from beyond the ocean, and the trust is meeting the importations with such astounding reductions of values that local dealers stand aghast. This move on the part of the trust is, of course, intended to intimidate the local merchants, and, of course, discourage the enterprise in whom they have engaged. And the purpose of the combine may be achieved. At all events, the public is reaping some benefit from the salt trust's antagonism, yet hope is expressed in many quarters that the merchants of Portland may come out victorious in their battle with the gigantic octopus.

Today at 10:30 the Wholesale Merchants' Association held a meeting at its headquarters, and for more than an hour the subject was discussed in its various phases. The meeting was held behind closed doors, and its conclusions, if any, were arrived at, were not given out for publication. The association, it is understood, is not prepared to make public at this time its methods of warfare as this would be giving away its ammunition to its enemy, but there is no doubt that the fight of its life for the business of this half-way.

## TRAINS WRECKED

### North Coast Limited Collided With a Freight—No Injuries.

As the result of a collision last night at Sumner, Wash., between the North Coast Limited of the Northern Pacific and a freight backing to a switch, both locomotives were hurled into the ditch and the mail and baggage cars parted company with their trucks.

The Northern Pacific officials in Portland were not advised as to the collision and could give no information. The officials of the Terminal Company were equally as ignorant. The North Coast Limited is due here at 7 a. m., but did not get in until 9 o'clock. No one was hurt in the collision, and the delay of two hours was caused by the wreckage, which required that length of time to clear out of the way.

## Mitchell Indignant.

(Scripps-McRae News Association.)  
CHICAGO, July 24.—President Mitchell, of the United Mine Workers, denounced Judge Jackson's decision as an outrage. He declares it to be in violation of all American principles and places the courts above the constitution. He said an appeal will be taken to the Supreme Court and to President Roosevelt.

## Free Speech No More.

(Scripps-McRae News Association.)  
PARKERSBURG, July 24.—After reading his decision Judge Jackson ordered the arrest of W. B. Wilson, secretary of the Mine Workers, on the charge of violating the injunction by delivering a speech to the miners.

### Now is the Time

# DEALS UNIONS A HARD BLOW

## The Decision of a Virginia Judge May Break the Back of the Big Anthracite Miners' Strike.

### Union Men, He Says, Must Not Attempt to Dissuade Their Fellows From Working—Strikers Receive Heavy Sentences—Mother Jones Scored Unmercifully.

(Scripps-McRae News Association.)  
PARKERSBURG, W. Va., July 24.—United States District Judge Jackson today handed down a decision in the cases of Thomas Haggerty, William Morgan, Bernard Rice, Peter Wilson, William Blakeley, George Bacon, Thomas Laskau, Mother Jones, Albert Repake, Jos. Roelke, George Roselke and Steve Teonike, who are accused of violating his injunction restraining them from in any way interfering with the working of the anthracite miners in the Pennsylvania and West Virginia strike districts. Haggerty was sentenced to 90 days' imprisonment and Morgan, Rice, Wilson, Blakeley, Bacon and Laskau to 60 days. The others will be sentenced later, but it is believed Mother Jones will get off with a heavy fine.

The decision is one of the most sweeping ever handed down in an injunction case, and the miners agree that it is the most effective blow that could be struck against their cause. Jackson upholds the righteousness of injunctions and declares it is a mistaken idea to suppose that the courts of this country abuse this right. He says the defendants in trying to induce miners to quit work were inflicting great damage and injury on the employers, and that such action on their part was illegal and malicious. He denounced the utterances of Mother Jones as an outgrowth of the sentiments of those who believe in communism and anarchy, and maintained that the right of the citizen to labor for wages that he is satisfied with is a right protected by law.

The open defiance of his injunction by the defendants, he said, tends to promote disorder which, if permitted to go unpunished, would sooner or later lead to anarchy. Several paragraphs of the decision were devoted to a criticism of Mother Jones whose efforts in behalf of unionism, he declared, were entirely unworthy of a good woman.

## DEFIES SULTAN

### A Filipino Rebel Won't Obey His Chief's Orders.

### STANDS OFF A WHOLE TRIBE

### American Soldiers Hold the Dignity as a Hostage For His Men's Deeds.

(Scripps-McRae News Association.)  
MANILA, July 24.—The Sultan of Bindupan is being held as a hostage by the American troops in Mindanao for the delivery to them of the Moros who attacked two American soldiers last month. The Sultan has ordered his followers to give the men up, but only one came into the American camp, where he confessed and died. The leader of the attack is fortified in his house, and defies the Sultan's followers to take him.

## NEW RAILROAD OPEN.

The Great Northern makes official announcement of the opening of a new extension, 75 miles long, upon which construction work was begun last spring. The extension is known as the Washington & Great Northern, Vancouver, Victoria and Eastern Railway and Navigation Company, is now ready to accept freight shipments. The new line branches off from Marcus, Wash., on the main line of the Spokane Falls & Northern. This opens up a highway to and from the great Republic mining district.

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## BUFFALO WILLIE

### Loses Car by Fire Near Arlington—Nobody Hurt.

Conductor Dunn, of the O. R. & N. Co.'s No. 3 passenger train sent in a report to the office of Superintendent O'Brien regarding the destruction by fire of a car on the company's line between Arlington and Willows on the Oregon division.

The car in question belonged to Buffalo Bill's Wild West Show, and is a total loss. The fire broke out at 1:35 a. m. from the interior of the car. The cause is unknown. From the meagre facts reported it is learned that the men who accompanied the car escaped with but scant attire, most of their clothing being destroyed. The entire contents of the car were destroyed and while the Journal cannot give any figures as to the amount of the actual loss, it must have been considerable. The car was bound for Portland. The show employees were accommodated by the O. R. & N. with a special car, and afterwards came to this city.

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## STILL IS MISSING

### No Definite News of Tracy's Whereabouts.

SEATTLE, July 24.—There have been many rumors of Tracy's reappearance, but so far none of the reports have been