

DENY THAT MRS. EDDY REAPED FORTUNE FROM PUBLICATIONS

Christian Science Leader States That Published Figures Are All Wrong.

REQUESTS PEOPLE NOT TO CALL HER MOTHER

States That Every One That Purchased the Book Is Sure That He Got Value Received—Denials Regarding Money From Healing.

(Journal Special Service.) Boston, Mass., Aug. 10.—The first authorized statement in regard to the wealth of Mrs. Mary Eddy Baker and her profits from her book, "Science and Health with Key to the Scriptures," has just been issued. The statement is given out from the office of the publication committee of the First Church of Christ, Scientist, and is intended as a contradiction or correction of stories recently circulated concerning the enormous income alleged to be received by Mrs. Eddy.

Referring to these stories the official statement says, in part: "For example, it is said that a recent edition of 'Science and Health with Key to the Scriptures,' by Mary Baker G. Eddy, brings the total issue of this work to date up to 488,000 copies. The correct number is 404,000 copies. The article quoted also declares, 'It is said that the actual cost of making the book is less than 50 cents.' It seems strange that any sane person would be reckless enough to venture upon so unreasonable a statement and then seek to give the impression that the retail price of 'Science and Health' is altogether profit. From this price he should deduct, not only the printer's charges, but the retailer's profit, the cost of delivery and the publisher's commissions."

No Apology to Make.
"We have no apology to offer for the enormous sale of 'Science and Health' nor for the fact that it brings Mrs. Eddy a handsome profit. For the book is well worth the price it bears, and it is well known to Christian Scientists that Mrs. Eddy spends her money in ways that are most advantageous to the cause of Christ and the general well-being of mankind. The sale of 'Science and Health' is not 'pushed.' The marked demand for the book is occasioned by its unparalleled value as a 'Key to the Scriptures.'"

"It is quite true that Christian Science literature is placed before the public and in keeping with the conduct of all other denominations, the members of the Christian Science church are expected to purchase and circulate its literature as far as possible, but who can complain of this since no one is ever has been compelled to buy or sell Christian Science literature. However the most of those who have purchased 'Science and Health' and have practiced what it teaches, are ready to testify that, aside from the extraordinary spiritual benefits which they have derived therefrom, it has saved them a great many times its value in dollars and cents, by doing away with doctor's bills."

Protests Mother Title.
"The estimate which the writer of the article quoted undertakes to make of the amount of money which Mrs. Eddy made out of the Massachusetts Metaphysical college is pure guess and overstates the mark, since from her earlier classes Mrs. Eddy received almost no compensation, and by means of free tuition and necessary discounts she always made it possible for all worthy applicants to be received into her college whether they had money or not, and from her last class of 70 she refused to accept any compensation whatever; and for about 17 years she has had no income except from the sale of her books, and whatever interest she may have received on her money."

"The writer is again misinformed regarding the 'sums she is supposed to have made during her early career as a healer.' As a matter of fact, when Mrs. Eddy received patients, though she healed all manner of diseases, she refused compensation in every instance except one, where the circumstances seemed to demand that she deviate from her rule."

"The statement concludes with a protest against the application of the term 'Mother' to Mrs. Eddy. Many years ago, says the statement, the term was introduced by the Christian Scientists, and as it was simply intended as a term of endearment, Mrs. Eddy permitted it, until it became abused, whereupon she



Mrs. Mary Baker G. Eddy.

UNCLE SAM LIABLE TO JAPAN

Government May Have to Pay Mikado for Poachers Killed at Seal Rookeries.

NO EVIDENCE TO SHOW JAPS WERE ORDERED OFF

Even Though Committing an Offense Against American Law, Guards Had No Right to Shoot Them Down Unless They Resisted.

(Journal Special Service.) Washington, Aug. 10.—The opinion prevails in diplomatic circles that upon the present showing of facts in the case, the United States may be liable for indemnity to Japan in the event she should make demand for payment for the killing of her subjects at the St. Paul island seal rookeries. It is pointed out that so far as the reports from Alaska show, the case was one of trespass, for which the trespassers were shot.

"There is nothing in the case in the statement of Sims to indicate that the Japanese offered resistance, or in fact that they had been warned to keep away. Should it develop that the raiders refused orders of the guards to leave American waters and cease the killing of seals and that they showed fight, the entire aspect of the case from the United States standpoint would be changed."

"As it now appears, from the evidence at hand the Japanese trespassed and were shot and killed. Even though they were committing an offense against the American law, in the opinion of a high authority, on international law, the American guards had no right to kill them unless they resisted."

"The situation at best is regarded as a delicate one, and the state department is anxious to obtain further information before any additional steps are taken."

caused a church by-law to be made forbidding Christian Scientists to use the term.

EASTERN EXCURSION RATE

September 8 and 10.
On the above dates the Great Northern Railway will have on sale tickets to Chicago and return at rate of \$11.50, St. Louis and return \$17.50, St. Paul, Minneapolis and Duluth, Superior or Sioux City and return, \$60. Tickets first-class, good going via the Great Northern, returning same or any direct route, stopovers allowed. For tickets, sleeping car reservations or any additional information call on or address H. Dickson, C. P. & T. A., 123 Third street, Portland.

HORSE BURNED TO DEATH IN STABLE

(Special Dispatch to The Journal.) Cov. Or., Aug. 10.—Fire which destroyed a big barn on the McConnell ranch burned a fine saddle horse to death and consumed two mowing machines and 40 tons of hay.
The conflagration was started by one of the little boys of Jesse Spencer, lessee of the place. The child is said to have been playing with matches.
There was no insurance on the property and the loss is heavy.

UNKNOWN KILLED BY TRAIN AT THE DALLES

(Special Dispatch to The Journal.) The Dalles, Or., Aug. 10.—The body of a dead man was found on the O. R. & N. Co.'s tracks a mile east of Hood River just before noon today. It is supposed that he was run over by the east-bound train, which is due in this city at 12:20 p. m. The name of the man could not be ascertained or any further particulars.

MAZAMAS BEATEN TO SUMMIT

Miner and His Companion Take Better Route and Reach Top Ahead of Clubmen.

KISER'S PARTY FOUND EVIDENCE OF DEFEAT

Cartridge Tied to Stake Proved That Advice of Cornell Should Have Been Heeded and Climb Would Have Been Easier.

(Special Dispatch to The Journal.) Bellingham, Wash., Aug. 10.—Six Mazamas, E. H. Kiser, Martin Wanlich, A. Curtis, C. M. Williams, L. S. Hildebrand and C. E. Forsythe, reached the summit of Mount Baker Tuesday at 1 o'clock to find that they had been beaten there by one day by C. C. Cornell, a pioneer miner of the Mount Baker district, and J. Stewart of Blaine. Cornell and Stewart ascended by the Glacier creek route, and it is now evident that this is the route the Mazamas should have taken.
Tied to a stake at the highest point of Kulshan was a cartridge in which were found the names of the miner and his companion. Cornell declares that had the Mazamas taken the Glacier creek route, which he recommended, every one of the mountain climbers might have reached the apex of the dome. The Mazamas were led to take the Willis creek trail because the construction of a pathway via Glacier creek seemed impossible, largely on account of the cost, compared with the Willis creek route.

The six men who reached the summit were compelled to fight every foot of the way. After they left the Mazamas' box, about 100 feet from the top, axes were used freely to secure a solid footing, and eight hours were consumed in ascending to the top from the temporary camp. Cornell and Stewart accomplished their climb in a day and experienced little trouble, while the successful Mazamas were exhausted.

FORCING LIQUOR DEALERS TO LEAVE ODD FELLOWS

Crusade Begun in New Jersey for Expulsion of Saloon Men From Lodges.

(Journal Special Service.) New York, Aug. 10.—Odd Fellows in every part of the United States, but especially in New Jersey, are deeply interested in the crusade which has been begun by Wesley B. Stout, grand master of the grand lodge of New Jersey, against all saloon-keepers, bartenders and gamblers who are members of the order.

The grand master has started in to drive all such members out of the craft. This means, if carried out, the expulsion of about 2,500 men in New Jersey. Stout is acting under the law passed by the sovereign lodge of Odd Fellows in 1895, but which has never heretofore been enforced.

Each lodge is given until August 20 to notify all saloon-keepers, bartenders and gamblers to abandon such pursuits. The failure of the men to quit such business will be followed by their dismissal from the lodge. Many saloon-keepers are threatening suit against the lodge if they are expelled.
The saloon element in the New Jersey Odd Fellows has been growing so rapidly as to threaten the interests of the order.

ESTABLISHES ART GALLERY FOR BOGUS CHECKS

Jack's Restaurant Pasting All Worthless Paper in Plain View of Public.

(Journal Special Service.) New York, Aug. 10.—Jack's restaurant, a famous London resort, has adopted a radical measure to put an end to the nuisance whose bank account is low and who carries a fountain pen and bank checks. A bulletin board, which Jack calls his "art gallery," has been set up conspicuously in the restaurant. On it is pasted all bad checks that have been taken in the place in the last month. Many of these are signed by young men of good families and assured incomes, but nevertheless they are marked "N. G.," "No funds," "Insufficient funds," "No account," and in various other ways discredited.
Captain Churchill likes the idea and will set up a bulletin board in his restaurant. The nuisance has caused much worry and financial loss in Stanley's, the Victoria, Rector's, the Imperial, and other places up and down the line. It is likely concerted action will be taken to suppress the man with the fountain pen and checkbook.

BANKER BECOMES MANIAC IN ARIZONA DESERT

Loses His Way and is Found Wandering in Wilds, Naked and Famished.

(Journal Special Service.) Phoenix, Ariz., Aug. 10.—E. B. Patterson, assistant cashier of the Gila Valley Bank & Trust company at Clifton, has been found in the wilds of the White mountains in northern Graham county, raving maniac. He is now in the hospital at Clifton and may recover.
Until he does recover little information can be obtained as to how he became lost. Patterson started from a camp where he had been spending a short outing four days ahead of his companions that he might reach Clifton to attend to an important business engagement. He did not reach his destination and a searching party was formed to look for him. This was five days ago.
When he was found he was raving mad. Nothing was left of his clothing but a shirt. His condition showed he

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