

FIGHT LAST BATTLE ON PACIFIC COAST

Great Nations of World Will Here Settle Question of Supremacy in Final Struggle, Says Colonel Robert Miller in Address Before Patriotic Club.

That the slope of the Pacific coast is to be the last great battleground of the human race which shall be settled by the question of supremacy and the solution of the race question was the theory advanced by Colonel Robert A. Miller in an address before the American Patriotic club on the occasion of its sixth annual dinner given at the Portland hotel last night.

The subject of Colonel Miller's address was "The Pacific Northwest," but he broadened his theme to take in the whole of the Pacific coast. He said that to his mind the great question now before the people of the United States at this hour was that of the settlement of the race question.



Colonel Robert A. Miller.

He called to mind the story printed recently of the American girl in California, who, wedded to a Chinese student, was forced to face the alternative of either going back to the Celestial Kingdom, there to take up the whole of womanhood under benighted conditions, or to abandon her husband, and be turned from that subject to the broader one of race dominion throughout the world.

The speaker traced the history of the human race from the days of the tower of Babel, when the Asiatic peoples started on their pilgrimage to the eastward and the Caucasian people went their way to the westward, until at the present time the descendants of the two races are "glaring at each other across the Pacific ocean, waiting for the time when the great question of supremacy is to be settled."

Question of Supremacy. "This question appeals to me in more serious tone. It is time, in my opinion, for us to pause in the race to the westward and consider this great question that confronts us. In five years we will not meet around the banquet board, treating in idle jest the questions that come before us, but we will perhaps be poring over the great chess board of war endeavoring to solve the momentous questions of the future.

Two clever swindlers with a brand-new scheme for obtaining easy money are reaping a rich harvest on the east side. Complaint was made to the police yesterday of the operations of the crooks and the method pursued by them is regarded as most unique.

Yesterday another visit was paid to the householders in the same district. The two glib young men stated that in order to carry on the campaign it would be necessary to secure funds, and requested the payment of \$1.25 from each of the property-owners.

Los Angeles, Cal., March 16.—Two masked burglars entered the jewelry store of W. M. Kinney, 607 South Spring street, this evening, about 9:30 o'clock and looted the place of about \$4,000 in jewelry and cash.

OIL KING DENIES GIFT TO CHINESE

Rockefeller Reported to Have Given Fifty Million to Educate Orientals.

ACCORDING TO SECRETARY STATEMENT IS FALSEHOOD

Multi-Millionaire Will Leave Atlanta Monday for New York—Rumored That Money Was to Be Given to Educational Institutions.

(Publishers Press by Special Leased Wire.) Atlanta, Ga., March 16.—A special from Augusta states that John D. Rockefeller says there is no truth in the report that he would give \$50,000,000 to Christianize the Chinese.

New York, March 16.—The report that John D. Rockefeller plans the establishment of a fund of upward of \$50,000,000, the avowed purpose of which is to modify and educate the Chinese race, is not confirmed among Rockefeller's closest associates in this city.

Certain it is that during the last three or four years Rockefeller has been devoting a great deal of attention to the study of systems of educational methods, and he is known to be very enraptured with the subject.

The plan is to make these educational institutions as modern as possible, and instruct the Chinese race along the modern lines. It is also stated by those responsible for the publication of the report that Rockefeller's plan is the ultimate Christianizing of the Chinese empire.

It is impossible tonight to get any statement from Rockefeller's personal attorneys in this city or from any members of the immediate Rockefeller family. Most of them declare that they do not believe there was anything in the report, although all admitted that it might possibly be true.

COURT HEARS TESTIMONY IN COUNTY HOSPITAL

Woman Accused of Murder is Given Preliminary Hearing on Cot in Hospital.

(Publishers Press by Special Leased Wire.) Chicago, March 16.—Following one of the most dramatic judicial proceedings ever held in Chicago, Mrs. Dora McDonald, wife of the late John McDonald, politician and former gambling king of this city, was today held to the grand jury without bail for the alleged murder of Webster Guerin.

Concealed in the tall marsh grass bordering the shore, a score of detectives lay all day watching the sloop, which confirms the rumor that the authorities have entered into negotiations with the kidnapers and the boy is to be returned to his father within 48 hours.

While the detectives secreted themselves, Ross Standish, the six-year-old cousin of the boy, who was playing with young Marvin at the haystack on the Heron street boat, and John Marvin, his six-year-old brother, were used as a decoy to lure the men on the boat to shore.

RAILROADS FIGHT WITH SALEM ON SPEED LIMIT

(Special Dispatch to The Journal.) Salem, March 16.—Will the city council sustain Councilman F. G. Haas in his fight to force the Southern Pacific to run its trains according to the provisions of the city ordinance fixing the speed limit at six miles within the limits of the city? This is a burning question in the minds of Salem citizens.

MAY DAY STRIKE FEARED BY FRENCH OFFICIALS

(Publishers Press by Special Leased Wire.) Paris, March 16.—Much alarm is felt in government circles over the reports in circulation that the general labor federation, which organized the May day strike last year, is secretly arranging a movement for the coming May day which will be much more serious than that of last year.

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Butchers, makers, milkmen, street-sweepers and the springs in Hawthorne Park all suffered alike last night in an address by City Health Officer C. H. Wheeler, made before the Academy of Science on the sanitation and public health of the city of Portland.

Many revelations were laid bare by the health officer. He told how dishonest tradesmen were striving to avoid the health laws, and how the health of the city was thereby greatly endangered.

As for myself I never eat a tamale or a piece of sausage unless I know who made them. One of my inspectors reported that he caught a dirty East Indian washing his clothes and draining them in the same tub in which lay the hot tamales that were to be sold on the streets that evening.

Our crematory is out of date and worn out," were his words concerning the crematory which he said would be replaced by a new crematory to be built on a portion of the garbage taken to it and is a nuisance in the neighborhood in which it is located.

Dr. Wheeler treated the garbage situation thoroughly and presented the problems that have arisen in other large cities. The address was very interesting and the members present enjoyed every word.

KIDNAPERS SIGHTED OFF DELAWARE COAST

Strange Black-Hulled Sloop is Watched by the Detectives.

(Publishers Press by Special Leased Wire.) Dover, Del., March 16.—In a black-hulled sloop, which evaded up and down the coast of Delaware, a party of kidnapers was sighted yesterday afternoon for over half an hour, finally heading towards the Jersey shore when the signals of white and black flags displayed from the masthead were not answered by the boat.

Archie Practically Well Again.

(Special News by Longest Leased Wire.) Washington, March 16.—Archie Roosevelt is practically recovered from his diphtheria attack. The quarantine at the White House has been lifted.

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GROHS' DEATH STUNS GARRETT

Youthful Slayer of Saloonman Dazed When News is Broken to Him.

MUST NOW BE TRIED ON CHARGE OF MURDER

Youth Stands Motionless and Stammers His Regret and Sorrow When Word Reaches Him That Victim Had Passed Away.

"Dead, is the poor fellow dead?" asked Peter Gerretz, the youthful murderer who is confined in the county jail, when told of the death of Anton Grohs, the victim of his drunken madness.

He stood as if dazed, rubbing and blinking his eyes which could not accustom themselves to the dazzling rays of the electric light. He had not heard of Grohs' death until last night and it was a complete surprise to him.

SINGS SONGS OF THE NORTHLAND

Miss Dahl's Concert Especially Enjoyed by the Large Number of Norwegians Present.

Miss Olivia Dahl's concert at the Arion hall last night was a musical treat, especially to those who understood the language, most of the numbers being rendered in Norwegian.

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IMPEACH MESSAGE OF PRESIDENT ROOSEVELT

(Publishers Press by Special Leased Wire.) San Antonio, Tex., March 16.—The defense in the Penrose court-martial today made a bold attempt to impeach the message President Roosevelt sent to congress concerning the Brownsville raid, in which he declared the bullets locked up after the raid could only have been fired from army Springfield rifles.

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MARCH 31

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