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ENFORCEMENT OF FEDERAL INJUNCTION Western Union Seeking to Protect Messengers

Chicago, March 3.—The W. U. will seek enforcement of the federal injunction against the striking messengers, on account of assaults by boys on the men who are non union messengers. One of the latter was slapped across the face this morning and was kicked and beaten by a crowd of ex-Mercuries.

Dreyfus Appeal in Court.

Paris, March 3.—The Court of Cassation today began consideration of the Dreyfus appeal for a revision of his trial.

SPANISH BLUE-JACKETS DESERT

Madrid, Mar. 3.—One hundred blue jackets deserted the Spanish war ships Pelayo and Ferrol on account of discipline of the commander. Many have been captured and severe punishment inflicted.

Nearly Drowned.

Noble Brothers came near losing a fine steer Tuesday at Coquille while landing the animal. The steer jumped into the river while unloading it from the steamer and it was with much difficulty gotten out. The animal went under and was out of sight for a minute or two but finally recovered after discharging lots of water.

Your Heart.

When Your Heart Fails to Pump Your Blood, Trouble Results.

Have you heart trouble? You have, if you find it hard to breathe after walking up stairs, exercising, etc. If you have pain in your left side, in chest, back or shoulder. If you suffer from cold extremities, pale face, blue lips, dry cough, swollen ankles. If you have fainting spells, breast pain, palpitation, redness of the face, discomfort in sleeping on one side. The only scientific treatment for this whole train of troubles is Dr. Miles' New Heart Cure. Dr. Miles' New Heart Cure is the prescription of a famous specialist, whose great success in treating obstinate nervous heart disease has made his name pre-eminent in the medical and scientific world. "The medicine will cure you." We know it. We want you to prove it. If first bottle does not benefit, your druggist will give you back your money. "I have for several years suffered at times with heart trouble. I got so bad I could not sleep half the night, and had to sit up on the side of the bed lots of times to get breath. Three of my brothers have died of heart trouble, and I thought I was going the same way, but about two and a half years ago I got a pamphlet about Dr. Miles' New Heart Cure and thought I would try a few bottles. After using them I recovered, and have had better health since then than before for several years. I can heartily recommend them for heart trouble."—REV. JERRY HURT, Pastor Baptist Church, Hurt, Kans.

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THIRTEEN DEAD BODIES In Ruins of Hotel Darlington

New York, Mar. 6.—Three hundred men worked all night at the hotel Darlington. At ten this morning five bodies had been recovered, and the rescuers reported eight more in eight. One is cut cleanly in two.

The list of dead will not exceed thirteen, sixteen injured are in the hospital.

New York, Mar. 3.—Two more bodies were taken from the ruins at noon. One was Frank Darwiler, plumber. Other identifications are Farrell Frank, Fredrick Morrell and Ella Storrs, several arrests are expected for alleged violation of the building laws.

NO AMERICAN CARDINAL NOW.

Rome March 3.—The Pope informed an intimate friend today that there would not be time at the first consistory this year to appoint an American cardinal but at the next he will make such an appointment.

Shot His Playmate.

Bloomfield, Mo. March 3.—Playing with a shotgun, Johnnie Tyne accidentally killed his cousin Mabel Miller aged ten years. He was playing sheriff, when he shot and killed his playmate.

Eight Dead in Mine.

Breslau, March 3.—Eight men perished in a coal pit owned by Prince Donnermark at Gletwitz, Seltsa, today by the ignition of coal dust.

Fatal Train Wreck.

Cumberland, Md. March 3.—Baltimore and Ohio express number 4, was wrecked at Rollesburg this morning. Fireman McKensie was killed and the engineer probably fatally injured, but no passengers were hurt. The engine and two express mail and baggage cars were derailed.

CLEVELAND DENIES STORY

Washington, March 3.—Webb, democrat, of North Carolina, interrupted the reading of the District of Columbia appropriation bill in the House today to present to the House a denial from Grover Cleveland, that he had, while President entertained a negro at luncheon. The letter says the charge is a fabrication out of whole cloth. Said charge was made on the floor, by Scott, a Republican, of Kansas several days ago in defending Roosevelt for his action in entertaining Booker Washington.

PRES SMITH ADMITS CHARGE HAS PLURAL WIVES IN DEFIANCE OF LAW

Would Rather Suffer Legal Penalties than Desert His Numerous Wives and Families.

Washington, Mar. 3.—Because it was probable that the examination of President Smith would touch upon his personal affairs, his polygamous marriages to five wives, and his family of forty-two children, the interest in the investigation into the Root case had increased this morning. The Senate Committee room was filled with witnesses, counsel, newspaper men and spectators. Chairman Burrows announced that in view of the charge that the twelve apostles, of whom Emoot is one, connive at and teach polygamy, the committee decided that it would inquire into the teachings and practices of the apostles since Sept. 26, 1890, the date of the Woodruff manifesto.

When Smith took the stand, Attorney Taylor asked whether to take a plural wife would be a violation of the rules of the church and Smith replied that it would. He said cohabitation with a plural wife is contrary to the rules of the church as well as the law of the land.

Then, asking permission of the committee to make a statement, Smith said: "In regard to the status of polygamists at the time of the manifesto it was understood that they would abstain from association with their families. I think the rule was observed but at the time of the passage of the enabling act for the admission of Utah as a state the only provision made was that plural marriages should cease, but there was no prohibition against co-

habitation with plural wives who had been married before them.

"From time to time there has never been a plural marriage performed with the consent, knowledge or connivance of the church. As for myself, I was placed in this position: I had a plural family. My first wife was married to me over forty years ago; my last one over twenty years ago. By these wives I had children, and I preferred my chances with the law rather than abandon my wives and children.

"I cohabited with them since, not openly, but I have visited them, knowing my responsibility and my liability to the law. But since the admission of the state people have rather condemned my offense against the law. No one ever has called me to account and if they had I was there to answer and pay the penalty of the law.

I have never disobeyed the law against plural marriage, but I have been holding my wives as wives and have had eleven children by them since 'ninety. Witness admitted that he was accompanied by a plural wife to the St. Louis Fair dedication, also to a reception to the President of the United States at Salt Lake. Taylor developed from the witness that apostles Teasdale, John Teslor, H. W. Merrill, Herbert J. Grant, John Henry Smith were polygamists and were supporting more than one wife.

Witness said: "As the head of the church, I could not condemn them, as I was following the same practice myself."

AMERICAN BATTLESHIPS DAMAGED IN COLLISION

Washington, March 3.—Admiral Baker cables from Guantanamo: While making the passage from Guantanamo to Pensacola. The Missouri's steering apparatus broke and the disabled vessel collided with the Illinois, damaging the

port propeller of the latter with slight injury to herself. The Illinois has been ordered to New York. Captain Cowles, the President's brother-in-law is in command of the Missouri.

Which? Automobileist—Say, where can I get some repairs made? I've met with an accident. Farmer—What d'ye want, a machine shop or a hospital?—Motor.

Has a Kick Coming. "Yes, sir," remarked the one legged man, "I claim the hard luck championship. The day after my leg was cut off the trust advanced the price of wooden limbs 30 per cent."—Chicago Tribune.

WATER FAMINE AT PORT ARTHUR

To Prevent Blockade St. Petersburg, March 3.—Unusual energy on the part of the authorities is directed to prevention of Siberian railway blockade. Twenty new sidings have been built, in the hope to clear the line and keep eleven trains moving in each direction daily.

The reserves from the Siberian rural districts are reported to be more anxious to go to the front than the townsmen.

Shortness of Water

St. Petersburg, Mar. 3.—A Port Arthur dispatch states that the inhabitants are suffering from a serious shortness of water. The supplies are brought overland and owing to the severe cold, the water freezes and bursts before it arrives. The condenser in the town is

Plague in Sacramento Valley.

Sacramento, March 3.—Secretary of the State Board of Health Foster, was notified this morning of the death of a white woman from plague on a ranch in Contra Costa county.

Sacramento, March 3.—Flood situation is improving and the water is receding.

Beef or Butter.

If a beef breed of cattle is preferred, make beef production a specialty and don't look upon cows of such breeds to be perfect as producers of milk and butter. There may be a few good but cows among the beef producing breeds, but where a certain article is desired it should be the prime object. If milk and butter are to be specialties, the breeds used should be those that excel in those products. Too many good points cannot be had in cows. Each cow will excel in one line only and should be made to do duty where the most profitable.—St. Louis Globe-Democrat.

in sufficient to supply the needs of the garrison and inhabitants.

Extra Session of Diet

London Mar. 3.—The Central News advices from Tokio say an extraordinary session of the Japanese diet has been summoned for March eighteenth. It is not expected that the session will last more than ten days.

The customs will not be touched, but new taxes on salt and silk are likely.

Fortifying Antung

Seoul, Mar. 3.—The Russian forces in Antung are compelling the Koreans to supply them with rice and fuel.

The Russians are fortifying Antung heavily, with apparent intention of preventing the Japanese from crossing the Yalu river.

Cold Wave

Chicago, Mar. 3.—A wave of unusual severity is sweeping through Illinois, Wisconsin, Missouri, Arkansas, and Kentucky.

At some points fall of temperature of fifty degrees in a few hours is reported.

A Good Investment.

Gallia county, O., issued bonds several years ago for macadamizing the county roads. Since then 153 miles of splendid road have been built at a cost of \$335,000, and bonds were issued to that amount. According to the published statement of the auditor of the county, the increase in taxation on account of these bonds was only 25 cents on \$100 valuation. The farmers consider it the best investment that the county has ever made, as they are enabled to get to market at any season of the year and can haul very heavy loads with ease. Before the roads were improved, during winter seasons it was almost impossible to haul half a load over them.



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