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## MOTHER STANDS BY DAUGHTER

### Woman Accused of the Murder of McVicar in Stockton to Have Good Lawyer

Jackson, Cal., March 29.—"I cannot thank God enough," were the words of the white-haired mother of Eugene Le Doux to an interviewer. "Mrs. Le Doux was always hinting at insurance, and my son might have been the man in the trunk. He always believed her implicitly, and was blind to her faults. Now he realizes them bitterly, but the shock almost killed him. He has not slept since the terrible news, except by the aid of powders." The furniture which the woman induced McVicar to buy for her arrived last night in Le Doux's name. He says he would rather die than touch it. Charles Crocker, who has been Head's attorney, arrived in Stockton at noon and will undertake her defense. Mrs. Head, Mrs. LeDoux's mother, is with him. In an interview Mrs. Head said she had not deserted her daughter, but will mortgage her ranch and exhaust every means to secure her release. Crocker stated he would see she got her rights at any cost. Both are satisfied the accused woman cannot be sweated into any admissions, or bullied into a confession. Crocker and Mrs. Head, upon reaching Stockton, escaped the reporters in a closed carriage, and drove in a round-about way to the office of Attorney N. B. McNobles, in the Eldridge building. After a hasty lunch, Crocker and Mrs. Head went immediately to the jail to see the prisoner.

**Morgan's Prehistoric Present.**  
New York, March 29.—J. Pierpont Morgan has given to the American Mu-

seum of Natural History the Warren mastodon, which is considered the finest specimen known to be in existence. With this gift also goes the rest of the Warren collection of bones of extinct animals. The mastodon will be set up in the museum as soon as it can be brought here from Boston, where one member of the museum staff is now perfecting arrangements for its shipment.

The Warren mastodon was found about 1800 near Newberg, N. Y., by laborers engaged in draining some marshy land. It was purchased by Professor Warren of the Harvard Medical school. Because of its fine state of preservation, the skeleton being almost complete, it has attracted much attention among scientific men. It was kept in a little stone house, just off Beacon street, in the Back Bay. According to the will of Dr. Warren the mastodon was left to his children and could not be sold by them. After the death of his last child the mastodon was to go to his grandchildren, who could keep or sell it. When Mr. Morgan heard that the mastodon was for sale, he at once purchased it for the museum.

**Politics in the Philippines.**  
Washington, March 29.—Details of the gubernatorial elections in the Philippines show the party favoring immediate independence has made several gains. These are closely allied and elected several of the governors. Those favoring waiting the judgment of the United States won but few victories.

**Victor Bank Robbed.**  
Victor, Colo., March 29.—The Bank of Victor was entered last night and the thieves escaped with \$10,000 in new currency. The bank officials flatly deny the loss of any currency.

**Drowned While Hunting.**  
Juneau, Alaska, March 29.—Fred Sepp, of the Kake Trading Company, and Assistant Keeper Jorgenson, of the Five Fingers light house, were drowned near Hamilton bay, while hunting. The bodies have not been recovered.

## HEARST STIRS THE ANIMALS

### Position Taken is That Railroads Cannot Deal in Commodities it Transports

Washington, March 29.—The interstate commission this morning heard the argument in the Hearst matter against the Pennsylvania railroad regarding the road's dealing in coal. Clarence J. Shearn, Hearst's representative, argued that in accordance with the decision of the supreme court in the case of the Chesapeake & Ohio it is contrary to public policy for any common carrier to be a dealer in the commodities it transports.

**Coal Railroad Case Reopened.**  
Washington, D. C., March 29.—The hearing and argument in the case of William Randolph Hearst against the anthracite coal carrying railroads was reopened before the interstate commerce commission this morning. The case was originally heard before the commission in the beginning of the month, and the re-argument was decided upon the strength of the recent decision of the supreme court of the United States in the cases of the New York, New Haven & Hartford company against the Chesapeake & Ohio and the New York, New Haven & Hartford railroad companies, construing the provisions of the act to regulate commerce, the statement having been made that that decision had an important bearing upon the issue involved in the complaint of Mr. Hearst.

## CAR MEN TO GO ON STRIKE

Oakland, Cal., March 29.—By almost a unanimous vote the Oakland Car-men's Union, at a midnight meeting, decided to strike unless the Oakland Traction Company accedes to all their demands, the principal of which is recognition of the union. A ratification of the vote by the international union is necessary before the men can go out. There are nearly 1000 men in the union and the strike would tie up Oakland, Berkeley, Alameda and all lines across the bay.

**More Life Saving Stations.**  
Washington, March 29.—The senate today passed a bill appropriating \$60,000 to establish three life saving stations and build a telephone from Grays Harbor to Cape Flattery. It will also require white lights on towers in navigable streams and on the great lakes.

**They Will Not Agree.**  
Indianapolis, Ind., March 29.—The joint conference met this afternoon. Both sides are defiant, and adjournment without an agreement is expected. Many outsiders, including women, filled the galleries.

**Do Not Agree With Dewey.**  
Washington, March 29.—Admiral Capps, chief constructor and other naval officials disagree with Dewey's recommendation of one big battleship to surpass the Dreadnaught, and favor instead two 16,000-ton ships.

**Cruise in Cuban Waters.**  
Washington, March 29.—Mrs. Roosevelt, accompanied by Ethel Quentin Archie and servants left this morning for Florida, where they will board the Mayflower and cruise in Cuban waters.

**Sheriff Is Dead.**  
Chicago, March 29.—Thomas E. Barrett, sheriff of Cook county, died this morning of cancer of the throat.

**Chicago Markets.**  
Chicago, March 29.—Wheat, 76% @ 77%; corn 44% @ 44%; oats, 30% @ 30.

**A New Sawmill Company.**  
The Detroit sawmill company filed articles of incorporation with the secretary of state to engage generally in the manufacture of all kinds of lumber, the operation of sawmills, logging roads, etc. The incorporators are, R. E. Lee Steiner, Belle G. Steiner, W. E. Gilbert and Jannita Gilbert. The principal office and place of business is Salem and the amount of capital stock is \$15,000, each share being \$100.

## ELEVEN ARRESTED AT DULUTH

### Murder of Greeks at Minneapolis Still Remains a Mystery

Duluth, Minn., March 29.—Eleven Bulgarians were arrested at Duluth this morning on suspicion of connection with the Minneapolis murder. Muzman Skuloff, leader of the gang, admitted renting the house where the crimes were committed, but he said he left there Monday afternoon, leaving the six victims alive and well. He says all the dead men were friendly to each other.

**Opening Augusta Horse Show.**  
Augusta, March 29.—This is the opening day of the first horse show given under the auspices of the newly formed horse show association. The show is held on the grounds of the country club of Augusta and everything indicates that it will be a great success. Owing to the fact that there was not enough time to arrange for a more ambitious program, the association decided to exhibit only a limited class. There are only 26 classes, but they include nearly every principal class usually shown in much larger horse shows. The number of entries has been very satisfactory and many fine animals have been entered from local stables by some of the wealthy tourists, who spend the winter in this state, and from horse owners in various parts of the south.

**Army Doctors Are Wanted.**  
New York, March 29.—Much interest attaches to the examinations to be held here and in other cities in different parts of the country of graduates of medical colleges who desire to become commissioned officers of the medical department of the army. There will be about 20 places in the grade of first lieutenant (assistant surgeon) to be filled by the preliminary examinations, which are to take place on May 1 and July 31. Some difficulty has been encountered hitherto in obtaining candidates who came up to the requirements and this inability to keep the vacancies in the corps filled has served as an argument in favor of increasing the higher grades of the department, so as to facilitate promotion and offer better chances of advancement to those who are disposed to enter the corps.

**Nashville State Committee Y. M. C. A.**  
Nashville, Tenn., March 29.—The state committee of the Y. M. C. A. of Tennessee is holding a meeting here today. It is one of great interest and is attended by delegates from all parts of the state. The forenoon and early afternoon were devoted to preliminary work, and the principal session will be held later in the afternoon. It will take place in the headquarters of the state committee and will be followed by a banquet. A number of prominent speakers will address the committee.

**Opening Architectural Exhibition.**  
Chicago, Ill., March 29.—The nineteenth annual exhibition by the Chicago Agricultural Club was opened in the galleries of the Art Institute today. It is unusually interesting and meritorious and will, undoubtedly, attract considerable attention in widest circles. It includes not only works of architects but also of the allied arts, including designs and actual exhibits of furniture, stained glass windows, decorative materials and arrangements, etc.

**One Operator Weakens.**  
Indianapolis, Ind., March 29.—The miners met in separate session this morning, and considered the proposition of F. L. Robbins to pay the 1903 scale, if allowed to operate the Western Pennsylvania mines of the Pittsburg Coal Company. Robbins is the only big operator who has agreed to the advance.

**Will Get Her Decree of Divorce.**  
Roswell, N. M., March 29.—There is little doubt that Mrs. Nora Wiggins Harle, of this city, formerly a reigning belle of El Paso, Texas, will obtain a decree of divorce against her husband, Dr. Charles S. Harle. The case is to come up this afternoon and, as the defendant in the suit will not make his appearance, being unavoidably detained in Mexico, a decree in default will probably be granted.

**Dr. Harle, and two other Americans named Mason and Richardson, are under sentence of death in jail at Chi-**

huahua, Mexico, having been convicted of having murdered two men for insurance money. It is alleged that Mason and Richardson were engaged by a California life insurance company to solicit business. It was shown in the trial that they insured the lives of two men, Dr. Harle acting in the capacity of examining physician. Some time later the two men were decoyed across the river into Mexico and murdered, upon which their life insurance was collected. Strong efforts are being made to have the death sentence in the case of Dr. Harle commuted to life imprisonment.

**Will Die of Old Age Before the Trials.**  
(Four O'Clock Edition.)

Chicago, March 29.—The court today set the second Monday in September for the hearing of the cases of the packers corporations. The government's action for a new trial of the individuals was overruled, as was also the packers' motion for a new trial for the corporations.

**The Prince Went Fishing.**  
(Four O'Clock Edition.)

Victoria, B. C., March 29.—Prince Arthur left for the fishing grounds this morning by a special train. He was accompanied by a large party and his suite. The depot was surrounded by cheering crowds. Two days will be spent on the Cowichan river.

**Quite a Shake.**  
(Four O'Clock Edition.)

Petermo, Italy, March 29.—Another severe earthquake occurred here today. Many families are leaving the island.

**New State Board.**

In the circuit court of the state of Oregon, for Marion county, department No. 1, E. R. Tongue has filed an amended complaint against the State Board of Agriculture, in which the plaintiff prays that he have judgment against the defendant for the sum of \$195, with interest since September 14, 1904, at 6 per cent per annum.

This case refers to a race at the state fair, in which Thos. H. Brent's "Lou Lady," in the juvenile stake, that finished second in both heats of said race and was declared a winner at the second money, amounting to \$65, which was never paid.

Thos. Brent has sold his claim against the defendant to the plaintiff.

**Greater Than the People.**

W. M. Slusher, of Pendleton, is Republican candidate for joint representative from Umatilla and Morrow counties. He says: "During my term of office I shall consider the vote of the people of U. S. senator in congress as a recommendation, which I shall be at liberty to disregard if the reason for doing so seems to me to be sufficient."

**Two More "Ones."**

In the county clerk's office the following filings were made today:

W. T. Slater, of Salem, Democratic candidate for representative, from Marion county; takes statement No. 1.

**Twenty Years After.**

He—'I'm glad now that I didn't marry that woman. She's a confirmed old maid.  
She—How fortunate that I rejected that man. Here he is a confirmed bachelor, a thing that I detest.—*Minneapolis Tribune.*

Social conditions are badly out of tune when more respect is paid to a full purse than a good heart.

## BOYCOTT HAS GOOD POINTS

### The Chinese Cut Rockefeller's Sale a Million and Three Quarters Cases Last Year

(Four O'Clock Edition.)  
Washington, March 29.—The Chinese boycott was considered by the house committee on foreign affairs today in connection with the Forbes bill amending the exclusion act to exclude only coolies. Murray Warner, in business at Shanghai, said his business increased in September, 1905, and then dropped down to practically nothing. The Standard Oil report showed the exportations to China dropped from two millions to a quarter of a million cases of oil.

## ALMOST ENOUGH TO NOMINATE

John H. Aitken, the Eastern Oregon candidate for state treasurer, filed his petition today with the secretary of state. He has 4250 names on his petition, and more coming at the rate of 250 to 500 per day. He will have over 7000 names on his petition before it is complete, and only 1000 are required. His lists are from every county in Oregon, and may be considered as good as nominated, for he leads all in the number of his petitions.

### FARM HOUSE BURNED.

Residence of H. W. Lassalle, East of Albany, Destroyed at Noon Yesterday.

At a little after noon yesterday, says the Albany Herald, the home of H. W. Lassalle, three miles east of the city, was destroyed by fire. The family was at dinner when the fire started from a defective stove, and the house was covered with flames when the neighbors rushing to the scene notified the occupants of their peril. The contents of the house were generally saved. The house was a comfortable structure and was valued at \$2000, with an insurance of \$1200 in the Lower Columbia Relief Association.

### Candidates File.

Wm. J. Lackner, of Baker City; W. R. Ellis, of Pendleton, and George Shepard, of Portland, candidates for congress; Ralph Hoyt, of Portland, for treasurer, and E. B. Watson, for senator, filed petitions with the secretary of state today.

### Another Taken the Pledge.

Harry E. Cross, of Oregon City, today filed notice of his candidacy for Republican joint representative from Clackamas and Multnomah counties. He wishes printed after his name on the ballot "A greater Oregon." He signs statement No. 1.

### Another Committeeman.

F. W. Stahlman, of Detroit, today filed his notice of candidacy for Republican committeeman from Breitenbush precinct.

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45c Crystal Cord Wash Silks, yd 23c	RIBBONS . . . . .1c, 2c, 3c, 4c, 6 1/2c
85c Heavy Dress Taffeta Silks, grand assortment, while they last, yd 59c	.....8 1/2c and 10c yd.
20c Danish Cloth, yd . . . . .12 1/2c	LADIES' STOCKINGS . . . . .
Prices cut away down on all Fine Dress Goods and Silks.	.....8c, 10c, 12 1/2c, 15c and 25c
Best 10c Dress Gingham, yd 7 1/2c	LADIES' UNDERWEAR . . . . .
Best Apron Gingham, yd . . . . .5c	.....19c, 25c and 35c
Best Standard Calicoes, yd . . . . .4c	5000 yds of Laces, all kinds and makes, 1c, 2c, 3c, 5c, 6 1/2c, 8 1/2c
Best 8 1/2c Outing Flannels, yd 5c	.....and 10c
7 1/2c Lace Striped Curtain Series, yd . . . . .4c	Notions—Pins 1c paper; Hooks and Eyes 1c paper; Sans Silk 1 1/2c ball; 200 Spool Thread 1 1/2c spool.
Best 7 1/2c Crash Toweling, yd . . . . .5c	Thousands of other articles cheap.
House Lining, 36 in., yd 3 1/2c & 4c	65c Tote Girdle Corsets, price 39c
36 in. Bleached Muslin, yd . . . . .5c	We sell the best wearing Corset on earth, the WARNER'S RUST PROOF, prices 49c, 75c and 98c
\$1 White Bed Spreads . . . . .79c	MEN'S UNDERWEAR . . . . .
75c Double Blankets, price . . . . .45c	.....25c, 35c and 45c
12 1/2c Fancy Cretons, yd . . . . .8 1/2c	MEN'S SOX 3c, 6 1/2c, 8 1/2c & 10c
50 doz. Towels . . . . .	MEN'S PANTS . . . . .
.....3c, 5c, 6 1/2c, 8 1/2c and 10c	.....75c, 95c, \$1.25 and \$1.50
39c Bleached Table Damask, yd 29c	MEN'S SUITS \$4.95, \$6.90 & \$8.50
Better ones at smaller prices.	LADIES' FINE SHOES . . . . .
25c Panama Cloth Dress Goods 15c	.....\$1.89, \$1.75 and \$2.00
25c Best Irish Linen Dress Goods, yd . . . . .18c	LADIES' NEW \$15 SUITS . . . . .\$9.90
Dress Linings . . . . .8 1/2c and 10c	LADIES' \$6.00 COVERT JACKETS, price . . . . .\$3.45
75c Turkish Tapestry, yd . . . . .45c	LADIES' \$3.50 SWELL HATS, price . . . . .\$1.99
65c Black Moreens, price yd . . . . .29c	CHILDREN'S HATS, 25c, 39c, 49c
75c Black Velveta, yd . . . . .48c	LADIES' GLOVES ALL PRICES.
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