

MELLEN TESTIMONY DENIED BY MORGAN

Owner of New Haven Railroad Characterizes as Untrue Story Told on Witness Stand by Former President of Corporation—Tells Capital's Side.

New York, May 25.—J. P. Morgan tonight characterized as untrue the testimony of Charles S. Mellen, former head of the New York, New Haven and Hartford railroad before the interstate commerce commission in Washington last week, that J. Pierpont Morgan concealed from Mr. Mellen facts regarding the New Haven road which Mr. Mellen should have known.

Mr. Morgan offered to produce before any proper tribunal at any time the records of J. P. Morgan & Co., and the personal records of his father.

Taking full responsibility upon himself for the change in the road's prosperity by which Mr. Mellen resigned, Mr. Morgan said it was untrue that his father in any sense took from Mr. Mellen the management of the road or any part of its affairs.

Regarding the absorption of the Boston and Maine by the New Haven, Mr. Morgan said his father deemed it advisable for the public benefit, since it was recognized by himself as well as by the late Mr. Morgan himself that changing economic conditions threatened the commercial position of New England.

Formal Denial.

Mr. Morgan's statement was his first direct reply to Mr. Mellen's Washington testimony, which he examined, he said, from a stenographic report. The statement read:

"I became a director of the New Haven railroad in April, 1913, and resigned December 31 in the same year. The only reference to me personally which I have found in Mr. Mellen's testimony has to do with the fact that I, as a director of the company, called upon him and told him that a change in the presidency was desirable. For any blame that attaches to that act, whether it be accorded me as a member of the board of directors or as an individual, I accept full responsibility.

"There is, however, in Mr. Mellen's testimony something more important to me than any possible criticism of myself. Mr. Mellen, in substance, charges my father with having concealed from him, the president of the company, facts that the president of the company should have known. Everyone who knew my father knows this to be untrue. In the last 16 years of my father's life he was abroad more than one-third of the time. In the last three years of his life he was abroad one-half of the time. As the world knows, he was actively connected during this whole period with many different affairs. That he would have had the time, even if he had the desire, to interfere actively in the management of the New Haven is impossible.

STATE COMMITTEE OF SUFFRAGISTS TO MEET

COUNTY CENTRAL COMMITTEE HAS SESSION TO DISCUSS PLAN OF ACTION.

"Worked for Greater Good."

"Mr. Mellen is right in describing my father as a forceful man. He is right also in pointing out his deep interest in New Haven affairs. My father was born in New England and he believed in the New Haven railroad. He recognized, as others have recognized, that with the shifting of the center of population in this country and the changing economic conditions, the commercial position of New England was threatened and that a change in this commercial position would, unless an effort were made to counteract it, result in an unfavorable effect upon New England's leading railroad. He undoubtedly believed that a railroad peculiarly situated as is the New Haven, with a growing passenger traffic at very low rates and with expensive improvements required all along its line, must make every effort to increase its traffic and maintain its position. He believed, moreover, that the New Haven and the Boston and Maine, which were not in his opinion in any sense competing lines, could be operated to the benefit of

There was a well-attended meeting of the Missoula county central committee of the Equal Suffrage association, held yesterday afternoon, and after arranging for the coming of Miss Jane Thomson to Missoula on Friday of this week, the discussion turned to the coming meeting of the state central committee. It is hoped to send a large delegation to this meeting in Lewistown. Chairman Miss Mary Stewart of the local committee is the official delegate, but she hopes to have with her a number of other representative women of the community. Miss Knowles, Mrs. Tyler B. Thompson and Mrs. C. H. McLeod are among others who will probably be in Lewistown at this time as delegates to the convention of federated women's clubs, and they will all remain for the suffrage meeting, which opens at the conclusion of the federation's sessions.

At the meeting yesterday Miss Stewart read the following letter of good news and encouragement from Eleanor S. Coit of Big Timber, corresponding secretary of the state central suffrage committee:

"The suffrage campaign in Montana has certainly made wonderful strides in the past few months. Everywhere that Miss Rankin has visited during that time the workers have been aroused to greater enthusiasm than ever. The fact that Governor Stewart set aside May 2 as Suffrage day, and the enthusiastic celebration of the day throughout the state and the action, has given the movement a great impetus. Now, we must get ready for the next meeting of the state central committee and make it the best meeting of the campaign.

"As yet, however, it was decided at the last meeting in Butte that the committee would meet in Lewistown immediately after the annual convention of the State Federation of Women's Clubs. June 6 has been decided upon as the date for this meeting, which will be the most important of the whole campaign. The reasons for its great importance are that officers are to be selected, to last through the most telling part of the campaign, and plans for financing and managing it will be definitely discussed.

"At the meeting of the state central committee there will be some excellent speakers. There will be the field secretary of the National American Women Suffrage association, Miss Jane Thomson of Chicago. Another excellent speaker will be Miss Mary Stewart, dean of women in the University of Montana, and one of Montana's most intellectual women. Mrs. Grace Beardsley of Seattle will also speak at the meeting. Mrs. C. A. Terrell has worked in the campaign in Washington, Oregon and California, and she is now doing wonderful work among the unions in Butte.

"Of course you know the women must pay their own expenses, but if the women who wish to attend the federation and the state central committee meeting will write to Mrs. L. Roseberry, Box 428, Lewistown, Mont., she will be very glad to make reservations. This means women who are not regular federation delegates, but suffragists who are going to be there for both meetings, in order to attend the suffrage meeting.

"Again I must urge upon you the importance of this meeting, and the great necessity for the presence of every worker possible."

LOSING HOPE WOMAN VERY ILL

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Bellevue, Ohio.—"I was in a terrible state before I took Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound. My back ached until I thought it would break, I had pains all over me, nervous feelings and periodic troubles. I was very weak and run down and was losing hope of ever being well and strong. After taking Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound I improved rapidly and today am a well woman. I cannot tell you how happy I feel and I cannot say too much for your Compound. Would not be without it in the house if it cost three times the amount."—Mrs. CHAS. CHAPMAN, R. F. D. No. 7, Bellevue, Ohio.

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DORVAL OF CLINTON FOUND GUILTY BY JURY

MAN CHARGED WITH SELLING BOOZE TO WOMEN GETS OFF WITH PAYING A FINE.

William Dorval, a Clinton saloon-keeper, was found guilty of allowing women to frequent his place and of furnishing them with intoxicating liquor after a trial in the district court yesterday. The jury returned a verdict at 7 o'clock and imposed a fine of \$100 and costs.

Sheriff Kelley arrested Dorval several weeks ago. The officer had been informed that the Clinton saloon man had been in the practice of allowing women to frequent his place; that they sometimes came to Clinton on Friday night and remained there until Monday morning. When the sheriff went to the saloon he found the women in the barroom. Their grips and wraps were located in an adjoining room.

The jurors who decided the case are Marvin Sharpe, George Briggs, Ben B. Smith, R. V. Sackett, W. L. Johnson, J. D. Rowland, C. N. Denn, Frank McKloske, Ranger Swanson, C. T. Dohman, L. H. Crane and James T. Kain.

The state alleged yesterday that when he was charged with the crime Dorval made no attempt to deny it. Yesterday, however, Dorval asserted that he sold the two women ginger ale and soda water instead of intoxicating liquor.

One of the women denied this. She knew the taste of whiskey, she said, and the drink which Dorval served her was whiskey. She said that with two men and another woman she went into Dorval's Clinton saloon, ordered whiskey and got it. The other woman drank ginger ale and beer.

FOR FIRST PRIMARY TWO CANDIDATES APPEAR

MINERAL COUNTY'S FIRST VOTING WILL BE DESULTORY, APPARENTLY.

The announced intention of Mineral county voters to stay away from the primary election called by the Missoula county commissioners, seemingly, was shown yesterday.

The time for the filing of petitions for place on the primary ballot has concluded and only two men have made proper representation to County Clerk Balington. Only two of the many ambitious towns have filed petitions as prospective county seats, and St. Regis, one of the most important contenders, is not of these.

Upon the official ballots for the new county's first primary will appear the names of Otto Eskin of Keweenaw, democratic candidate for assessor, and William LaCombe of Superior, democratic candidate for sheriff. Paul Westfall filed a petition as democratic candidate for county commissioner, but has withdrawn his name since a mass meeting of the people of the county decided to disregard the primary.

Alberton and Superior will be the only towns named on the ballot.

The primary election will be held for the purpose of naming the candidates who will make the race at the final election in August. When announcement of the primary was first made candidates were many. Seven men went so far as to file with the county clerk declarations of their intention of entering the race. They were the three named above and Alfred Klugman, C. D. Bartlett, Spencer Whiting and W. E. Thorne. All were democrats save Whiting, who wished the progressive voters to support him for the office of county physician.

Early this month representatives of all of the towns in the proposed county met at St. Regis and decided to overlook the primaries. Inasmuch as the officers elected at the first election will serve only until January 1, 1915, it was thought better to name a single ticket at a nominating convention and center all attention upon the vote on county division. For the regular election in November campaigns will be made.

The same circumstances governed the county-seat struggle. The town named in August will be the seat of government only until January 1.

THIEF IS BAPTIZED.

Butte, May 25.—(Rev. Robert Kill-Sore, pastor of the First Baptist church, today notified the police that an attempt yesterday morning had been made to rob his church following services, but that the thief had fallen into the open baptismal pool and been frightened away. The pool adjoins the altar and the door had been left open by the janitress and in the dark the prowler tumbled in. The church was robbed several weeks ago.

The Road to Success.

The best brain effort and indigestion do not go hand in hand. If you would win a lasting success you must keep your stomach in good working order and your bowels regular. This is easily done if you go about it right. Mrs. C. C. Baker, Homer City, Pa., writes: "About two years ago I suffered from stomach trouble and constipation. After I began using Chamberlain's Tablets my condition improved. At the end of a week I could eat and sleep well." Sold by all dealers. Adv.



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Special Sale All This Week on Raincoats for Men, Women, Misses and Children

Women's and Misses' Raincoats

A good serviceable coat for women and misses. Cloth top with rubber back, stitched seams. Fits close around the neck. Comes in tan only. A dandy \$3.50 value. Sizes 16 to 42. This week's sale.....\$2.75

Women's and Misses' Raincoats

Bamazine coats with cloth backs for women and misses; gives you a good wearing coat and one that will turn the water. Sizes 16 to 44. A \$4.50 value. This week's sale.....\$3.85

Children's Raincoats, \$2.75

A coat that will keep the rain off the youngsters. Cloth top well rubberized and fits close around the neck. Come in sizes 6 to 16. A \$3.00 value. This week's sale.....\$2.75

Children's Raincoats

Children's very heavy Bamazines with a cloth back. Sizes 8 to 16. A \$4.00 value. This week's sale.....\$3.50

On all other women's, misses' and children's raincoats and gaberdines, we will, during this sale, give a discount of 15 per cent.

Men's Raincoats \$2.95

Men's cloth surface rubber back raincoats; cemented seams; a \$3.50 value. This week's sale.....\$2.95

Men's Raincoats, \$4.95

Men's double texture cloth surface and plaid back—a worthy coat and one that will give you service; a \$5.50 value. This week's sale.....\$4.95

Men's Raincoats, \$5.95

Men's double texture cloth surface and cloth back; extra heavy and durable; a \$7.50 value. This week's sale.....\$5.95

Men's Gaberdines, \$11.75

Men's English gaberdines; 48 and 50 inches in length; with or without belt; a full range of sizes from 26 to 44; a \$15 value. This week's sale.....\$11.75

All other raincoats and Gaberdines will be subjected to a discount of 15 per cent.

Boys' Raincoats, \$2.65

Boys' rubber lined, cloth surface raincoats; sizes 6, 8, 10; a \$3 value. This week's sale.....\$2.65

Raincoats, \$3.25

Youths' Bamazine plaid back raincoats; a \$4 value; sizes 12, 14, 16. This week's sale.....\$3.25

\$13.75 Suit Sale Now Going On

Local Brevities

New rubber soled oxfords at Mapes & Mapes.—Adv.

Mrs. C. H. Savage of Wallace, Idaho, visited the city yesterday.

\$ 8 per cent money to loan. J. M. Price Co.—Adv.

Mrs. W. H. Rock of Tofo was a guest in Missoula yesterday.

Marsh, the undertaker, Phone 321.—Adv.

A daughter was born Saturday to Mr. and Mrs. John S. Caine of this city.

Mary Jane pumps. Big new lot just arrived at Mapes & Mapes.—Adv.

E. S. Lusk of the First National bank spent the day in Helena yesterday.

Stenographer. Dawson, Montana Bk.—Adv.

Joseph Morreque of Combs Hot Springs was a visitor in the city yesterday.

Dr. Ward, veterinarian. Both phones.—Adv.

Miss Mary Giffin has returned to Missoula after being for three weeks at Potomac.

Dr. Amj James, osteopath. Higgins block. Phone 334 black.—Adv.

Mrs. Mary Howlette of Ronan is under a physician's care at St. Patrick's hospital.

Mary Jane shoes with cloth tops at Mapes & Mapes.—Adv.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Murray were registered at the Elphard hotel yesterday from Hamilton.

Dr. Willard, osteopath. First National bank.—Adv.

A son was born yesterday morning to Mr. and Mrs. Jacky at their home in daily addition.

Money to loan on farm and city property. The Banking Corporation.—Adv.

Miss O. Hoyt is in Spokane for two days on business for the Hoyt-Dickinson Piano company.

Elk hide shoes for the whole family at Mapes & Mapes.—Adv.

Mrs. Francis Hoese and Miss Edith Hoese are guests in Missoula for two days from Hamilton.

Desirable first mortgage securities for sale. The Banking Corporation.—Adv.

Rev. and Mrs. J. C. Irwin were here from Hamilton to spend Sunday and Monday with friends.

Newton H. Schweiker, optical specialist. Rooms 203-205 Montana Bk.—Adv.

Attorney William F. Wayne spent yesterday at Haugan on business. He expects to return today.

The Missoulian has the best duplicating second sheets for letters. 73¢ per 1,000.—Adv.

W. W. Bennett, forest assistant, has gone to Haugan for a few days on business for the forest service.

Money to loan on ranch and city property. H. D. Fisher, 113 E. Main.—Adv.

Miss Orpha O'Neal is here from Plains, a guest for the week in the

home of Mrs. Esther Lindfors and Miss Verena Lindfors, 519 South Fifth street west.

Charles L. Cookson, vice president of the Adminal Hay Press company of Kansas City, Mo., called on local dealers yesterday.

Touring car for rent, \$3 per hour. Special rates for trips. J. J. Deakin. Phone 523.—Adv.

Elers Koch, supervisor of the Lolo national forest is spending the week on official business at Haugan.

Dr. Louise Smith, osteopath. Masonic temple. Phone 618; res., 533 red.—Adv.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Schlosser of Loretta, Minn., are here visiting their daughter, Mrs. Partoll, and family.

George McCabe spent the day in Missoula in the interests of the P. H. L. Harbunburgh company of St. Paul.

Get pure gum rubber fishing boots at Mapes & Mapes.—Adv.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Jamison and Ed Jamison were guests at the Shepard hotel yesterday from their home at Sunset.

Roy Robinson has returned from Rochester, Minn., feeling quite well after undergoing a severe operation for goitre.

Handy scratch pads and water checks for sale at The Missoulian office.—Adv.

A son was born early yesterday morning to Mr. and Mrs. Herman Knauth in their home at McQuarrie, near Clinton.

Mrs. O. L. Peterson was reported by the attending physician yesterday to be quite ill at her home, 428 North Third street.

V. E. Evans, who is connected with the United States reclamation service, was a visitor in Missoula yesterday from St. Ignace.

This is a good time to begin to save. We pay 4 per cent per annum on savings deposits. The Banking Corporation.—Adv.

E. A. Nichols left yesterday for his home at St. Paul, after spending the week end in Missoula with Dr. and Mrs. N. S. Schweiker.

C. E. Constant, representative of the International Harvester company, made one of his regular monthly visits in Missoula yesterday.

Mrs. George Grover was brought in to St. Patrick's hospital for medical treatment yesterday. Mrs. Grover's home is at Frenchtown.

Lawn mowers sharpened by special machinery. Called for and delivered. Phone 238. J. P. Reinhard, 104 West Main.—Adv.

J. B. Wrabek, connected with the Mountain States Telephone and Telegraph company at Hamilton, had business in Missoula yesterday.

Wright Gray has returned from Spokane, where he has been for two weeks on business for the Blackfoot Land Development company.

Mrs. Clara Lawyer has returned to Missoula after spending the last six months with friends in New York, Philadelphia and other eastern cities.

Miss Mabel Jakeways has come from her home at Ovando to take a position as stenographer for C. A. Barnes in the office of the men's clothing department of the Missoula Mercantile

company. Miss Jakeways is taking the place of Miss Isabel Hartness, who will leave next week for Chicago, where she will take a nurse's training course in the Illinois Training School for Nurses.

W. A. Engel, who is conductor on the logging railroad of the Anaconda Copper Mining company at St. Regis, spent the day on business in Missoula.

Kenneth Scribner of the hardware department of the Missoula Mercantile company, has gone for a vacation visit to his old home in New Brunswick.

Ernest R. Coon of Spokane filed application yesterday for homestead entry on 74.30 acres, list 1-978, unreserved, in section 2, township 20 north, range 20 west.

C. V. Ford is expected to arrive in Missoula today from Virginia. Mr. Ford has taken a house at 502 South First street and expects to locate in the city as a lawyer.

W. P. Bell has returned to Missoula after spending some weeks at St. Regis. He went to consult a specialist in regard to an injury received while working over a broken side rod of his locomotive.

Andrew Garcia brought his 13-year-old son into Missoula yesterday from his home at Fish Creek. The boy will be given an X-ray examination and medical treatment by one of the physicians of the city.

Miss Blanche A. Orey of St. Ignace applied yesterday for homestead entry on 40 acres, the northwest quarter of the southwest quarter of section 7, township 19 north, range 19 west. The application was rejected.

Mrs. B. Rickel Sullivan of Dixon yesterday filed application for homestead entry on 120 acres, list "11," the north half of the southeast quarter and the northeast quarter of the southwest quarter of section 3, township 19 north, range 21 west.

W. P. Erb and his mother, Mrs. Elizabeth A. Erb, left Sunday for their old home at Sussex, New Brunswick. Mr. Erb has been for a number of years a clerk in the furniture department of the Missoula Mercantile company, and he is now going to live again in New Brunswick.

WELSH BEATS MANDOT.

New Orleans, May 25.—Fredie Welsh, the English pugilist, outpointed Joe Mandot of New Orleans in a 10-round bout tonight. Welsh had the better of five rounds, Mandot of three and two were even. Welsh was 10 pounds heavier than his opponent.

Dizziness, vertigo (blind staggers) sallow complexion, flatulence are symptoms of a torpid liver. No one can feel well while the liver is inactive. HERBINE is a powerful liver stimulant. A dose or two will cause all bilious symptoms to disappear. Try it. Price 50¢. Sold by Garden City Drug Co.—Adv.

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WOMAN IS INJURED WHEN BUGGY UPSSETS

MRS. FRANK CAMATTA OF ORCHARD HOMES SERIOUSLY HURT IN ACCIDENT.

Mrs. Frank Camatta is lying in a critical condition at her home in Orchard Homes, suffering from the injuries she received Sunday evening, when a horse she was driving upset her carriage over a steep bank. Mrs. Camatta and her sister-in-law were driving on South Third street, about 7 o'clock Sunday evening. They were near the place where the street crosses an irrigation canal. An auto, mobile, driven by Frank Conroy, came up back of the ladies. Mrs. Camatta thought the road was too narrow for passing and pulled her horse squarely to one side. Mr. Conroy shouted to her that there would be no trouble, that there was plenty of room, but by that time Mrs. Camatta had become nervous and pulled the horse so that the carriage was tipped over a grade of about 15 feet. Mrs. Camatta suffered five broken ribs on the left side and her right arm broken above the elbow and at the wrist. Her collar bone is also dislocated and she is badly bruised. The lady who was with her escaped with only scratches. Two physicians, one summoned by Mr. Conroy, and one summoned by Mrs. Camatta, are attending the case. They state that if pneumonia does not develop, Mrs. Camatta stands a fair chance of recovery.

PRECAUTIONS TAKEN.

Newry, Ireland, May 25. Colonel Turner, commanding the infantry regiment stationed here, on receipt of urgent orders tonight, sent all that of children of the regiment to Curragh camp. It was Brigadier General Gough, in command of Curragh camp, who refused to take command in Ulster last March and finally received written guarantees from Colonel Seely, the minister of war, which resulted in the resignation of the minister.

TWENTY-FIVE KILLED.

Mexico City, May 25.—While a heavy piece of machinery was being lowered into a shaft at the Santa Gertrudis mine at Pachuca today, it fell, killing 25 Mexican miners. Several mine bosses were arrested.

LANGFORD WINS.

Rochester, N. Y., May 25.—Tonight Sam Langford, the negro heavy weight, knocked out Bill Watkins of Nashville in the fourth round of a 10-round match.