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LAST EDITION. ASTOR MILLIONS. William Astor's Will, Filed To-Day, Makes John Jacob Astor One of America's Richest Men.

\$15,000,000 Now, \$15,000,000 in 1896, Life Interest in \$30,000,000.

\$145,000, Out of \$65,000,000, Is Bequeathed to Charitable Objects.

No Legacy to Mrs. Drayton, but Her Children and Other Heirs Are Liberally Provided For.

The will of William Astor was filed for probate at the Surrogate's office, to-day. It left a fortune estimated by those who are in a position to know as above \$65,000,000.

The will covered sixty-six closely written pages of legal copy, and the six codicils attached cover many more pages. The whole comprises more than 15,000 words.

There are thirteen articles in the will which was filed by Executor Kinsman at 12:20 o'clock this afternoon.

Contrary to general belief, William Astor received in 1875, at the death of his father, William Rockefeller Astor, an equal share with his brother, the late John Jacob Astor, of his father's estate.

William Astor's will bequeaths nearly all of his estate to his only son, John Jacob Astor, of that portion which has accumulated in his hands to that time.

John Jacob Astor receives \$15,000,000 as soon as the will is admitted to probate, to give away, to save, to invest, or to throw away as he likes.

The will was made July 12, 1892, and is modified by six codicils, the last of which was made just before Mr. Astor last sailed for Europe.

A fund is given to trustees sufficient to produce an income of \$50,000 a year, to be paid to Mrs. Astor during her life, and this, with the annual income of the property, will make Mrs. Astor's income \$110,000 a year.

For each of the children of his oldest daughter, Rose, who married J. Van Alen, of Newport, and died ten years ago, Mr. Astor gives a fund of \$400,000 to his executors, as trustees, who will invest the same, and pay the income to these grandchildren.

A fund of \$850,000 is left in trust, the income to go to Helen Astor Roosevelt, the daughter of the late Senator Roosevelt, and she is free to will the same, or to give it to whom she pleases at her death.

life of \$110,000, which is given in trust for that purpose to the executors.

Then follow several specific bequests, the Astor Library getting \$50,000 and other public institutions only small remembrances.

The list is complete as follows: To Ernest Fremont's Fund, city of New York, \$10,000.

After these several bequests the will gives all the residue of Mr. Astor's individual estate, real and personal, to the executors to hold in trust for the benefit of his son John Jacob for life, with power to the son to dispose of it by will, and gives him the reversion of the New York and Newport mansions.

The next clause bequeaths to John Jacob Astor, who is now in his eightieth year, and his fifth birthday will come in 1896, the residue of the estate left by William B. to William Astor for life.

As for Mrs. Drayton, when she married J. Coleman Drayton, her father set aside \$500,000 to trust for her, and she will continue to draw the interest, besides, she is the favorite sister of John Jacob, and she is not likely to want.

Probate Clerk Tracy stamped each of the papers with a rubber stamp, which gave not only the day but the hour of filing, and the waiting reporters were escorted into another room and given a table at which to work on the papers.

The six codicils are verbose and full of details, and they are all dated in 1892, the first one being made Nov. 2, 1892, and the last one on July 12, 1892.

William Astor, of the City of New York, do make and publish this codicil to my last will, which was made on the 12th day of January, 1892.

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FIVE YEARS WEDDED. Ward McAllister's Son's Secret Marriage Just Leaked Out.

His Bride Was Miss Jamie Garmany, of Savannah.

The Pair Thought to Be Now on Their Long-Delayed Honey-Moon Journey.

Fashionable society in New York has a fresh and interesting subject for gossip today in the announcement of the clandestine marriage of Howard Hall McAllister, the second son of the late Senator McAllister, and Miss Jamie Garmany, of Savannah.

Howard McAllister is a tall, good-looking young man of about thirty-two. He lived until recently with his father at 16 West Thirty-sixth street and is secretary of a company whose office is at a lawyer's street.

Miss Garmany, who he met for the first time in 1887 at Newport, is the daughter of the late George W. Garmany, of Savannah, a wealthy speculator, who left a considerable fortune at his death.

The present movement is said to be the result of a recent visit of the young lady to this city, and a conference with Commissioner Gallup and her husband.

The mystery which surrounds the whole affair is intensified by the fact that young McAllister has left town and cannot be found at his home, or at any of his father's addresses.

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"EVENING WORLD" ILLUSTRATED PROVERBS—LX.



Beware of False Prophets. WAUHOPE LYNN, JUSTICE.

Appointed by Gov. Flower in Place of Peter Mitchell.

Gov. Flower today appointed Wauhope Lynn a Civil Justice of the First District Court.

This is the place made vacant by Judge Peter Mitchell's death.

Mr. Lynn was at the time of appointment Assistant District Attorney in Mr. Nicoll's office.

He will resign.

GOVERNOR SIGNS 38 BILLS. Among Them the Ward's Island and Park Police Pension Acts.

ALBANY, May 13.—Gov. Flower today signed thirty-eight bills.

Chapter 515, creating a New York City Park Police pension fund.

Chapter 530, appropriating \$1,000,000 to improve the parade ground in Van Cortlandt Park.

Chapter 538, providing for the purchase of Ward's Island by New York City.

Chapter 542.—Connolly's New York City Central Park Transverse Railroad Connection bill.

Chapter 543.—In relation to persons in Kings County who abandon their wives or children.

LAST EDITION. FANNING NOT TO DIE.

Gov. Flower Commutes His Sentence to Life Imprisonment.

Result of a Hearing in the Case at Albany This Morning.

Weak Evidence and Narrowness of Defense the Chief Claims.

ALBANY, May 13.—Gov. Flower has commuted to imprisonment for life the sentence of Henry C. Fanning, who was to have been electrocuted at Sing Sing Prison during the week commencing next Sunday.

The murder for which Fanning stands convicted took place on the night of April 18, 1891, at the corner of Ninety-sixth street and Fourth avenue, the victim being Mrs. Emily Taylor, whose throat was cut from ear to ear.

David Welch and Julius Lehmann, of New York City, appeared for Fanning this morning in a hearing before the Governor.

There were present, besides the condemned man, his wife, child and father, a number of citizens of Utica, where the boyhood of Fanning was spent, including Prof. McMillan, D. Ballou, E. S. Gardner, Rev. Dr. Bigelow, F. H. Cassidy, Rev. F. W. Townsend and Dr. E. B. Taylor.

Also Col. Seward, of the Ninth Regiment, of which Fanning was a member, Mrs. Harriet G. Rice, of Utica, to whose school both Fanning and Lawyer Lehmann once went, and also Rev. Dr. Bigelow.

Mr. Welch asked a petition signed by citizens of Utica praying for favorable action on the part of Gov. Flower.

Mr. Welch also stated that Fanning did not have a fair and impartial trial, and that his defense on the part of counsel was narrow and weak.

In the Court of Appeals the brief of Fanning's counsel comprised but three printed pages, that of the prosecution covering eighteen printed pages.

The present commutation signed by Frederick H. Brown, William H. Howe, Ambrose H. H. Purdy and Charles W. Broome, all eminent lawyers in New York, saying that although being experienced trial lawyers, they would never conduct a capital case without the aid of associate counsel; and that Fanning's case a novice in criminal procedure.

All escaped without any advice or assistance whatever.

Mr. Welch also had a petition signed by eight of the trial jurors who convicted Fanning praying for a commutation of sentence.

Mr. Welch's main argument was in attacking the testimony of Albert McMillan, Fanning's housekeeper, who was the sole evidence principally Fanning was convicted.

After the hearing was closed, the Governor went to Rev. Dr. Bigelow and Fanning's relatives and held a few minutes' conversation.

THE "DEATH AVENUE" TRACKS. New York Central Officials Agree to their Removal.

This morning a committee of the West Side Citizens' Association, composed of ex-Congressman John Quinn, Robert Gordon, Henry Deike, Edward Deike, William Von Kistern, W. N. May, Valentine Dittenhafer, S. A. Ludin and George Wiley, waited on General Manager Tourney, Third Vice-President of the New York Central, and asked for the removal of the tracks on Eleventh avenue, where so many lives have been lost.

State Senator George W. Plunkitt suggested the removal of the tracks to Twelfth avenue, which borders on the river and is not lined with tenements.

The railroad officials agreed to this proposition and so did the Citizens' Committee.

The change will be accomplished, it is expected, by May of next year.

New Mint Bill Introduced.

WASHINGTON, May 13.—The Senate today by a vote of 75 to 15, introduced a bill appropriating \$1,000,000 for the purchase of a site and the erection of a mint in Philadelphia. (The appropriation for this purpose, stricken out in the House Sundry Civil bill, was \$200,000.)

Habeas Corpus for Embezzler Pope.

CHICAGO, May 13.—Attorney Briggs will today apply for a writ of habeas corpus in behalf of William Henry Pope, the Englishman detained on a charge of embezzlement and awaiting the arrival of extradition papers from Washington.

Anarchists Repeal Red Flags.

CHICAGO, May 13.—A constable has served on Superintendent of Police McLaughlin a writ of replevin ordering the production before Justice Prindleville of three red banners seized from the May 1st parades.

Pinned Under 125 Tons.

JOLIET, Ill., May 13.—Thomas Newbold, foreman; Arthur Ralph, machinist; John Gavigan and J. Brady, pipe-fitters at the Illinois Steel Works, were caught under a tank weighing 125 tons which fell yesterday.

All escaped with bruises, but will not prove fatal. Gavigan was pinned by one arm beneath the enormous mass for two hours.

Wire News in Brief.

A conflict of Garza men and Mexican soldiers in which ten revolutionists were killed is reported in the State of Tamaulipas.

The border plagues has disappeared along the southern border of North Carolina.

Weather Forecast.

7:30 A. M. Saturday: Fair; stationary temperature; northerly winds; For Sunday: Generally fair; slightly warmer. For Monday: Cloudiness and showers; warmer.

Street-Cleaning Commissioner Thomas S. Brennan is a trifle worse today. The result of the shock Mr. Brennan sustained by being thrown from his buggy when the train struck it is more severe than was anticipated. He will be confined to his house for several days.

Plucky Defense Made by a Pretty Jersey Music Teacher.

(SPECIAL TO THE EVENING WORLD.) Newark, May 13.—Miss Lulu Young, a pretty Roseville music teacher, is a heroine today, on account of her repulse of a scoundrel who insulted her on Fifth avenue last evening.

Miss Young struck him in the face with her parasol and tried to shoot him, but the fellow held her hand tight in her pocket. She succeeded in pulling the trigger of her pistol, however. The result of an accident. She took the handle of the pistol set her dress on fire. The man escaped.

Baron Fava Coming Back.

Baron Fava, the Italian Minister to the United States, who was recalled from Washington during the trouble over the mobbing of Italians in New Orleans, is returning to this country on the French line steamship La Cassagne, which sailed from Havre last Saturday, and is expected to arrive Sunday morning.

Baron Fava will be met down the bay by Carlo Barzilli, chief of the Italian Consulate in New York, and other members of the Columbus Monument Association, prominent Italian patriots, and will be met by the Mayor at the foot of Cortlandt street on a tug at 10:30 Sunday morning.

Hurt in a Cave-In.

A sandbank at Thirty-ninth street and Ninth avenue, Brooklyn, on which a gang of laborers were at work, caved in shortly before noon today.

Three of a Gang of Laborers Seriously Injured.

Three of a gang of laborers were seriously injured today.

A Girl Apprehended by Gas.

State Street, Brooklyn, in the family of Frederick Schick, at 408 West Forty-third street, was found dead in her bed this morning, having been asphyxiated by gas.

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