LA FARGE'S ESTATE IN TRUST

WOMAN SECRETARY EXECUTRIX TO SETTLE CLAIMS.

Artistic Possessions and Personal Objects Almost the Only Property Left—These Are to Be Sold and the Proceeds Devoted to Payment of Debts.

NEWPORT, R. I., Dec. 27.—The will of John La Farge, the artist, was presented for probate here this morning. The will makes Grace Barnes of Larchmont, N. Y., his executrix and gives to her full powers in all matters. No mention is made of family and all property is finally to go to such purposes as the executrix may decide.

Mr. La Farge left a wife, Margaret; three daughters—Mrs. Meham Claxton of Philadelphia, Mrs. Edward H. Childs of New York and Frances La Farge—and four sons—C. Grant La Farge, president of the Architectural League of New York; Bancel, an artist who lives in Switzerland; Oliver Hazard Perry, a banker in Seattle, and John, a Jesuit priest attached to the Vatican.

Mr. La Farge says that he wishes as soon as practicable after his death to have all his drawings offered to the Metropolitan Museum of Art, the Carnegie, Worcester and Seattle museums for a sum to be decided by the executrix. If not accepted within sixty days of the offer the drawings are to be sold at public auction.

He orders the same disposition of his paintings, his executrix to determine upon their value. Later he says that if it seems more advantageous to the executrix she may dispose of his drawings and paintings at private sale, but not till they have been refused by the museums mentioned. He orders his books, studio effects and all his belongings disposed of by his executrix as seems most advantageous to her. He excepts from the above certain articles which he says are named in a special paper duly witnessed.

The will orders all royalties from the sale of Mr. La Farge's books by the Century Company and Macmillan, Doubleday, Page & Co. paid to his executrix, and she is to continue the publication with any and all firms as she sees fit. He wishes his letters and effects looked over and destroyed as she may see fit.

Mr. La Farge ordered that he should be buried in Woodlawn in the manner desired and known to his executrix and Awaki, his Japanese servant. From the money received from the sales he orders all debts paid and tomb erected and the remainder given to such institutions as may be chosen by his executrix.

The will is witnessed by Riozo Awaki of 51 West Tenth street and John H. Barlow of 12 Fifth avenue, New York.

C. Grant La Farge said last night that the unusual terms of the will were satisfactory to Mr. La Farge's family, who understood perfectly Mr. La Farge's reasons for naming Miss Barnes as executrix. Miss Barnes was for years his father's confidential secretary and looked after the business matters connected with his work. Mr. La Farge's estate consists largely of his artistic property and personal effects. This property must be sold to satisfy claims against the estate which amount nearly to its total value. Under these circumstances, says C. Grant La Farge, his father realized in making his will that the disposal of his effects should be in the hands of Miss Barnes, who is more familiar with them and with the business involved than any member of the family. Mr. La Farge says that he thinks this a very good arrangement and that Miss Barnes is working hand in hand with him in the conduct of the estate, he being practically, though not legally, coexecutor.

TEST JIM CROW TENEMENT LAW.

First Arrest Under Baltimore's Negro Segregation Ordinance.

BALTIMORE, Dec. 27.—The first case under the new law segregating negroes will be heard to-morrow in the police court. It will be carried to the higher courts.

William Gallagher, an extensive real estate owner, is charged with having rented one of his houses on Argile avenue to negroes. There are already a number of negro residents in this avenue, which until a few years ago was occupied by white families. Much of the property in this section has declined 40 to 50 per cent.

Warrants were issued for Gallagher and for the colored woman who rented the house. The contention will be made that the lease was made before the law went into effect, although the tenant did not occupy the house until yesterday. The colored City Councilman and other colored lawyers are preparing to carry up a test case to the Federal courts.

The attention of the police was called to the first alleged violation of the law by the white residents of the neighborhood, and the police investigated and had the warrants issued.

The provisions of the ordinance are that no house in a block the majority of whose residents are white shall be rented to a negro and vice versa. The Argile avenue block is said to have a majority of white residents and therefore the leasing of the premises is in violation of the ordinance.

The person who moves into the house in which it is provided he shall not live is held under the ordinance to be equally liable with the owner for the violation of the law.

M'GRATH HELD WITHOUT BAIL.

Policeman Who Shot Walker Has Not Been Suspended.

Policeman Matthew J. McGrath, the athlete who shot George F. Walker on Saturday night in McGrath's home, 708 East Fifth street, Brooklyn, has not been suspended from the force pending the outcome of the charge made against him.

McGrath was arraigned yesterday morning in the Flatbush police court before Magistrate Hylan. He made no statement. His attorney, Philip J. Brennan, said that his client would waive examination until he had received a report as to Walker's condition. He said the defence would be that McGrath had fired in self-defence after being fired at by Walker. The court room was crowded at the hearing with friends of McGrath, many of them athletes of note.

McGrath was held without bail until his examination, though Daniel J. Griffin, John A. Wallace and other brokers were on hand to furnish it. Sergt. Dempsey appeared as complainant. The case is being investigated by Commissioner Cropsey.

MAY BE TRIPLE MURDERER.

Fugitive From West Virginia Arrested Here Through a Relative's Tip.

John Kalay, a Hungarian, of 85 Sheriff street, was arrested last night charged with being a fugitive from justice. He is accused of having killed three persons in a little mining town supposed to be Elkhorn, W. Va., three years ago.

David Schoenberger, a deputy sheriff, of 357 Third street, said last night that a relative of Kalay, Michael Thompa of 264 Second street, told him that Kalay was wanted in West Virginia for murdering three persons. Schoenberger understood that $1,000 reward had been offered for his arrest. The prisoner was found in a coal yard where he worked.

According to the police Kalay admitted having shot several persons. He told them that one night about three years ago he got into a row with the folks who lived in the same house with him in Elkhorn and fired several shots. He ran away before he learned whether he had killed any one.

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SHEEHAN TO TAKE THE FIELD

WILL ISSUE A STATEMENT ON CANDIDACY FOR SENATOR.

It Will Be Next Year Before a Definite Result is Arrived At—State Officers to Be Busy This Week Fixing Up States—Fishkill Heard From Again.

The Democrats associated with Charles F. Murphy began yesterday the final scrutiny of the subordinate places to be given to Democrats in the State departments at Albany. Attorney-General-elect Thomas Carmody, recovered from his recent illness, arrived in town last night and within the next few days Mr. Carmody and the other Democratic State officers-elect are to fix up the appointments which are to be announced at Albany on Monday. There have been a hundred and one applicants for every place.

The Senate and the Assembly will be called to order on Monday next by the Republican Clerks, Lafayette B. Gleason for the Senate and Ray B. Smith for the Assembly. There won't be much done, though, until the Democratic Senators-elect and the Democratic Assemblymen-elect in caucus choose their leaders. Up to the present time Senator Thomas F. Grady is slated to be President pro tem. of the Senate and Assemblyman Daniel D. Frisbie is to be Speaker. The assistants to the Senate Clerk and the Assembly Clerk are to be finally selected this week. All told in the two branches of the Legislature there are about two hundred of these places.

Pending these matters, and in fact until after New Year's Day, very little, it was stated, will be heard of a definite nature concerning the Senatorship. The joint caucus will not be held until January 17.

The Democrats from all parts of the State are to journey to Albany on Saturday and Sunday next to attend the inauguration of Governor-elect Dix on Monday, and at that time, it was added, Democratic sentiment will be sifted. Upon the adjournment of the Legislature for two weeks, which will take place almost immediately after convening, there are to be more conferences.

A circular was sent out yesterday from the "League of Independent Democratic Clubs" at Fishkill Landing calling upon all the Independent Democratic Senators to oppose Senator Grady for leader of the Senate. The "League" circular is signed by John T. Cronin, formerly an Independence Leaguer and very close to William R. Hearst. It was from these headquarters in Fishkill last spring and summer months that literature was sent out favorable to the nomination of Mayor Gaynor for Governor.

The league now is frankly anti-Tammany and in the leading article of the circular sent out yesterday notice is served that Governor-elect Dix must be independent of Mr. Murphy and Tammany influence or the league will come out against him. Furthermore Mr. Cronin's circular calls upon Governor-elect Dix to assume the State leadership of his party over Mr. Murphy's head and to see that the reforms mentioned in the Rochester State convention platform are carried out. Finally Mr. Cronin's circular comes out against William F. Sheehan for Senator.

Before the joint caucus of the Legislature is held on January 17 Gov. Dix, Mayor Gaynor and Mr. Murphy are to have further consultations. Mr. Sheehan before the week is out will issue a formal statement replying to the request of his Democratic friends in Buffalo that he become a candidate for United States Senator, formally accept the invitation and give his political platform.

CODY AND MURPHY SET DOWN.

Driscoll's Chief Raiders Are Shifted to Precincts as Patrolmen.

Detectives Edward T. Cody and John F. Murphy, who were First Deputy Police Commissioner Driscoll's right hand men in his raids on gambling houses, have been transferred from the detective bureau to precincts. The change will go into effect at 8 o'clock this morning. Cody goes to the old West Twentieth street station and Murphy to Mercer street.

Deputy Commissioner Driscoll would give no explanation for the transfer last night, but it was learned that it had been made by his order. The reason is thought to be that inasmuch as Driscoll is not doing any more active work against gamblers Second Deputy Commissioner Flynn now having charge of that work, Driscoll had no use for the two men, who had been especially assigned to him. It was also said at Headquarters that Driscoll has no intention of resigning.

Murphy is on sick leave at his home seriously ill with pleurisy.

On November 28 five gamblers complained to Mayor Gaynor that Cody had been persecuting them. They said they had paid for police protection but had been raided. Two of the men said that they had been assaulted by Cody and Murphy as they were leaving a building in West 116th street and that the detectives had used blackjacks while Commissioner Driscoll walked up and down a corridor waving a revolver. These men also said that Cody had gone into a gambling house on Third avenue and had borrowed $300 from the proprietor, giving a worthless ring as security.

Later Cody was reported to be having a vacation in Florida, but on December 20 he reappeared in raids on several poolrooms around Forty-sixth and Forty-seventh streets and Seventh and Eighth avenues.

There was a report yesterday that about the first of the year First Deputy Commissioner Driscoll was to leave Headquarters and Second Deputy Commissioner Flynn was to take his place. George S. Dougherty, superintendent of the Pinkerton Detective Agency, it was said, would be asked to take the office of Second Deputy Police Commissioner.

Mr. Dougherty said that he had received no notice that any such action was contemplated. The authorities at Police Headquarters professed equal ignorance.

FIRE ENGINE POLE STABS CAR.

Passengers Scared, but Not Hurt—Horse's Hoof Torn Off.

The chemical apparatus of Engine Company 4 of the Jersey City fire department, bound east along Second street for a cellar fire at 196, collided yesterday afternoon with a trolley car going Hobokenward along Grove street.

The pole of the engine went through the side of the car, badly scaring the passengers, none of whom was hurt. One of the horses fell, tearing off a hoof. The animal was later shot by an S. P. C. A. officer. Lieut. Michael Noonan, who was driving the team, was pitched from his seat and bruised about the hips. He was sent home.

NO IMMUNITY FOR PACKERS

GOVERNMENT DROPS CIVIL SUITS TO LEAVE WAY CLEAR.

Feared That if Indicted Beef Men Appeared as Witnesses in Suit to Dissolve National Packing Co. They Might Escape Prosecution as Individuals.

CHICAGO, Dec. 27.—The dissolution suit against the National Packing Company that has been pending in the United States District Court since last March was dismissed by Judge C. C. Kohlsaat to-day after District Attorney Edwin E. Sims had asked that the case be discontinued.

The move of the Government's attorneys in having the suit dismissed was not unexpected by those in close touch with the beef trust investigation.

When the policy of indicting individuals instead of corporations was laid down by Attorney-General Wickersham and President Taft it was believed that the civil suit against the National Packing Company would be dismissed if the directors were indicted by the Federal Grand Jury.

J. H. Wilkerson, special assistant District Attorney, is said to have feared that the giving of testimony by the indicted packers in the civil case would act as an immunity bath. Mr. Wilkerson this evening refused to comment upon the action other than to say that the Government had decided to push the criminal case and let the other drop.

"We can now go ahead with the criminal proceedings against the packers unhampered by any civil suits," Mr. Sims said after the order dismissing the suit had been entered. "The Grand Jury investigating into the beef matters has been successful and the Department will go ahead with the criminal prosecution of the packers, as the cases against them are far stronger than in civil suits."

It took only a short time to have the dismissal order entered. Mr. Sims and his chief assistant, James H. Wilkerson, explained briefly in the court that it was the desire of the Attorney-General that the case be stricken from the docket, as the civil suit was liable to interfere with the successful outcome of the trials of the packers on the indictments that have been returned against them.

The dissolution suit never has been called for actual trial. It has been placed on the call several times but each time the attorneys for the defendant companies have been granted a continuance.

To checkmate any attempt of the defendants' attorneys to interfere with the trials of the packers by pleading for delays because of the civil suit a conference of the Government attorneys was held and it was decided to abandon the suit entirely.

Attorneys for the defendants are scheduled to appear before Judge Carpenter to-morrow morning and argue minor preliminary motions. It is believed that when these motions have been heard and disposed of a date for the trial of the packers will be set. This probably will be done before the end of the week.

FLATS LOOTED AFTER FIRE.

Tenants of the Grand Return to Charred and Pillaged Homes.

Since Le Grand apartment house at 161 Clinton street was made uninhabitable by fire last Sunday the police have been receiving complaints from some of the twenty-five ousted families that their flats have been robbed of money and jewelry.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Lieberson live on the Grand street side of the second floor. Mr. Lieberson is connected with the People's Theatre on the Bowery. Christmas night they attended a wedding in Newark, and returned home at 4 o'clock yesterday morning to find their apartment burned out. Mrs. Lieberson had left in a drawer a leather wallet containing $340 and a satchel containing $200 worth of jewelry. Mr. Lieberson looked out of a rear window and saw the wallet on the roof of a shed. The money was missing. The drawer was in the back yard, but the satchel was not found.

D. Kessler, a diamond dealer, went out on Sunday, leaving a package containing several thousand dollars worth of jewelry on top of a closet. Yesterday he found that the closet had been burned out, but that the diamonds were all there.

Albert Perry, an ostrich feather manufacturer, found that no fire had entered his apartments in the second floor, but that a pasteboard box full of jewelry in a bureau drawer in a bedroom had been stolen. Arthur Rosenberg, a lawyer, on the fifth floor, lost a fur coat.

Louis Drucker, a maufacturer of dresses, was in his apartment on the fourth floor when the fire started. His wife, who was in bed, had hid two diamond rings behind a cup and saucer in a china closet in the kitchen. She wanted to go and get the rings, but her husband would not let her. Fire did not touch the kitchen, but the rings were stolen.

Several others complained of losses.

PARK AVENUE FOOTPADS

Tackle Two Women With Shopping Bags and Escape Into Central Park.

Mrs. Mary Von Grunigen of 108 East Sixty-sixth street and her daughter Clara, 19 years old, after shopping yesterday walked homeward along Park avenue. Between Sixty-seventh and Sixty-sixth streets the mother noticed that they were being followed and spoke of it to Miss Von Grunigen, who laughed at the idea.

As they neared Sixty-sixth street at about 6 o'clock four youths overtook them and two fell into step with each woman, one on either side. Then they grabbed for their leather bags and the women screamed. Mrs. Von Grunigen's was a wrist bag. She pummelled the faces of her assailants so vigorously that they were unable to get it, but the handbag which Miss Von Grunigen carried was wrenched from her. In her purse were $20 and trinkets she had been buying.

The four youths ran through Sixty-sixth street to Central Park and disappeared over the wall.

Policemen from the East Sixty-seventh street station, a block and a half from where the robbery took place, and men from a garage beneath Mrs. Von Grunigen's home, searched in vain.

THINGS SHE SAYS CLAPP DID.

Wife Charges Three Kinds of Assault and Battery Among Other Things.

PHILADELPHIA, Dec. 27.—As he left St. Mary's Hospital to-day Herbert Mason Clapp, who was shot in a quarrel with his wife on December 3, was arrested by Constable McCloskey and taken before Magistrate Harris charged by Mrs. Clapp with assault and battery, aggravated assault and battery, assault and battery with intent to kill, desertion and non-support.

Clapp was held in $3,000 bail for a further hearing to-morrow at 3 o'clock.

Mrs. Clapp is now under bail charged with shooting her husband, a charge which she denies, declaring that he drew the revolver and when she tried to take it from him it was accidentally discharged.

Thomas J. Meagher, attorney for Mrs. Clapp, said he would be prepared to show that Clapp has an income of from $15,000 to $20,000 a year and will ask for $350 a month as Mrs. Clapp's allowance pending the disposition of her charges of non-support. A divorce at present at least is not under consideration. Mr. Meagher said Clapp had not given his wife any money since long before the shooting.

HAMMER ROBBERS' WEAPON.

Jeweller Nearly Knocked Out in His Store—One Assailant Caught.

Two neatly dressed youths of 19 walked into a jewelry store at 213 Washington street, Hoboken, yesterday afternoon and asked Emil Fiess, the proprietor, to show them some scarf pins. As Fiess leaned over to take the pins from a case one of the youths struck him on the head with a hammer. The jeweller is 6 feet 1 inch tall and his assailant had to stand on tiptoe to hit him. The hammer landed well to the back of the skull and the wooden handle was broken.

Fiess subsequently said he thought for a moment that part of the store fixtures had dropped on him and he did not realize that something out of the ordinary had occurred in broad daylight in one of the busiest streets in Hoboken until he saw the youths rush out of the store. The jeweller ran after them, holding one hand to his head and yelling for the police.

Herman Muller, a cigar salesman living at 5 Hudson Boulevard, Weehawken, who was doing business with a tobacconist across the street, made a good guess as to the cause of the commotion and chased after the fleeing youths, one of whom wore a gray overcoat. He followed them to River street and there lost the trail. Just as Policeman Dennis Leahy came up Muller spotted a young man leisurely walking along with an overcoat on his arm. He wasn't sure that he was one of the would-be robbers, but he took a chance and shouted to Leahy: "Get him if you have to shoot!" The young man lost his nerve and started to run. His arrest quickly followed.

He described himself as George Phelps, 19 years old, a glass cutter, of 643 Eighth avenue, Manhattan, and admitted that he and a pal had planned to rob the jeweller. He said that his friend had banged Fiess with the hammer, but he refused to disclose his identity. He was locked up for atrocious assault and battery and attempted robbery.

The police believe that the youths intended to knock Fiess out nad clean out his stock of diamonds and other most valuable jewelry.

Fiess said that he saw stars but was only momentarily stunned by the hammer. A bump as big as a duck egg was raised by the blow.

CITY BONDS INVALID.

Jamestown, N. Y., Has Raised $1,000,000, Interest on Which Is Unprovided For.

JAMESTOWN, N. Y., Dec. 27.—At the meeting of the Jamestown Common Council this evening the Aldermen were startled by an opinion from Corporation Counsel Benjamin S. Dean to the effect that bond issues of the city of Jamestown aggregating nearly $1,000,000 were invalid because in none had provision been made for raising a sinking fund and interest by annual tax, as is required by the general municipal law. A $600,000 issue of water bonds is not included in this opinion.

Mr. Dean says he can understand how local attorneys would overlook this provision, but he cannot understand how the special counsel for the bond brokers could have overlooked it. Attention has been called to the defect by the law firm of Caldwell & Reed, attorneys for W. C. Langley & Co. of New York, who examined the records for a $40,000 issue of hospital bonds which the firm had agreed to purchase.

Mr. Dean recommends a legislative enactment to validate the other bond issues on which the city has secured and used the money.

AS TO CRITICS OF COURTS.

Mere Statement of Roosevelt's Charge Condemns It, Says Judge.

LANSING, Mich., Dec. 27.—Addressing the eighteenth annual meeting of the Circuit Judges of Michigan this afternoon on the question of "Are our courts fulfilling their mission?" Judge Connine of Oscoda said in part:

We have recently heard some of our highest and most upright courts condemned by one who has held the highest place because, it is said, the courts had not decided certain cases in the interests of the people.

To state that charge is to condemn it. A decision which can be said to be in the interests of any one or any class is wrong; it is not based on equity and righteousness under the law, but it panders to clamor, defers to the mob. Its foundation is instability and its end is anarchy. Neither the executive nor the legislative power should be allowed to so browbeat the courts.

The mark of this age is irreverence. Reverence and respect for age, for office, for intellectual attainments, for uprightness, ability and honor is on the wane. Some of the causes can be named; among them are encroachments by the executive branch of our States and nation upon the legislative and judicial and the belittling, impugning and assailing the acts and motives of those in authority, particularly by the press.

No motive is now clean, upright and honorable, no act found grand or commendable. Travelling with this is a growing irreverence for the law, and the end of all this is detriment and danger.

HURT IN TAXI SMASHUP.

Sergeant Clough Caught the Boat and Then Went to the Hospital.

NEW ROCHELLE, Dec. 27.—Sergt. Edward N. Clough of the Twenty-first Infantry company, stationed at Fort Slocum, is in the post hospital on Davids Island with a sprained neck, a broken arm, two broken ribs and many cuts and bruises as the result of a taxicab crash at 12:30 o'clock this morning.

Clough had a few hours leave and came to New Rochelle to visit friends yesterday. He stayed until late, hailed a taxicab and promised the chauffeur, John Martin of 305 Main street, a $5 gold piece if he made the last boat for Fort Slocum, which leaves Neptune Park at 12:30 A. M. In the dash through Neptune street, which is a causeway connecting New Rochelle with Neptune Island, the rear wheels skidded and Martin lost control of the machine. It left the road and crashed through the fence surrounding Iselin Park.

The front of the taxicab was smashed and Martin was thrown fifteen feet, but was not injured. Sergt. Clough was hurled through the front pane of glass of the taxicab and fell out on the crumpled hood.

As the boat whistle sounded Martin shouted to the captain to wait, dragged Clough to his feet and together they raced over the gangplank, three hundred feet away, just as the boat was about to pull out. Clough collapsed as he reached the boat.

Large Passenger List for Lusitania.

The Cunarder Lusitania, which will sail to-day for Fishguard and Liverpool, will carry an unusually large number of passengers for the season, including 350 first cabin, among whom are:

Mr. and Mrs. Albert C. Bostwick, Mr. and Mrs. F. J. Alley, Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Blodgett, Mrs. William Carruthers, the Hon. and Mrs. Cecil V. Fisher, Dr. Walter Russell, Mr. and Mrs. Mitchell Harrison, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Loring, Giacomo Puccini, Antonio Puccini, Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Partridge, Hamilton Mackay, Sir Charles Wakefield and August Escoffier, the French chef.

STORE DRIVER SHOT IN STREET

MAN IN A UNIFORM LIKE HIS KILLS AND RUNS AWAY.

Charles Flanagan, Who Was Slow to Strike When His Comrades Did, Lured From Home and Murdered—Knew Who Did It, but Died Before He Could Tell.

A driver of a delivery wagon for a dry goods store who had been one of the last to go out in the recent drivers' strike and who, according to his father, thereby incurred the enmity of the strikers was shot and killed at Seventeenth street and Avenue A yesterday. The man who shot him escaped.

The man was Charles Flanagan. He was 25 years old, single and lived with his father, James, at 401 West Seventeenth street. He had worked his way up in the store of James McCreery & Co. from a job as cash boy to that of driver's helper and finally became a driver. When the strike was over he was taken back and worked steadily up to last Saturday. At that time it was found necessary to lay off a few men as the holiday rush was nearly over. Flanagan was among those who lost their jobs.

Some one called him up on the telephone late yesterday afternoon at his home and told him to come right over to McCreery's stables at 517 East Seventeenth street. The young man told his father that he guessed he would hear good news there. He said that he thought that some one was interceding for him and that he might get his job back. He did not tell his father who had sent for him.

As Flanagan walked through Seventeenth street he saw a man whom he apparently knew standing on the northwest corner of Avenue A. This man stopped him, according to witnesses. The two stood there a minute and suddenly the man who had stopped the driver drew a revolver, pressed it against Flanagan's stomach and fired once. Flanagan fell to the pavement and before spectators realized what had happened his assailant was running toward Avenue B. After he turned a corner and disappeared in the dusk some one thought to call for a policeman.

Policeman Meade carried Flanagan into a drug store. He asked the dying man if he knew who had shot him. The driver nodded, but was too far gone to speak. When an ambulance surgeon arrived Flanagan was dead.

Meade and detectives learned from those who had witnessed the shooting that the man who had killed Flanagan was dressed in a uniform similar to that worn by drivers for the dry goods store. Flanagan's father told Lieut. Flannelly at the East Twenty-second street police station that his son had been threatened several times by strikers in the course of the strike and that a man whose name was given to the police had once fired a blank cartridge at the young man to frighten him. The description of this man does not tally with that of Flanagan's slayer.

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COLLEGE MEN FOR DENTISTS.

One Authority Sees a Need; His Peers Do Not Agree With Him.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 27.—In an address before the Institute of Dental Pedagogics in session here to-day Dr. J. Q. Byram of Indiana declared that there are too few college bred men in the profession and that radical changes in the requirements for admission are necessary. Dr. Byram thought that the institute should recommend changes in the admission requirements so that college men would be attracted to the calling.

The remarks of Dr. Byram were not taken kindly by other dentists in attendance. Dr. S. H. Guilford of the Philadelphia Dental College declared that more college men did not study dentistry because they found medicine more attractive and a physician's social prestige higher.

CIRCUS AT GEORGIAN COURT.

Some of the Numbers on the Programme of Fun at the Gould Home.

LAKEWOOD, N. J., Dec. 27.—The programme of the society circus that will be held at George J. Gould's Georgian Court on Thursday, Friday and Saturday of this week has been announced. The demand for boxes has been so great that it has been necessary to erect extra ones.

"Bolivar, the baby elephant," is advertised as the first attraction on the programme. The names of the hidden performers in this act have not been revealed. "Bolivar" will be followed by a tumbling act, and an exhibition on the slack and tight wire will be the next number on the programme.

One of the Y. M. C. A. numbers will be the fifth, a performance on the parallel bars by the world's champion Y. M. C. A. team assisted by the model class of the Newark association.

"Prof. Hambone and his trained mule, Maud," will follow the Y. M. C. A. boys.

Find Supervisor Dead in Church.

NEWBURGH, Dec. 27.—A party of young women who were going to take part in a rehearsal for a holiday entertainment found to-night in the Westminster Reformed Presbyterian Church the body of John J. K. Boyd, one of the Supervisors of Orange county. Supervisor Boyd was sexton of the church. He had evidently gone into the church early in the evening and, suddenly stricken, had died almost instantly of heart failure.

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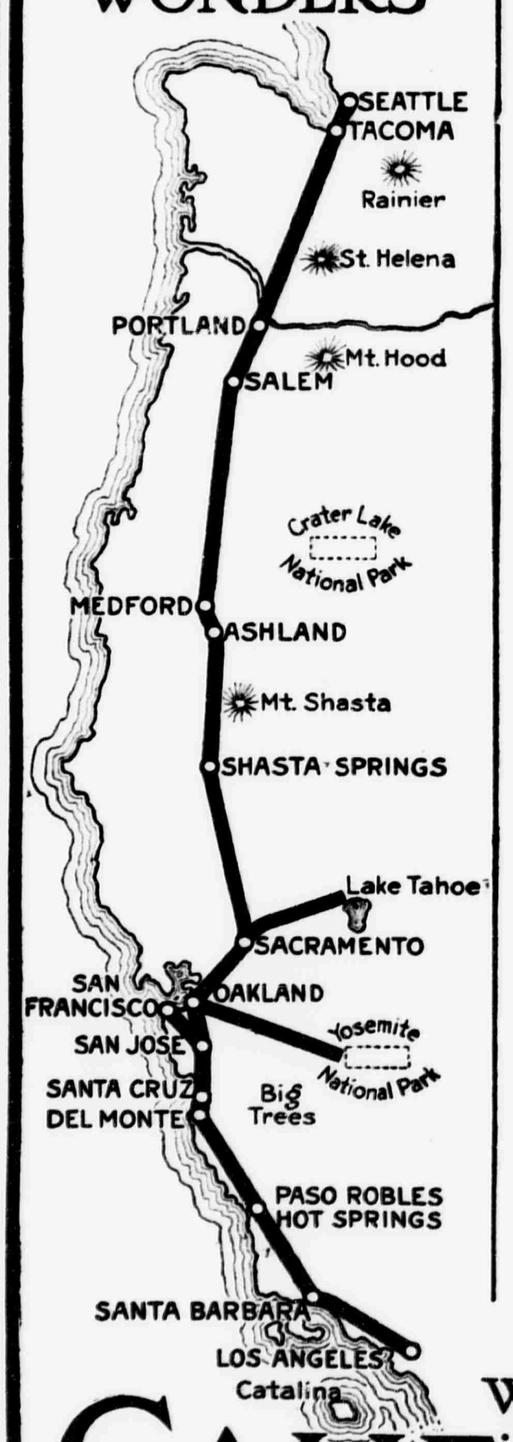

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