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SAILORS ATTACK TWO INSPECTORS

ELEVATOR - GRAIN COMMISSION DISPUTE REACHES CLIMAX

Charge Is Made that Samples Are Taken from Officials by Force and Shippers Threaten Arrest of Inspectors for Trespass—Serious Complications May Result.

Special to The Journal.

Superior, Wis., Dec. 5.—Two Wisconsin inspectors and a party of sailors and dock laborers engaged in a battle royal at the Cargill elevator in this city yesterday, and grave complications are expected as a result. The elevator people threaten to sue the inspectors on the charge of trespassing, and the Wisconsin grain and warehouse commission's attorneys have stated that a suit will be begun immediately against the attacking party.

Object to Inspection.

The appearance of the Wisconsin inspectors was the signal for the beginning of the trouble. The captain of the boat Superintendent McManus of the elevator and a grain agent who was present are said to have entered strenuous objections to the inspectors taking samples from the boat. This, it is alleged, they proceeded to do and had several men when they were interrupted and driven from the boat.

FREE MAIL DELIVERY

Valley City's New System Will Be Effective Feb. 1.

VALLEY CITY, N. D.—The residents of this city have been anxiously awaiting the establishment of free mail delivery for some time. The announcement is now made that the new system will be put into effect on Feb. 1. There will be three carriers, a substitute carrier and fifteen letter boxes.

ELK POINT, S. D.—Some three years ago, Joseph Remillard brought suit against George Attridge in the circuit court here for possession of a farm near Jefferson, this county, valued at \$10,000. He was defeated and the state supreme court now affirms the decision of the circuit court, closing a long and bitter contest.

LADY'S TERRIBLE RAW ECZEMA

No Tongue Can Tell Suffering—Body and Face Covered with Itching, Bleeding Sores—Awful Pain—Doctors and Medicines Failed.

ANOTHER WONDERFUL CURE BY CUTICURA

"No tongue can tell how I suffered for five years with itching and bleeding eczema, until I was cured by the Cuticura Remedies, and I am so grateful I want the world to know, for what helped me will help others. My body and face were covered with sores. One day it would seem to be better, and then break out again with the most terrible pain and itching. I have been sick several times, but never in my life did I experience such awful suffering as with this eczema. I had made up my mind that death was near at hand, and I longed for that time when I would be at rest. I had tried many different doctors and medicines without success, and my mother brought me the Cuticura Remedies, insisting that I try them. I began to feel better after the first bath with Cuticura Soap, and one application of Cuticura Ointment. I continued with the Soap and Ointment, and have taken four bottles of Cuticura Resolvent, and consider myself cured. Any person having any doubt about the wonderful cure by the Cuticura Remedies can write to my address. Mrs. Altie Eason, Bellevue, Mich."

ITCHING ECZEMA

And All Other Itching and Scaly Eruptions Cured by Cuticura.

The agonizing itching and burning of the skin, as in eczema; the frightful scaling, as in psoriasis; the loss of hair and crusting of scalp, as in scalled head; all demand a remedy of almost superhuman virtues to successfully cope with them. That Cuticura Soap, Ointment, and Pills are such stands proven beyond all doubt.

Cuticura Soap, Ointment and Pills are sold throughout the world. Foster Drug & Chem. Corp., Boston, Sole Dispensers. See label for How to Cure Eczema.

KINDNESS AS SEED OF REFORMATION

JUDGE SAYS CRIMINALS NEED CHARITABLE TREATMENT.

Believes a Kind Act Is Recognized by Certain Classes More Readily Than by the Average Citizen, and Tells of One Case Where Payment of Fine Was Delayed.

Special to The Journal.

La Crosse, Wis., Dec. 5.—Judge Brindley of the county court, before whom all minor criminals come for trial, believes that a large percentage of the prisoners brought before him are honest and have good hearts, altho the charges against them are usually stealing and drunkenness. In evidence, Judge Brindley cites the case of Otto Hansen, Road #10-71 for assault last Wednesday. Hettman had but \$8 and pleaded with the court to be trusted for the remainder, so he could avoid spending Thanksgiving day in jail. He promised to pay Saturday if permitted to eat turkey with his family, Saturday at 5 o'clock the time appointed, Hettman placed \$2.71 on Judge Brindley's desk and was profuse in his thanks for the kindness shown to him. Judge Brindley says episodes of this character do more to reform embryo criminals than all the jail sentences and other punishments that can be imposed under the law. He believes a kindness is more readily recognized by some classes of criminals than by the average citizen and contends that charity shows them at once takes root and proves the seed of reformation.

Give Jobs to Themselves.

When bids offered by contractors for county road and bridge work exceed the estimates of the county board, the members of the board accept the contracts themselves. This system has been brought to light here when Supervisor John W. McCann let the contract to himself for rock to repair the road in his township. In the past the estimates have been made by the county surveyor and bids have been opened by the board of supervisors. Seldom do the bids figure under the estimates. In every case where the bid of the contractor exceeds the estimate the bid is cast out and the matter is turned over to the county engineer, who then has the work done. The supervisor, instead of reletting the contract, accepts the work himself.

Search for Crazed Sculptor.

Wandering aimlessly in the snow-decked timber strips, or perhaps dead from cold and hunger, the authorities expect to find Frank Koehler, the sculptor who was crazed by the loss of his county nisan asylum at West Salem a few days ago. Koehler was suddenly stricken with insanity while carving an image of Christ in a local altar factory and has been in confinement for two years. Nothing has been seen or heard of him since his escape. The relatives and police are searching for him.

FELL ON HIS NECK

Farmer Killed Thru Accident with Runaway Team.

GREEN BAY, WIS.—Henry Gussner of East Wisconsin was killed by a runaway team of horses thrown from a buggy. His neck was broken. With two other men he was driving from Green Bay to the farm of his brother-in-law, J. M. Mann, navigation has been declared closed on Lake Winnebago and Fox river.

WOMAN ATTEMPTS SUICIDE

Wife of Wisconsin Farmer Tries to Burn Herself.

NEW RICHMOND, WIS.—After making a desperate attempt to burn herself, Mrs. J. M. Mann, wife of a Star Prairie farmer, has been taken to the state insane asylum at Janesville. Mrs. Mann was in the habit of suffering from symptoms and she was intensely jealous of her husband. She was examined as to her sanity by Dr. F. S. Wade and J. M. Mann of this city, and within an hour after the doctors left the house she was in the bedroom, partly undressed herself, got into bed and then set fire to herself. Her oldest son, 12 years of age, was in the room at the time and he secured an ax and broke in the door and succeeded in quenching the flames before his mother had been much hurt and before any damage of consequence was done. Mrs. Mann is 29 years of age and the mother of thirteen children.

DATE FOR PFISTER TRIAL

Case Against Milwaukee Man Set for Next Monday.

MILWAUKEE, WIS.—The trial of Charles F. Pfister, under indictment by the last grand jury of this county, will be held at Milwaukee, Wis., on Monday, Dec. 11. The case was taken up in municipal court at Monday. This decision was reached by District Attorney Francis M. Meyer and Attorney George W. Lincoln, counsel for Mr. Pfister, when the calendar call for the December term of the municipal court was ordered by Judge Tracey. According to the defense the case will be completed within five days' time.

MORE TAXES FOR STATE

Wisconsin Commissioner Finds Large Sum Omitted from Report.

MADISON, WIS.—Railroad Commissioner Thomas C. Johnson, in checking up the books of the railroads operating in Wisconsin, for the year back to and including 1904. As a result, \$1,000,000 of taxes was omitted from the report of the gross earnings of the railroads to the state in the annual reports for taxation. This makes a total of \$10,828,488.02, on which the state is seeking to recover taxes of 4.4 per cent, the rate of railroad taxation under the license fee system, there is due to the state, he says, a back tax of \$483,137.08.

FIRE AT MOORHEAD

Occupants of Building Barely Escape with Their Lives.

MOORHEAD, MINN.—A two-story frame building owned by John C. Lally was burned today, and the occupants barely escaped with their lives. The building, which was used for living apartments, being divided into some four or five flats, was completely destroyed. The fire broke out in the rear of the building and spread rapidly. The firemen worked hard, but to great disadvantage, as the recent cold snap had frozen the water in the hydrants. The building was finally secured by the firemen by a mass of lally estimates his loss at about \$15,000, with about \$8,000 insurance.

NINETEENTH ANNIVERSARY

Hastings I. O. G. T. Lodge Celebrates the Event.

HASTINGS, MINN.—Swea lodge, No. 4, I. O. G. T., celebrated the nineteenth anniversary of its organization at Svea hall, the occasion being a delightful one with more than fifty in attendance. This society is one of the most flourishing in the city.

EIGHT JAP PROFESSORS QUIT

Tokio, Dec. 4.—3 p.m.—The friction existing between the minister of education and the imperial university has culminated in eight professors tendering their resignations. The agitation is likely to extend and threaten the stability of the present cabinet.

SEEKS TO COLLECT \$400,000 IN TAXES

IOWA COUNTY MAY SUE GOLD MINING COMPANY.

Steps Being Taken to Assess Stock as Concealed Property, the Owners Having Failed to Report It—Concern Is Capitalized at \$3,000,000, with Headquarters in Colorado.

Special to The Journal.

Council Bluffs, Iowa, Dec. 5.—Steps are being taken by the treasurer of Postwatson county to collect \$400,000 from the Portland Gold Mining company as taxes on its capital stock of \$3,000,000 for the past five years. The stock will be assessed under the tax-farmer law of Iowa as concealed property, the owners having never reported it to the assessor. The treasurer's office will claim \$200,000 for the tax itself and the remaining \$200,000 in penalties and interest. The Portland company is organized under the laws of Iowa and its annual meetings are held at Council Bluffs, but its properties and business headquarters are in Teller county, Colorado. Most of the stockholders reside in Colorado, and only a few shares are owned here. The largest individual stockholder is James F. Burns of Colorado Springs, formerly president of the company. Burns is defendant in a suit for \$1,000,000 of stocks and dividends claimed by James Doyle as his share in an old partnership. The suit has had several trials here at a cost of some \$20,000 to Postwatson county. It is claimed that the company should pay taxes here since it uses the court to settle its internal disputes.

BUMOR OF NEW BANK

Iowa City May Have New Institution Next Month.

IOWA FALLS, IOWA.—It is rumored that this city is to have another bank, and that it will be organized under the laws of Iowa. The plan is to have a new bank, and the largest stockholder, it is said, will be W. E. Simpson, who comes here from Marne, Iowa, where he has been engaged in business for many years. The Miller building, formerly occupied by the Mitchell pharmacy, has been leased and will be used as the headquarters. It is stated that the capital will be \$500,000, and will be organized in January next.

MURDERER PLEADS GUILTY

Slayer of Wife and Family to Be Sentenced Friday.

INDEPENDENCE, IOWA.—William McWilliams pleaded guilty here on three indictments found against him for the murder of his wife and children. Sentence will be pronounced upon him on Friday. He has been confined in the McWilliams sanitarium, which he has no sign of insanity. He has expressed a desire to end his life and is being carefully guarded.

INJURY PROVES FATAL

Iowa Boy Dies from Hurts Received in Football Game.

SIDNEY, IOWA.—Harry Rok, 18 years of age, died from injuries sustained in a football game three weeks ago. Not until a short time before his death was it known that he had been injured. When the boy finally told them what was the matter, internal ruptures had put him beyond any remedy. He declared that he did not want the blame for his death to be placed on the game of football.

SAILOR DROWNED IN SLIP

Deck Hand of Steamer at Two Harbors Falls from Dock.

TWO HARBORS, MINN.—W. V. Gallager, a deckhand on the steamer Earl Bessemer, was drowned in Lake Superior early Sunday morning. Gallager, while walking on the deck on the north side of Dock No. 5, fell into the slip. A search was made but he was not found until Sunday afternoon. He was a member of the seamen's union, under whose care the body will be taken to Burlington, Pa., his home, for burial. He was 25 years of age.

VICTIM WAS LOUIS ESSIG

Coroner Will Investigate Death of Farmer's Son.

SLEEPY EYE, MINN.—The man who was struck by a passenger train Saturday evening and killed near Springdale has been identified as Louis Essig, son of Henry Joseph Essig, a farmer who lives three miles from that place. He left home at 10 o'clock on Saturday morning. The train was blowing hard, and he evidently did not hear the train when it came up behind him. The fact that he was wearing a heavy coat and a hat, and that he was carrying a bundle on his back, led the coroner to believe that he was a stranger in the neighborhood. The death of the young man, and he will begin at once. The dead man was about 22 years of age, and well thought of. His father was for many years a Springfield business man.

FUNERAL OF CONSUL ESTES

Body Arrives from Germany and Is Buried by Masons.

MADRID, MINN.—The remains of W. R. Estes, late United States consul at Solingen, Germany, who died at that place on Nov. 14, arrived here yesterday. The funeral was held at the First M. E. church, where the body of the local Masonic lodge, of which Mr. Estes was a member.

ASK CITIZENS TO HELP

Veterans Want Memorial Day Burden Removed to Younger Patriots.

STILLWATER, MINN.—B. J. Mosler and J. N. Swenson have secured as representatives of Muller and Cook posts, G. A. R., to prepare a memorial to be erected in Stillwater, Minn., of the near future, asking citizens generally to take the burden off the hands of the old soldiers in Memorial day celebrations in the future on May 30 of each year.

PIERRE FINDS OLD LID

Once More Slot Machines Are Taken Out by City.

PIERRE, S. D.—By order of the authorities all slot machines in the city have been taken out, and it is announced they will be kept out in the future. The machines in question have not been long lived, and it is a question whether the present ban will remain in force any longer than those in the past. Yesterday a car of buffalo from the Philip herd was shipped to Chicago, where the buffalo will be slaughtered and placed on the market for the holiday trade. Seven of the animals were sent in the shipment, and all were taken at a good price.

SUES MAN WHO SOLD GUN

Father Asks \$10,000 Damages in Connection with Boy's Death.

MEMPHIS, TENN.—The father of little Anson Benville, the lad who was shot thru the eye and head with a 22-rifle, while looking into the muzzle of a gun, has sued the man who sold the boy the rifle for \$10,000 damages for having sold a gun to a young boy. W. A. Le Due, John Fisher, Tom and Bob Hanson of Manistique, Mich., have begun an action against a Portland, Ore. lumber concern for an alleged attempt to locate them on a tract where no timber existed.

SHOT BY A WOMAN

Corporal in Twenty-fourth Infantry Killed at Helena.

HELENA, MONT.—James Scythas, a corporal in the Twenty-fourth infantry, was shot and killed yesterday by Nora Dennis, who says she was abusing her, and that she shot in self-defense. The woman was arrested. Scythas had been in Helena for some time and saw service in Cuba and the Philippines.

\$100,000 FIRE IN MANASSES.

MANASSAS, VA., Dec. 5.—A fire broke out early today which swept the business section of the town. The estimated loss is over \$100,000.

COFFEE WAR

The Coffee Importers and Roasters are Attacking

POSTUM FOOD COFFEE

All Along the Line.

"THERE'S A REASON."

Many people have found out the truth about old fashioned coffee.

They have overcome disease caused by it.

The plan was easy and sure.

Quit Coffee and use Postum.

Proof with one's self is stronger than any theory.

The Postum army grows by hundreds of thousands yearly.

The old fashioned Coffee Magnates are now deriding Postum through the papers.

Because their pocketbooks are hurt they would drive the people back to the old coffee slavery.

One coffee prevaricator says: "It (Postum) has lately been exposed and found to contain an excess of very ordinary coffee."

Another that "it (Postum) is made from a small amount of parched peas, beans, wheat, dried sweet potatoes, and paste of wheat middlings."

Here's to you, oh faithful followers of the tribe of Ananias.

\$100,000.00 CASH

will be deposited with any reputable trust company (or a less amount if desired) against a like amount by any coffee roaster or dealer. If the charges prove true we lose, if not we take the money as partial liquidation for the infamous insult to our business.

The Postum Pure Food factories are the largest in the world, the business having been built upon absolutely pure food products, made on scientific lines, "for a reason" and the plain unvarnished truth told every day and all the time. These factories are visited by thousands of people every month. They are shown into every cranny and examine every ingredient and process. Each visitor sees Postum made of different parts of the wheat berry treated by different mechanical methods and one part blended with a small part of pure New Orleans molasses. So he knows Postum contains not one thing in the world but Wheat and New Orleans molasses. It took more than a year of experimenting to perfect the processes and learn how to develop the diastase and properly treat the other elements in the wheat to produce the coffee-like flavor that makes suspicious people "wonder." But there never has been one grain of old fashioned or drug coffee in Postum and never will be.

Another thing, we have on file in our general offices the original of every testimonial letter we have ever published. We submit that our attitude regarding coffee is now and always has been absolutely fair. If one wants a stimulant and can digest coffee and it does not set up any sort of physical ailment, drink it.

But, if coffee overtaxes and weakens the heart, (and it does with some).

Or if it sets up disease of the stomach and bowels, (and it does with some).

Or if it causes weak eyes, (and it does with some).

Or if it causes nervous prostration, (and it does with many).

Then good plain old fashioned common sense might (without asking permission of coffee merchants) suggest to quit putting caffeine (the drug of coffee) into a highly organized human body, for health is really wealth and the happiest sort of wealth.

Then if one's own best interest urges him to study into the reason, and "There's a reason," he will unearth great big facts that all of the sophistries of the coffee importers and roasters cannot refute. Take time to read the following from the famous Dr. B. F. Underwood in The American Physician:

Coffee as a Factor in the Production of Gastric and Cardiac Disorders.

BY B. F. UNDERWOOD, M. D.

The pathogenic properties of coffee have received but scant attention from medical authors, although, it is not doubtful, I think, that more than any other single substance, coffee is responsible for the great prevalence of nervous, gastric, and cardiac diseases at the present time, and that the great increase in sudden deaths from heart affection in recent years may be justly set down to the use or abuse of coffee as a beverage.

Shoemaker, in his "Materia Medica," treating upon coffee, says: "Used in excess it disorders digestion and causes functional disturbance of the nervous system, shown by headache, vertigo, mental confusion and palpitation of the heart. It increases secretion, blunts sensation, excites reflex excitability, increases mental activity, and may produce insomnia and great nervous restlessness," and this is as much as any medical author has to say upon the subject.

In my case it may be merely the zeal of the recent convert which inspires me, but I feel strongly from both my personal and professional experience that there is so much more that could and should be said about

the deleterious effects of coffee and its potency as a factor in the production of disease. This has been so strongly impressed upon me the past winter that I am impelled to make a contribution to the subject, by reporting a few cases in which coffee was so manifestly causing or continuing the disease that it could not be ignored.

Case I. In the latter part of December, 1903, I had under treatment, an old lady, 74 years, who was convalescing from an attack of pneumonia. She had responded favorably to the treatment and was doing nicely except for a peculiar rise and fall of the temperature and an irregular action of the heart. She had been troubled more or less with weakness of the heart and at this time its action was giving me a good deal of concern, its beat being irregular and feeble, at times much more so than at others. A study of conditions and causes threw no light on the case until I found that the irregularity was more marked on the mornings when she had coffee, which she did not have every morning. As I could not discover any other cause I advised that she should not take the coffee. After some demur on the part of the patient she acceded and Postum Cereal was substituted for the coffee. A favorable effect was almost immediately apparent; the irregular action gave place to a steady, regular beat, the pulse became fuller and stronger, the temperature became normal and the case went on to uninterrupted recovery.

Case II. The result in case one set me thinking. For some years I had been troubled with nervous dyspepsia, with cardiac irritability, and at times, great irregularity in the action of the heart, intermittent beat of the pulse and much nervous depression, all of which, in spite of treatment was steadily getting worse. I had had light enough thrown on the cause, if I had not been so blinded by prejudice that I could not see. As, for instance, on one occasion, when the cook, who did not believe that coffee was any good unless it rivalled in color her ebony face, gave me a cup of coffee one morning that was fully up to her ideal, and which, although I noticed that it possessed nearly the strength of Samson, I drank without consideration.

I had been feeling rather better than usual for a day or two, but soon after breakfast I was attacked with such peculiar sensations that I was unable to go out, and was obliged to call upon a colleague for treatment. Singularly enough, although I had the feeling that I was under the influence of some drug, it was not until some time afterward that I realized that I had been poisoned by the coffee. Under strong tonic treatment I grew better for a time, but in December, 1903, I began to grow worse again, and treatment failing to effect any improvement, it began to look as if I was in danger of a complete breakdown.

The colleague who was treating me was suspicious of kidney disease, but a urinary analysis cleared up that point, but I did not improve. It was at this time, as I have said, the result in case No. 1 set me thinking, and I found from a study of the modalities, that I was worse and more depressed after taking coffee, and it finally penetrated into my inner consciousness that possibly coffee was the cause of my condition. I took my own prescription and gave up coffee, with the result of an almost immediate change for the better. The depression disappeared, the cardiac disturbance ceased, and the dyspeptic symptoms lessened and a steady improvement set in.

Case III. About the same time I had under treatment a young lady suffering from chronic nephritis who presented an almost endless variety of symptoms, which would yield to treatment for a time, only to return in an aggravated form. Among the more persistent and annoying of these was a gastric irritability with an absolute refusal of the stomach to digest or absorb any food, progressive emaciation with great weakness, and a constant sensation of hunger with nausea and frequent spells of vomiting, when the food taken would be returned unchanged; palpitation of the heart, oedema, hectic fever, colliquative sweats, etc. Under treatment and a most rigid diet the mitigation of the symptoms was very slight.

I had advised her that coffee was injurious and should be given up, but it was not until her condition was almost hopeless that she could be induced to follow my advice and refrain from coffee. The beneficial effect of this was apparent at once: the stomach began to recover its tone, the irritability ceased, the vomiting stopped, and the food taken was digested and absorbed; the sensation of continual hunger disappeared, the emaciation lessened and her strength slowly returned. Of course, the disease has not been cured, but a cure which seemed hopeless before has been made possible.

As a result of these experiences, to which more could be added, in all cases of intractable nervous or gastric diseases I have come to regard coffee as an incitant, and an important, if not the chief, factor in the production of the disease, and to insist upon its discontinuance as a part of the treatment, and, I may add, with uniformly good effect. I have found also that, although the giving up of coffee has been in many cases done only under protest and with great reluctance, it has been attended with but little difficulty when a palatable and satisfactory substitute was provided. In my own case and in that of the others described I used the Postum Cereal and found it entirely satisfactory. Even the most inveterate coffee drinkers after a short use of the Postum seem to lose all desire for coffee and to be perfectly satisfied with the Cereal.

Study the subject and apply the facts to yourself.

There's a Reason for

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