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DECLARES SMOOT HAS THREE WIVES

Utah Clergyman Asserts Apostle-Senator Is a Polygamist Despite Denials.

WIFE NO. 2 FLEES FEDERAL MARSHALS

Facts About Wife No. 3 to Be Presented to Senate Soon.

Journal Special Service. New York, March 13.—James Baucher, the Paterson, N. J., youth, who recently committed suicide, became a murderer after his death. This fact was established yesterday when the autopsy...

Mrs. Smoot No. 2 was known before her marriage to the senator and is known in Utah as Rose Hamilton. Mrs. Smoot No. 3 is known as Lottie Greenwood...

Rose Hamilton's Story. The story of Rose Hamilton comes from her own lips. She was born in Milwaukee, Wis., in April, 1884. Three years ago, while stopping in a hotel in Omaha, Neb., she met Apostle Reed Smoot...

On Feb. 9, Boucher was found dead in a room in a hotel in Scranton, Pa. It was believed at first that he had died of heart failure, but a further examination...

It was necessary to the senator's case that the fact of this second wife should be kept secret. United States Marshal Hewson had been serving the state with subpoenas for persons wanted in Washington to shed light on the relations of Mr. Smoot with the Mormon church.

From California Mrs. Smoot No. 2, according to her own story, met Rev. Mr. Clemenson, who was in Idaho. These she journeyed to Colorado, shifting her abode from point to point, directed by agents of Senator Smoot.

She stayed in the cabin until it was deemed safe for her to go out again in the open. Her next place of abode was Cheyenne, Wyo. From there she went to San Juan, Mexico, where, from the latest advices, she is living.

DEATH AND HURTS IN STREET CAR CRASH

Omaha, March 13.—In a collision at South Omaha early today between north and south-bound street cars, one man was killed and seven persons injured, six of whom were severely injured. The dead:

UNDENTIFIED LABORER, aged about 40. Seriously injured.

William Richt, South Omaha, will die. Fred A. Hoffman, Alhambra, aged 18, arm broken and ribs crushed, will probably die.

DE LANGE, PLAYWRIGHT, DEAD. New York, March 13.—Louis De Lange, a playwright whose home was formerly in Philadelphia, committed suicide here today by cutting his throat.

"TAFFERS" WILL FEAST. Washington, March 13.—The Philippine party will give a dinner in honor of Secretary Taft March 20 at the New Willard. The party will be a large one and the decorations will suggest many incidents of the trip.

FIRE PANIC IN A HOTEL. Pittsburgh, March 13.—A slight fire resulting from an overheated furnace caused a panic among the 150 guests of the Ironside hotel, Lenora, Pa., about daylight. The loss was \$3,000. No one hurt.

MRS. DOWIE QUILTS THE ZION "PROPHET"

DEAD FOR A MONTH, "ELIJAH II." NOW DOUBLY DEPOSED

Suicide's Sweetheart Is Victim of Poison Her Suitor Knew Would Cause Death.

Journal Special Service. Chicago, March 13.—John Alexander Dowie, head of the Zion church, and his wife, have parted, according to a story printed in the Daily News.

It is declared that the last message of Dowie to his home was ignored, and that Mrs. Dowie has thrown in her lot with the ordinary followers of Zion. It is claimed that Mrs. Dowie has said to her friends that she has been deceived as to the real conditions in the church and believed that millions of money were available when there was no such condition existing.

Mrs. Dowie yesterday called in brokers who made an inventory of the furnishings of the Dowie home at Zion City, which is decorated in a most expensive manner. She declared that she desired to sell everything for the good of the church and that when the furnishings had been sold, the house itself was at the disposal of the society.

Hamburg, March 13.—A hurricane is blowing the water into the harbor, flooding houses and driving vessels ashore. The country down the Elbe is flooded and the land batteries are continuously firing alarm guns, as the landmarks are invisible owing to a snow-storm.

WRECKAGE TELLS OF DISASTER IN PACIFIC. Victoria, B. C., March 13.—News is received from Skidegate that a life buoy and two boats marked "S. S. Zapora" and two others, not marked, have been found on Graham island.

BLOW TO THE ALTON-MERGER. Albany, N. Y., March 13.—The assembly today laid aside the senate bill authorizing the investment of savings banks and trust funds in bonds of merged railroads. This is regarded as practically a defeat for the bill, which is said to refer especially to the Chicago & Alton merger and which was favored by the State Savings Bank association.

FRENCH STRIKERS USE DYNAMITE. Nancy, France, March 13.—Strikers yesterday attempted to blow up two railroad bridges by means of dynamite, and succeeded in causing great damage. Traffic is suspended.

"SCOTTY" IS NOW ELEVATING STAGE

Mystery of Death Valley the Hero of a Drama, Playing Himself.

Seattle, Wash., March 13.—Walter Scott, the mystery of Death Valley, made his debut as an actor yesterday afternoon before an audience that taxed the theater. The play was written for Scott by Charles A. Taylor and is a melodrama of the blood and thunder order. Its title is "Scotty, King of the Desert Mine."

Scotty is so poor an actor that he made the management a roaring success. He ignored the lines and improvised as he went along. He referred to the same character by several different names, and when the audience laughed he winked at those in the front seats. His entrance was announced every time by the discharge of firearms.

Incidents in Scotty's career furnish the basis of the play. The curtain goes up on the first act showing Scotty making claim, with two villains trying to jump it. As they are about to shoot the girl who is the favorite of the camp, Scotty steps from behind his cabin with a rifle in his hand. He yells: "Throw down that gun." At this juncture the gallery applauded and Scotty put the rifle under his arm and waved his hand to the audience.

In New York the villain steals a child and Scotty, together with Eli Smith, goes up and down Broadway with the ten malamute dogs searching for the child. The dogs are represented as having a wonderful sense of smell, and they finally succeed in getting the scent of the child and leading Scotty to the rescue.

Scotty says he is putting up \$15,000 to finance the play, and that it will go to Portland next Monday, then to San Francisco, Chicago and New York.

BASIL MOXLEY PASSES AWAY. Baltimore, March 13.—Basil Moxley, who for more than half a century has been associated in theatrical lines with the late John T. Ford and his sons, died at an early hour this morning following a stroke of paralysis, suffered last Saturday evening. He was in his 81st year.

SUSAN B. ANTHONY HAS PASSED AWAY

Famous Leader of Women's Rights Movements Succumbs at Advanced Age.

Rochester, N. Y., March 13.—The funeral of Susan B. Anthony will be held on Thursday at 2 o'clock. Rev. Dr. Gannett of the First Unitarian church, of which Miss Anthony was a member, will officiate. In a message of condolence from Mrs. May Wright Sewall of Indianapolis, honorary president of the International Council of Women, Mrs. Sewall requested that she be informed of the hour the funeral is to be held, in order that a memorial service may be held in that city at the same time.

Rochester, N. Y., March 13.—The long and eventful life of Susan B. Anthony closed at 12:40 o'clock this morning. The end came peacefully. Miss Anthony had been unwell for some time, but she had been momentarily expected since Sunday night. Only her wonderful constitution kept her alive.

Change in Attitude. Miss Anthony lived to see a decided change in sentiment from the time, in the winter of 1861, when she was hooted and hounded when she attempted to give a lecture on abolition in Corinthian hall. That lecture tour, which started in Buffalo, was a series of riots, but Miss Anthony never flinched. The insults heaped upon her culminated in Syracuse, where she was stoned and burned in effigy.

Left All to "The Cause." Feeling that her life could not long continue, Miss Anthony evidently was disturbed by a desire to express some wish in regard to her will, and on Wednesday last she said to her sister: "Write to Anna Shaw immediately, and tell her I desire that every cent I leave when I pass out of this life shall go to the fund which Miss Thomas and Miss Garrett are raising for the cause. I have given my life and all I am to it, and now I want my last act to be to give it all I have—the last cent. Tell Anna Shaw to see that this is done."

Southern Telegraphers Yield. Washington, March 13.—The committee representing the telegraphers and station agents of the Southern railway last night agreed to accept the wage scale of the Soo branch. It is understood that the accident was caused by the engine jumping the track. Traffic has been blocked since the accident.

2 KILLED, 7 INJURED IN RAILROAD WRECK. Sault Ste. Marie, Mich., March 13.—Train No. 7, westbound, on the Canadian Pacific railroad, was derailed yesterday near Nairn station. It is reported that two persons were killed and several injured.

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DISHONEST TRUSTS OUTLAWS, DECLARES SUPREME COURT

70,000 RUSSIAN REBELS ARRESTED

Campaign Against Revolutionists Has Resulted in Enormous Number of Arrests.

St. Petersburg, March 13.—Over seventy thousand persons have been arrested in European Russia since the government entered on its active campaign against the revolutionists. The government has sent a circular to the governor generals and governors of provinces instructing them that persons taken into custody for political offenses must, within twenty-four hours of their arrest, be confronted with the charges and allowed to make explanations. The circular also generally insists on expedition in the trials of political prisoners.

Fort Bridge Bill is Now Almost a Law. By W. W. Jernam. Washington, March 13.—Just before the adjournment of the senate yesterday, Mr. Nelson called up and secured the passage of the Fort Snelling bridge bill. It has passed the house and will now go to the president for signature.

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EXCELSIOR VOTERS DO VALIANT WORK

Battle of "Wets" and "Drys" Waged on Hammer and Tongs Lines.

With a spirited majority contest to add excitement, and the much-mooted question of wet or dry still in the fore and commanding the interest of every man, woman and child in the village, history was made in Excelsior today.

Before the doors of the town hall were opened to the voters at 8 a. m., a score of men were on hand to cast their ballots in decision of the absorbing question of license or no license, and so high was the interest and anxiety that before noon nearly every legal voter had cast his word and even at that early hour it was established that the vote would be full and the total probably the highest in the annals of the village.

Minneapolis Vote Early. The presence in Excelsior and the early appearance at the polls of every Minneapolisian who has the right to vote on the saloon question bore evidence of the ends to which the rival parties have gone to bring out every possible vote and the excitement of the day. Scores of Minneapolis men and other lake dwellers who have temporary residences in other cities lent their votes to one or the other of the factions, many taking actual part in the annual strife for the first time. Every citizen of Excelsior will vote before the polls close at 4 p. m., and the result almost doubtless will be the largest total vote ever registered in the village on any question.

Lead Side Council Fight. Another council fight, not concerning Mayor Sampson, was opened today when James P. Hanson announced himself a candidate for councilman. His platform has an anti-corporation plank. He declared the village has been injured by the interurban in the building of its viaducts, which he says are too low.

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LAW'S HAND IS ON BIG MONOPOLIES

Combined Must Reveal Inner Workings and Risk Prosecution.

Washington, March 13.—The United States supreme court's decision in the paper and tobacco trust cases is of monumental importance. Its application extends to every corporation whose books and papers may be examined by the government.

It means that the investigation of the Standard Oil, the steel trust and the anthracite coal trust, which the department of commerce and labor has been making for the last year, will permit positions of corporations and some of their officials. It means greater ease in the prosecution of the tobacco trust and the sugar trust, the latter a case of direct application to every person in the country, which Attorney General Moody has begun.

Beef Trust Must Answer. So far as the beef packers are concerned, it was said at the department of justice that the paper trust decision is a landmark in the history of justice that the paper trust decision. The network of defense which the attorneys for the packers so laboriously constructed and strongly supported has been swept away by a decision in a case in which the clients were directly interested. It is expected the department of justice will transmit the text of the decision to Attorney General Moody in order that he may be able to bring it to the attention of support of a motion to instruct the jury for the government in the pending prosecution.

No Immunity Loopholes. Corporations cannot receive immunity from incrimination as individuals. Officers were not at the department of justice to prevent the commission of illegal and unlawful acts by and corporation. Each corporation against which proceedings are instituted hereafter cannot avoid the vicarious liability of its officers if they have been illegal. The only future safety for a corporation is to obey the laws.

Bar to Illegal Acts. It is possible under the supreme court's decision on the part of the department of justice absolutely to prevent the commission of illegal and unlawful acts by and corporation. Each corporation against which proceedings are instituted hereafter cannot avoid the vicarious liability of its officers if they have been illegal. The only future safety for a corporation is to obey the laws.

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VERNON CENTER IS NEARLY WIPED OUT

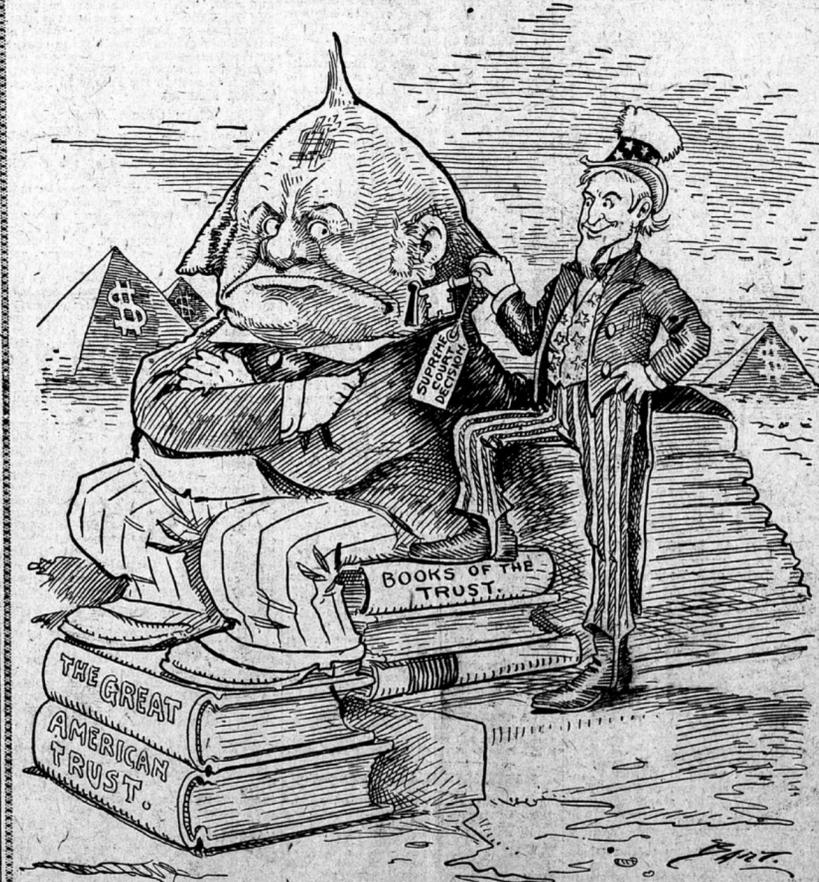
Prompt Aid in Fighting Fire Saves a Minnesota Village.

Special to The Journal. Vernon Center, Minn., March 13.—Fire at an early hour today destroyed the Barnes building, the opera house, and damaged three adjoining frame structures. The total loss is nearly \$40,000, with about \$25,000 insurance.

Fire Destroys Deadwood Mill. Deadwood, S. D., March 13.—Fire destroyed the Ogden mill, a new industrial plant in the first ward of this city, today. The plant was built by Dr. Ogden to treat ores by a new method, and the first test, just completed, had proved a great success. The value of the mill was \$22,500. The insurance is \$8,000. Vice President McAdoo says the company will rebuild at once.

Fire at Duluth. Duluth, Minn., March 13.—Fire broke out in a two-story brick building in the wholesale district today, and for a time it was threatened with destruction. The flames were finally controlled with a loss that will not run much above \$5,000. The building is occupied by the American Heating company and Thomson & Dunlop, the latter dealing in building materials. The losses are covered by insurance.

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CURE FOR A BAD CASE OF LOCKJAW. Uncle Sam now holds the key to the situation in a supreme court decision which says the great American trust magnate must talk.

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