

Harry Mitchell's Editorial



Help Me Win My Bet

One of the best business men in Minneapolis was in my store yesterday. He remarked that business was "on the hog" all over town.

I told him that business was good with me and that I was keeping all of my regular force busy and putting on more tailors every day. He thought I was joshing.

One word led to another, and finally I bet him five hundred dollars that I would take orders for 450 garments between now (4 p. m. Monday) and Saturday night.

I shall have to be going some, especially if the weather man doesn't take a tumble to himself and help me out. But I will do it, and do it easy.

In order to win my bet I have decided to give my customers and friends the best values they have ever had from me, and I have thrown in 630 patterns of the swellest spring fabrics you ever clapped eyes on, and I will take your order for a spring suit or spring overcoat, with a guarantee of perfect fit and satisfaction, for \$15. I can truthfully say that no other tailor would dare to offer the same kind of a garment for less than \$35 to \$40; and no ready-made store could furnish them at any price.

About 1,200 styles of the most elegant spring stuff, worth of any tailor in the country \$40, \$45 and \$50, I will make to your order, suit or overcoat, for \$20 or \$25.

For the real swell chaps I have a bunch of stuff, what I call Specials, which I will make to your order, suit or overcoat, for \$30 and \$35. They are the real thing and no tailor in the world can take your order on the same goods for less than \$60 to \$60.

Come at once and order for Easter. (Easter Sunday, April 15th.)

I shall appreciate your order more now than ever before, because, first, I want to keep my tailors busy, and, second, because I want to win that bet.

Yours truly,

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WITH ROOSEVELT, DECLARES ELKINS

Senator Replies to Cummins and Says He Stands with Shippers.

Journal Special Service.
Washington, March 27.—Senator Elkins has given out a statement in reply to Governor Cummins' letter.

"I don't think Governor Cummins has made any answer to what I have said," declared Senator Elkins, "but has admitted many things stated in my letter.

"I want no controversy with Governor Cummins. I felt it was my duty to present in a proper way his assault upon the senate of the United States and upon the interstate commerce commission and its chairman. What he had to say about me individually is of no moment; but I don't think a man as prominent as he should be allowed to traduce the senate, making unfounded statements, without being called to account.

Denial as to Faulkner.

"He admits that Senator Faulkner did not sit at my right side, but was behind, but he insists that he passed some questions to me, which is not true. No one had anything to do with propounding the questions I asked the governor.

"He admits that the examination was not hostile, as the evidence shows, and that he was treated with courtesy and consideration. He insists, however, that I am on the side of the railroads. This is not true. The Elkins bill answers this in effect, because it was passed without such amendments as the railroads proposed to it.

The Tillman Resolution.

"The drastic and far-reaching resolution reported by Mr. Tillman for the

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investigation of the Pennsylvania, Baltimore & Ohio, Chesapeake & Ohio and Norfolk & Western merger, which originated in the committee of which I am chairman, passed the committee and the amendment. This is a further answer to his attack on the senate and on me.

"Further to answer the governor, I would state that my interests are ten to one on the side of the shipper as against my interests in railroads, and this would seem conclusively to show that I am not on the side of the railroads. I stand with the president in the matter of railway rate regulation and the position he has taken."

MARK TWAIN BOOKS

"UNFIT FOR YOUTH"

Journal Special Service.

New York, March 27.—Literary circles were greatly surprised today to learn that the Brooklyn public libraries had placed Mark Twain's "Huckleberry Finn" and "Tom Sawyer" on the restricted list. The order had been in effect for two weeks, but was not generally known.

The order out at headquarters of the Brooklyn public libraries is to the effect that these two books shall not be given out to children under the age of discretion.

Simultaneous with the order, a letter was received at headquarters from Mark Twain himself. It is on file at the offices, but has not been given out and will not be made public unless Mr. Twain gives permission for the authorities to do so.

It is a letter of mingled wit, cleverness and sarcasm, and is said to be a classic in itself. In this letter, written by the sage of American letters, the author of "Tom Sawyer" and "Huckleberry Finn" has replied to the action of the library authorities in placing the ban of restriction upon these two books.

Altho they refused to discuss the matter at the headquarters of the Brooklyn department, it was admitted that the books in question were considered harmful to children under 15 years old and that the order of restriction was in effect.

KILLED BY FATHER

ON HER WEDDING DAY

Everett, Mass., March 27.—Less than three hours before the time set for her wedding, Fanny Townsend was shot and mortally wounded by her father, Joseph F. Townsend, in their home in this city. Townsend then ended his life with a bullet.

Townsend was to have been married to Francis E. Perry of Fort Myers, Fla., at 6 o'clock last night at the People's Temple, Boston. The bride was discovered by Townsend's 15-year-old son, Joseph, Jr., upon his return from an errand upon which he had been sent by the father. The only clue to the cause of the tragedy was this note written by Townsend about six months and had received the explicit consent of her father to the match.

"At 3:40 I have taken my daughter's life and my own. I do this rather than see her the wife of Francis Perry."

So far as is known, Townsend had nothing against Perry and the supposition is that Townsend's mind was unbalanced by reason of his brooding over the prospect of separation from his daughter.

Word of the tragedy was at once sent to Mr. Perry at his hotel in Boston and he hurried to the house. He was, he said, utterly at a loss to account for the action of Townsend. He had been engaged to Miss Townsend for about six months and had received the explicit consent of her father to the match.

DEATH FOR SIX IN

CAPRICE OF FATE

New York, March 27.—A strange caprice of fate cost the lives of four firemen and two workmen yesterday at a fire which destroyed half a block of factories and tenements in Old Greenwich village.

That Captain John Walsh of engine No. 14 and three of his men were killed was due to a record-breaking run which they made from the engine house. To command the best possible fighting advantage, they climbed to a roof, which was crushed in as the wall of the building on which they were playing their steam toppled over. In the crash that carried the firemen with it, two workmen, living in the tenement on which the men worked, were crushed to death. In addition, there were many accidents to firemen and men who aided in the work of rescue.

The fire was followed by a tremendous explosion on the third floor of the factory building in a room used by the Metal Stamping company. The storage of huge tanks of gasoline. What caused the explosion is not known.

The three firms occupying the building employed about 300 girls. By the time the fire apparatus arrived, had the girls had made their way from the building. Long ladders were run up and the rest were gotten down, but not before several had been injured.

WOMAN IN MYSTERY

OF TRUNK MURDER

San Francisco, March 27.—The mystery connected with the finding of the body of Albert N. McVicar in a trunk at the Southern Pacific station at Stockton on Saturday night has practically been solved. The identification of the body, coupled with the fact that a woman, known as his wife, but whose real name is Mrs. Emma Ledoux, who left Stockton shortly after the tragedy, has been followed by the arrest of the woman at Antioch. Mrs. Ledoux made the following statement:

"We had all been drinking and McVicar and I were drunk. McVicar had lots of money and Joe Miller gave him carbolic acid. Then I don't know just what happened. Miller and I put the body in the trunk and sent it to the depot.

"Miller got all the money," she continued, "and I do not know how much there was, but he got it."

McVicar's life is said to have been insured for \$5,000, with the woman as beneficiary.

EIGHT-HOUR DAY ON

IRRIGATION WORKS

By W. W. Jermans.

Washington, March 27.—Secretary Hitchcock has just promulgated a decision by the assistant attorney general for the interior department, in which it is held that laborers on irrigation projects shall not be required or permitted to work more than eight hours a day, where the government has taken the construction out of the hands of contractors and is doing the work. The question raised by the decision is in service officials, especially with reference to laborers who were being paid by the hour. The decision will apply to the contract held by the Widell-Finley company, made on the Belle Fourche project in South Dakota, which the government took over when a receiver was appointed.

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Men's good shoes. A calf worth \$2. Slashed to **\$1.49**

Women's fine shoes, splendid value at \$2. Slashed to **\$1.29**

Men's hand sewed Blucher Calf Shoes; worth \$3. Slashed to **\$1.98**

Women's strap slippers, every size, turn soles; \$1.25. Slashed to **79c**

Little boys' good box calf shoes, to 13 1/2. Slashed to **79c**

Women's rubbers, every size, second quality. Slashed to **22c**

Boys' good shoes to 5 1/2; worth to \$2. Slashed to **\$1.19**

Big lot women's slippers, kid and felt. Slashed to **29c**

Young ladies', misses' and children's fine shoes, worth to \$2. Slashed to **69c**

Children's and misses' rubbers; best make. Slashed to **39c**

WOMAN WITNESS FOR IVENS IS BEATEN

Chicago, March 27.—Mrs. A. L. Evans, who testified in behalf of Richard G. Ivens, convicted of the murder of Mrs. Bessie Hollister, was dragged into an alley within seventy-five feet of her home, last night by a young man, who

choked, kicked and beat her until she was almost unconscious. The assailant evidently was bent on inflicting further injury, but was prevented by the approach of several pedestrians. Seeing the bleeding and helpless woman on the ground, the men made a determined effort to capture the assailant. One of the pursuers came within twenty feet of the fugitive, who had run north into an alley, and fired two shots at him, but his aim was poor and the fugitive escaped.

and physicians summoned. They said that, while the woman had received serious injuries, they did not believe them to be fatal. Since Ivens' conviction Mrs. Evans, who was called as a witness in his behalf, has been receiving threatening letters from an anonymous writer. In these communications she has been charged by the writer with having done Ivens more harm than good in her testimony, and the writer in the letters stated that it was his intention to "get even" with her.

Heart and Lung Trouble



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