

MANY BEAUTIES CHARM SOCIETY

INAUGURAL BALL MARKED BY DAZZLING DEBUTANTES

EXPENSIVE AND BEAUTIFUL COS. TUMES NUMEROUS

Fete at National Capital Declared to Have Been Most Brilliant Event of Its Kind Ever Seen There

WASHINGTON, March 8.—The inaugural ball is declared by society to have been the most brilliant event of its kind ever held at the capital, the striking features being the large number of beautiful women in attendance and the elaborate nature of their toilets.

Miss Katherine Elkins was one of the most interesting figures at the ball. Miss Elkins wore white satin, rare lace and pearls.

Miss Wilson, daughter of the secretary of agriculture, was resplendent in a gown of blue velvet embroidered with pearls and turquoises.

Some other rich gowns were those worn by Mrs. Philander C. Knox, Mrs. Sherill Sherman, daughter-in-law of the vice president; Mrs. Joseph Leiter, Mrs. Bourke Cockran, Mrs. Nicholas Longworth, Mrs. J. Franklin Bell, Mrs. Quesada, wife of the Cuban minister; Mrs. Rebecca Collier and Mrs. William B. Lamar, wife of Representative Lamar of Florida.

Mrs. Lamar is one of the beauties of Washington society. Countess von Bernstorff, wife of the German ambassador, wore white satin with diamond ornaments and a tiara of rare gems.

Four of Most Beautiful Women Who Were Conspicuous at Inaugural Ball



OLD MAN'S LOVE CAUSES TRAGEDY

TWO MEN FOUND DEAD AFTER FIERCE BATTLE

Belief is Young Bridegroom Was Shot by Companion Who Was Jealous — Victim Then Killed Him

[By Associated Press.]

PORTLAND, Ore., March 8.—A mysterious tragedy was reported today when Mrs. Oscar Hiett, during a search for her young husband, had been absent from home all night, visited a shooting preserve on Columbia slough and there found the bodies of her husband and an old man named John Dale.

A rifle bullet has shattered the side of Hiett's head and a deep wound on the head from an ax disclosed the cause of Dale's death.

Both men were lying on the ground near an old cabin, and between them lay the ax and rifle, the weapons used in the slaughter.

Whether the old man shot the younger and then beaten with the ax by Hiett until he dropped dead, or a third man was the murderer, may never be known.

The former theory is held by the police. The old man and Hiett, hardly companions for a long time, until recently the younger took to himself a wife.

After that the old man apparently became jealous of the boy's wife and they quarreled frequently. It is alleged Dale offered Hiett many inducements to leave the young woman, and told him that if anything happened to him certain money that he had buried on the shooting preserve would go to Hiett when he died.

Recently he was told by Hiett that Mrs. Hiett that he would do something that she would be sorry for.

ORPHAN BOY IS INJURED BY STREET CAR: MAY DIE

Eleven-Year-Old Lad Attempts to Guide Bicycle Between Two Electric

Robert Steel, an orphan 11 years old, living in the family of Mrs. Susan Connelly at 901 East Jefferson street, was struck by a southbound San Pedro street car at Twenty-ninth street yesterday afternoon and sustained injuries which may cause his death.

Young Steel was riding a bicycle between the car tracks and attempted to pass between two moving cars. He was hit by the southbound car and tossed to one side and his wheel was demolished beneath the trucks.

The injured boy was picked up and hurried to the receiving hospital, where it was found he was suffering from a fracture of the skull and a fractured leg. He was later removed to the Children's hospital, where it was reported late last night his condition was precarious.

TOO MUCH YENSHEE CAUSES DEATH OF CHINESE LABORER

At First Oriental Found Dead Was Thought to Have Committed Suicide

Chew Yew, a Chinese laborer, who has been living at 218 Marshalls street, was found dead in his bunk yesterday afternoon by one of his fellow workmen, who went to wake him up to go to work. After an investigation it was determined that the worker was thought to be a case of suicide was only a case of accidental death.

Chew Yew took an overdose of yenshee, not with the idea of killing himself, it is thought, but to recuperate from the shock of absence from the drug for several days, which he had been unable to get because of his absence in the country.

The body was taken to Pierce Bros. morgue and if thought necessary an inquest will be held today.

Elected General Manager SAN FRANCISCO, March 8.—Frank B. McKevitt, owner of extensive orchards near Vacaville, was elected general manager of the California Fruit Distributors at a meeting of the organization today. He succeeds Dr. Anderson, who has been identified with the distributors for many years.

FRIEND OF CARMACK DENOUNCES COOPERS

MAKES DRAMATIC APPEAL FOR CONVICTION

Captain Fitzhugh Anticipates Argument of Defense and Bitterly Arraigns Slayers of Former Senator

NASHVILLE, Tenn., March 8.—After Captain Fitzhugh had completed the opening argument for the state this afternoon in the case against Col. Duncan B. Cooper, Robin J. Cooper and John D. Sharpe, charged with the murder of former Senator Edward W. Carmack, Judge Hart ordered the jury withdrawn and said: "I asked the audience to remain until after the jury was dismissed in order that I might do something I have never done before. I want to thank you for the splendid order preserved today. In spite of the splendid bursts of eloquence from the speakers, there has not been a single demonstration, not a word of abuse, not a word more than five hours. He was a close friend of Senator Carmack, and he is in the case at the special request of Mrs. Carmack. There will be many arguments made to you," he said, "to touch your hearts. You will be asked to be generous and sympathetic. They will talk to you of this boy."

"Why, gentlemen, he is 27 years old, and some of the greatest achievements of men have been accomplished before a man is 30; and they will point to Colonel Cooper as a gentleman of the old school, as 'the last flower of the old southern chivalry.'"

"Do you believe it? Was he a gentleman when he used that awful language in the presence of Miss Lee? And when they talk to you of sympathy, just look over there. You see in sable garments the widow of E. W. Carmack."

"You see on her arm the 10-year-old boy who was the pride of E. W. Carmack's life. Did Duncan Cooper or Robin think of this widow or this boy when they shot down the husband or the father?"

"The question to be decided is whether the law is to be enforced. 'If murder is to be committed in the streets of our citizens without fear of punishment, can you tell me who will be the next victim?' The very liberty of the press is at stake the security of the common people."

Killed in Explosion WILMINGTON, Del., March 8.—One man was killed and several others slightly injured early today by an explosion which destroyed two mills in the Hazley yards of the Dupont Powder company near here. The country was shaken for miles around.

FRENCHMEN OBJECT TO COUPLE KISSING; ARE FINED \$5 EACH

NEW YORK, March 8.—Not only is it no crime to kiss your sweetheart, but you are entitled to kiss uninterfered, according to a decision of Magistrate Corrigan rendered yesterday in the Jefferson Market police court.

Maxwell Meditch and Carmen Rogers were saying good-night in a hallway in West Fifty-seventh street Saturday night, when three Frenchmen passed by and objected. Meditch complained to a policeman, and they were arrested. When arraigned yesterday the magistrate heard the testimony and then said: "That's no crime. I'm going to fine you each \$5. Next time you come across two lovers saying good-night you'll know how to behave. We've got too many censors of conduct in this town already."

SPANISH STEAMER FOUNDERS

BREST, March 8.—The Spanish steamer Moro of Bilbao has foundered about two miles off Cape de Lacheve. The fate of the crew is unknown, no boats from the ship having been seen.

IRISHMAN WHO IS MUCH LAUDED AT CELEBRATION

BIRTHDAY OF NOTED PATRIOT CELEBRATED

ROBERT EMMET AND JOHN REDMOND COMPARED



President of Irish League of America Extols Efforts of Great Statesman to Unite His People

NEW YORK, March 8.—Two celebrations commemorative of the 131st anniversary of the birth of Robert Emmet were held in this city last night. The United Irish league held a meeting at the Lyric theater and the Clan-na-Gael gathered at the Herald Square theater.

Michael J. Ryan of Philadelphia, president of the United Irish league of America, said during the course of an address at the league celebration: "John E. Redmond has done more to advance the political, material, intellectual and industrial interests of Ireland than any other man in the last century."

"Never since the day of Emmet has the future of Ireland looked brighter with the promise of victory than it does today, under the leadership of Redmond."

"He represents an Ireland united to an extent unparalleled in all her checked history and he is the unquestioned leader of an organization that has done much for the cause of Irish freedom."

"If Redmond would today forget the cause for which Ireland is fighting he would become the prime minister of England. Intellectually, he is the most powerful man in all of the British empire, and he is devoting all the talents with which he has been endowed to carrying on the work which was begun by Robert Emmet more than a hundred years ago."

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RABBI PLANS TO HAVE SERVICES ON SUNDAY INSTEAD OF SATURDAY

PORTLAND, Ore., March 8.—Declaring that the traditional Jewish Sabbath "is honored more in the breach than in the observance," Rabbi Wise of Temple Beth Israel, following the lines indicated in leading eastern religious congregations, has inaugurated a movement in Portland for the holding of Sunday services in reformed churches.

Rabbi Wise contends that Friday night and Saturday morning services have not proved successful under the reform movement and that even in the orthodox Jewish church in America poorer results have been attained so far as attendance is concerned.

CONVICTED BANKERS FIND DISCREPANCIES

FELONS DECLARE ACCOUNTS ARE FAULTY

Prison Board Appoints Former Cashier of Pittsburg to Audit Books and Alleged Discovery Follows

PITTSBURG, March 8.—Convicted bankers, prisoners in the western penitentiary here, have discovered an apparent discrepancy of more than \$26,000 in the penitentiary accounts. The board of visitors of the prison appointed Henry Reiber, former paying teller of the Farmers' Deposit National bank and now a prisoner, to audit the books some time ago.

Finding what he regarded as a discrepancy and being unwilling to assume all responsibility, Reiber engaged the assistance of William Montgomery, former cashier of the Allegheny National bank, and J. B. F. Rinehart, former cashier of the Farmers and rovers' National bank of Waynesburg, Va., both convicts.

They agreed with him, it is said. The board of visitors is awaiting the return of William Johnson before taking further action.

FREE COINAGE MEASURE IS DEFEATED IN NEVADA

Resolution Reviving Populists' Issue Meets with Overwhelming Oppositor.

CARSON CITY, Nev., March 8.—A resolution demanding the free coinage of silver at a ratio of 20 to 1 was defeated in the state senate today. Party lines were abandoned, Republicans and Democrats joining in voting down the measure.

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COLD SNAP KILLS DEADLY SNAKE IN NEW YORK ZOO

Rare Reptile Was Only One in Captivity—Poison of Great Medicinal Value

NEW YORK, March 7.—Winter has killed the rare and dreaded red de lance yesterday found the lachesis, which had been forced to give up sixteen drops of its valuable poison last April, dead in the glass inclosed home in the snake house.

Not since 1828 had there been a snake of this species in captivity until last spring, when Prof. E. W. Runyon brought one to New York from Brazil. It had taken him six years to snare and secure the reptile.

"The deadly West Indian and tropical snake is known to the natives of those parts as the red de lance. It is the most poisonous and fatal reptile known. One bitten by the lachesis dies instantly. Prof. Dittmars welcomed the specimen and pathologists and scientists became interested in the plan to secure some of the poison the reptile exudes and which has great medicinal value. From it a serum is made which is of wonderful effect in the treatment of certain forms of insanity and nervous diseases."

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"Colonel, we want a contribution from you to help build a mission church."

"Judge, you know well enough that while I am in sympathy with morality and religion I don't believe in churches in the abstract, and—"

"Neither do I, colonel. We're going to build this one of concrete."—Chicago Tribune.

POLICE CAPTURE SUPPOSED THUGS

ARREST OF TWO HOLDUPS LEADS TO DISCLOSURES

FIVE OF GANG OF SEVEN BELIEVED SAFE IN JAIL

Authorities Deny Knowledge of Incarceration of Alleged Robbers in Order to Secure Remainder of Band

The final gang of holdup men existing in Los Angeles is believed to be in jail. At least all but two members of the gang of seven are, and the police are well satisfied with their work, although they expect to have the two missing members in the clutches of the law within the next twenty-four hours.

When Sergeants Adams and Sparks arrested Joseph Cota and Bert Carter at Avenue Twenty-two and the Santa Fe tracks, Sunday night, for the holdup and robbery of four people with fifty minutes of one another on the East Side, they made a more important catch than they realized at that time, for the further investigation of the records by the police and detectives led yesterday to the arrest of three other members of what is believed to be an organized gang.

Cota and Carter were arrested by Sergeants Adams and Sparks within twenty minutes after they had held up and robbed two men at Monte Vista avenue and Avenue 12, and two men in front of 3710 Pasadena avenue.

The men were captured at Avenue Twenty-two and the Santa Fe tracks, as they were hurrying from the scenes of their crimes. At first they put up a bold front and disclaimed any knowledge of why they should be arrested, but a few minutes of incarceration in the tanks of the workhouse broke their spirit of reserve, and they confessed to the police they were guilty of the crimes for which they had been arrested, and they gave the police information which led to the arrest, yesterday morning, of G. M. Phillips, who was captured by Detectives Ingram and Carroll, and Albert and Edward Trejo, who were arrested by Detectives Jones, Boyd, Talamantes and Rico.

All of these prisoners were placed in detention, and last night the police denied any knowledge of their arrest or that any crime had been committed which might cause the arrest of these people.

The reason for the secretiveness of the police lies in the fact that the detectives have yet been unable to locate and arrest two other members of the gang, who are wanted in connection with the dozen or more holdups which have recently been committed in the city.

SENATE AGREES TO BOND ISSUE

ADOPTS MEASURE FOR AID OF BAY CITY'S HARBOR

[Special to The Herald.]

SACRAMENTO, March 8.—The senate passed today the bill introduced by Senator Edward L. Wolfe providing for a bond issue of \$9,000,000 for improvement of San Francisco harbor. An amendment offered by Senator J. B. Curtin of Tennessee, relating to the separation of state and county taxes, was adopted after a heated debate.

The Boynton amendment was adopted. In the discussion today Senator Boynton declared the steam roads were in favor of the original Curtin measure, while Senator Willis Cutten and Curtin intimated their belief that the Boynton amendment was prompted solely by the electric railway interests.

The amendment was adopted by a vote of 19 to 10. W. B. Whitney's bill defining criminal assault and fixing the age of consent at 18 years was rejected by the assembly this morning. Sixteen is the legal age of girls under the existing law.

By a vote of 25 to 9 the senate tonight passed the bill introduced by Senator Boynton of Orville on behalf of the San Francisco Bar association, providing that judicial candidates be placed on the ballot in a separate column without their party designations.

The bill introduced by Senator Charles W. Bell of Pasadena, providing for a divorce examiner who shall represent the state in all divorce actions and prosecute fraud or collusion between husbands and wives seeking separation, was defeated in the senate by a vote of 16 to 18.

The general appropriation bill introduced in the assembly on Friday was passed by the lower house with slight amendment. Leaders in both houses are predicting adjournment sine die on March 17.

FORGOT THAT

Redd—Is it a fact that it costs you more to keep your automobile than it cost to buy it?—Green—It is.

"Well, I don't want anything that costs more to keep than it does to get. What do you think of that?"—Yonkers Statesman.

AS TO PILOTS

A World correspondent writes that "the Republican party may have erred at times but it has always selected the most able men to pilot this great old ship of State."

We have no fault to find with Republican pilots. They are a fine body of able seamen. Our quarrel is with the ship owners who set the course for them.—Puck.

HIS IDEA

Church—They say that if a human being continued to grow at the rate he does during his first year of life, he would be over sixty-eight feet tall at the age of 10. What do you think of that?—Gottham—Why, I think a boy would have to put on long trousers pretty early in life. —Yonkers Statesman.

SANITARIUMS AND MINERAL BATHS

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CITRUS FRUIT REPORT

PHILADELPHIA, March 8.—Twelve cars of navel, two mixed cars and two cars lemons sold; market unchanged; weather clear and cold. Nineteen cars on track. Nineteen cars Florida oranges sold, from \$1.20 to 3.90 box. Choice sizes sold mostly about \$2.50. Five thousand boxes of Sicily lemons are to be sold here next week.

NAVELS Orchard Run, S. A. Ft. Ex. Pomona \$2.25 Highgrove, Riv. Ft. Ex. Highgrove 2.30 Carmichael, S. T. Ft. Ex. Fullerton 2.36 Mt. Baldy, Riv. Ft. Ex. Fullerton 2.40 Golden Orange, A. H. Ft. Ex. Arlington 2.34 Fiesta, Riv. Ft. Ex. Fullerton 2.40 Native Son, ch. King Ft. Co. Imp. 2.50 S. A. Ft. Ex. Fullerton 2.40 W. Highland, or, Cleghorn Bros. 2.49 Independent, Growers Ft. Co. 2.46 National, ch. Harper Ft. Co. 2.42 Orchard, Ry. Atland Ft. Co. 2.27 Orland, Ry. Atland Ft. Co. 2.27 National, ch. Harper Ft. Co. 2.42 Victory, or, Cal. Citrus Union 2.15 Defender, or, Atland Ft. Co. 2.28 Budsada, same 2.28

BLOODS-1/2 Native Son, ch. King Ft. Co. 2.50 Squirrel, A. H. Ft. Ex. Arlington 1.20 Palm Tree, same 1.20 TANGERINES-1/2 Squirrel, A. H. Ft. Ex. Arlington 1.00 Dancy (?) 1.00 LEMONS Defender, or, Atland Ft. Co. 1.33 Transcontinental, S. T. Ft. Ex. Corona 1.29 El Modena, same 1.29 BOSTON, March 8.—Thirty-one cars sold; on track. Weather favorable; market remains unchanged.

NAVELS Orchard, or, National O. Co. \$2.86 Elephant, or, O. G. Cash Assn. 2.70 Hawarden, Ry. Hawarden C. A. 2.70 Golden Orange, A. H. Ft. Ex. Arlington 2.40 Preferred Stock, Ry. or, Allen Break 2.45 Standard, or, National O. Co. 2.48 Solano, or, Stearns Ft. Co. 2.50 Arch Flower, or, Red. G. O. Assn. 2.35 Caramo, same 2.35 Sombro, or, Mutual O. Dis. 2.30 Triumph, or, Cal. Cit. Union 2.30 Mosker, or, Spence Ft. Co. 2.30 Fleming, or, C. C. Union 2.20 Triumf, or, same 2.20 Solano, or, Stearns Ft. Co. 2.50 Golden Phasent, or, Independent Ft. Co. 2.10 Falls, or, G. A. Smith 2.10 Conqueror, or, Independent Ft. Co. 2.10 Petunia, Atland Ft. Co. 2.10 Dam, or, G. A. Smith 2.10 Dan Patch, A. S. Ft. Ex. Corona 2.10 Puritan, S. B. Ft. Ex. Rialto 2.10 Dan Patch, A. S. Ft. Ex. Corona 2.10 Gold Leaf, R. H. Ft. Ex. Red. Jet. 2.10 Silver Leaf, same 2.10 Anona, same 2.10 Extra Choice, S. T. Ft. Ex. Rossmore, 2.45 Gold Bunch, R. H. Ft. Ex. E. Highlands 2.40 Laurel, Q. C. Ft. Ex. Corona 2.40 Red Globe, Riv. Ft. Ex. Union 2.40 Cal. Oranges, same 2.40 Orchard Run, S. A. Ft. Ex. Pomona 2.40 Pine Cone, S. B. Ft. Ex. Corona 2.40 Rey, S. T. Ft. Ex. Fernando 2.45 Pine Cone, Imp. S. B. Ft. Ex. Highland 2.45

GRAPEFRUIT Extra Choice, S. T. Ft. Ex. Rossmore 1.98 Laurel, Q. C. Ft. Ex. Corona 1.40 Lily, Q. C. Ft. Ex. Corona 2.50 Rey, S. T. Ft. Ex. Fernando 2.50 TANGERINES-1/2 Rey, S. T. Ft. Ex. Fernando 1.85

CLEVELAND, March 8.—Weather cool; market steady; 7 cars sold; 18 on track. One car Florida sold at \$2.75 to \$2.85, mostly \$2.85. Poiner, A. C. G. Ft. Ex. Glendora \$2.15 Euterpe, Covins Ft. Ex., Covina 2.25 Fiesta, Riv. Ft. Ex., Riv. 2.35 Crouse, S. B. Ft. Ex., Highland 2.35 Cana, same 2.35 Cosmos, same 2.35 Poiner, A. C. G. Ft. Ex., Glendora 2.40 Lechwiner, R. H. Ft. Ex., Covina 1.95 Bartidge, or, Cal. Cit. Union 1.75 Amethyst, sd, same 1.75 Stag, A. X. G. Ft. Ex., Glendora 1.40

MANDARINES-1/2 Stag, A. C. G. Ft. Ex., Glendora 1.45 Stag, A. C. G. Ft. Ex., Glendora 1.15 CITRUS FRUIT SHIPMENTS Total. Friday, March 5 204 25 229 Sat. Sun. March 6-7 295 24 259 To date this season 9221 1628 10,449

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