

NEARLY READY TO MAKE REPORT

New York Legislative Insurance Investigating Committee Wind-up Its Business.

TALK OF A GRAND JURY

JEROME GOING OVER THE SCANDAL AGAIN.

New York, Feb. 4.—The legislative insurance investigating committee expects to complete the labors of framing its 75,000 word report this week.

District Attorney Jerome for a week has been going over the testimony brought out at the investigation. Some statement as to the possibilities of a grand jury investigation is looked for tomorrow.

MINERS KILLED BY BAD AIR

Two Unfortunate Men Overcome in Blue Bird Mine at Cripple Creek.

Denver, Feb. 4.—The news special from Cripple Creek says that bad air in the Blue Bird mine caused the death of two men and the injury of three others today.

DISTRESS SIGNALS

Cleveland, Feb. 4.—Flashes believed to be distress signals of the fishing tug Alberta in Lake Erie, were seen by residents of Clifton Park tonight, and efforts were made to ascertain the location of the tug in that direction.

AID OFFERED MINERS.

Lincoln, Neb., Feb. 4.—Lincoln Typographical union No. 208 today rendered aid to the United Mine Workers of America financial assistance in the coming strike.

CRACKED BABY LYONS' LIFE

Untold Suffering and Constant Misery—Awful Slight From that Dreadful Complaint, Infantile Eczema—Commenced at Top of his Head and Covered Entire Body.

MOTHER PRAISES CUTICURA REMEDIES

"Our baby had that dreadful complaint, Infantile Eczema, which afflicted him for several months, commencing at the top of his head, and at last covering his whole body. His sufferings were untold and constant misery, in fact, there was nothing we would not have done to have given him relief.

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Complete external and internal treatment for every humor, consisting of Cuticura Soap, Ointment, and Pills, may now be had for one dollar.

RAILROAD SPEED CONTEST

Iron Mountain and "Katy" Routes Making Fast Time to Get Mail Contract.

St. Louis, Feb. 4.—A month's speed contest between mail trains on the Iron Mountain route and the Frisco-Missouri, Kansas & Texas roads combination to secure the government's award for carrying the southwestern mail began this morning.

Dallas, Tex., Feb. 4.—The Frisco-Katy fast mail, which left St. Louis at 2:45 this morning, reached Dennison at 4:57 o'clock this afternoon, three minutes earlier than the maximum speed of seventy-six and one-half miles an hour to recover thirteen minutes lost north of South McAlester.

Kansas City, Feb. 4.—At an early hour this morning a three-story brick building on the north side of the city square, in Independence, Mo., occupied by the Metz Hardware company, was destroyed by fire, causing a loss of \$75,000.

ALLEGED COMBINATION.

Vienna, Feb. 4.—It is reported that a military convention has been concluded between Italy and Montenegro for the purpose of breaking down Austria's predominance in the Balkans.

VISIT POSTPONED.

Paris, Feb. 5.—The Madrid correspondent of the Echo de Paris says that owing to the illness of King Albert, the king of Belgium, his visit to Madrid will not take place in the spring, and that for the same reason King Alfonso's marriage to Princess Ena of Battenberg has been postponed until June.

DONNELLY AGAIN MISSING.

Cincinnati, Feb. 4.—For the second time in the last week Michael Donnelly of Chicago, president of the Meatcutters and Butchers Workers' National union, is strangely missing from this city, and the police have been asked to locate him.

TUNNEL COMPLETED.

Cumberland, Md., Feb. 4.—Work on the Kessel tunnel on the sixty-five mile Washburn connecting link between Cumberland and Cherry Run was completed yesterday, opening the link and connecting the Washburn with the Atlantic seaboard.

KING IN BAD SHAPE.

Vienna, Feb. 4.—King Charles of Roumania is seriously ill, but it is believed he is in no immediate danger. He is suffering from catarrh of the prostate, and the heart and has been ordered to abstain from all business.

GUARD AGAINST DISEASE.

Mexico City, Feb. 4.—Archbishop Alarcón ordered the thorough disinfection of the churches of a city to guard against the spread of diseases that have been menacing among the lower classes during the period of extraordinary cold.

GENERAL LOGAN.

Part Irish, Part Indian and Wholly American.

General Logan was popular in the army. His friends called him John, and he generally had his room filled with officers, he "receiving" in shirt sleeves, writes Wimer Bedford, in December Lippincott's. He was part Irish, part Indian and wholly American—a handsome man, slightly above the medium height, having coal-black eyes, and long, straight black hair, which hung all about the head, and, if I remember correctly, turned in all around.

When I was in the postoffice at Cairo, Ill., after having served about a year in the army, I got leave from the postmaster and went down to the front to see General Logan. I told him that I came to get that start position he had promised me when he was in Cairo. He said I was too late; that an order had just issued from Washington saying that no staff appointments could in future be made from civil life. "But," said he, "I can get you a horse, and if you can get a blouse and sabre you can ride with me as a volunteer aide, paying your share of the mess table."

"Well, my boy," said the general, "your father will be buried by the time you get home. Don't you hear those guns? The war-horse sniffs the battle from afar off."

HARRIMAN IN CONTROL OF THE ILLINOIS CENTRAL

Persons Who Have Seen the Transfer Books of the Company Say There Is Evidence Confirming the Story of a Merger.

New York, Feb. 4.—The Herald tomorrow will say: It is learned in this city yesterday that there are many indications that the Illinois Central railway has been acquired by interests identified with the Harriman party.

Working for Months. "For weeks, I may say months, it has been understood in Wall street that Mr. Harriman and the interests with which he is allied have been gradually working to secure control of the Illinois Central. It is true that he obtained large blocks of stock and that he organized the Railroad Securities company to further his plan.

The official was asked what the merger would mean to the Illinois Central and to the Harriman lines west—the Union Pacific system, including the Southern Pacific and all its leased roads, and he said: "Probable Result. "Well, as a starter, it would cheapen operation of the several lines. I suppose the operating departments would be joined, and that would reduce the general administrative expenses. This, however, is only problematical and is based on the presumption that the Union Pacific has not been merged with the Harriman lines."

Believed to be True. Harriman Plan Has Been Working for Months Past.

Chicago, Feb. 5.—The Record-Herald today has been known in Chicago for several months that E. H. Harriman was planning to enlarge his holdings of Illinois Central so as to gain absolute control and thus to join it with the Union Pacific system. The belief in New York that the deal had been completed created little surprise, and several Illinois Central officials said that while they were not acquainted with the latest details of the deal, they had reason to feel that Mr. Harriman had become the dominating factor in the company.

HAWAIIANS IN WASHINGTON

Delegation of Island Citizens Will Advocate Spending Duties for Improvements.

Washington, Feb. 4.—A delegation of Hawaiian citizens arrived here today to appear before committee of congress to advocate legislation requiring three-fourths of the customs duties and internal revenues collected in the territory to be expended on public works there.

W. O. Smith, the chairman of the commission, in speaking of the visit of the delegation tonight, said: "The only benefit of being shipped in gold to San Francisco."

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Y. P. S. C. E. CELEBRATES

Services Are Held in Honor of Society's Twenty-Fifth Anniversary.

Christian Endeavorers of Salt Lake and elsewhere yesterday celebrated the twenty-fifth anniversary of the founding of their society.

A special service in honor of the occasion was held last evening at the Central Christian church.

C. E. Marks presided. A number of talks were given by members in which the statements were made that the society was founded by Francis E. Clark in Portland, Me., Feb. 2, 1881, and that it has grown and at the present time there are branches in all parts of the world. The membership is now about 4,000,000.

Rev. W. M. Taylor announced that his intended talk on the "Conditions in the Congo Free State" would be given next Sunday evening.

AMUSEMENTS

"Faust" in view of the recent appearance of grand opera artists in the German classic and the coming of the same play within a few days might not be expected to have the happiest of ways at the Grand theatre. It opened last night, however, to a large audience, and there were several scenes which would have done justice to any that the gallery gods vented their displeasure at last night's production, taking little to Pearl Ethier Moore's interpretation of Marguerite. Mrs. Moore, who, by the way, is a sister of Alphonz Ethier of "Ban Hui" fame, is seen to excellent advantage in the last act. Possessed of face and form well adapted to the role, her Marguerite appears a little overdone in the artlessness of Goethe's heroine.

As Faust, Jack Frazer fulfilled every demand, holding the attention of the audience at all times. Mr. Frazer made his big hit in the third act in his defiance of the Spirit of Evil. The part of the latter is taken by Frederick Moore, whose acting is finished in every respect.

Were we to select from the lesser parts one for special mention, the honors would surely go to Charles W. Gunnin, than whose Valentine one could wish no better.

The Grand patrons were given a surprise in the way of stage effects in the Brockton scene, every device of a Tartareque nature being called into use. "Faust" will be seen at the Grand through Wednesday night with a matinee that day.

"The Alcazar Beauties" filled the Lyric theatre with a large audience last night and pleased all with their skits and vaudeville stunts. There will be a matinee Wednesday.

There is no chance of "The Unmasking" not being presented at the Orpheum tonight, on account of the late arrival of trains, for the simple reason Edwards Davis and his company arrived from Los Angeles yesterday. This one-act tragedy made an instantaneous hit in the City of the Angels. The other feature on tonight's bill will be Joe Newman in humorous songs; Klekko and Travoll, grand opera singers; Welch and Matland, grotesque comic comedians; Hallen and Hayes, eccentric comedians and dancers; La Getta, premier aerial gymnast, and the kindroome presenting the "Firebug."

MRS. FEVEYER DIES.

Aged Resident of Salt Lake Expires at Daughter's Home.

Mrs. Mary Ann Feveryer, aged 83 years, died yesterday at the residence of her daughter, Mrs. John H. White, 268 North Second West street. Her funeral will be held Tuesday afternoon at 2 o'clock from the same place. Mrs. Feveryer was a native of Halesstone, Norfolk, England. She had resided in Salt Lake since 1883. She leaves two daughters, Mrs. John H. White and Mrs. John Parks, and a son, Charles Feveryer.

CONFERENCE CALLED.

Cleveland, Feb. 4.—President Al Faulkner of the Amalgamated Window Glass Workers of America received a telegram from President Hilton of Port Allegheny, Pa., of the proposed independent glass manufacturers calling a conference of the promoters of the independent combine to meet here Wednesday. The telegram states that nine of the largest glass manufacturing concerns in the country will be represented in the conference looking to the organization of the independents.

Tired, Nervous Mothers

Make Unhappy Homes—Their Condition Irritates Both Husband and Children—How Thousands of Mothers Have Been Saved From Nervous Prostration and Made Strong and Well.



A nervous, irritable mother, often on the verge of hysterics, is unfit to care for children; it ruins a child's disposition and reacts upon herself. The trouble between children and their mothers too often is due to the fact that the mother has some female weakness, and she is entirely unfit to bear the strain upon her nerves that governing children involves; it is impossible for her to do anything calmly. The ill of women act like a firebrand upon the nerves, consequently nine-tenths of the nervous prostration, nervous despondency, "the blues," sleeplessness, and nervous irritability of women arise from some derangement of the female organism. Do you experience fits of depression with restlessness, alternating with extreme irritability? Are your spirits easily affected, so that one minute you laugh, and the next minute you feel like crying? Do you feel something like a ball rising in your throat and threatening to choke you; all the senses perverted, morbidly sensitive to light and sound; pain in the abdominal region, and between the shoulders; bearing-down pains; nervous dyspepsia and almost continually cross and snappy? If so, your nerves are in a shattered condition, and you are threatened with nervous prostration. Proof is monumental that nothing in the world is better for nervous prostration than Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound; thousands and thousands of women can testify to this fact. Ask Mrs. Pinkham's Advice—A Woman Best Understands a Woman's Ills.

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Large advertisement for Wardrobe System of Clothing. Text: '1000 Suits Must Be Cleaned Out In Ten Days, COMMENCING Tomorrow, Tuesday, Feb. 6. SUITS FROM \$12.50 TO \$16.00 FOR Ten Days, COMMENCING Tomorrow, Tuesday, Feb. 6. SUITS FROM \$16.00 TO \$28.00 FOR \$12.00. HERE'S THE REASON: We have secured the exclusive rights for the State of Utah to sell the famous WARDROBE SYSTEM OF CLOTHING, a class of goods which will at once appeal to the most fastidious tastes of all classes of people. Don't forget, we must clean up our winter stock to make room for this large shipment, hence the sacrifice. HATS, UNDERWEAR, SWEATERS, EVERYTHING IN THE HOUSE MUST GO AT LESS THAN COST. TUESDAY, FEB. 6. THE FORWARDER, 157 Main St.'