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GROUND BROKEN FOR NEW BUILDING

Fifty Members of Weber Club Begin the Work of Excavating.

(Special to The Herald-Republican.)

Ogden, Dec. 9.—Despite the inclement weather, the building committee of the Weber club broke the ground for the club's proposed new building at Twenty-fourth street and Grant avenue this afternoon. A short ceremony was held, beginning at 1 o'clock, when brief speeches were made by A. G. Fell, chairman of the building committee, and A. R. Heywood, president of the club.

Following the speeches Mr. Fell dug a shovel into the mud and lifted the first bit of earth into an empty wagon, thus starting the work of excavating for the handsome new building, which will be completed next spring. Fifty members of the club followed Mr. Fell, each lifting a shovelful of dirt into the wagon. It is expected that J. P. O'Neill, the contractor to whom the job of excavating and laying the foundation has been awarded, will have his men on the ground tomorrow morning.

After the members of the club had adjourned to the present headquarters of the institution to partake of a luncheon provided by Mr. Fell, it was discovered that the wagon into which the dirt had been thrown was not left there for that purpose and a driver had to be employed to haul it away and empty the contents, but no damage was done.

SAYS ATTORNEYS WERE NOT WORTH THE MONEY

Mrs. Mary Croft Files Answer to Suit Instituted Against Her to Recover Fee.

(Special to The Herald-Republican.)

Ogden, Dec. 9.—Declaring that the services of George Halverson and A. E. Pratt, two prominent local attorneys, were not worth $300 and maintaining that she did not employ them, Mrs. Mary I. Croft has filed an answer to the suit of Halverson and Pratt, through her attorney, Charles R. Hollingsworth.

Yesterday the law firm brought action against Mrs. Croft to recover $300, which they alleged was due them for their services in representing Mrs. Croft after the death of her husband, George A. Croft.

In her answer, the defendant says that the only work done by Halverson & Pratt was to appear on two different occasions in an inquest over the body in the municipal court. She also avers that Milton Croft, a brother of the deceased, employed the lawyers, and that the debt is not hers. However, she is willing to pay $100 for their services, and declares she has tendered the plaintiffs that amount and that they refused to accept it. A certified check for $100 was filed with the answer.

VICTIM OF TUBERCULOSIS

James Cooney, Well Known Resident of Weber County, Dies at Home of His Sister.

(Special to The Herald-Republican.)

Ogden, Dec. 9.—After an illness extending over a period of four years, James Cooney, aged thirty-three, a mine foreman who was a resident of Weber county for a long time, died at the home of his sister, Mrs. Peter Heflin, 226 West Twenty-second street today.

The funeral will be held at St. Joseph's cathedral Sunday afternoon at 3 o'clock under the auspices of the Knights of Columbus, of which the deceased was a prominent member.

Mr. Cooney is survived by two sisters, Mrs. Heflin and Miss Alice Cooney. Tuberculosis is given as the cause of death.

MOYER FUNERAL SUNDAY

High School Cadets and Members of Football Team Will Attend Obsequies of Former Comrade.

(Special to The Herald-Republican.)

Ogden, Dec. 9.—The remains of Pierce J. Moyer, twenty-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Oliver Moyer, will be buried Sunday afternoon, following services at the First Presbyterian church at 2:30 o'clock.

The young man was a victim of tuberculosis, having been ill for a number of months. Prior to the time of his rapid decline he was prominent in athletics at the Ogden High school and he leaves a host of friends. The cadets of the Ogden High school will attend the funeral in a body and members of the football team will be the pallbearers.

The body will lie in state Saturday afternoon and evening and Sunday until 1 o'clock. Interment will be in City cemetery.

FUNERAL SERVICES SUNDAY.

(Special to The Herald-Republican.)

Ogden, Dec. 9.—The body of Mrs. Ida May Jackson, who died yesterday after a short illness from pneumonia, will be buried Sunday afternoon in the City cemetery, following funeral services at 2 o'clock in the Third ward meeting house. Bishop Moroni Marriott will officiate at the funeral. The body will lie in state at the home of Abraham Jackson, 452 Sixteenth street, Saturday afternoon and evening and Sunday morning till noon.

PETITION FOR GUARDIANSHIP.

(Special to The Herald-Republican.)

Ogden, Dec. 9.—John J. Donohue has filed a petition for letters of guardianship of the estate of his children, Jeremiah Jaul and Mary Lattina Donohue, with the county clerk. The petition recites that Elizabeth A. Donohue, wife of the petitioner and mother of the two children, died at Spokane, Wash., October 1, 1908, leaving $207.75 in cash to be divided between the minor heirs.

FUNERAL OF DANIELS BOY.

(Special to The Herald-Republican.)

Ogden, Dec. 9.—Funeral services for Walter Daniels, the six-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Daniels, who died yesterday morning from pneumonia, will be held tomorrow afternoon at 2 o'clock from the North Ogden meeting house, Bishop James Ward officiating. Interment will be in the North Ogden cemetery.

CITY MAY TUNNEL UNDER THE DEPOT

Railroad Officials Interfere With Extending of Waterworks System in Ogden.

(Special to The Herald-Republican.)

Ogden, Dec. 9.—According to an announcement made by Manager Charles Kirchner of the waterworks department today, the city will tunnel under the new Harriman freight depot, if necessary, in order to extend the city water system to West Ogden.

Tuesday the railroad officials halted a gang of laborers who were about to proceed with the pipe line to the south of the new depot, it being the contention of the corporation representatives that the city forfeited all right to that ground when the Twenty-fourth street viaduct was built. It had been the understanding of the city council a few nights previous that no objections would be made to the digging of a line underneath the railroad tracks.

A force of twenty-five men was busily engaged today changing the flow of the Weber river from the east to the west side of the channel. As soon as this is accomplished the water main leading to the city's western limits will be laid three feet under the bed of the river on the east side, after which the flow will be turned to the east side to allow the trenching on the west side of the channel. The work is to be done during the low water season, as it would be impossible to change the current during the time when the tide is high and the river swift.

CHRISTMAS PREPARATION

Salvation Army Makes an Appeal to People of Ogden to Assist in Providing for Poor.

(Special to The Herald-Republican.)

Ogden, Dec. 9.—In order that the public of this city may lend aid to the Christmas cause in providing eatables for the many poor and destitute families, and a big Christmas tree for the children who are not fortunate enough to have a tree at their homes, the Salvation Army has asked that the names of all poor and deserving people be sent to them as soon as possible.

As usual, the Salvation Army will be on hand Christmas day with words of cheer and useful gifts to the worthy poor. A basket dinner will be prepared and a giant Christmas tree, loaded with candy, dolls and toys, will be lighted Christmas evening when its fruit will be distributed to the poor children.

BOYS CAUSE TROUBLE BY TURNING IN FIRE ALARMS

Ogden, Dec. 9.—Mischievous youngsters, believed to be the same lads who have caused the local fire department a great deal of trouble recently, turned in a fire alarm from box 34 this afternoon at 2:53 o'clock, but ran away before the department reached the scene at Twenty-second street and Jefferson avenue.

The police have been asked to apprehend the youthful but pernicious offenders, but the officers have been unable to ascertain their identity.

WOMAN IS ARRESTED.

Ogden, Dec. 9.—Following information from secret sources, Cyrus C. Brown of the local police today arrested Emma Jok, a Japanese habitue of Electric alley, who is about twenty-one years old. She is being held pending investigation by the federal authorities at Salt Lake, it being the supposition that she was imported here by "white slavers."

OPERETTA IS ACCEPTED.

(Special to The Herald-Republican.)

Ogden, Dec. 9.—Word was received here today in a letter by George Wardlaw that Mrs. Jane West Herrick, sister-in-law of Patrolman Al. Herrick of Ogden and wife of John L. Herrick, president of the Mormon mission at Denver, has had a children's operetta accepted by a prominent New York theatrical man. Mrs. Herrick has achieved considerable prominence as a writer.

SOMETHING MORE SERIOUS.

(Special to The Herald-Republican.)

Ogden, Dec. 9.—J. Jacobson, proprietor of a second-hand store on Pacific avenue, near Thirty-first street, who has been arrested on a charge of conducting a store without a license, may also be charged with buying stolen property, the police say. He is alleged to have bought a quantity of stolen copper wire from a "drug fiend."

PERKINS GETS SCHOLARSHIP.

(Special to The Herald-Republican.)

Ogden, Dec. 9.—William Albert Perkins of this city, class '12 of Harvard university, has been awarded an honorary scholarship by the faculty of the college, in recognition of his high academic record and standing in his sophomore year. The scholarship carries no financial aid with it. This is the second year in succession that Perkins has won this distinction. He prepared at Phillips Exeter academy.

KEIZI KOBAYASKI DEAD.

(Special to The Herald-Republican.)

Ogden, Dec. 9.—Keizi Kobayaski, a member of the local Japanese colony, aged forty years, died at the Japanese hospital in this city this morning from a complication of diseases. Funeral services will be conducted at the Heaton-Kirkendall undertaking chapel Sunday afternoon at 1 o'clock.

JUDGMENT FOR PLAINTIFF.

(Special to The Herald-Republican.)

Ogden, Dec. 9.—Judgment in the sum of $43.90 has been granted the Scoville Paper company by the municipal court in the action brought by the paper concern against M. H. Graham to recover on account.

ECCLES REACHES HOME.

(Special to The Herald-Republican.)

Ogden, Dec. 9.—David Eccles, who has been in California for two weeks on a business trip, returned to his home today and will leave tomorrow on a trip to the east. He will go directly to New York City.

BANK OFFICERS ELECTED.

(Special to The Herald-Republican.)

Midvale, Dec. 9.—At the annual meeting of the stockholders of the People's State bank here, the old board of directors was re-elected for the ensuing year. They are: J. W. W. Fitzgerald, Draper; James Chipman, Salt Lake; William E. Diamond, West Jordan; Joseph M. Holt, South Jordan; William Aylett, W. A. Marshall and C. I. Goff of Midvale. According to the cashier's report, the bank is in a prosperous condition.

FUNERAL OF ELMER HILL.

(Special to The Herald-Republican.)

Bingham, Dec. 9.—The funeral of Elmer Hill, who died at the Elmerton hotel Wednesday, was held in Society hall this afternoon at 2 o'clock. The services were held under the auspices of the I. O. O. F. lodge. The attendance was large, including a number of old-time residents of the camp. There were many beautiful floral remembrances. Burial will take place in City cemetery in Salt Lake.

NEWS OF UTAH AND ADJOINING STATES

RESTRICTIONS ON GRAZING LAND

It Is Claimed That Considerable Damage Has Been Done in Manti Forest.

(Special to The Herald-Republican.)

Ephraim, Dec. 9.—Acting upon evidence which has been laid before the secretary of agriculture of damage to agricultural and other interests through too heavy grazing on certain watersheds in the Manti national forest in Utah, Secretary Wilson has reduced the amount of stock which will be allowed to graze on this forest next year to 16,500 head of cattle and horses, and 155,000 head of sheep.

This is a reduction of 2,000 in the number of cattle and horses, and 27,000 in the number of sheep.

There has been great apprehension among the farmers and townspeople who live along the streams fed from these watersheds lest overgrazing should seriously jeopardize their interest. The range was badly overcrowded and abused, with the results that the natural covering of vegetation was largely destroyed, the soil was loosened and conditions favorable to rapid erosion were created. The high slope began to gully so that when the heavy rainstorms broke upon the mountains the canyons poured down mud-laden water upon the towns and farms.

With these flood streams were carried down heavy boulders, logs and driftwood. Not only was standing grain washed down and fields covered with piles of gravel and other debris, but streets and lawns were overflowed with water which on its retreat left behind it a thick layer of sediment.

Water supplies for domestic use were contaminated from the presence of stock on the watersheds, as well as from the soil washed down. The towns of Ephraim, Mt. Pleasant, Huntington, Orangeville, Ferron and Salina were damaged. Between 1896 and 1902, it is estimated that Manti suffered to the extent of from $75,000 to $125,000.

Last spring Chief Forester Graves visited Ephraim and was impressed by the seriousness of the conditions on the Manti forest. The prohibitions of grazing in Manti canyon in 1903 had apparently contributed to the great reduction of damage by floods to the city of Manti.

It was found that in parts of the forest surface conditions are far from satisfactory, and that some areas have reached a point at which erosion will become more and more serious if the vegetation is not given a chance to return.

The experience in Manti canyon is believed to indicate that the proper restriction of grazing will diminish the volume of flood waters, reduce the annual property loss, and add to the general prosperity of the country. It has consequently been decided to restrict the grazing upon the areas surrounding the headwaters of the various streams by setting aside a strip approximately two miles in width from which stock will be excluded except for limited periods. In order to take this step it has been necessary to reduce the total number of stock grazed upon the forest, and while reduction will entail some embarrassment and inconvenience to a number of stock growers, its general result is expected to be of great benefit to the community.

RECOVERS DIAMOND RING

Gem Lost by Mrs. Micklejohn Was Taken by Guest, but Pinkerton Detective Causes Its Return.

(Special to The Herald-Republican.)

Winter Quarters, Dec. 9.—The diamond ring which Mrs. Micklejohn, wife of Dr. Micklejohn of the Winter Quarters hospital, lost at her reception Wednesday night, has been recovered through the efforts of the Pinkerton detective agency of Salt Lake, which sent an agent to this settlement shortly after the robbery.

In the course of the reception, Mrs. Micklejohn placed the ring, her engagement token, on a mantelpiece. A moment later it was missed. Dr. Micklejohn telegraphed to Salt Lake for detectives, and the investigation revealed that one of those in attendance at the fete had appropriated the gem. After the investigation it was willingly surrendered. No complaints will be filed.

INSANITY BOARD MEETS

Accounts Audited and Report Made of Conditions at State Mental Hospital.

(Special to The Herald-Republican.)

Provo, Dec. 9.—The state board of insanity held its regular monthly meeting today and transacted routine business.

The followingg accounts for November were audited and allowed:

Salaries, $2,240.90; expenses, $2,370.81; improvements and repairs, $339.13; painting, $271.24; repairs on engine, $6.35; care feeble minded, $640.49; waterworks, $51.17.

The following table shows the movement of patients for November:

	Men	Women	Total
In hospital Oct. 31....	191	193	384
Admitted	10	3	13
Under care and treatment	201	196	397
Discharged	1	3	4
Died	0	3	3
Remaining Nov. 30...	200	190	390
Feeble minded patients	3	4	7

LODGE OFFICERS CHOSEN.

(Special to The Herald-Republican.)

Bingham, Dec. 9.—Oquirrh lodge No. 17, K. of P., elected the following officers for the ensuing term at the regular meeting Friday evening: C. C., William Black; V. C., Frank Stringham; P., John Longcake; M. of A., J. Johnson; M. of F., G. G. Lockl; M. of E., Henry Weiss; M. of W., S. E. Joffs; K. of R. and S., W. A. Moore; I. G., William White; C. G., H. A. Scharm.

MINERS' UNION ELECTION.

(Special to The Herald-Republican.)

Bingham, Dec. 9.—Bingham Miners' union No. 67 elected the following officers for the ensuing term Saturday evening: President, William White; vice president, John Strasser; recording secretary, E. S. Hawkenson; financial secretary, E. G. Locke; wardens, K. J. Larson and Nels Johnson; conductor, George T. Parks.

THOMAS BARRETT PASSES AWAY.

(Special to The Herald-Republican.)

Park City, Dec. 9.—Thomas Barrett, a well-known citizen, died at 4:15 o'clock this morning from heart disease. He had been ill for some time with a slight attack of miners' consumption.

NIGHT OF REVELRY HAS FATAL ENDING

Alpine Youth, Intoxicated on Hard Cider, Kills Self in Fit of Anger.

(Special to The Herald-Republican.)

American Fork, Dec. 9.—Following a night of revelry with companions, Walter Whitby, eighteen years old, of Alpine, shot and killed himself during a fit of anger because friends attempted to take him home.

The young man, it is said, drank freely of hard cider during the evening and became so strongly under the influence of the liquor that friends attempted to take him home.

After much persuasion one of his companions succeeded in getting Whitby to his home, but the youth seized a revolver, fired four shots at his friend, without effect, and went back to the place where he had been imbibing.

Another companion endeavored to escort Whitby home. The intoxicated youth objected, and while arguing with his friend drew a revolver and shot himself. The bullet entered a vital spot and death was almost instantaneous.

EIGHT INJURED IN COLLISION

Work Trains in Smashup on Denver & Rio Grande, but No Fatalities.

(Special to The Herald-Republican.)

Price, Dec. 9.—In a rear-end collision between two work trains in a siding at Blue Cut, three miles west of Price, on the Denver & Rio Grande railway, this morning, three Greeks were so severely injured that they had to be taken to Salt Lake for treatment at St. Mark's hospital. The injured are Andrew Lewis, Peter Zarvos and George Kenasakas. They are suffering from contusions. No bones were broken.

The accident is said to have resulted from a misunderstanding of signals. A locomotive of one of the work trains ran ahead, the engineer thinking that the other division had started. The locomotive plowed into a car carrying Greeks laborers, with the result that it was splintered into pieces. The removal of the laborers from the debris required about two hours, during which time traffic over the line was blocked.

It was announced from division headquarters at Helper last night that the report that one of the engineers had been injured was erroneous. In all eight Greeks received injuries, but only three of such serious character as to require hospital treatment.

WISCONSIN YOUTH HAS DIPHTHERIA IN JAIL

(Special to The Herald-Republican.)

Midvale, Dec. 9.—In one of the rooms of the city jail here, Walter Sheldon, eighteen years old, of Kennewich, Wis., is slowly but surely getting rid of a case of diphtheria. Young Sheldon came to town last week from Bingham. When he arrived here he was seriously ill, and physicians pronounced his case diphtheria. It was determined to house Sheldon in the city jail, where he has been since first taken sick. His parents, in the east, have been communicated with, and have sent money to defray expenses.

Provo Brevities

(Special to The Herald-Republican.)

Provo, Dec. 9.—The city council held a special meeting yesterday afternoon and passed an ordinance confirming the assessment in sewer district No. 11. A board of equalization was appointed for paving district No. 10, extension 4, consisting of the following members: President, George Powelson; A. G. Beebe, A. W. Harding, E. S. Hinckley and J. E. Bott.

The family of Mr. and Mrs. A. Milton Thomas has been increased by the arrival of a daughter; and a daughter has arrived at the home of Mr. and Mrs. E. T. Jones.

Miss Fay Loose and Edwin Loose will both be at home to spend the holidays with their parents, Cal and Mrs. C. E. Loose. Miss Loose is studying music in New York and Edwin is a student at the Belmont military academy in Belmont, Cal.

Raymond Frisbee, a patient at the state mental hospital, committed from Summit county, April 9, 1903, died last night at the age of thirty-four years from epilepsy. The deceased was born in Rochester, New York, where he has relatives. They have wired to have the body buried here.

Bishop F. S. Spalding of Salt Lake came down to attend the vestry meeting of the Episcopal church last evening.

W. C. Castleton, representing J. C. Urd, is here interviewing the trade.

Provo Court Notes

(Special to The Herald-Republican.)

Provo, Dec. 9.—The Smith-Bailey Drug company of Salt Lake has commenced suit in the Fourth district court to collect $1,232.11 from the American Fork Drug company, alleged to be due on the following accounts for merchandise: Smith-Bailey Drug company, $524.65; Selden Drug company, $652.21; Hemenway & Moser, $55.25.

Nellie Hansen of Vineyard has commenced suit for divorce in the Fourth district court against Otto Hansen on the grounds of failure to provide and cruelty, the latter consisting of using vile epithets towards plaintiff, throwing her down, striking and slapping her and threatening to kill her. She asks for $10 a month alimony and to have her maiden name, Nellie Sorensen, restored. The parties intermarried in Provo, January 10, 1907.

William Filmore of Payson has appealed from Justice of the Peace Jesse S. Taylor's court, where he was fined $4 for using profane and insulting language to William Clayson.

The Telluride Power company has issued summonses against the Gramm Motor Car company of Bowling Green, Ohio, and the Commercial Bank & Savings company to recover damages for breach of contract for failure to have ready for shipment an auto bus. The bank is made a party defendant, as agent for the collections of money claimed to be due from plaintiff.

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Richfield Notes

(Special to The Herald-Republican.)

Richfield, Dec. 9.—Samuel Page, representative-elect from Piute county, was in Richfield Thursday on business.

James C. Peters of Boulder was in Richfield Sunday and Monday on his way home from Denmark, where he has been doing missionary work for the past two years. He left for Boulder Tuesday.

Miss Emma Christensen, one of the assistants at the State bank of Sevier, is called to do missionary work in the northwestern states. She will leave some time in January, and will in all probability be stationed at Portland, Oregon.

ESTATE LEFT TO CHURCH

Fortune of Mrs. Mary Baker Glover Eddy Will Be Devoted to Christian Science Purposes.

Boston, Dec. 9.—The will of Mrs. Baker Eddy, the founder of the Christian Science church, will not be filed for probate for several days, but it was authoritatively stated today that the fortune amounts to $1,500,000 and that, after some bequests are paid two members of her household, the bulk of the property is given to the Christian Science church.

The statement regarding the will was issued by Alfred Farlow as follows:

"I have been informed by one of the trustees that Mrs. Eddy's will will not be made known for several days. In answer, however, to many urgent inquiries, I have been informed that Mrs. Eddy's fortune, including her copyrights, will probably amount to $1,500,000.

"There are some bequests made to members of the household, and the Christian Science church is the residuary legatee. The bulk of the property goes to the Christian Science church for Christian Science purposes."

RECORD FOR FRENCHMAN

M. Legagneux Climbs to an Altitude of 10,499 Feet In a Bleriot Monoplane.

Pau, France, Dec. 9.—Ascending from the aviation field here today, M. Legagneux broke the world's altitude record, rising to a height of 10,499 feet. The Frenchman landed half frozen after a remarkable plane downward. He used a Bleriot monoplane.

The previous official height record was made by Ralph H. Johnstone, who in the recent meet at Belmont park, soared 9,714 feet.

At Philadelphia, November 23, J. Armstrong Drexel made a remarkable flight and claimed a world's record. When this was disputed Drexel requested the officials of the weather bureau to examine his barograpn. They did so and credited him with an altitude of 9,897 feet. These figures, however, have not been officially accepted by the Aero Club of America.

PAUL MORTON PRESIDING

Fourth Annual Meeting of Life Insurance Presidents In Session at Chicago.

Chicago, Dec. 9.—The fourth annual meeting of the Association of Life Insurance Presidents opened its sessions here today with Paul Morton, president of the Equitable Life Assurance society, presiding. The meetings are being held in the Hotel La Salle, and will continue until tomorrow night. Mr. Morton, in his opening address, proclaimed the west the future center of insurance activities, declaring that the star of insurance, like the star of empire, "westward takes its way."

Others who spoke at the morning session were: Fred W. Potter, superintendent of insurance of Illinois; E. B. Craig of Chattanooga, who responded; Edmund James, president of the University of Illinois; Robert L. Cox and Henry Moir.

Mr. Cox pleaded for a general effort on the part of insurance people to aid colleges in putting an insurance course in their vocational curricula. He said:

"Many of the colleges and universities are groping more or less in the dark with respect to this study (insurance). They seem to see a field for the work, although the fulfillment of that vision is handicapped by a lack of resources."

VERDICT OF NOT GUILTY

Indiana Jury Justifies Menlo E. Moore in Slaying Destroyer of His Home.

Vincennes, Ind., Dec. 9.—"Not guilty," was the verdict of the jury today in the case of Menlo E. Moore, manager of a circuit of theatres, who was charged with the murder of Charles E. Gibson, a wealthy operator in the Indiana-Illinois oil fields.

When the verdict was read the crowd in the court room broke into a cheer and men rushed on the platform and carried Moore from the court room. The court made no effort to stop the demonstration.

The trial has been in progress for about ten days and was one of the most sensational ever tried in southern Indiana.

MEETING OF DIRECTORS

Statement Issued That Government of Christian Science Church Will Not Be Changed.

Boston, Dec. 9.—A declaration that the government of the Christian Science church under the board of directors will continue according to the ideas of Mrs. Mary Baker G. Eddy, was made public tonight by the five directors, following the first meeting of of the board since Mrs. Eddy's death. This statement was signed by Stephen A. Chase, Archibald McLelland, Allison V. Stewart, John V. Dittemore and Adam H. Dickey, who constitute the board of directors.

The authority given to the board of directors by the church manual remains intact and is fully adequate for the government of the organization in all its affairs.

"The policy will be the same as when under Mrs. Eddy's direction," the statement says.

It continues:

"The board is in complete harmony and hundreds of telegrams and letters, received from branch churches and societies throughout the world, show that it has the unswerving loyalty and support of the entire denomination.

"The adequate written instructions and decisions of Mrs. Eddy, under which the Christian Science movement has grown and prospered, including the bylaws which place the direction of spiritual and business affairs of the church entirely in the hands of the board of directors, will continue to guide their actions."

CYCLONE IN SPAIN

Devastation in Western Part of Country—Some Loss of Life.

Cererebe, France, Dec. 9.—Advices received here late today state that western Spain has been swept by a cyclone that razed everything in its path.

Several small vessels sank in the harbor of Corunna and a number of persons were drowned.

At Seville the river rose ten feet, flooding the valley. Several persons were killed and many wounded near Bilbao.

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