

POLICE COURTS TO FEEL LASH OF GRAND JURY

Report Will Urge Reorganization of the Municipal Tribunals

Cleansing of the Jail and Removal of Justices' Clerk Also Recommended

The reorganization of the police courts and a demand for a cleansing of the city and county jail, together with a suggestion that George S. McComb, clerk of the justices' courts, is not a fit person to conduct the business of his office, are among the recommendations the grand jury will make this morning when it files its final report to Presiding Judge George H. Canavan.

The report will be voluminous, making up a book of some 400 pages. It will go down in the history of municipal affairs as the findings of the Scott grand jury.

POLICE COURTS INVESTIGATED In April of last year a number of witnesses were called into the grand jury chambers to explain the relations between McDonough Brothers, saloon keepers and bail bond brokers, and certain police judges. It was also inquired into why there were not more than 5 per cent of the parties brought before the police courts found guilty.

CARNegie COMPLAINS OF PERSONAL TAXATION New York Mayor Replies With Compliment on Spelling

NEW YORK, Feb. 13.—Andrew Carnegie has written Mayor Gaynor, in simplified spelling, commending the mayor's recommendation that the personal tax be abolished.

\$20,000 BOILER GRAFT EXPOSED IN DENVER Inspector Charged With Robbing the State

DENVER, Feb. 13.—According to State Auditor Roady Kenehan and Governor Shafroth, graft which may have cost the state \$20,000 a year has been unearthed in the office of Alexander E. P. Whitney state boiler inspector.

BATTLE WITH STORM TO RECOVER SAILOR'S BODY SEATTLE, Feb. 13.—After spending the night with a dead man in an open launch at the mercy of a fearful storm in Puget sound, A. H. Craig and A. F. Winch of Bremerton ran their craft ashore at Richmond beach this morning.

Washington's Birthday Rates At one and one-third fare for the round trip to all points in California where the one way fare is \$10.00 or less, via the Southern Pacific. Tickets sold February 13, 20, 21 and 22. Return by February 23. See Agents Southern Pacific Ticket Office: Flood Building, Market Street, Ferry Depot, Third and Townsend Streets, and Broadway and Thirteenth Street, Oakland.

W. Gould Brokaw, a Gotham Millionaire, Recently Divorced



GRAND JURY TAKES UP SWOPE CASE Special Inquisitorial Body to Investigate Death of Wealthy Philanthropist

KANSAS CITY, Feb. 13.—The special grand jury that is to investigate the deaths of Colonel Thomas H. Swope, millionaire philanthropist, and his nephew, Chrisman Swope, will begin its work tomorrow.

EXPERTS TO RELATE FINDINGS Dr. Ludwig Hektoen and Dr. Walter S. Haines of Chicago and Dr. Victor Vaughan of Ann Arbor, Mich., the scientists who examined the internal organs of Colonel Swope, will tell the details of their investigations, which ended in a report to John G. Paxton, executor of the Swope estate, that poison had been found in the viscera of Colonel Swope.

POISON FOUND ON ANALYSIS According to Paxton, Doctor Haines examined the ejecta and reported no trace of poison, but, in a subsequent analysis by Doctor Vaughan, poison was found. Paxton says that later Doctor Haines explained that his analysis was not sufficiently thorough.

CONVICTED SLAYER IS HEIR TO SNUG FORTUNE Sailor Who Killed Shipmate Is Left \$81,000

DULUTH, Minn., Feb. 13.—Jackson McPherson, a water sailor, who has been here for the last two seasons on the great lakes and who yesterday was convicted of second degree murder in this city for killing a shipmate, Otto Frey, on the ship North Lake last September, today announced that he had fallen heir to \$81,000.

YOUTH ROBS STORE AT POINT OF REVOLVER TACOMA, Feb. 13.—After being talked out of an attempt to rob a grocery store, half an hour earlier, a youth named John J. Colton robbed the Carleton hotel drugstore at the point of a revolver last night.

MEAT INQUIRY TO BE PUSHED DEEPER Grand Jury to Investigate Alleged Hog Combine CHICAGO, Feb. 13.—Whether any agreement has existed to keep down the price of hogs when bought from farmers by the packers is to be the line of inquiry when the federal grand jury tomorrow resumes its hearing of the government's investigation of the meat industry.

EL PRIMERO MINE GIVES UP THREE MORE BODIES PRIMERCO, Colo., Feb. 13.—Three more bodies were recovered from the mine today, making 65 taken out since the explosion on January 31. One body was identified as that of David Williams, Welsh mine boss. Workmen say more bodies will be recovered tomorrow.

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"ROUGHING IT" TRIP COSTS \$500 A DAY

New York Millionaire Celebrates His Freedom With Party of Friends

Order for Supplies Shows Need for Choice Wines and Viands, Also Perfumery

In celebration of his divorce, W. Gould Brokaw, the New York millionaire whose matrimonial troubles were aired to the country generally last month, is now touring the United States in a luxurious private car, surrounded by a party of congenial spirits who are helping him to make his newly acquired single blessedness at an expense of \$500 a day.

ORDERS VIANDS BY WIRE The Southern Pacific commissary department received orders by wire yesterday to prepare for the advent of the lately divorced millionaire, so that there might be no delay in the eating and drinking incident to an expenditure of \$500 a day.

PERSONAL CARE OF KITCHEN It cost him \$55,000 to defend himself in the divorce proceedings, and now to that sum he is adding \$30,000 more at the rate of \$500 a day for 60 days, the time of the trip. The car costs \$50 a day and the rest is taken up in eating and drinking and railroad fares.

PERFUMED WATER WANTED That Brokaw's party is really "roughing" it in the Grand canyon is evidenced by an item on the list sent by him and which calls for bathing toilet waters, dainty soaps and the like.

EASTERN MARKET FOR PIG IRON FALLS FLAT Largest Order for Northern Pacific Ore Docks NEW YORK, Feb. 13.—The market for pigiron in the eastern district last week fell to a record low.

FISHING REGULATIONS DENOUNCED AS UNFAIR Recommendations by David Starr Jordan Criticized SEATTLE, Feb. 13.—That the enforcement of the fisheries recommendations recently made to the state department by Dr. David Starr Jordan, chairman of the international fisheries commission, would mean the confiscation of half the fish traps in Puget sound waters, entailing a loss to salmon trap men and packers running into the millions, was the statement made by T. J. Gorman, president of one of the largest salmon packing companies on the coast.

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TAMALPAIS VICTIM MAY BE HALFBREED

James McKay Located on Reservation and Identification Is Possible

Indian's Sister, Who Married Lumberman and Is Missing, Answers Description

James McKay, the halfbreed Indian who, some years ago, had a watch repaired in Eureka, bearing the identical markings as that found by the body of the murdered girl on Mount Tamalpais, was located at Covelo, on the Round valley Indian reservation in Mendocino county yesterday by Sheriff W. H. Boyce.

There is a theory that the dead girl might be McKay's sister, Mrs. J. W. Parfitt, who left Oakland a year ago for Los Angeles and who has not been seen since last Christmas day. Though part Indian, Mrs. Parfitt did not show in her appearance any trace of Indian blood.

MARRIED LUMBERMAN The next heard of her was at the beginning of 1908, when she married J. W. Parfitt, a lumberman who lived in Grove street, Oakland. Shortly afterward the two went to Los Angeles. The girl's relatives last heard from her last Christmas day.

CLIENT ANSWERS DESCRIPTION "There is much in common between my former client and the description of the dead girl," he said. "Before the fire I defended her in Police Judge Shortall's court. She was a widow, rather pretty and had a son of 4 or 5 years of age. She was charged with assault, but acquitted. The facts showing she was a very much persecuted woman. At this time she confided in me, saying that a man was forcing his attentions on her and had threatened to kill her. She was afraid to marry him, fearing that he would ill treat her child."

IRISH SAID IT WAS QUITE POSSIBLE THE WOMAN BOUGHT HER DRESS IN OAKLAND as she had been there. He refused to give her name until he felt better satisfied that she and the murdered girl were the one and the same person.

THEATER THAT REPULSED LITIGATION Succumbs to Decay DENVER, Feb. 13.—One of the walls of the old People's theater, known for years as "Fagenbusch's Folly," fell yesterday. Court injunctions which prevented the tearing down of the building were not effective in restraining the elements and the remains of what was once Denver's most fashionable playhouse will soon be removed.

DELAY REPLIES ON OPIUM—London, Feb. 13. Replies to proposals of the American state department for conferences on the opium question in the far east and for the regulation of sealing in the Pacific are being delayed by India and Canada, to which they were referred by Great Britain.

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ONE THOUSAND DOLLARS REWARD

The Call will pay a reward of one thousand dollars (\$1,000) for exclusive information that will lead to the identity of the woman murdered on Mount Tamalpais, the apprehension of her murderer or murderers and his or their conviction.

Clews to the identity of the victim of the Tamalpais tragedy may be seen in a window of The Call's business office.

MORSE PATROLMAN FIRES AT FLEEING BURGLAR Thief Discovered in Store Escapes

A burglar at work in the store of Albert Baer, 2356 Union street early Sunday morning was discovered by William D. Donald, a patrolman in the employ of the Morse detective agency. The burglar got a glimpse of the patrolman and ran through the store and climbed out of a back window. By the time the patrolman reached the alley the burglar was running up the street. Donald fired two shots at the man without effect.

THIEF GIVES HIMSELF UP TO THE POLICE Walks Into Station and Confesses Crime John A. Sandwood wandered into the central police station at 3:40 o'clock Sunday morning and informed the sergeant on duty that he was the thief who had looted a room at 2821 Greenwich street February 10.

GREEN TAG BARGAINS startle the city The store of the hour Strange, but true—quite the busiest spot in all the city just now is the big Breuner Furniture Store out on lonely Van Ness.

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FATAL STABBING ENDS ARGUMENT

Bar Tender Uses Butcher Knife on Man Who Assaults Him

Henry Faust, a cable splicer living at 842 Hayes street, was stabbed to death with a butcher knife by Herman Harr, 679 Sixth avenue, last night. The tragedy occurred in the saloon of William Brown, 748 Laguna street.

According to the story told by Harr, who is a bar tender 20 years of age, the butcher knife was used in self-defense, and the stabbing came as the culmination of an argument in the back room of the saloon.

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