

MARRIED FOR 39 YEARS; DIVORCED

Yesterday three new divorce cases were filed in which unhappy wives asked for separation because the husband had become addicted to drink. One suit was also filed alleging abandonment.

Mary W. Jones says Milor Jones has wasted a fortune. He has another legacy of \$3,000 coming from Maryland within a month and she says that will all go too unless the court interferes. They have been married 39 years, have raised a family, but now the husband has become a drunkard, cruel, neglectful and unable to care for his property.

Mrs. Jones wants a divorce, \$300 for expenses during the trial and \$50 a month thereafter.

Jessie M. Bedolfe has the same complaint to make of Robert Bedolfe. He not only drinks to excess and becomes thereby cruel and of violent disposition, but on Decoration day when he had squandered all his own money he emptied the purse of his wife. She is tired of it and wants to quit.

Rosabella May Lodde got a divorce and \$350 alimony judgment against Alexis C. Lodde. Lodde has been in jail much of the time recently for beating his wife while drunk.

Henry Hendricks wants a divorce from Bertha Hendricks. She won't stay at home, he says, but finally left him last July.

DOCK WILL BE A FINE ONE

Mayor Fawcett says the new city dock it is proposed to build from Eleventh to Fifteenth streets will be the finest in the Northwest. It will be made so convenient and attractive that all the boats will be compelled to land there to get the business.

RAYMOND KICKS OUT TENDERLOIN

RAYMOND, June 25.—A crusade started by the churches following exposure of police officials, in which it was shown they were grafting on women of the tenderloin, yesterday resulted in the prosecuting attorney and sheriff sending notice to all the women that they must leave town within forty-eight hours. Disorderly house owners have pursued a few to remain, and a fight will be made.

HOTEL MEN GETTING ANGRY

The Tacoma restaurant and hotel men say they are tired of being snubbed by the local commission house combine and they will go into business for themselves if the commission men do not treat them more to their liking.

The restaurateurs last night took action by subscribing \$10,000 for the establishment of a big co-operative commission house unless the local commission men come to terms.

WRIGHT BROTHERS HAVE NEW WAY OF MEASURING ALTITUDE OF AEROPLANES

(Staff Correspondence.)

INDIANAPOLIS, Ind., June 25.—The Wright brothers have a novel and ingenious method of determining the altitude of a Wright biplane. The instrument is as simple as it is ingenious, consisting of a little bit of tin with little projecting spikes or prongs and a common yardstick, such as department stores give away as advertisements. The tin is bent about the yardstick so that it slips easily from end to end.

The photograph shows Wilbur Wright using this instrument in measuring the altitude of the aeroplane driven by Walter S. Brookings in his record breaking flight at the big aviation meet in this city. As the machine was climbing toward the 4000 feet line when the measurement was taken, two yardsticks, end to end, were required to get the distance. Orville Wright is seen in the picture at the right.

This device is exclusively a Wright instrument. The calculations by which the altitude is determined are based on the precise spread of the wings of a Wright biplane. The little piece of tin bearing the prongs is slid along the stick till, to the eye sighting along the stick, the prongs seem just to embrace the planes of the distant aeroplane. The length of the planes and the number of inches from the eye to the prongs is being known, a brief calculation all that is required to establish accuracy.

Oddities in the News All-Over the World

DOG COMMITS SUICIDE IN CELL.
By beating his head against a cell wall, a prisoner in a New York police station committed suicide last night.

He was a bulldog, picked up at Sixty-second street and Amsterdam avenue. When his master failed to appear and claim him, the dog became grief stricken, and after whimpering for hours, killed himself just as an agent from the S. P. C. A. arrived to take him away.

NEWLYWEDS' HOME "HAUNTED."
A unique charvaria was provided for Mr. and Mrs. Francis W. Kittridge of Boston, when they took possession of the Otis cottage at Pittsfield, Mass. Their friends had made the house "haunted."

The first thing the couple heard were harrowing ghost stories, judiciously circulated where they would do the most good. As soon as they got in there were uncanny rappings and whistling, mysterious bells and rattling of windows.

The "hants" were so artistically staged that the police were called and the practical jokers are now under cover to keep them from being arrested.

PRETTY GIRLS IN BOYCOTT CLUB.
Twenty of the prettiest young women of Paterson, N. J., have organized a boycott club to counteract the audacious bachelor club formed by eight of the most prominent and wealthy young men of the town.

When the eligible youths got up their club they took solemn vows never, never to marry, no matter how charming or rich the girl. The girls were indignant when they heard of it. A "boycott" club was promptly suggested, and before the ink was dry on the roll twenty had joined.

The girls do not pledge themselves not to marry, but they decided to call on all the female acquaintances of the heartless men and beg them not to invite the men to their homes, teas, receptions or dances, and even to stop speaking to them.

One of the prettiest belles of the social set is at the head of the "Boycott" club and promises to have enlisted in the cause most of the charming young women in society before long.

SIBERIAN TIGER GETS A BATH.
Owing to the heat the big Siberian tiger in the Central park zoo, New York, desired yesterday she could not wait until Sunday for her bath. Her signs of distress were readily interpreted by the keepers.

While a large crowd looked on Miss Siberia was given two shower baths with the zoo hose. A report was started that she was having a fit, but it turned out to be a fit of joy.

SCENE OF THIS PLAY IS LAID IN HELL.
Blowing the gates of paradise is the way two burglars get in in a one act play being presented in London by the Irish players from Dublin.

The scene of the play, written by Lord Dunsany, is laid in hell. After the "yeggmen" have cracked the golden gate and got into heaven they find nothing by start lit space, which made them grouchy.

Incidental to the gate cracking, the rogues indulge in a dialogue on beer, mothers and sweethearts.

LONELY ARTS CLASS GETS HIS B. A.
Herman Uhl Sartorius constitutes the graduating class in the arts course of the Polytechnic Institute of Brooklyn, New York, and was the only one to receive the B. A. degree at the graduating exercises last night.

He was fully alive to the humor of being "all in a class by himself," and when the 'arts class' was called to the platform for the degrees he stepped forward amid cheers.

MAYBELLE WATSON ELOPES WITH VAUDEVILLE PIANIST

(By United Press Leased Wire.)
SAN FRANCISCO, June 25.—The heroine of the summer Columbia, Miss Maybelle Watson, eloped with Ernest M. Burnett, a vaudeville pianist, on June 16 by a justice of the peace at San Rafael. After the marriage the couple returned to the Berkeley home of the bride and asked for parental blessing. This forthcoming, the public was apprised of the wedding.

Mrs. Burnett was among the survivors of the Columbia wreck, net, a married pianist, on June 16 by a justice of the peace at San Rafael. After the marriage the couple returned to the Berkeley home of the bride and asked for parental blessing. This forthcoming, the public was apprised of the wedding.

COURT HOLDS THAT CITY MAY OWN PUBLIC UTILITIES

(By United Press Leased Wire.)
SAN FRANCISCO, June 25.—The supreme court of California today decided that San Francisco has the right to enter into municipal ownership of public utilities when it handed down a unanimous decision upholding the city's contentions in the suit brought to restrain San Francisco from issuing bonds to acquire and operate a railroad on Geary street.

The suit was brought by Horace G. Platt, president of the Geary Street Railway company, a local corporation. Bonds recently were voted at a special election and the plaintiff sought to prevent their issuance by having the election declared invalid.

The nearest plan when mending torn kid gloves is to carefully buttonhole all round the edge of the tear before attempting to draw it together. Then over-sew the buttonholed edges together. This renders the tear less liable to break out again.

HISTORIC HOUSE DAMAGED BY FIRE

(By United Press Leased Wire.)
PASSAIC, N. J., June 25.—The old Van Wagoner homestead, built in 1660, and at one time used by George Washington as his headquarters during the Revolutionary war, is almost in ruins today from fire of unknown origin.

Although the estate was purchased by the late Henry P. Simmons several years ago, it never lost the title of the Van Wagoner homestead. In 1768 the house was enlarged, and except for a few repairs from time to time, has been unchanged since that time.

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SENATE MAY ADJOURN TODAY

(By United Press Leased Wire.)
WASHINGTON, D. C., June 25.—Senator Hale said today that he expected the senate to complete its business so as to be able to adjourn at 5 p. m.

HYDE PLEADS NOT GUILTY

Edgar Hyde pleaded not guilty when he was arraigned yesterday for attempted assault on little 9-year-old Elsie Schroeder. An attempt may be made to send him to Walla Walla for life under the habitual criminal act.

HOME SITES FOR SALE AT PUBLIC AUCTION

All citizens should attend the County Auction Sale of Lots and Lands, to be held at the Court House at 9 o'clock A. M., Monday, June 27th.

Some rare "snaps" will likely be secured in City and Suburban lots; also some choice pieces of land in one, two, five, ten, and up to forty-acre tracts, will go to some lucky buyer.

Complete detail list of property to be sold can be had from Edward Meath, Pierce County Treasurer.

THEATER

AT THE TACOMA.

"The White Squaw" Sunday.
Wholesome moral sentiment, as well as plenty of comedy and strong dramatic situations, will be found in the new and novel play, "The White Squaw," which will be the offering at the Tacoma theater Sunday night.

Instead of opening the new bill Sunday, as the usual custom, the Swain company will start the week Monday evening.

The Swain players will be seen next week in a comedy melodrama, "The Sidewalks of New York." The play is purely melodramatic, with plenty of thrills, sensation and wholesome comedy. A feature thriller of the production is a faithful likeness of Brooklyn bridge at midnight, on which occurs a desperate struggle and the miraculous escape of the hero.

AT THE GRAND.

The Grand next week will have a big bill headed by Watson, Hutchings and Edwards in the laughable interlude, "Schmaltz's Night Off," with the Four Rio Brothers in gymnastic novelties, Billy K. Wells, the funny "Hebrew Orator," and Ward and Webber in new dances.

"The Blue and the Gray" will be a military incident, with Springfield and Girard at the points. Mabel Valentine Moore, in poses and aerial work, will top off the entertainment, which looks good to those who patronize the Grand.

AT THE PANTAGES.

For the new week beginning Monday afternoon, a fine bill is scheduled. That funny "Big Swede" act, known as "The Man From Minnesota," is a comedy work.

"DIVINE SARAH" IS COMING ACROSS AGAIN TO DRAW US AND OUR COIN

The greatest actress in the world, one of its most fascinating personalities, will begin a 35 weeks tour of America at Chicago, October 31.

Wm. F. Connor, Mme. Sarah Bernhardt's manager, says it's a farewell tour. But it's her seventh visit to America, and nobody believes Sarah will quit coming until she has no more breath to gasp in her nightly dying act.

For Sarah is eternally young. The same optimism and strength of mind which throughout her long career has drawn to her everything she desired, audiences, money, luxury, honor, friends and fame, and which compels the members of her company literally to stoop and kiss the hem of her garment, refuses to grow decrepit.

"It is because I live," she says. "It is because I never worry. It is because for me the past does not exist."

The visit of Bernhardt, it is expected, will start a movement for a national conservatory, like that of France, which young girls enter at the age of 14 or 15 to be trained for the stage. Since her last visit here, Bernhardt has advocated such a school for America. She says many promising American girls fall as actresses because they do not begin training early enough, or because they break or wear their voices by the improper training of the theater.

Bernhardt will appear in these plays, all in the French language: Rostan's "L'Aiglon," "Le Bois Sacre," "Les Romanesques," and "La Princesse Lointaine" and Mourou's "Jeanne D'Arc"; Zampa's "Les Bouffons"; Daudet's "Sapho"; Dumas "La Dame Aux Camellias"; Sardou's "La Tosca" and "La Sorciere"; Batlle's "Hamlet" and "Monna Vanna," "Le Passe" by G. D. Porto-Riche, "La Befra," "Phedre" and "La Rampe."

M. Le Bargy, the famous French actor, will be her leading man.



Scene from "The White Squaw" at the Tacoma Sunday night.

LEAVES FORTUNE TO HIS OLD TIME SWEETHEART

(By United Press Leased Wire.)
SPOKANE, June 25.—Mrs. Dolly Baker of Coeur d'Alene City, Idaho, will get \$7,000,000 from her old sweetheart, who recently died in Australia. Twenty years ago Arthur B. Travis kissed her good-bye and went to Australia. He did not come back and she married Judge W. J. Grout but later divorced him and then married Baker. Travis remained true, however, and amassed a fortune as a cattle king. He died some days ago and left all his wealth to his old sweetheart.

CAPTURED BY POSSE

(By United Press Leased Wire.)
PHOENIX, Arizona, June 25.—E. Sabin, a ranch hand, was captured by a posse and confessed to having mistreated the 9-year-old daughter of James Hayden, a rancher at Buckeye, and left her lying unconscious in a gulch near her home, where she was found this morning by the father. He was locked in jail.

MORTALITY NOTES

Jessie J. Chapman, aged 75, died Thursday at Fannie Paddock hospital. He is survived by two sons and a daughter at 2911 East D street. The funeral was held this afternoon.

Olof Ekman, aged 32, died yesterday at the family residence, 618 South Prospect street. The remains were shipped to Enumclaw for interment.

The funeral of Gustaf A. Erickson, one of the victims in the accident at the plant of the Little Falls Fire Clay company at Bayne, Wash., will be held tomorrow at 2:30 p. m. under the auspices of the Rainier lodge, No. 11, I. O. O. F.

The remains of James A. Miller, who died at one of the city hospitals Thursday, will be sent to Healdsburg, Cal., today.

Elizabeth Hartley, widow, aged 87, died yesterday at her home in Parkland. The funeral will be held tomorrow from the residence at 1 p. m.

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