

CONTRACTOR WOLDSON IS WILD POACHER ON MARTIAL PRESERVES

Adolf Hanson, in a Sensational Complaint Filed Today, Demands \$50,000 of Man Alleged to Have Drugged Mrs. Hanson in Davenport's.

Papers in an unusually sensational case were filed in the superior court this morning and later transferred to the federal court, where the case is to be tried.

The plaintiff is Adolf E. Hanson and the defendant is Martin Woldson. Hanson, in his complaint, charges Woldson with a crime against the plaintiff's wife, Annie K. Hanson.

damages in the sum of \$50,000. "Wherefore, plaintiff prays judgment against the defendant for the sum of \$50,000 and for his costs and disbursement."

WORTH BELDON HITS A FEEBLE OLD MAN

Because, it is stated by men of the city, "Old Man" Hartman fought the case of Worth Belden, the attorney, in the coal land suit last week Belden slapped Hartman on the face at noon today at Riverside avenue and Howard street.

"I was walking along Riverside avenue at about 12 o'clock when I saw the three men coming down the street," continued Mr. Lichty. "I heard them arguing about something."

Several witnesses are working on the case and a warrant will probably be sworn out for Belden's arrest.

"The trouble arose over the recent suit of Belden vs. Hartman. Belden was suing Hartman for claims of coal property, but received judgment for but a half interest."

WILL DUNNE TELL ABOUT MUNICIPAL OWNERSHIP

NEW YORK, May 27.—James Dalrymple, superintendent of the municipal tramways of Glasgow, arrived today on the liner Campania on his way to Chicago, where he will advise

with Mayor Dunne on the city ownership and operation of the street railways. There will be a public reception for Dalrymple at the Hoffman house this evening.

CZAR'S SHIPS IN KOREAN STRAITS

NAVAL PUZZLE IN THE FAR EAST

HERE IS A MAP SHOWING WHERE FUTURE OPERATIONS OF THE JAPANESE AND THE RUSSIAN FLEETS WILL TAKE PLACE. THE CZAR'S SHIPS ARE NOW IN THE FORMOSA STRAIT WHERE THE X APPEARS ON THE MAP. THE MAP SHOWS THE STRAITS THEY WILL HAVE TO PASS THROUGH IF THEY PROCEED STRAIGHT NORTH TO VLADIVOSTOK OR IF THEY TAKE TO THE OPEN PACIFIC AND LATER TURN WEST TO THAT DESTINATION.



vessels 140 miles south southeast of Saddle Island. The Russians were stationary when sighted but subsequently steamed northeast.

NAGASAKI, May 27.—It is reported the Russian fleet is passing Tsushima Island in the strait of Korea at noon.

TOKIO, May 27.—Oyama reports: "May 25, our cavalry is driving a body of Russian cavalry northeastward and has occupied Hsumen-cheng, 18 miles north of Shanghai. Otherwise, with the exception of small collisions between detached parties, the situation is unchanged."

SAIGON, May 27.—Returning colliers report that the Russian fleet arrived off Saddle Island May 24 and proceeded in the direction of the Strait of Korea.

EXPERT BURGLARS DO A CLEVER PIECE OF WORK

Clever and expert were the burglars who last night cracked the safe in the office of the F. H. Sammis company, marble contractors, at the north end of the Division street bridge.

With the heavy outer doors open the burglars showed their expert knowledge of safe construction. With a steel punch inserted in the keyhole of the inner doors one blow of a hammer drove in the lock. The same method served to open the door to the money compartment—where lay \$4.

WAYOR DAGGETT WILL NOT VIOLATE ANY LAW

Mayor Daggett has inaugurated a striking reform in deciding that he will not under any circumstances issue permits to persons seeking to evade any police rules or city ordinances.

permits, all of which are in violation of laws. Mayor Daggett has advised Chief Waller that no more permits will be issued which are in any wise contrary to ordinances and that it will be for the chief to judge whether trifling violations are to be overlooked.

PHOTOGRAPHER TAKES PICTURES OF NUDE SCHOOL GIRLS

Dastardly and outrageous is the alleged conduct of Photographer Paul Smith as reported to the police by principals of the public schools. Although the police have investigated the charges and have secured sufficient evidence against the photographer, prosecution has been delayed owing to the reluctance of parents of children concerned to exposing the shame of the little ones.

ago, having been arrested on a charge of burglary, which was dropped later. He is believed to have left the city.

Smith has been warned by the police, but the officers so far have been unable to persuade the parents to make the shame of the children public by backing a prosecution.

STOLE NOTE AND DEED

David Baker, who is driving overland in a wagon to Alberta, B. C., reported to the police this morning that someone stole a note for \$8 and a deed to 80 acres of land from his wagon some time last night.

MRS CHRISTENSEN ASKS FOR \$11

Mrs. Dottie Christensen filed another affidavit in her divorce case against Edward Christensen today. In the affidavit Mrs. Christensen states that the furniture and fix-

tures of the Terra Cotta lodging house have been seized and sold by the sheriff in order to satisfy a mortgage for \$720. She relates that she had agreed with Christensen to sell the furniture for \$1500 or \$1700 and divide the balance over the amount of the mortgage, but that under the foreclosure only \$111 remains in the sheriff's hands.

DIVORCE CASE IS APPEALED

An appeal bond was filed today in the superior court in the divorce case of J. P. Buell against Caroline Buell. Buell secured a decree of divorce before Judge Kennan and Mrs. Buell is taking the case to the supreme court.

MRS. ROGERS MUST HANG

MONTPELIER, Vt., May 27.—The supreme court has denied the application for a new trial for Mrs. Rogers, convicted of the murder of her husband. She will hang June 2.

MAYOR IS GAINING VOTES

PHILADELPHIA, May 27.—Out of respect to the late Justice Dean, whose funeral takes place Monday, the common pleas court continued the hearing of the injunction argument on the cause of the deposed directors against the mayor and the new appointees until Wednesday. Councilmen Edwards and Grir today announced that they would support the mayor in his veto of the gas grab bill. Edwards held out until he was waited on by a committee of several hundred citizens. He informed the mayor this morning of his change of heart.

OMAHA GRAND JURY HAS ADJOURNED

OMAHA, Neb., May 27.—The federal grand jury today completed the examination of witnesses in the beer

trust investigation. The evidence will be forwarded to Chicago for use there.

ANOTHER BANK HAS FAILED

CLEVELAND, O., May 27.—A private bank run by Joseph Lenzo and Ignazio Trantinielli closed today. Warrants have been issued for the two bankers. Thousands of dollars were deposited in the bank by Italians.

ASSEMBLY TO NUMBER 300

ST. PETERSBURG, May 27.—According to the latest information the representative assembly, which will be formed to have advisory functions, will consist of 300 members.

BOSTON ASKED TO HELP CHICAGO

BOSTON, May 27.—Organized labor in every line in Boston has been asked by the American Federation of Labor to take steps to immediately financially assist the Chicago teamsters to win their strike. The teamsters' union will meet tomorrow to take action on the request.

TORNADO WIPES OUT POTTER

ST. LOUIS, Mo., May 27.—Frisco officials have received a message stating that a tornado struck Potter, I. T., last night, killing five persons and wrecking a number of buildings. The Frisco station is razed and all wires are reported down.

TORNADO IN KANSAS

KANSAS CITY, Mo., May 27.—It is reported a tornado struck the town of Colbert, destroying several houses. Colbert is a town of 500 inhabitants near the Texas line.

EMPEROR IS HOME

BERLIN, May 27.—Emperor William returned today after a nine weeks' absence. He looked well and was cheered by the crowds.

NO HOPE FOR KAHN

STOCKTON, Cal., May 27.—Cashier Louis Kohn of the Bank of Oakland is worse this morning. Physicians now say there is no hope for him. The bank commissioner today is going over the books of the bank. They will not know how great the failure is until tonight.

GENERAL ASSEMBLY ADJOURNED

WINONA LAKE, Ind., May 27.—The Presbyterian general assembly ended at noon. The lawyers were named to prevent legal entanglements in the consolidation with the Cumberland branch and include Justice Harlan, Judge Lanning of New Jersey and Judge McInvain of Washington.

SENATOR MITCHELL'S DAUGHTER IS ILL

TACOMA, Wash., May 27.—Senator Mitchell of Oregon arrived in Tacoma this morning from Portland, having been called here by the serious illness of his daughter, Mrs. W. O. Chapman, who was operated upon Wednesday night for appendicitis. Although Mrs. Chapman is in a very critical condition, the physicians have hopes for her recovery. The patient has rested quite easy since morning and an improvement is noticed in her condition since last night.

WESTERN MINERS WILL LEAVE AMERICAN FEDERATION

SALT LAKE, May 27.—The report of President Emery of the Western Federation of Miners, made public today, scores the Gompers and Mitchell factions of the American Fed-

eration of Labor. The convention today discussed the complete break with Gompers and Mitchell and the affiliation with the industrial movement to be launched at Chicago June 27.

AN UNSUCCESSFUL ATTEMPT TO BLOW UP BIG RAILROAD BRIDGE

NEW YORK, May 27.—A desperate but unsuccessful attempt was made at 1:30 o'clock this morning to blow up the new Pennsylvania railroad drawbridge over the Hackensack river. Dynamite was placed on a raft and allowed to float against the bridge, but, instead of striking the

center pier, as intended, it struck a hidden log and exploded. The attempt followed several letters threatening President Cassatt with death together with the destruction of railroad property because of the refusal of the company to employ iron workers affiliated with Sam Parks' gang.

KING OSCAR IN TROUBLE

COPENHAGEN, May 27.—It is reported from Christiania that King Oscar has refused to sanction the law providing for a separate consular service for Norway, and that the members of the Norwegian government have resigned.

NEW CHINESE LAW IS BETTER

PEKIN, May 27.—Minister Rockhill, in an address before the Chinese Chamber of Commerce, today declared the new American Chinese exclusion law to be more lenient than the old law. It would aim only to bar coolies, and make no reference to other classes of Chinese.

GAS COMPANY WILL NOT LEASE

PHILADELPHIA, May 27.—Following a meeting of the directors of the United Gas & Improvement company, President Dolan sent a communication to the council, announcing that the company would not accept a proposition to lease the plant if it should be ratified.

DR. GENOWAY IS TO REMAIN

There will be no change in the health department administration for the present. After repeated conferences with Dr. Genoway, Mayor Daggett has concluded to continue the health officer in his position indefinitely with the understanding that certain reforms in accordance with the executive's ideas must be carried out. The understanding exists that in case such reforms are not made a rapid fire change will be made.

CHILEAN CRUISER FOUNDERS

SANTIAGO DE CHILE, May 27.—The Chilean cruiser Presidente foundered in the Gulf of Chiloe, off the southern part of the coast of Chile, today. It is reported the commander committed suicide.

MORE ARRESTS OF BICYCLISTS

More victims of the crusade against bicycles without tags are being shoved into the police station by Bicycle Officer Heath. Four is the number of prisoners recorded within 24 hours. The last two arrested were Willie Hall, a 17-year-old boy, and William McDonald. Both were found riding wheels without license tags on them.

EXPRESS COMPANIES WILL MAKE A BIG FIGHT AGAINST THE UNIONS

CHICAGO, May 27.—The action of several hundred citizens in discontinuing contributions to the teamsters' strike fund is regarded as a serious blow to the teamsters in the conduct of the strike. Withdrawal of support is said to be due to the controversy between the teamsters and the structural iron workers, who claim the teamsters are in the habit of handling iron after its delivery when it should have been turned over to the other union. Aside from a few small concerns there is no material change in the

Negro Policemen Will Not Be Allowed to Escort Wagons as Their Presence Caused Riots

extension of the strike today. Attorneys for the unions are preparing to ask for a writ of habeas corpus for James H. Donahue and Bernard Mulligan, two union men sentenced to jail for contempt in re-

fusing to answer questions. The examination of President Sea was continued before Master in Chancery Sherman until Monday. There is no sign of a settlement. Attorney Lewis Mayer, represent-

ing the employers, left today for New York on business in connection with the strike. It is reported on good authority that Mayor was summoned by Senator Platt, and that the move presages a determined campaign against the union express drivers by the express companies. The Employers' Teaming company and the State street department stores today notified Chief O'Neill that they would refuse to accept any more negro policemen as guards for the wagons, as the negroes draw attacks from mobs. O'Neill has decided to bar the colored men hereafter.