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A Mail Carrier's Load.

Seems heavier when he has a weak back and kidney trouble. Fred Duerron, Mail Carrier at Atchison, Kas., says: "I have been bothered with kidney and bladder trouble and had a severe pain across my back. Whenever I carried a heavy load of mail, my kidney trouble increased. Some time ago, I started taking Foley Kidney Pills and since taking them I have gotten entirely rid of all my kidney trouble and am as sound now as ever. O. M. Olsen.

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Order for Hearing on Petition to Convey Lands on Contract.

STATE OF MINNESOTA, ss. County of Brown. In Probate Court, Special Term, Nov. 24th, 1911. In the matter of the estate of Henry Hoffman, deceased.

Order for Hearing on Claims.

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Is the world Growing Better?

Many things go to prove that it is. The way thousands are trying to help other is proof. Among them is Mrs. W. W. Gould, of Pittsfield, N. H. Finding good health by taking Electric Bitters, she now advises other sufferers, everywhere, to take them.

KING SOLOMON'S MINES.

They May Have Been the Ancient Gold Workings at Rhodesia. Rhodesia, that province of British Africa lying between the Zambezi and the Limpopo rivers, has considerable deposits of gold. The ancients mined and carried away enormous quantities of the precious metal, but under the scientific mining systems of the present day their operations will be greatly surpassed.

HISTORY REPEATS ITSELF.

As Scipio Was to Hannibal So Was Wellington to Napoleon. There is probably no more remarkable historical parallel than that exhibited by the career of Scipio Africanus, the hero of the second Punic war, and the Duke of Wellington, the conqueror of Napoleon.

Again, Spain was the center of the most splendid achievements of both commanders.

Neither of these great generals met his arch-adversary until the final and decisive battles—Zama and Waterloo respectively. And the result of both battles was exile to the defeated chiefs. Hannibal retired to Ephesus; Napoleon was deported to St. Helena.

Seventeen years elapsed from the battle of Zama—seventeen years to the very day—when the great Scipio was tried on a question of bribery.

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Realty Transfers.

- Jas. C. Christensen to Maren Christensen, Lots 3 and 4 B 9 Fredericksborg Add. Cobden 50. Sophie Johnson to Karen Nielsen L 13 and 14, B 2 Evan \$600. Augusta O. Mitzner et al to Emma Dongus 4x165 ft of L 6 B 65 So New Ulm \$200.

MAYONNAISE.

The Way the Genuine Dressing is Prepared by French Cooks. Housewives concoct all sorts of dressings—cooked and uncooked—which they call mayonnaise, but which are not properly entitled to that name.

They Can't Be "Fixed," and They Are Always Polite.

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Couldn't Fool Him.

Serving in the capacity of collector for a local bank is a colored man who spends his evenings playing in an Oakland band.

A Simple Antidote to Poison.

It is a valuable thing to understand thoroughly what simple antidote to take if one is so unlucky as to swallow poison of any kind. Sweet oil is to be found in nearly every house, however humble, and half a pint of it taken immediately is an effectual antidote to almost all poisons.

Household Debate.

"I could have done better than to marry you." "You bring that question up at inopportune times, my dear. Suppose we place a regular weekly evening on the calendar, to be devoted to its discussion."—Pittsburg Post.

Sufficient Proof.

Lady—And you guarantee that the parrot talks quite a lot? Dealer—Rather. His last mistress sold him because she couldn't get a word in edgewise.—Flegende Blatter.

Quite a Linguist.

"My husband speaks three languages fluently." "English, French and German?" "No. Baseball, golf and aviation."—Chicago Record-Herald.

ROCKEFELLER CHARMED HIM

Leonidas Merritt Tells How He Lost Iron Properties.

FIRST REFUSED ALL OFFERS

After a Personal Interview With Oil King He Consented and His Ore Holdings Soon "Vanished."

Washington, Nov. 23.—John D. Rockefeller personally "captured" Leonidas Merritt of Duluth and through him the wonderfully valuable ore properties of the Mesabi range, according to the latter's testimony before the Stanley steel corporation investigating committee.

Mr. Merritt told the committee when he went to New York in the panic days of 1893, Rev. F. N. Gates, manager of Mr. Rockefeller's charities, was his constant companion and kept urging him to go into a consolidation proposed by Mr. Rockefeller, but Merritt refused to consent.

"Then," said Merritt, "Gates took me to John D. Rockefeller. I felt honored on being called before such a magnate. Mr. Rockefeller shook hands with me very genially. I noticed he was a kindly, brotherly sort of a fellow. He talked about the weather and asked after my family. He told me we were all right, for he had looked us up, and that we had done good work in Minnesota.

"He said if we would agree to the consolidation he proposed he would take care of us. He told me he would be proud to be my partner and backer, he said he never speculated and so wouldn't take any stock in the consolidation. He would just keep the bonds. Merritt finally surrenders.

"He captured me," the witness concluded. "I told him I would agree, and then he turned me over to Rev. Mr. Gates again."

The witness manifested even more bitterness toward Rev. Dr. Gates than his brother Alfred, who testified previously. Referring to the consolidation agreement, into which he was persuaded by Rockefeller, Mr. Merritt said that when the time came for Rockefeller to take up the bonds under the agreement he didn't do so.

Leonidas Merritt told with great detail the story of how he and his brother Alfred discovered the valuable ore beds of the Mesabi range, put every cent they could scrape together into these ore lands, built a railroad to their property, and were in a fair way to becoming enormously wealthy when they met with Mr. Rockefeller and finally retired from the struggle without any equity at all.

"I couldn't conceive," cried Merritt dramatically, at this point, "how in hell I could have gone to New York with all those millions and lost them all in a few short months."

He added with a grim smile that he guessed he knew more about woodcraft than he did about high finance.

OIL KING DENIES CHARGES

John D. Rockefeller Replies to Merritt Brothers. New York, Nov. 24.—John D. Rockefeller, in a statement given out here, replied to the charges made by the Merritt brothers before the Stanley steel investigating committee regarding the method used by Mr. Rockefeller in securing control of the Mesabi ore mines and the Duluth, Mesabi and Northern railroad, pointing out that these charges were denied under oath as long ago of 1895 in litigation over the Lake Superior Consolidated Iron mines.

He furthermore submits the text of a paper bearing the date of Jan. 22, 1897, to which are attached the names of Alfred and Leonidas Merritt and "all the other members of the family," declaring themselves satisfied that neither Mr. Rockefeller nor his agents committed fraud or made misrepresentations in the manner in question.

Mr. Rockefeller then sets forth what he says are "the facts with regard to the loans" to which the Merritts testified and denies that the loans in question were ever called by him.

RATES ORDERED REDUCED

Commission Holds Freight Charges in West Unreasonable. Washington, Nov. 25.—Class freight rates from Tacoma and Seattle, Wash., and Portland, Ore., to points in Washington, Oregon, Idaho and Montana were declared unreasonable by the interstate commerce commission and reductions averaging about 20 per cent were ordered by Jan. 2, 1912.

SIXTY PERSONS DROWNED

Austrian Steamer Romania Wrecked in the Adriatic. Vienna, Nov. 25.—The Austrian steamer Romania was wrecked near Rovigno. It is reported that sixty persons were drowned. A sirocco has swept the coast of the Adriatic for three days and caused much damage to shipping.

MRS. PETHICK LAWRENCE

English Suffragette Who Led Raid on Houses of Parliament.



JAIL FOR TWO TITLED WOMEN

Prominent London Suffragettes Sentenced in Police Court.

London, Nov. 25.—Lady Constance Lytton and Lady Sybil Smith, both prominent in the suffragette movement, were sentenced to a fortnight and a week respectively in jail at the Bow street police court for smashing windows during the demonstrations of Tuesday last.

Mrs. Mary Leigh, who had been seven times previously convicted and whom the police described as the "most troublesome suffragette," was sentenced to two months in jail and if she were again convicted she would be sentenced to hard labor.

COLONEL ROOSEVELT ISSUES STATEMENT

Seeks to Discourage Booming Him for President.

New York, Nov. 25.—Theodore Roosevelt, when asked regarding the report that he may be a candidate for president, told a World correspondent that a statement might be made as follows:

"The World says in a special dispatch from Oyster Bay: 'Colonel Roosevelt finds it difficult to understand the comment,' the statement reads, 'that has followed upon his article in the Outlook regarding national laws and business interests. He has said exactly the same thing many times before. He cannot see why it should be assumed that this article indicates he is ready to take any personal part in the coming campaign.'"

"It can be stated that Colonel Roosevelt has received many letters indicating the willingness of the writers to give him political support if such is desired. It can be stated that Colonel Roosevelt received a letter from a certain United States senator offering the full Republican support of the senator in case Colonel Roosevelt should wish to be a candidate in the national campaign. To this letter Colonel Roosevelt has replied that he earnestly hopes the senator will not only refrain from any action looking to the nomination of Colonel Roosevelt, but also will prevent his friends from taking any such steps."

TRAIN FALLS INTO RIVER

Thirty Persons Killed in French Railway Disaster.

Sau Mur, France, Nov. 24.—Thirty passengers lost their lives when a train plunged into the River Thouet owing to a breakdown of a bridge on the state railway at Montreuil-Bellay, in the department of the Maine-et-Loire.

The train, which had started from Angers, was traveling to Poitiers. It contained 100 passengers. While it was crossing the bridge over the Thouet the structure, which had been greatly weakened by recent floods, broke, crashing with all the cars into the swollen stream.

JAPANESE DESTROYER LOST

Forty-five of Crew Perish When Warship Founders.

Tokio, Nov. 25.—The Japanese destroyer Harusame foundered off Shi province in a storm and forty-five of the crew of sixty perished.

Labor Leaders Lose in Ruling.

Washington, Nov. 24.—In a decision Justice Daniel Thew Wright refused to dismiss the contempt charges against President Gompers, Vice President Mitchell and Secretary Morrison of the American Federation of Labor in the Buck's Stove and Range company case, in the District supreme court. This means that he will again attempt to force the labor leaders to trial.