

WIFE DEMANDS HER CHILDREN

Therefore She Sues Her Father-in-Law, Sen. Tillman

IN A SENSATIONAL CASE

In the Proceedings Mrs. B. R. Tillman, Jr., Says She Was Insulted and Brutally Maltreated by Her Husband.

Columbia, S. C., Jan. 24.—The habeas corpus suit instituted by Mrs. Lucy Tillman, wife of B. R. Tillman, Jr., against United States Senator Tillman of South Carolina, for the recovery of her two children, Douglas and Sarah, who were decided to the senator, contains startling allegations. Mrs. Tillman alleged that her husband insulted and brutally maltreated her and that she has squandered much of her estate. The supreme court has issued an order asking Senator Tillman to show cause why he should not return the two children.

Washington, D. C., Jan. 24.—"My son and his wife have been twice separated," said Senator Tillman to-day when asked regarding the suit instituted in South Carolina by Mrs. Tillman, Jr. to get possession of her children. "The last time she went, leaving the children," he continued, "and they were then decided to me. Under the law of South Carolina, this may be done. Eminent lawyers have told her she cannot recover the children. I am going to see that they are guarded and cared for."

"The situation is complicated by the peculiar legal code of South Carolina. There is no divorce law in that state, so that my son and his wife cannot be divorced. There is a state law which I do not believe exists anywhere else, providing that a parent can deed his children to anybody he chooses. Under that provision my son some time ago deeded his children to me and I am holding them by right of law, with their father's consent."

JOHNSON FURNISHED BOND.

For His Reappearance to Felonious Assault Charge.

New York, Jan. 24.—Besides his present engagement to Miss J. J. Griffin on July 4, Jack Johnson, the big negro pugilist, yesterday entered another date in his notebook, this time with the grand jury of New York county. And, as an earnest that he will keep it, Johnson was required to furnish a bail bond of \$1,000. When this formality was over, Johnson left for Montreal.

Felonious assault is charged against the champion, who, the complaint recites, last week swung his right to the jaw of an understudied friend of his own race and then stepped ungentle on his fallen friend's face.

WILL GO 400 FEET BENEATH POLAR STAR

German Traveler Has New Plan for Reaching North Pole and Others Believe It Will Succeed. Boat Waiting.

Berlin, Germany, Jan. 24.—Dr. Anschuetz, a noted German traveler, outlines a bold plan to-day for reaching the north pole. He would use a specially constructed submarine to steam 400 feet below the polar sea. A boat is now at Kiel, waiting the doctor's pleasure. Dr. Veen Hayer, a German, leading the polar expedition, believes there is a good chance of the plan succeeding.

BURIED 15 FEET IN SAWDUST.

Boy of 13 Killed by Caving of Big Pile at East Andover, N. H.

Franklin, N. H., Jan. 24.—Charles Sleeper, the 13-year-old son of William A. Sleeper of East Andover, was killed yesterday by the caving of a pile of sawdust. The boy and his father went to the pile on the Will Cole lot, three miles from this town, to get a load of sawdust for bedding. While they were digging, the pile caved in and both were buried. Mr. Sleeper managed to dig himself free, but the boy was smothered. His body was found buried in 15 feet of sawdust.

MITCHELL ATTENDING MEETING.

Of United Mine Workers—Mother Jones Also Present.

Indianapolis, Jan. 24.—The opening convention of the United Mine Workers today witnessed the presence of John Mitchell, their former president. Mother Jones, equally beloved by the members of the association, was also present. Late to-day a joint committee, making plans for a closer union with the Western Federation, will meet.

METAL POLISH KILLS BOY.

Thirteen-year-old Fall River Youth Mistakenly Takes It for Whiskey.

Fall River, Mass., Jan. 24.—Thinking he was getting a taste of whiskey, Henry Normand, aged 13 years, drank from a bottle of liquid metal polish last night, and died soon after. He was the son of Napoleon Normand, a mill operative.

31 BODIES TAKEN OUT OF WRECK

At Least a Score More People Are Believed to Have Been Killed in Wreck at Spanish River.

Nain, Ont., Jan. 24.—The icebound Spanish river has begun to give up its dead. The first class car, one of the four of the Canadian Pacific passenger train, which took the plunge down the embankment on Friday afternoon, was raised above the surface of the river yesterday afternoon. With one end suspended by heavy cables from the bridge above and the other end resting on the bank workmen crept into the wrecked interior and brought out several bodies. The forward part of the coach was badly demolished from contact with the ice and the river bottom and it is not unlikely that some bodies have floated away in the swift current of the river.

Fourteen bodies were recovered yesterday, making a list of dead whose names are known of 27 in addition to four unidentified women and children, whose bodies were taken from the first class coach yesterday. Besides these 31 it is supposed that several bodies will be found in the tourist car and an unknown number were burned to ashes with the second class car.

PARIS THREATENED WITH WATER FAMINE

Suffering Incalculable Loss by Floods and Now Distressed by Breaking of Water Mains and Consequent Contamination by Sewage.

Paris, Jan. 24.—The warm weather and rain still falling are causing the Seine, which is already unprecedentedly high, to continue to rise, threatening the city with incalculable loss. The famous Place de la Concorde will probably be flooded and the whole city is endangered by a water famine, due to the breaking of the mains and contamination by sewage. The famous Alma bridge is likely to be dynamited, as a dam is forming there and it will be necessary to destroy it in order to save the entire city from inundation.

MILL FIRMS CONSOLIDATE.

Various Essex and Calendon County Concerns Merge.

St. Johnsbury, Jan. 24.—The National Flooring company, with a capital stock of \$5,000, is the newest stock company in St. Johnsbury and is organized in the business of the old Northern Lumber company mill, now operated by W. D. Stinson. It also takes in the mill and lands of the Hastings Supply company, in Lunenburg and Concord. There are about 30 men now employed at the Stinson mill and from 35 to 40 in the employ of the Hastings Supply company, so the new concern starts off with about 75 employees.

PLAYED BALL WITH OFFICERS.

Woman Threw Bottles of Whiskey Out of Cellar Window to Them.

Rutland, Jan. 24.—Two raids for intoxicating liquors were made Saturday by Deputy Sheriff Pascal Ricci, A. J. Leonard and D. A. Parker, one in this city and one in Mitford. At the home of Raffaele Muscatello on Meadow street, the officers found several men playing cards and behind the counter was the proprietor, who plunged through a window, as the officers entered and escaped. A barrel of wine and a barrel of cider were seized by the officers.

INDICTMENT AGAINST HEINZ CONSOLIDATED

Trial Set for March—Judge Hough Asked to Have Those Found Two Years Ago Dismissed, But Attorney Wise Demurred.

New York, Jan. 24.—Federal Judge Hough, who Saturday quashed the indictment against Heinz, the Montana copper man, asked to-day to have the indictments found two years ago by John B. Stanchfield, Heinz' attorney, dismissed. United States District Attorney Wise demurred, with the trial set for March. Motions to quash the indictments against Heinz, his brother, Arthur P. Calvering, Carlos Winkler and Sanford Robinson, for spinning away the backs of the copper company, have been argued, and Hough has ordered the briefs filed tomorrow.

TWENTY TIMES A FATHER.

Joseph Macy of Montpelier and Mrs. Macy (2) Had a Daughter Born.

Montpelier, Jan. 24.—Joseph Macy of the Jones Brook neighborhood is a father for the twentieth time, the latest arrival in his household having been born last night. It being a girl and the thirteenth child of his present wife. By his former wife he had seven children. Not all the twenty are living at the present time. Mr. Macy is 40 years old and his wife is 40.

HE STRANGLER GIRL, HE SAYS

Confession in Mysterious Rochester, N. Y., Murder

AFTER MANY MONTHS

James A. Hall, Who Sought to Secure Release from Military Term by Testimony in Anna Schumaker Case, Caught by His Own Ruse.

Portsmouth, N. H., Jan. 24.—James A. Hall, who was held for the murder of Anna Schumaker in the Holy Sepulcher cemetery at Rochester, N. Y., on August 7, 1909, last night confessed to Sheriff Willis K. Gillette of Monroe county, N. Y., who came here for the prisoner, that he strangled the girl to death. Washington so far has not honored the requisition for Hall, but it is expected soon when Hall will be taken back to Rochester to stand trial.

In his confession Hall is reported to have stated that the Schumaker girl entered the cemetery with a bouquet for her mother's grave, when he approached her and made an improper proposal. She tried to run but he caught her and strangled her while he attacked her. He struck her down, he says. The girl was 17 years of age.

Hall has been a naval prisoner confined on the U. S. receiving ship, Southard, serving an eighteen months' term for fraudulent enlistment and being a deserter. In the month of August, after the murder of the Schumaker girl in Rochester, Hall went to Montreal and later to Columbia, Ohio, and there enlisted in the army. His description being sent to Washington, he was recognized by his finger prints as a deserter and was immediately tried by court-martial and sentenced to imprisonment at Portsmouth.

KILLS SELF AS IN WIFE'S DREAM

Raymond G. Smith Commits Suicide in Charlestown Home—Mrs. Smith Had Vision Night Before of Similar Shooting.

Boston, Jan. 24.—Raymond G. Smith borrowed paper and pencil from his wife, Gertrude, and sitting down at the table where Mrs. Smith and his two boys, 7 and 4 years old, were eating dinner yesterday afternoon, wrote a farewell note, then went into the parlor at 14 Gill court, Somerville, and shot himself. Death was instantaneous.

Mr. and Mrs. Smith were married 11 years ago. He had been employed as a freight brakeman by the Boston & Maine railroad and was discharged Tuesday.

About two weeks ago Smith left home and obtained lodgings at 6 Essex street, Charlestown, with the knowledge that his wife intended to petition for a separate maintenance. His call at his wife's home yesterday was unexpected. He spoke kindly to Mrs. Smith and kissed the boys. When Mrs. Smith attempted to see what he was writing, he shielded the paper.

After completing the note he asked his wife permission to enter the parlor. Smith shut the door behind him, placed the note on a table and then fired. The note read:

"Wife and Little Sweethearts: Forgive me for what I have done. I love you and cannot live without you. My trunk is at 4 Essex street, Charlestown. Bury me beside my mother in Maine."

Mrs. Smith said that Saturday night she dreamed of seeing a man shoot himself in front of her house.

BIRD AND BOTANICAL CLUBS.

Elect Officers and Decide to Meet Next in Woodstock.

Burlington, Jan. 24.—Before adjourning last Saturday the Vermont Bird and Botanical clubs decided to meet at Woodstock on the week of July 4. The Botanical club elected officers as follows: President, Ezra Brainerd of Middlebury; vice-president, C. G. Prince of Burlington; secretary, Prof. H. A. Edson of Burlington; treasurer, Mrs. Nellie P. Ryan of Burlington; librarian, Miss Phoebe M. Towrie of Burlington; assistant librarian, Miss Helen Hodge of Burlington.

WANTS TO BURY MASS OF WIRES

Or Properly Erect Them Above Ground. Petition Brought by State Attorney Gates.

The Consolidated Lighting company, the Vermont Light and Power company, the Vermont Telephone and Telegraph company and the Corry-Deavitt-Frost company are made the defendants in a case brought by State's Attorney Gates before the Vermont public service commission, praying that the companies be compelled to place their wires underground or such part thereof as considered proper or the safe erection of them above ground.

The petition avers: "That the wire and poles are so maintained in close proximity to each system of wires and poles; that in many places the wires of the Consolidated and the Vermont Power and Light company are in close proximity to the wires and poles of the Vermont Telephone and the Corry-Deavitt-Frost company; that, in many places, the employees of all said companies are obliged to pass very near the wires of some other company in climbing the poles of their own company."

"That many of the wires carrying large voltages are insulated and that said insulation is inadequate and does not prevent the escape of electricity under dry conditions. "That in many places in Montpelier and Barre said wires of the Consolidated and Vermont companies are attached to telephone instruments, that said electric company's power and lighting wires are connected with dwelling and business places for the purpose of furnishing light and power.

"And your petitioner avers that the close proximity of the light and power wires charged with electricity is dangerous to the people in Montpelier and Barre City and in other places in Washington county.

2. That the present system of maintaining said light and power wires upon poles above ground under the conditions set forth is unsafe and dangerous to the public and to the employees.

3. That said system, as maintained and operated, renders it dangerous to employes while repairing and working about the poles and wires.

4. That the insulation of the said light and power wire is inadequate and insufficient to render it safe to public and patrons.

5. That the contact with shade trees is dangerous to the public and detrimental to the trees.

6. That public safety and welfare require the location of said electric light and power systems or a portion thereof underground or the erection of said light and power wires upon safe and proper constructions above ground.

"Therefore, your petitioner prays that the public service commission will cause a summons to be attached to this petition ordering the said companies to appear and answer at such time and place as the board may fix and that in default, this petition will be taken as confessed.

"That these premises considered, the board will make a full and fair investigation of the conditions of said systems to ascertain whether they are dangerous to the people of the localities in which said systems are operated, and so as to the condition of said systems relative to shade trees and crooked poles.

"That the board will order said companies to locate their lines and wires in accordance with the provisions of said petition and that such part thereof as the board shall deem proper or the erection of said system upon proper and safe construction above ground.

"That, the premises considered, the board will grant such other and further relief as it shall deem meet."

DISCRIMINATION HEARING.

Set for February 8, by the Vermont Public Service Commission.

The Vermont public service commission will give a hearing at Montpelier, February 8, on the petition of State's Attorney Gates, alleging discrimination in rates on granite shipments over the Central Vermont railroad and asking for relief. The petition is brought in the interests of Burlington concerns.

The hearing on the petition on the Central Vermont Railroad vs. the Thomas Judd estate, which has been continued several times, is again set for February 16.

On February 17, there will be a hearing at Brattleboro on a petition to abolish the Bridge street crossing just north of the passenger station. The plans filed with the commission, if carried out, will involve a large expenditure of money and will be second only to the change which was ordered at White River Junction.

The attorneys of the Boston and Maine railroad are preparing an appeal to the supreme court on the order, which was issued on the 14th, calling for additional train service between Newport and Lyndonville. This appeal must be filed before February 3, and the railroad hopes to secure an order to stop the report of the commission in this matter.

GIVEN TRIAL TOMORROW.

Edward DeForge and Peter Bertram on Charges of Assault.

Edward DeForge and Peter Bertram were arrested Saturday afternoon by Officer George Carle on a warrant charging them with breach of the peace. The offense with which the men were charged was the assaulting of Joseph Jacques at his home on River street.

MANY DEATHS ABOUT BARRE

Alonzo Batchelder, Prominent Plainfield Man

PASSED AWAY TODAY

Joseph Martin of Barre Dropped Dead This Forenoon—John Watt Dies of Typhoid Fever—Mother of Prin. Hollister at No. Montpelier.

Alonzo M. Batchelder, a lifelong and well-known resident of Plainfield died at his home there shortly before 7 o'clock this morning. His death was due to a general breaking-down from old age. His health had been failing for a long time. He would have been 83 years of age tomorrow and was born on a farm within a half mile of where he died. He was married 57 years ago this coming May to Demoline Peabody, who survives him, together with two sons, Alden A. and Henry W., and one daughter, Mrs. Edward M. Nye, all of Plainfield. The funeral services will be held from the late home Wednesday afternoon at one o'clock. The Rev. Percin Fish, pastor of the Congregational church, will officiate. The interment will be in the Center cemetery.

PRIN. HOLLISTER'S MOTHER DEAD.

Mrs. Elizabeth (Knapp) Hollister Died Yesterday at No. Montpelier.

Mrs. Elizabeth (Knapp) Hollister, widow of H. A. Hollister and mother of Principal O. K. Hollister of Goddard seminary, died early yesterday morning at her home in North Montpelier, having been in feeble health for two months. The funeral will be held there Tuesday afternoon at two o'clock. Rev. J. Edward Wright of Montpelier officiating, and interment will be in the village cemetery.

Mrs. Hollister was born in Moretown 78 years ago but had lived nearly all her life in East Montpelier, to which place she went with her parents when she was very young. She was married to Mr. Hollister about 55 years ago. Four children were born to them, of whom Principal Hollister and Mrs. J. W. Butterfield of North Montpelier survive. The other two children were Charles T. and Horace Hollister. One brother, Orlando Knapp, also survives. He came from Moretown early last fall to spend the winter at the home of Mrs. Butterfield, where also Mrs. Hollister was living. Mrs. Hollister was a member of the Universalist church in North Montpelier.

DEATH OF JOHN WATT.

Had Been Ill with Typhoid for Four Weeks, Two Sons Also Ill.

The death of John Watt occurred at 7:30 Saturday evening at his home, 9 Trow avenue, after a four weeks' illness with typhoid fever. Mr. Watt was 56 years of age and was born in Aberdeen, Scotland. He attended the schools in that city and then served his apprenticeship at the granite cutting trade. He came to Barre 18 years ago and entered the employ of Barclay Brothers, where he has since been employed. His wife has been some 30 years in Barre. Mrs. Watt was born in Barre, N. Y., and was the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. James Robertson of this city, and she with her three sons, John, William and George, survives him. Two of the boys are also ill with typhoid fever. He is also survived by his father, a brother and a sister in Scotland and one brother in New York.

He was a member of Clan Gordon, Order of Scottish claus, and of the Foresters of America, also the Burns club and of the Owls of this city. The funeral services will be held at two o'clock Tuesday afternoon at the church.

GRANITEVILLE WOMAN DEAD.

Mrs. Frank Donovan's Body Taken to Cadyville, N. Y., for Burial.

Mrs. Anna Winn Donovan, wife of Frank Donovan of Graniteville, died at her home at 10 o'clock Saturday night after only a week's illness from plural pneumonia. She was 44 years of age and was born in Peru, N. Y. She was married to Mr. Donovan 20 years ago and for the past 12 years they have resided in Graniteville. The survivors in the family are the husband, two brothers, who reside in Syracuse, N. Y., one sister in Bloomdale, N. Y., and another in South Carolina.

The funeral services were held at nine o'clock this morning at St. Sylvester's church in Graniteville. Rev. Joseph Turcot officiating. The remains were taken to-day to Cadyville, N. Y., for interment beside those of her parents.

DIED OF CONSUMPTION.

John Vals, a Stonecutter, Had Been Living at City Farm.

The funeral of John Vals, who died Saturday afternoon at the City farm, was held from the home at 10 o'clock this morning. The interment was in the Hope cemetery. The deceased was a stonecutter by trade and was born in Italy 44 years ago. The cause of death was consumption with which he had been ill for nearly two years.

FORMERLY OF MONTEPELIER.

J. W. Kendall Died at Daughter's Home in Massachusetts.

J. W. Kendall, formerly a well-known resident of Montpelier, died Saturday at the home of his daughter, Mrs. E. H. Knight, of Marshfield Falls, Mass., and the remains will be brought to Montpelier Tuesday night for the funeral services, which will be held on Wednesday forenoon at 10 o'clock. He had been ill for some time.

ASSETS FAR BELOW DEBTS

Robert Noble of Burlington Files in Bankruptcy

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In His Petition for Being Declared a Bankrupt He Gives His Debts as \$50,036.59 and Assets as \$1,200.

WORE HERSELF OUT.

Mrs. Mary Curtis Died in Waterbury Insane Asylum.

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SAVED BY COLD WEATHER.

Shift in Temperature Prevented Serious Flood in Barre.

A change in the weather late Saturday was probably all that saved the city from serious consequences from the results of the rain and warm weather, which broke up the ice in Stevens branch and sent it down upon the bridges to be piled in great masses. Workmen of the street department, employes of the Barre railroad and the Central Vermont railway were kept busy Saturday, yesterday and to-day in clearing the ice from the bridges, where it had become lodged. It was feared late Saturday afternoon that the ice in the Trow & Holden pond would give way and come rushing down the stream to add to the jam already collected above the Prospect street bridge. Luckily, the weather changed just in time.

The thaw was an unusually severe one for midwinter and the ice was strong and broke in large cakes, which could not pass between the additional trestles recently placed under the Barre railroad bridges at Prospect street and in the rear of the Miles granite building a few weeks ago.

The workmen succeeded in clearing the bridge back of the Miles building in a short time, without recourse to blasting, but it was necessary to dynamite the ice at the Prospect street bridge. The nitro-glycerine worked so well there that it was used on the jams at the Granite street bridge and later it was used on the jam at the back of the Miles building, which immediately became lodged again, as soon as the ice was freed from the Prospect street bridge.

Work was continued until 11 o'clock Saturday night, when the ice was cleared from the stream to an extent to make it safe. Workmen with picks and picks worked yesterday getting what ice they could away from the bridges, and again this morning Superintendent of Streets J. C. DeBruin with a few workmen began blasting the ice above the Prospect street bridge to get a channel through, so that there will not be so much danger when the spring freshets come.

The blasting proved an attraction for scores of people, and several were struck, but not hurt, by flying pieces of ice. Windows were broken in several of the buildings near the scene of operations by the flying particles. Glass was broken from the windows in the R. I. Clark building, the Miles building, the house occupied by Alex. Dickie and that of A. Cooney.

COURT STILL HAS LIQUOR

In Three Cases in Which Respondents Were Taken to County Court.

The three cases of State vs. Intoxicating Liquor, in which Jack Stewart, Mrs. Minnie Willis and Louis Spinella are interested, which have been on the city court docket since last fall because of the respondents having been taken into county court on information filed against them before the case had been disposed of in city court, were set for a hearing this morning, but at the request of the grand juror were again continued until February 21.

A quantity of beer found hidden in a cupboard was seized by the police at the house occupied by Mrs. Minnie Willis on Granite street and liquor was also seized in a raid at the house occupied by Louis Spinella. The liquor seized at Mrs. Willis' was claimed by Stewart. All of this liquor is still held by the court for trial on condemnation proceedings. Spinella is serving a sentence of three months in county jail on his plea in city court of keeping with intent to sell, and the liquor case was put over until he has served out his sentence. Mrs. Willis was convicted in county court and released on probation. Willis was acquitted of the charge of keeping.

BAD FOR GEORGE.

To Fall in with Stranger While Letter Was Revisiting Vermont.

It was George Donehue's misfortune to fall in with a stranger named Jerd, who was on his way to White River Junction after a year's absence from Vermont, for the meeting caused George to become exhilarated and while in that condition to fall into the hands of the law in Montpelier yesterday. After pleading guilty in Montpelier city court to-day, he was asked to disclose, which he did in the above manner. The court accepted the disclosure, and since George does not seem disposed to pay his fine of \$15 and his costs, it is probable that he will go to the county jail. He was last arrested in Northfield for intoxication.

REDUCING PRICES.

Philadelphia Dealers Forced to It by Beyond.

Philadelphia, Jan. 24.—With foodstuffs selling at a loss here, have been forced to yield to the boycott and they reduced the price of pork two cents and eggs and butter two cents.

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AFFECTS WHOLE COUNTRY.

Iowa Monumental Dealers Feeling Granite Suspension in Barre.

The Des Moines, Iowa, Capital, of the date of January 20, has the following: "Tomstones may soon be as scarce as eggs. And as precious, too. For 3,000 men are out on a strike, which ties up the granite cutting industries of Barre, Vt. Barre is the greatest granite cutting center in the world. With the supply from that city falling, tombstone dealers all over the country are 'up against it.' One of them said this morning, 'If we get an order for a monument we don't know whether it will be delivered in April or October.' The tombstone granite supply of the country is practically stopped by the halt of the cutting industry at Barre. And the situation is so serious that a general alarm is being felt among marble and granite dealers the country over."

"William Alexander of Barre, Vt., spoke before the Iowa Marble and Granite Dealer's association this morning. Mr. Alexander is the guest and principal speaker at this annual convention. His address this morning was on the situation at Barre. He told extensively of the actual conditions now existing there, and how the big strike is affecting the granite industry all over the land.

The article further states that the delegates to the association's convention held a banquet the night of the 19th, and the speakers included Mr. Alexander on "Barre" and E. B. Fletcher of Hardwick on "Hardwick." C. E. Oldham of Perry, Iowa, was toastmaster and P. B. Sherriff of Des Moines, gave the welcoming address, with D. W. Rapaloe of Sioux City responding. Other speakers were John Bogon of Le Mars, Ia., on "Aftermath of ex-President," Alfred Johnson of St. Cloud, Minn., on "St. Cloud" and Homer McKinzie of St. Cloud on "Financial Duties of Retail Dealers to Wholesale, from a St. Cloud Standpoint."

GRANITE CUTTERS' DONATION.

The granite cutters' union has turned over \$58.75 to the relief fund of the lumpers, boxers and bricklayers' union. This action is the more meritorious when it is taken into consideration how many needy ones they have to attend to themselves. It shows the spirit of true manhood in trying to relieve the wants of others. Those making the donation have had only lockout pay to provide for their own wants for the past few weeks.

The Dreamland theatre donated 20 percent of its receipts for Saturday evening to the same cause and will do likewise on Wednesday evening. The Elbow theatre generously makes the same provision for this evening's receipts. James Mutch secretary.

FOUND DOGS' HIDE.

Henry Batchelder Telephoned to Game Warden To-day.

Game Warden Homer D. Camp received a telephone message from Henry Batchelder of Plainfield to