

ACTRESS SEEKING DUNSMUIR FORTUNE

EFFORT OF ALEXANDER DUNSMUIR HEIRESS TO SET ASIDE THE WILL OF MILLIONAIRE.

DUNSMUIR WAS A DRUNKARD

Depositions of Physicians Indicate That He Was Not in Mental Condition to Make Logical Will.

BY ASSOCIATED PRESS.
Victoria, B. C., Dec. 4.—The will case in which Edna Wallace Hopper seeks to break the will of Alexander Dunsuir, who left his property to James Dunsuir, on the ground of incompetency and undue influence, was commenced yesterday, when evidence consisting of depositions before commissioners in New York was introduced.

Mrs. Hopper's mother married Alexander Dunsuir in California in 1890, and was devoted to him. Alexander Dunsuir died in New York in 1900, leaving his share in the coal mines, railways, etc., valued at over \$100,000, to his brother.

Mrs. Dunsuir, plaintiff's mother, died in 1901, having some months before made an agreement with James Dunsuir's attorneys to abandon all claim to the estate for a consideration of \$25,000 a year and to retain the San Leandro farm.

Wants Will Set Aside.
Plaintiff is asking that Alexander Dunsuir's will be set aside owing to the testator's mental incapacity. She also asks that the agreement with her mother be set aside on the ground of undue influence, and that James Dunsuir be restrained from disposing of the property and a receiver appointed.

E. V. Rodwell, for plaintiff, in opening the case, said Alexander Dunsuir was so addicted to drink that his death was caused by alcoholic dementia, and he was unable to carry on any business.

Edward Croninshield, a Wall street broker, a relative of Admiral Croninshield, told of Dunsuir's drunken habits and breakdown caused by alcoholism.

Dr. Culver of New York deposed to having attended Dunsuir for alcoholic dementia. He believed him to have been practically of unsound mind for the last few years.

Dr. Drummond deposed to attending Mrs. Dunsuir at the time of Alexander Dunsuir's death, and recommending an operation. He advised her not to go to San Francisco, but she did, taking her husband's remains.

She went to Victoria a month later, and her disease advanced during that visit, affecting her mental condition. She had spoken of contesting her husband's will. She did not have a good business head and was likely to be influenced by James Dunsuir. He wanted Mrs. Hopper to go to Europe. His attitude towards her and Mrs. Dunsuir was affectionate.

5,000 to Go to Work.

BY ASSOCIATED PRESS.
Montreal, Dec. 4.—The outlook in the

Quebec boot and shoe factories, involving 5,000 men, was settled yesterday, the operatives agreeing to go back upon the terms of the manufacturers.

It will be good news to the mothers of small children to learn that croup can be prevented. The first sign of croup is hoarseness. A day or two before the attack the child becomes hoarse. This is soon followed by a peculiar rough cough. Give Chamberlain's Cough Remedy freely as soon as the child becomes hoarse, or even after the rough cough appears, and it will dispel all symptoms of croup. In this way all danger and anxiety may be avoided. This remedy is used by many thousands of mothers and has never been known to fail. It is, in fact, the only remedy that can always be depended upon and that is pleasant and safe to take. For sale by all druggists and dealers.

G. F. GEISER'S CASE

BRODERSEN CITED TO TURN OVER MONIES COLLECTED TO THE TRUSTEE, F. H. DRAKE.

A. C. Brodersen will have to turn over all moneys in his possession collected for George F. Geiser, who was formerly engaged in the butcher business on South Main street.

The money collected by Brodersen, who runs a collection agency in this city, totals up to some \$225. Referee Thompson Campbell, before whom the hearing took place, ordered that this money be turned over to F. H. Drake, trustee on the bankrupt's estate.

During the hearing Brodersen and Geiser disputed as regards the commission to be paid the collector, the latter claiming 25 per cent as commissions, while Geiser declared this commission was contingent upon Brodersen paying all costs and expenses of collection.

Constable Morinich is also cited to appear before the referee on December 8 and show cause why he should not turn over something like \$100, money collected on attachments issued out of a justice's court, which he paid over to certain creditors of Geiser.

One of the most important questions to come up under the amended bankruptcy law is the suit filed last week by Trustee Drake against Montgomery & Co., wholesale meat dealers, to recover \$174.19, the alleged value of property in Geiser's shop, which the company attached and sold for debt. It is claimed this property should have gone toward paying all creditors.

Comes Higher.

BY ASSOCIATED PRESS.
New York, Dec. 4.—The transfer of a stock exchange membership was arranged yesterday at \$57,500. This is an advance of \$2,500 over the last previous transfer.

HE KISSED A PRETTY GIRL

Long Island Sheriff Gets Three Months for Osculatory Feat.

BY ASSOCIATED PRESS.
New York, Dec. 4.—A deputy sheriff of Woodhull, L. I., has been found guilty by a jury there of having kissed Miss Mary Sullivan, a primary school teacher, against her will. He was sentenced to three months imprisonment, but took an appeal.

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NERVOUSNESS, HEADACHE, INDIGESTION, WASTING AWAY

"These and All Other Tortures of the Chronic Dyspeptic I Suffered Until Existence Became a Burden," Writes Judge John W. Clancy, of St. Paul, Minn., Who Had Been Afflicted with Dyspepsia for Many Years, but WAS FULLY CURED BY

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CITY COUNCIL TO CONVE NE TONIGHT

LITTLE WAS DONE LAST NIGHT AND ANOTHER SESSION WAS IMMEDIATELY CALLED.

THEY WANT LADY MATRON

Florence Crittenton Circle Workers Send Petition to Be Allowed to Appear Before Council.

Last night's session of the city council occupied less than half an hour, when adjournment was taken on motion of Alderman Sichenaler until 8 o'clock tonight. It begins to look now as if the meeting of the council hereafter is to be a regular evening occurrence.

Alderman Gallagher was the only absentee last night and nothing of unusual importance or interest occurred. The mayor was in the chair, but made no effort to spring any appointments for confirmation.

A communication from Mrs. C. H. Baucher, president of the local Florence Crittenton circle, was read. The letter asked that representatives of the Florence Crittenton circle be allowed to appear before the council and present a petition for the employment of a matron to look after the interests of women prisoners at the city jail and for better accommodations for these prisoners. The communication was referred to the police committee.

On motion of Alderman Donall of the library committee the bid of the Montana Iron company for the construction of racks for books at the public library was accepted, the consideration being \$200.

The city engineer was instructed to extend the storm sewer on Caledonia and Copper streets a distance of fifty feet.

Alderman Donall called the attention of the council to the fact that the patrol wagon used by the police was not covered as is the case in other cities and suggested the need of having it covered so that prisoners might not be exposed to public view. The matter was referred to the police committee.

INTER MOUNTAIN'S DAILY SHORT STORY

HOW M. de BRIGNES CHANGED HIS MIND.

From the French of Paul and Victor Marguerite.

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"No," said M. de Brignes for the hundredth time, "Not he shall not marry her."

He had repeated the sentence over and over, until the wheels of the train had seemed to say, "No—he shall—not—marry—her."

He said it this morning as he woke up; he declared it to the sunlight that shone so brightly into his room; he repeated it anew to the roses outside of his window, and if his wife Jacqueline or his son or Blaireau, the fat spaniel, or Mirza, the Scotch poodle, had been able to translate the expression of his face, they could have deciphered nothing but the peremptory words: "He—shall—not!"

"What reason on earth," he grumbled to himself, as he made his way down stairs, "led my son to choose, among all the young girls in the country of France, this particular one? She is charming, I do not deny, pretty, no doubt about it; good and kind also, without a doubt, but with one fault that outweighs all her virtues: she is utterly poor."

"No, he shall not marry her," said M. de Brignes once more, as he seated himself in the saddle of his favorite horse, after partaking of a plentiful breakfast.

"No, no!" Maurice felt very sorrowful, but it could not be helped. I didn't make all my money voluntarily go to waste, and let all my grandchildren grow up poor. It is the duty of wealth to increase. Am I a miser? No. Who has done more good to his village than I? No, he shall not marry her, for I say so. I am a father. I have my rights and I am responsible, my son belongs to me."

No one contradicted him. His good horse pranced along the road, rejecting to be out in the fresh air, and the immense spreading trees that met above his head offered no objection to the sentiments expressed beneath them.

M. de Brignes drew a long breath. What a good idea it had been to come out here amid the silence and the quiet of nature. He was spared his wife's fearful entreaties. Why, the woman would sanction her son's marriage with a dressmaker, if he only loved her, the irate husband thought to himself.

The further he rode the better he felt. The fresh air made him feel younger, and cleared his mind.

What a marvelous thing the peace and beauty of the woods was, how it simplified all the matters of life.

"How delicious it is!" murmured M. de Brignes. He thought it was the spring time that made it seem so wonderful, and then he thought how short a time the spring lasted. Only a few weeks; his own spring time seemed very far away. How quickly a man grows old. He rises in the morning, he does his work and goes to bed late at night and before he realizes it he is 60 and youth is gone forever.

Ah! life is short! Short as the radiant morning whose fresh dawn is already disappearing in the golden sunlight. What is the use of making so much money if you cannot live to enjoy it, and only spend your life making it? Is it not much better to be happy? Why need Maurice, his son, be a millionaire? Need one work longer than to assure the safety and happiness of those that we love and the stability of our fireside?

Where did M. de Brignes hear such ideas as these? Who whispered such counsels in his ear? No one had spoken. His horse trotted leisurely along. The sunlight poured its golden light over the gray-green trunks of the trees and turned the dust of the roadside to molten gold. The trees, motionless, absorbed the heat of the day. There was the secret of delight in the air, the love spirit of the spring. M. de Brignes felt his heart swell with tenderness and pity.

"Ah, well! Be it so. Let them marry, the poor children."

Mexico City, Dec. 4.—The chamber of

deputies have passed the bill amending the constitution by creating the vice-presidency and providing also for the extension of the presidential term to six years and the measure goes to the senate. Public opinion approves the amendment.

PIONEER LIMITED EXPRESS

Change in Time Made by the Milwaukee to Benefit Traveler.

P. H. Scanlan, commercial agent for the Milwaukee road, has been advised that the time of the arrival of the Pioneer Limited train in Chicago has been changed from 9 a. m. to 9:30 a. m. This will prove a convenience for travelers on that famous train, giving them more time for their breakfast and then putting them in in time for the day's business.

Mr. Scanlan says the Pioneer Limited trains are doing a bigger business than ever.

Mr. Scanlan has also been advised that on account of the Independent Telephone association meeting in Chicago, December 8 to 10, the Milwaukee will make a rate of one and one-third fare. The same rate will be made on account of the Modern Languages association meeting in Ann Arbor, Mich., December 28 to 30.

FAIR COUNTESS IS SUING

Seeks a Divorce From the Dutch Coachman She Married.

BY ASSOCIATED PRESS.
London, Dec. 4.—The former Countess Russell is instituting divorce proceedings against her husband, William Brown, a former coachman, who married her in December, 1902, under the title of Prince Gerald Stuart, Devonshire, alleging that he was a Bavarian nobleman. The reported grounds for the suit are cruelty and misconduct.

HEAR NOTHING OF HUBBARD

BY ASSOCIATED PRESS.
St. Johns, N. F., Dec. 4.—The Ungavian mission ship Homily, from Labrador, arrived here yesterday, being the last vessel from that seaborad. It brings no reports concerning the expedition headed by Leonard Hubbard, Jr. of New York, assistant editor of Outing. The Ungavian mission station of the Hudson Bay posts had heard nothing of the expedition.

Valencia on a Reef.
Seattle, Wash., Dec. 4.—The steamer Valencia ran on a reef projecting from White Cliff island, 50 miles this side of Dixon's entrance, on her voyage to Lynn Canal. She pulled off without serious damage and is now going north.

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No. 13, Twin City Express,..... 11:30 a.m.

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