

CONTRIBUTIONS TO SISTERS' ACADEMY

Weekly Report of Payments Toward the Erection of the School Building.

Following is the amount of money received for the Sisters' Academy and by whom paid. Much of this is only part payment of subscriptions. The committee is now out collecting and the amount received will be published weekly.

Previously acknowledged.....	\$5,000.00
W. J. Hamilton.....	25.00
A. J. Ingstrom.....	10.00
T. J. O'Keefe.....	250.00
C. Mauck.....	5.00
F. J. Brennan.....	100.00
F. Mollring.....	25.00
J. T. Byrne.....	25.00
Mrs. Reardon.....	100.00
J. J. Rodgers.....	10.00
L. A. Baschky.....	5.00
Catherine Roddy.....	5.00
Total.....	\$5,600.00

Convent School for Crawford.

There is considerable strong talk among our people and other parties interested therein of securing a new and desirable educational institution for Crawford—a young ladies' academy and boarding school—in the near future. Two Catholic Sisters of the Order of Providence visited our city recently for the purpose of looking up a suitable site on which to build.

The contemplated project of locating a convent school at Alliance has been abandoned and a proper effort on the part of our people should result in bringing it to Crawford, as our thriving and progressive little city—the railroad center of northwest Nebraska—possesses all of the necessary conveniences and attractive natural surroundings, coupled as these are with healthy climatic conditions and plenty of pure water to make it an ideal place for building an educational school of this kind with every assurance of permanency as it would be easy of access by rail for young ladies from Alliance, Cheyenne, Douglas, Edgemont, and numerous other towns north, south, east and west.

No doubt the sisters who were here will return soon or others equally interested visit us in furtherance of this mission, and when they do so, every vantage ground we have should be fairly placed before them and every possible encouragement given them in a laudable endeavor to secure this much-prized institution of learning for Crawford—Crawford Tribune.

Our Crawford friend is mistaken as to the facts in the case. Far from being abandoned, the Sisters' academy project, we have the pleasure of stating, is progressing with flying colors. The fine brick building is progressing and by the middle of next June we will be able to show the good people of our sister city and the rest of the northwest a model structure for educational purposes, and invite the Crawford citizens, to send their children down next fall for a thorough training under the direction of the good Sisters of St. Frances. Not only this, Mr. Tribune, Alliance will also have a fine hospital erected in the near future, which will do further credit to our citizens. This institution will also be under the direction of the sisters and will occupy a block of ground just west of the academy. This will give the people of the northwest an opportunity to send their sick and maimed to Alliance, rather than subjecting them to the painful journey of going to Omaha, as is now the case.

New Theatorium.

Next Monday evening Alliance theatre-goers will have the pleasure of visiting one of the coziest and most up-to-date theatrums extant that is being fitted up in a part of the Rumer Block. This Theatorium will have the Laemmle Film service and the Powers Camegraph, the most expensive and absolutely the best moving picture machine on the market. It is the only moving picture machine endorsed by the National Board of Fire Underwriters. Besides it is guaranteed by the manufacturers absolutely flickerless.

In addition to the Camegraph moving pictures and illustrated songs there will be the Auxidaphone, the latest and best talking and playing invention. It is operated by electricity and compressed air. As a whole this amusement parlor will not only be novel but first-class in every particular where ladies and unattended children will be cared for at all times.

There will be two performances each evening, at 7:30 and at 8:30. Admission on the first floor will be 10 cents. Balcony tickets, 20 cents.

Reading and Impersonating.

Miss Vesta L. Perkins, reader and impersonator, will give an entertainment in the Methodist church next Tuesday evening, March 24. Admission 35c, children under twelve years old, 15c. Miss Perkins comes highly recommended.

Received a Car Load of Vehicles.

C. C. Smith has just received a large car load of surreys, spring wagons, road carts and other kinds of vehicles and invites the people of this part of the country to call and inspect them and get prices.

For Sale.

Rooming house, centrally located. Rent reasonable. Apply at The Herald office. 14tf.

Dr. Allen, dentist. Opera house blk.

HITCHCOCK FREE OF CHARGE

Actor Acquitted on Direction of Court When One Witness Fails.
New York, March 17.—Raymond Hitchcock, the comedian, was acquitted by direction of Justice Blanchard in the supreme court of charges brought by several young girls after one of the girls had testified that the allegations she had made against the actor were untrue. The acquittal was on the indictment growing out of charges made by Ellen Von Hagen.



RAYMOND HITCHCOCK.

There are several other indictments on similar charges still pending.

The resumption of the trial furnished a sensation when Flora Whiston, who had been called as a corroborating witness, completely refuted her testimony given before the grand jury. In reply to questions by Assistant District Attorney Garvan the girl declared that Hitchcock never had harmed her and that she had told the story to the grand jury as she had been directed to do by an agent of the Gerry society.

In directing the jury to return a verdict acquitting Hitchcock on the Von Hagen indictment, Justice Blanchard said he regarded the testimony of the Whiston girl as of the most startling nature and suggested that it be made the subject of an investigation.

GENERAL BROOKE WINS SUIT

Need Not Pay Countess \$250,000 for Destroying Her Beef Monopoly.

Washington, March 17.—The long pending claim of the Countess of Buena Vista against Major General Brooke was adjudicated by the supreme court of the United States unfavorably to the countess. The suit was begun in the United States district court for the southern district of New York and was a demand for the payment of damages to the extent of \$250,000 claimed to have been sustained through an official order issued by General Brooke while serving as military governor of Cuba, by which the countess' exclusive right to slaughter cattle in Havana was abolished. She claimed this right as the daughter of the hereditary high sheriff of Havana. The slaughter right was one of the perquisites of the office of sheriff. When her father, the last male of the line, died the office was abolished, but his daughter continued to hold the franchise until it was annulled by Major General Brooke and the district court intimated that while no action would lie against General Brooke, there was legitimate claim against the United States for damages under the Paris treaty. Without expressing directly an opinion as to the responsibility of the United States government, the supreme court affirmed the decision on the ground that the countess had suffered no loss of property.

American Warship on the Way.

Washington, March 17.—An American war vessel, probably the gunboat Eagle, is now on the way from Guantanamo to Port au Prince, Hayti, where the Haytian government summarily executed a number of alleged revolutionists. The vessel is not sent there because of any serious apprehension on the part of officials here that American interests at Port au Prince or at other points in Hayti are in serious danger, but as a matter of precaution. It is not believed at the state department that foreign interests in Hayti are seriously menaced. The disposition of the administration is to keep hands off and to give the people of Hayti an opportunity to work out their own salvation. It is realized that in dealing with revolutionary movements stern repressive measures often are necessary and the impression here is that it is not up to the American government to interfere with the acts of our neighbors unless the situation is such that our interests are in jeopardy or that broad humanitarian interests require us to interfere.

Motto Put Back on Coin.

Washington, March 17.—The session of the house was devoted to the consideration of bills under suspension of the rules. A number were passed, including one providing for the restoration of the motto "In God We Trust" on American coins, and another increasing the efficiency of the medical department of the army.

Jury Acquits Mrs. Mattson.

Duluth, Minn., March 17.—Mrs. Selma Mattson, charged with killing her husband at Chisholm, Jan. 14 last, by slaking a double bit axe into his skull, was acquitted by a jury.

Shoshone Has \$60,000 Fire.

Shoshone, Wyo., March 17.—The larger part of the business district of this city was destroyed by fire, which started in a saloon. Damage, about \$60,000.

EVANS TO LEAVE FLEET

"FIGHTING BOB" WILL QUIT COMMAND AT SAN FRANCISCO.

SPERRY TO BE HIS SUCCESSOR

Commander of Fourth Division Will Bring American Armada Home—Admiral Thomas to Command Fleet on Its Visit to Puget Sound.

Washington, March 18.—Rear Admiral Charles S. Sperry will be commander-in-chief of the Atlantic battleship fleet when it leaves San Francisco in July to encircle the globe. This important detail was decided on by President Roosevelt and his cabinet. Rear Admiral Evans, on his personal request, will be relieved of the command at the conclusion of the big naval review at San Francisco, May 8. The admiral considers this the completion of the work he was assigned to do—take the Atlantic fleet to the Pacific coast. Admiral Evans retires in August.

To Rear Admiral Thomas comes the honor of commanding the fleet on its visit to Puget sound and until the homeward journey begins. He has been second in command during the voyage, and retires in October.

These retirements make possible two promotions to the grade of rear admiral, and these are to be filled by the advancement of Captain Seaton Schroeder and Captain Richard Wainwright, who will command respectively the third and fourth squadrons of the fleet, and Rear Admiral Emory the second.

Fleet Officers Inspect Canal.

Panama, March 18.—The officers of the American torpedo boat flotilla made a trip of inspection to the canal. They went to Gatun by train, after which they proceeded on foot to the various lock sites. The officers were enthusiastic over the progress the work has made.

WARSHIPS AT PORT AU PRINCE

Booming of Gun on British Cruiser Causes a Panic in City.

Port au Prince, March 18.—The British cruiser Indefatigable and the German cruiser Bremen have arrived here, under orders from their governments to give full protection to any foreign residents in Port au Prince in case their lives or interests are threatened. An American warship is expected to arrive here at any moment. At present the city is quiet, but there is an underlying current of anxiety, as evidenced by the fact that a veritable panic was caused by the booming of a heavy gun on the British cruiser when she came to anchor in the port. The indefatigable announced her arrival by three cannon shots and the detonations startled the people. Surprised by the sudden alarm, officers and soldiers alike rushed precipitately to their posts; women and children ran hither and thither in seeming despair, crying hysterically, and it was some little time before they could be reassured and calmed.

Positive denial is made by the Haytian officials of the reports that other executions have taken place than those on Sunday morning, when ten or twelve conspirators were shot to death.

Under a decision taken by the council of ministers, the government authorized the sending on board the warships and out of the country the authors of the last insurrection, who have taken refuge at the French, German and Spanish consulates at Gonaves. The government reserves for itself, however, the right to prosecute before properly appointed courts any persons who hereafter are implicated in uprisings.

Riotous Students Released on Bail.

Ann Arbor, Mich., March 18.—All of the University of Michigan students arrested at a riot at the Star theater are at liberty, but fifteen of them had to furnish \$1,000 bail each after being led into Justice Doty's court and back to their cells like criminals under a heavy police guard. Three students pleaded guilty on a charge of loitering and were fined \$4.65 each. The fifteen who got bail will have their examinations Friday morning on a charge of rioting.

Asks New Trial for Alia.

Denver, March 18.—A motion for a new trial for Giuseppe Alia, the condemned murderer of Father Leo Heinrichs, was filed by his attorney, Robert H. Widdecombe. It is alleged that Alia was insane when he killed the priest. Since the discovery of two weapons in possession of the prisoner he is kept under double guard at the county jail day and night.

Italians in Danger of Lynching.

Elkins, W. Va., March 18.—Surrounded by a posse of miners thirsting for revenge for the murder of two of their number, two Italians, Joe and Lewis Farro, are in danger of being lynched. Walter Rogg and J. W. Averd, miners at Copen, were stabbed and shot to death, following a dispute over a bill which the Italians claimed was owed them.

St. Louis Breweries Tied Up.

St. Louis, March 18.—Twenty-four breweries in St. Louis and East St. Louis were almost completely shut down by the walkout of nearly 3,500 union brewers. The employers declared, however, that there is no possibility of a beer famine and that the strike would soon be ended.

RATE LAW IS UPHOLD

SUPREME COURT HOLDS SHIPPER GUILTY WITH ROAD.

For Receiving Rebates on Export Shipments Four Large Firms Must Pay Fines of \$15,000 Each—Justice Brewer Dissents from Opinion.

Washington, March 17.—The proceedings by the government against the Armour Packing company, Swift & Co., Morris & Co. and the Cudahy Packing company, all of them operating in Kansas City, Kan., under which the companies were each fined \$15,000 by the United States circuit court for the western district of Missouri, on the charge of receiving rebates contrary to the provisions of the Elkins act, was decided by the supreme court of the United States adversely to those companies. The court's opinion was announced by Justice Day, who held that the Elkins act is applicable to transportation anywhere and that an offense is not confined to the initial point. He also held it applicable alike to shipper and carrier. His announcement was concurred in by Justices Harlan, White, McKenna and Holmes.

The decision of the lower courts in the complementary case against the Chicago, Burlington and Quincy Railroad company, holding that company responsible for granting the rebates to the packers and fining that company for the offense also was affirmed. Justice Brewer dissented from the view of the court on the ground that the decision would work a violation of contract, "which," he said, "shocks his sense of justice."

The chief justice and Justice Peckham concurred in Justice Brewer's decision. They also held the Missouri court to be without jurisdiction.

STUDENTS WRECK THEATER

Police and Fire Department Unable to Quell Riot at Ann Arbor.

Ann Arbor, Mich., March 17.—College feeling among the students of the University of Michigan burst forth into a riot last night. More than a score of students were locked up in jail and the Star theater, a 5-cent place of amusement, was literally wrecked. Later in the evening, the mob of students, which numbered fully 2,000, directed a college "rush" against the front of the building, tearing away windows and doors and plaster and rolling the theater piano out into the street, where leaders of the students mounted the instrument and performed a dance to the accompaniment of mad cheers and yells from the unmanageable crowd. The trouble dates back to Saturday night, when a student in the audience, who persisted in repeating the Ann Arbor college yell too often to suit the management, was ejected and thoroughly clubbed.

The trouble started with a small crowd of students throwing eggs at the building. This diversion soon gave way to a fusillade of rocks, and when the police were called to quell the disorder the yells of derision sent up by the young men brought reinforcements from every direction. As the attacking party grew wilder, its aim broadened proportionately, and windows of the upper stories of the building and those of neighboring business places began to crash. Finding the police unable to subdue the rioters, Mayor Henderson summoned the fire department. Several police officers had been felled with flying missiles and others fought on, hatless after their helmets had been stolen to decorate some student's den. The firemen had no sooner laid their line of hose to the scene to give the mob a drenching, than, with a wild yell, a detachment of the boys captured 100 feet of the hose and ran yelling down the street with it. The disorders increased until the work of devastation was complete.

GENERAL HORNE ON TRIAL

Missouri Editorial Writer Answers in Court for Killing H. J. Groves.

Kansas City, March 17.—The trial of General R. C. Horne, charged with the killing of H. J. Groves, managing editor of the Kansas City Post, began in the criminal court here.

Nov. 23 last General Horne, who was vice president of the Post Publishing company, shot Groves and wounded O. D. Woodward, a part owner. Groves died three days later, but Woodward recovered. Horne, who had invested his savings in the paper, asserted he had been robbed.

Starr is Leader of Gang.

Bartlesville, Okla., March 17.—The trio of Tyro (Kan.) bank robbers are still at large, evidently safe in the hills along Hominy creek, twenty miles southwest of here. Poses are continuing the hunt. The men who were disarmed by the robbers returned here and declared that the leader of the gang is Harry Starr, a well known southwestern character, for whom the authorities have been looking for months.

Miss Nightingale Honored.

London, March 17.—The freedom of the city of London was bestowed upon Florence Nightingale, the organizer of nursing in the Crimean war. The ceremony took place in the Guild hall in the presence of a large gathering, which included many doctors and nurses. The aged nurse—Miss Nightingale is in her eighty-eighth year—was too infirm to attend and was represented by her nephew.

Public Printer Stillings Resigns.

Washington, March 17.—Public Printer Charles S. Stillings tendered his resignation to the president and it has been accepted.

ASSAILS ALDRICH BILL

SENATOR LA FOLLETTE HAS TILT WITH AUTHOR OF MEASURE.

RAILROAD BONDS ARE REJECTED

Proposition to Issue Money on Carriers' Securities is Withdrawn by Committee—Wisconsin Senator Raps Morgan and Standard Oil Crowd.

Washington, March 18.—"What I have to say is made more pertinent, if possible, by the action taken during the day with respect to the Aldrich bill," said LaFollette, in beginning his speech in the senate on the currency bill. His reference was to the amendments made to the bill by the committee on finance, excepting railroad bonds from classes of bonds to be used to secure emergency currency, limiting the retirement of such currency and providing that such issues should be permitted up to the par value of bonds used to secure them.

Speaking of the "Morgan and Standard Oil banks," and looking across the chamber toward Senator Aldrich, LaFollette declared: "I will show the



SENATOR LA FOLLETTE.

connection of these great groups with the bill pending here, notwithstanding the dexterous withdrawal of the plan to incorporate railway bonds in the bill."

Aldrich said the most earnest objection to this bill was made by the National City bank of New York and that Mr. Vanderlip, vice president of that bank, has opposed the measure. "It is," he added, "not only opposed by that bank, but by all the banks of New York. I have received this morning a statement from the New York Clearing House association, saying we would better have no currency legislation at all than have this bill, and stating reasons why we should have an asset currency. I know of no bank or banking man in favor of this bill. The fact is the banks throughout the country are against it and the senator from Wisconsin has studied this situation to little effect if he has failed to learn that."

"I will inquire," retorted LaFollette, "what the position of Mr. Morgan is." There was laughter in the galleries. "I do not know," replied Aldrich; "I know Mr. Morgan is a man of wide experience and wise judgment and patriotism, and I should feel gratified if he approved this bill."

"Perhaps," replied LaFollette, in a tone of sarcasm, "in some way the chairman of the finance committee will be able to find out where Morgan stands. His countenance, beaming from the gallery of this chamber while the senator from Rhode Island spoke on this measure, rather indicated that Mr. Morgan, the head of one of these great groups, was not entirely adverse to propositions embraced in the bill."

"I suppose," said Aldrich, "the senator from Wisconsin will agree with me that this proposition should be discussed on its merits as to what it will do and not in view of what men in the position of Mr. Morgan think of it?"

"Let me say," LaFollette replied, "you cannot always tell from the lines of the bill. I should say the proposition to withdraw the provision to incorporate railway bonds in this bill throws a floodlight upon the purpose of this legislation. Let me say to the senator from Rhode Island further that it is not beyond question that these great organizations might put out here or there criticisms of this proposition to give color to the idea that there is no great and mighty power organized behind this legislation."

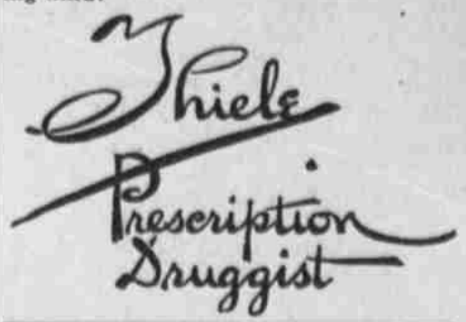
Authors of the Panic.

Declaring that the recent financial stringency in the country was brought about by the influence of "Standard Oil" and J. Pierpont Morgan, LaFollette entered upon a denunciation of men high in the financial world.

"There were no commercial reasons for a panic," said LaFollette. "There were speculative, legislative and political reasons why a panic might serve special interests. There were business scores to settle. There was legislation to be blocked and a currency measure suited to the system to be secured. There was a third term to be disposed of, and policies to be discredited. Prices can be lowered or advanced at the will of the 'system.' When the farmer must move his crops, a scarcity of money may be created and the prices lowered. When the crop passes into the control of the speculators artificial stringency may be relieved and prices advanced, and the illegitimate profit raked off the agricultural industry may be pocketed in Wall street."

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There is nothing in this exhibit for sale. But if you want to place an order now for that June wedding gift, you can have a duplicate painted to order of any piece shown in this exhibit.

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Do not forget the date is Monday at Holsten's.

MARSLAND.

Miss Emilie Jacobson is building a barn. J. Sullenburger has completed a cellar on his place.

True Miller and family spent Monday in town.

E. E. Ford who has been at York, Neb. for a few days is home again.

Mr. Clark, a B. & M. claim agent, was here a few days adjusting losses.

Mrs. E. T. Gregg visited and transacted business in Hemingford the first of the week.

A. E. Bennett, N. G. Poole and Luther Clark all had business in Alliance recently.

The Marsland lumber Co. has had their lots upon which the lumber yard is located fenced.

Dr. Gregory received by express a pair of Rhode Island red roosters and they are fine ones too.

Pat Murphy of Alliance has been here for a short time, returning to Alliance Monday night.

Mrs. Douglas of Hemingford who is taking medical treatment at this place was down on Saturday.

J. M. Sullenburger, wife and baby came down from Cheyenne on Monday for a visit with home folks.

Charley Gregg went out to his Sioux Co. homestead on Monday, accompanied by his father, who will assist him in building a barn.

Kendric Bros' steam plow arrived a few days ago, and was taken out to their ranch on Monday, and set to work. An expert is here setting it in operation and guarantees first class work. It is quite a curiosity to many, and we hear the owners have a large amount of breaking already engaged.

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Dr. Allen, dentist. Opera house blk

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