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Fortune of Nicholas Creede Awaits His Adopted Daughter.

WHEREABOUTS OF GIRL MYSTERY

Romantic Career of the Miner Who Gave His Name to a Colorado Town and a Fortune to a Friend's Child.

A singular legal case is being fought for a fortune of \$1,500,000. This fortune will belong to Dorothy Edith Creede, a pretty little girl in her teens if she can establish her claim.

The history of the case involves a long series of romantic events in the wild early mining days of Nevada, Colorado and California.

Then he retired from the mining business and settled down to spend his fortune in a palatial though somewhat garish residence in Los Angeles. He was not happy, however, for he had separated from the devoted wife of his struggling years, and the fact preyed on his mind.

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On San Miguel Captain Waters built himself a substantial house at a point 400 feet above the sea. His flocks pastured upon the island and the little domain was completely self-supporting.

Two weeks later Captain Waters left the island on a brief business journey. While he was away a sailing vessel from the island and sent a boat ashore for provisions. Edith coaxed the sailors to take her away to the mainland, and thus she escaped from what she had some to regard as a prison.

At the end of three months John Mackay Walker, son of a millionaire and early companion of John W. Mackay through the burning of the theater. With difficulty she was able to get back to San Francisco.

At this time she was entirely without money, so that she was compelled to go to the Los Angeles county hospital when her daughter, now known as Dorothy Edith Creede, was born. Old Nicholas Creede had heard something of the young actress' history, and he decided to adopt the child.

Three years later old Creede died suddenly of morphia poisoning. By his will he left all his estate to his adopted daughter, Dorothy Edith Creede, with the singular provision that she must reach the

age of womanhood pure before she could claim it. His estate proved remarkably small, considering the great income he had once enjoyed, but still it was considerable.

Litigation concerning Creede's will began at once. His wife, from whom he had been separated, sought to have it set aside without success. The little girl's mother then brought suit to establish her claims to the child upon the adoptive father's death, and succeeded.

From a Staff Correspondent. WASHINGTON, July 31.—(Special Telegram.)—An Omaha man, Gusten Borglum, son of the leading American sculptor, with a studio in New York, has been awarded the contract by Secretary Taft for a statue of Sheridan to be erected in this city.

The following board of officers has been appointed to meet at Omaha August 20: Gusten Borglum to make the statue of the Late General Phil Sheridan.

Upon the recommendation of Congressman C. S. Vinson, the board has appointed pension examining surgeon at Fort Pierre, S. D. T. Benton has been appointed postmaster at Rousseau, Stanley county, South Dakota, vice O. W. Rousseau, resigned.

New Start for Fatherless Family. MITCHELL, S. D., July 31.—(Special.)—The family of John Pease, who was killed in the storm of July 18, were left nearly destitute when the storm swept away their home and partially destroyed their crops.

Will Study in Berlin. HURON, S. D., July 31.—A year's leave of absence has been granted to Prof. Charles W. Hockett, for two years occupying the chair of history and natural science at Huron college.

Too Wet for Harvest. YANKTON, S. D., July 31.—(Special.)—Reports are reaching this city from farmers who are well discouraged at the harvest situation. Grain, a good crop, is rapidly rotting, but cannot be harvested on account of the water which stands

DOCTORS' MISTAKES. Are said often to be buried six feet under ground. But as times women call to their family physicians, suffering as they imagine, one from dyspepsia, another from heart disease, another from liver or kidney disease, another from nervous prostration, another with pain here and there, and in this way they present alike to themselves and their easy-going or over-zealous doctor, separate diseases, for which he, assuming them to be such, prescribes his little pills, and the patient, under all only symptoms caused by some uterine disease.

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everywhere, preventing the use of the heavy lifters in the soft soil. Some farmers have returned to the primitive sickle, but are making little headway. Very few have dry fields and the bulk of the small grain crop will depend on the cessation of the rains long enough to dry the fields in the next week.

SUPERVISORS GO INTO COURT

Men Appointed by Mayor Schmitts Restrained from Attempting to Take Office. SAN FRANCISCO, Cal., July 31.—The issue between the Board of Supervisors appointed by Mayor Taylor and the fourteen men named yesterday by ex-Mayor Schmitts for the same office, was brought into the courts today when Presiding Judge Coffey, on application of counsel on behalf of Taylor's appointees, issued a temporary restraining order to prevent the Schmitts board from making any move toward assuming office.

The work of selecting a jury to try Theodore V. Halsey on the charge of bribing Supervisor Longman in the sum of \$5,000 to vote against a franchise for the Home Telephone company will not be begun until tomorrow morning. Judge Dunne was today forced to continue the case for one day because there were available only seven veniremen of the sixty summoned in the court Monday, the other fifty-three having presented valid excuses why they should not serve, and the second venire of 100 not having yet been returned.

MARKETING OF HOGS FALLS OFF AS COMPARED WITH THE PREVIOUS WEEK. CINCINNATI, July 31.—(Special Telegram.)—Price Current says: A limited number of hogs has appeared in the market in comparison with the last two weeks. Total western packing was 475,000. Since March 1 the total is 11,610,000, against 19,800,000 a year ago. Prominent places compare as follows:

MILES MARSHAL OF PARADE. Former Commander of Army Leads Hosts in Boston's Homecoming Fete. BOSTON, July 31.—Ten thousand men marched through Boston's streets this forenoon in a civic and industrial procession, which was part of the New England day celebration of Old Home week. The parade, of which Lieutenant General Nelson A. Miles, U. S. A., retired, was marshal, was an elaborate one. Tonight Boston and Cambridge will join in exercises on the occasion of the dedication of the new \$2,000,000 Boston bridge which joins the two cities.

BIG GRAFT IN FURNITURE

State of Pennsylvania Pays Two Millions for Equipment Worth Half Million. BEACH HAVEN, N. J., July 31.—Charles D. Montague of Brooklyn, an expert on metal furniture, shows by his report submitted to the Pennsylvania capitol investigation commission today that the state was misled more than \$1,500,000 on the \$2,000,000 contract for metal furniture. The commission held its first session this afternoon. The report of Mr. Montague occupied the greater part of the session.

SUSPECT CONFESSES DEED

George Tower, Held at Butte, Implicates Man Held at Columbia, Oregon. BUTTE, Mont., July 31.—George Tower, under arrest here for complicity in the hold-up of the North Coast Limited on the Northern Pacific May 27 and the murder of Engineer Clow, today confessed knowledge of the crime. He lays the murder to a suspect held at Columbia, Ore.

DEATH RECORD.

A. D. London. HERRICK, S. D., July 31.—(Special.)—A. D. London, an aged and respected citizen of Herrick, was yesterday brought from Hot Springs, S. D., where he recently died from an operation, never having recovered from the anesthetic under which he was placed. He was buried here today. Mr. London was formerly a member of the board of aldermen. He was born in Mt. Pleasant, Ia., and resided at Creston, Ia., for years.

Eve Pine. MITCHELL, S. D., July 31.—(Special.)—Eve Pine died at his home in this city and was buried Sunday, having reached the age of 87 years. Mr. Pine was among the early pioneers in this country, coming here in the fall of 1881 and locating on a government claim.

Mrs. Jane M. Faxon. Mrs. Jane M. Faxon of 909 South Twenty-fourth avenue died at her home Monday and the body was taken to Blue Springs, Neb., for interment Wednesday. She is survived by a son and daughter.

Mrs. Mary Hill Atkinson. Mrs. Mary Hill Atkinson, 78 years of age, died Tuesday at the home of her daughters, Misses Ruth and Grace Atkinson, in the Davidge block. The body was taken to Woodlawn cemetery Wednesday afternoon, with services in Omaha.

Only three days more of the Big Fire Sale

All goods must be closed out regardless of cost.

We are obliged to vacate the room after Saturday, Aug. 3d. Every article left from the previous day will be marked down until it reaches a price that will sell it. You can depend on big bargains every morning. It is your last chance to buy goods at 25c on the dollar that are only slightly damaged. Buy your winter goods now—wool underwear 50c on the dollar. All fleeced and knit goods 40c to 50c on the dollar. 3 days more in O'Donahoe-Redmond-Normile building.

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substitute for Davison county, which is under the direction of Prof. L. A. Stout as conductor. It is a notable fact that among the 100 teachers there are but three male teachers and this absence has caused considerable comment on the falling off of the men in the teaching profession.

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BASE BALL

VINTON ST. PARK OMAHA VS DES MOINES July 29, 30, 31, Aug. 1. Game Called 3:45 P. M.

LIBRARIES FOR THE ISTHMUS

Secretary Bishop of Canal Commission Makes Purchases Before Going Back.

WASHINGTON, July 31.—Joseph Tuckin Bishop, secretary of the Isthmian Canal commission, will sail from New York for the isthmus Thursday, August 1. The commission has purchased through him libraries for the four recreation buildings that have been completed and thrown open for the use of the employes of the commission at Cristobal, Gorgona, Empress and Colon. These libraries contain about 400 volumes each, comprising standard reference books and volumes of history, biography, travel and fiction. The fiction is different in each library, so that it can be changed about from one library to another, thus giving the employes a much larger collection.

Canadians Want Two-Cent Fare. OTTAWA, Ont., July 31.—The railway commission has ordered the Grand Trunk railway to have third-class carriages put on its trains throughout the entire system in Canada, but gave it the right to appeal to the supreme court. This will mean a 2-cent rate for Canadians.

GREAT WESTERN TRAINS MEET

Fast Passengers Crash Head-On Near Marshalltown, but Few Are Hurt. MARSHALLTOWN, Ia., July 31.—The Des Moines-Kansas City Limited and the Twin City-Chicago special on the Chicago Great Western railway collided head-on near this city today. Fortunately, the trains were going at slow speed and the passengers escaped with a severe shaking up, bruising several. Brakeman Harry Norton was seriously injured. Both engines were badly damaged.

TROOPS POUR INTO BELFAST

Display of Force Produces a Reassuring Effect on the General Public. BELFAST, July 31.—Troops continue to pour into the city, emphasizing the fact that the authorities are fully determined to grapple promptly with rioting, whether on the part of the striking dock laborers or the riotous police, who are demanding more pay because of the extra work the strike entails.

Killed While Stealing Ride.

HURON, S. D., July 31.—(Special Telegram.)—While riding on a Great Northern freight train leaving the switch here today C. C. Long of Lake Odessa, Mich., was instantly killed. He was riding with a companion on the beam of a freight car when the coupling pin broke and the train separated. Long fell beneath the wheels. His head was crushed and his body horribly mangled.

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