

FISH MAKES ANSWER

Former Illinois Central President Files Reply to Charges. EXPECTS TO DEPOSE HARRIMAN Will Remove Magnate from Board of Directors if Possible.

FORMAL ARGUMENTS BEGIN

Attorney John J. Herrick Opens for Harriman Party. In Affidavit Story is Told How He Was Saved from Dismissal Several Years Ago—James A. Peabody.

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MOVEMENTS OF OCEAN STEAMERS

Table with columns for destination, ship name, and departure date.

CHINESE MAKE OFFER TO BUY

Provincial Officials Seek to Secure Concessions Held by British Company. PEKING, Dec. 13.—The officials of Shansi province, where the Peking syndicate has its many concessions, have expressed their willingness to buy out the syndicate for 2,500,000 taels, explaining at the same time that this amount is fifteen times more than the syndicate has ever invested in the province.

JAP-CHINESE LAND DISPUTE

Officials Engaged in Controversy Over Sovereignty of Chien Tao Territory. PEKING, China, Dec. 13.—China has submitted to the Tokyo government through Baron Hayashi, the Japanese minister, a statement of its side of the Chien Tao boundary dispute. These consist of a memorandum in which China admits the sovereignty of China over the territory in question, a map signed by both China and Korea establishing the boundary between Korea and Manchuria at the Tumen river, and evidence to show that the river which Japan claims is the boundary is in reality an affluent of the Sungari.

KAISER GREETED IN HOLLAND

Ovation Tendered Ruler on Visit to Queen Wilhelmina at Amsterdam. AMSTERDAM, Dec. 13.—Emperor William of Germany arrived here today on the imperial yacht, the Hohenzollern, from Port Victoria, England and was greeted by members of the royal family of the Netherlands. Prince Henry boarded the Hohenzollern and escorted the emperor to a pavilion on shore, where Queen Wilhelmina waited him. The greetings were cordial, and the emperor greeted the queen's hand. Their majesties then drove through crowded streets to the palace, where they subsequently appeared at a balcony and were given an ovation by the assembled throng.

POPE RECEIVES ARCHBISHOP

California Religious Condition Reported as Satisfactory to Head of Church. ROME, Dec. 13.—The pope today received Archbishop Riordan of San Francisco in private audience in his library, and the Catholic situation in the United States in general and in the diocese of San Francisco in particular, was discussed at length. The archbishop made a satisfactory report regarding the clergy and religious institutions in California. The matter of appointing the Rev. Edward Hanna of Rochester coadjutor archbishop of San Francisco also was discussed.

OWNERS SAY THEY ARE AHEAD

Strike Breakers Have Not Arrived, but Trainload is Expected Today. GOLDFIELD, Nev., Dec. 13.—That the number of men working on the Consolidated and Mohawk properties today is greater than yesterday is claimed by the Mine Owners' association this morning. No strike breakers have yet arrived, though a train load is looked for later in the day. There is no excitement.

FREEDOM UNBALANCES MIND

Convict at Nashville, Tenn., Cuts His Throat as He Escapes Release. NASHVILLE, Tenn., Dec. 13.—With but twenty-four hours of his term to serve, Cavalier Peck Mackey, in the penitentiary here committed suicide last night with a razor blade. His mind, it is believed, suddenly became unbalanced.

DEAD KING LYING IN STATE

Body of Sweden's Late Ruler at Royal Castle on Floor Covered with Flowers. STOCKHOLM, Dec. 13.—The body of King Oscar of Sweden, who died December 8, is today lying in state in the chapel of the royal castle. The body is clothed in an admiral's uniform. The catafalque has been made into a bower of beautiful flowers.

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RAID ON MARTIN "ARCADE"

Police Magistrate Crawford Sends Police After Inmates. NOTORIOUS RESORT IS CLOSED. Warrants Issued for Arrest of Owner, Agent and Tenants and Placed in Hands of Police Promptly Served.

MAJOR JIM AT WHITE HOUSE

Follows His Free and Easy Tactics When He Calls on the President. (From a Staff Correspondent.) WASHINGTON, Dec. 13.—(Special Telegram.)—Major Jim Dahman tells with great gusto how he circumvented an assistant secretary to the chief executive today and how he broke into the presence of Mr. Roosevelt by pure western nerve.

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