

HUNT MORRISON'S MISSING MILLIONS

Counsel for Creditors of Recluse Say He Was Swindled Out of Big Sums.

NO MONEY FOUND IN HOME

Chicago, Aug. 25.—Edward W. Morrison, the 80-year-old recluse, whose vanished millions are a subject of investigation before Judge Landis in the United States district court, was declared today to have been swindled out of property valued at \$5,000,000 by a coterie of strange characters within the last twenty years.

Francis J. Houlihan, counsel for Morrison's creditors, declared that unscrupulous lawyers, women and habitués of Chicago's underworld, came into the life of the aged man, whose wealth is estimated from \$3,000,000 to \$8,000,000, to obtain his money.

Little Money is Found.

Search of the recluse's quiet, old, two-story home, in which it was thought he had concealed vast sums of money, revealed \$11,73 in cash and a bunch of old papers, canceled checks and notes.

In one packet almost 100 "I. O. U.'s," written in various hands, but unsigned, and which totaled something over \$150,000, were found.

Two Millions to One Man.

Investigation into the affairs of Morrison has revealed that James R. Ward, counsel for the aged man, is holding more than \$2,000,000 worth of property conveyed to him by Morrison.

Subpoenas for Girls.

Subpoenas have been issued for the appearance in court of the two Burnstein girls, Margaret and Alice, whom Morrison recently adopted, and of whom their reputed father, Joseph Burnstein, a junk dealer, declares Morrison is the real father.

RAILROAD WAGE DISPUTE AGAIN NEAR DEADLOCK

for the employees, later said, "is absolutely unchanged. No complete concrete proposition to which the railroad will agree has been tendered us.

The brotherhood leaders went from the White House to a meeting of the men, but insisted they had nothing to communicate.

W. G. Lee of the trainmen gave out copies of an order which he said had been sent by the Northern Pacific to station agents, directing them to get local interests to send telegraphic protests to President Wilson against settling the controversy by other means than arbitration.

Gifford to Donate Playground Site

Information of a reliable nature has been received at the city park department office that upon his return to the city Dr. Harold Gifford will donate to the city for public playground purposes eight lots on the north side of Davenport street, between Thirty-fifth street and thirty-fifth avenue.

Union Pacific Pensioners To Have New Club Rooms

The growing increase in the number of pensioners on the Union Pacific system resulted some years ago in the organization of the Union Pacific Mutual Pensioners' association, and now the finishing touches are being put upon the club rooms for the members.

Coal is Bought for Heating The Omaha Public Schools

The Board of Education awarded to Sunderland Bros. company and C. W. Hull company contracts for furnishing coal to the school district during the ensuing school year.

Women of Field Club to Give Dinner for Caddies

When the 100 or so caddies at the Omaha Field club finish the strenuous morning of athletic events on the annual caddie day, which will be held next Monday, they will be treated to a sumptuous dinner that will remind them of Thanksgiving and Christmas.

Chautauqua for Edgar.

Edgar, Neb., Aug. 25.—(Special.)—The business men and citizens of Edgar have decided to have the chautauqua for another year.

CANNON MADE JONAH OF FREE TRADERS

Senator Gallinger Defends Tariff Record of the Ex-Speaker.

PROTECTION NOW ISSUE

Washington, Aug. 25.—Senator Gallinger, republican leader and one of "the Old Guard," told the senate today during debate on the revenue bill that former Speaker Cannon "was the Jonah" upon whom the insurgent wing of the republicans heaped blame for the complaint against the Dingley tariff and that the late Senator Aldrich was chosen by them "as his confederate for attack and defamation."

As far back as 1896, he declared, "certain politicians" began to plant the seed of discontent "to break down the protective tariff policy of the republican party and to discredit the acknowledged leaders of that policy."

"Men who called themselves republicans," he said, "gave currency to the 'startling and false' theory that the increased cost of living was due to excessive rates provided by the Dingley tariff."

Cannon is Made Jonah.

"So far did this disaffection go," said Senator Gallinger, "that certain republicans began to disclaim responsibility for what they called the radical provisions of the Dingley law, and began looking about for a Jonah upon whom they might heap the burden of blame and visit the penalties attaching thereto.

"They declared that 'Cannonism must go,' and this cry was echoed all over the land. The chorus was joined in it, must be remembered, by a few republicans of unquestioned power, whose word became law. And then, to show the sincerity of their convictions and their willingness to throw overboard all that stood in their way, the democrats were permitted to select as Mr. Cannon's confederate a man who, out of the abundance of his learning and energy, had for years performed the difficult task, connected with the chairmanship of the senate committee on finance.

Aldrich Greatly Defamed.

"This man, Nelson W. Aldrich, was chosen for attack and defamation. His clear view enabled him to penetrate the beyond; and he was able to render service of such inestimable value that few of us can even now appreciate the value of his services to the country."

Leading Women in Club Circles Will Speak in State

The two chief club women of the land will be in Nebraska this fall, to address state conventions at Hastings.

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Obituary Notes

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NORTHWEST WILL GO STRONG FOR HUGHES

Congressmen Johnson and Humphrey Say Underwood Tariff Hurt Washington.

PANAMA ACT BIG BLOW

Chicago, Aug. 25.—Washington will give Hughes and Fairbanks a plurality of from 75,000 to 100,000 in November, while Oregon and California also will give their electoral vote to the republican national ticket, according to the opinion of Congressman Albert Johnson of Tacoma and Congressman W. E. Humphreys of the Seattle district and a candidate for United States senator in Washington, who were visitors at the western republican national campaign headquarters today.

"In Washington the Underwood tariff has hit us with no compensating advantage from the artificial prosperity growing out of the manufacture of war munitions," said Congressman Johnson. "The repeal of the Panama act struck us squarely between the eyes, while the seamen's bill gave us the finishing stroke. Similar conditions prevail in Oregon and California."

Tariff is Issue, Says Shaw. Former Secretary of the Treasury Leslie M. Shaw believes the tariff is the principal issue in the present campaign.

Great Foreign Stocks Waiting.

"With 4,000,000 men in the trenches, the factories of England are producing more than twice their normal value of products, and England's exports are now as large as ever."

"Germany has \$2,000,000,000 worth of manufactured products all ready in stock awaiting the opening of the seas, and the steamship companies have in process of construction new ships that will take 1,000,000 tons of these products at a trip."

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PEACE TERMS OF GERMAN RADICALS

War Party Would Retain Parts of Russia and All of Belgium.

ALSO SECTION OF FRANCE

Berlin, Aug. 24.—(Via London, Aug. 25.)—A proclamation containing views on the peace conditions which might be imposed by Germany is published today by "The Independent Committee for a German Peace," an organization formed some time ago by those considered to be the extreme war advocates in Germany.

"Our enemies will not succeed," continues the proclamation. "One thing they have accomplished is to force upon us the realization that England is our special and most dangerous enemy."

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intendent Horton. Mr. Ferciot recently came to Omaha from the New York office, but the greater part of his service with the company has been in Baltimore.

Omaha Film Firm Stopped From Showing Picture

Judge T. C. Munger issued a restraining order against the Fine Arts Feature Film company of Omaha on complaint of the Supreme Feature Film company of Minneapolis. The order restrains the former company from exhibiting its film entitled "Where Are Your Children?" which the latter company claimed to be an attempt to profit by the advertising of "Where Are My Children?" a production of the Supreme Film company.

STORE HOURS SATURDAY, OPEN 8:30 A. M. CLOSE 6 P. M.

How About Your Fall Clothes?

The apparel sections are changing almost hourly and taking upon themselves the hues of Autumn. In spite of numerous indications of sharp advances in prices and shortage of desirable fabrics we are, as yet, offering women's new fall apparel for usual prices.

Suits \$25.00 Upwards Dresses \$25.00 Upwards Coats \$25.00 Upwards

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