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A TERRIBLE VOYAGE.

Battle For Life Among the Wild Waves of the Ocean.

TORNADOES AND ROARING SEAS.

Thrilling Experiences of the Somali from Hong Kong to San Francisco.

SEATTLE, Wash., March 29.—Tidings of the British ship Somali, long overdue at San Francisco and thought to be lost WEE received here this afternoon.

The Somali was spoken by the Kensington on March 27, a little north of San Francisco, and only a short distance from the coast.

She was entirely out of provisions, the crew having lived since Christmas on rice and the hides taken from the cargo.

The Somali sailed from Hong Kong November last. She battled with northeasts to 40, attempt to pass Formosa, but the outside finally gave it up. She ran down China sea and went clear east and Australia.

Officer Morgan, of the Somali, was taken off here by the Kensington and told of the Somali's terrible voyage. He weather permitting, he said, as there aboard his vessel were starving. With the exception of rice and tea, which composed the cargo, the Somali's crew had had nothing to eat for months.

Officer Morgan, relating the experience of the Somali, said she was laden with rice and tea and sailed from Hong Kong for San Francisco on November 3, in charge of Captain Hathaway. They encountered rough weather at the start, and had work after week of hurricane and storms. Tremendous seas boarded the ship, sweeping everything not made fast. The members of the crew had many narrow escapes from being washed overboard. The sails split and were blown to shreds, and after weeks of such weather Hathaway went south, hoping to lose better.

He sailed down the China coast, through Lombok passage, and had fair weather through the Indian ocean, skirting the Australian coast. They encountered rough weather again, however, and southerly hurricanes washed over them, while great seas washed over the ship. The Somali kept to the east, sailing around the Polynesian islands and stopped at Pentin island, where an unsuccessful effort was made to get supplies. They then set a course northwest for five weeks, and often kept on the starboard tack and not a vessel had been spoken until the Kensington answered their flag at distance. The run from Hong Kong consumed from 45 to 50 days but the Somali has been out 127 days before spoken by the Kensington. Twenty-one days after her departure she was spoken in latitude 5 degrees south, longitude 100 degrees east.

The long absence of the Somali had caused the belief that she had foundered in one of the tornadoes known to have swept over the sea, and insurance companies would not take the risk of reinsuring. The vessel did not appear much damaged, and Captain Sawyer of the Kensington supplied her with ten days' rations, which were thankfully received. These coming ships were given the Kensington as the vessels parted company.

AT BLUEFIELDS.

The Situation Critical—An Attack on Rilito.

CORON, March 30.—It is reported here that Nicaragua threatens to make a second seizure of the Mosquito reservation.

The situation at Bluefields is said to be most critical. An American citizen is said to have been shot by order of Acting Governor Reina. The British warship Canada is waiting the arrival there of Admiral Benham on board the cruiser San Francisco.

Death of a Sportsman.

DENVER, March 30.—Charley Rouse, who came here several weeks ago from Kansas City, died last night of consumption. Deceased was one of the best known sporting men in the West. He at one time was the companion of Jake Sharpless, the billiardist, and afterwards a leader among the sports at Deming, Albuquerque, Silver City and other towns in New Mexico.

Captured by an Actress.

LONDON, March 30.—The Pall Mall announces the marriage of Lord Francis Hope and May Yohe, the American vaudeville actress. Which Miss Yohe announced the marriage a year ago, the fact was promptly denied by Lord Francis and his family. Lord Francis is the heir presumptive to the dukedom of New Castle. Miss Yohe appears nightly at the Lyric theatre.

A PLOT TO MURDER.

The Life of the Armenian Patriarch Threatened.

CONSTANTINOPLE, March 30.—The Turks have just come to light that on Saturday last a young man fired two shots at the Armenian patriarch, the head of the Armenian church. Being arrested he admitted that a plot existed, to which several were concerned, to kill the distinguished prelate, and declared that they would eventually carry out the object, because he is not capable of managing the Armenian affairs. Several others are arrested.

PRETTY TOUGH, THIS.

The Sad End of an Omaha Pioneer.

OMAHA, Neb., March 30.—E. F. Cook, an aged and wealthy pioneer of Omaha, is lying at the point of death at his home and his physicians hold out little hope for his recovery. As nearly as can be ascertained from the doctors and attending physicians Mr. Cook's present serious condition is to a large measure due to the importunities of an elderly spinster whose anxiety to become Mrs. Cook led her to fatten the patient to assess and out of season. She availed herself of the opportunities afforded a nurse in Mr. Cook's sick room, which fact, it is now deplored, the patient found out. Hence his sad, mournful plea from his bed, addressed to the window and the people in the street. On another occasion he rushed up into the attic and threw himself out of the window, falling thirty feet to the walk below. This experience was the one that brought on the present aggravated plea of an illness, as he sustained four broken ribs and was otherwise injured about the head. Since that time there have been indications of mental failing and the nurses say the patient is now wandering from suffering in the brain. The woman in the case has been removed and the dying man is in the hands of his relatives.

A New Race Track.

CHICAGO, March 30.—Arrangements are being made to build a new race track here. It is said it will be under the management of Monte Salesbury of California. The details of a match between Griffo and Jimmy Griffo have been completed. They are to have a light contest in Boston each weight for $1,000 a side, some time in April.

THE CHINESE TREATY.

An Early Consideration by the Senate Expected.

WASHINGTON, March 30.—Senator Morgan, chairman of the committee on foreign relations, says he will move early next week to take the Chinese treaty up for action next Tuesday or Friday. From conference with other members he is satisfied it will be ratified.

THE CRONIN CASE AGAIN.

A Damage Suit for Ten Thousand Dollars Filed.

The Finder of the Remains Wants the Reward Promised by the Surgeon Based Doctor's Friends.

CHICAGO, March 30.—The Cronin case promises to again appear in the courts. This time the prosecuting attorneys will be called upon to defend a suit of $10,000 damages. The suit, in amount has been commenced in the circuit court by the filing of a complaint by attorneys of Henry Rauch who claims that he is entitled to $7,000 reward offered by friends of Dr. Cronin at the time of his disappearance in May, 1889. The defendants to the suit are given as W. P. Bond, Patrick McGarry, James F. Boland, T. F. Conklin, John T. Scanlan, Frank T. Scanlan and Matthew Scanlan.

Attorney Array says that Rauch, his client, was in the employ of the town of Lakeview in May 1889. While doing street sun sower work he discovered the remains of Dr. Cronin in the catch basin. For this he got in a claim for the reward. Rauch has been offered a law suit before by the friends of Dr. Cronin. Rauch claims that friends of Cronin promised him the money if he would wait awhile. He waited until now. He claims is in danger of being outlawed.

Breckinridge then, in response to further questions, detailed the story of his relations with plaintiff, declaring that they were frequently interrupted for months at a time, and never for a year. He told of a series of visits to an assignation house in Cincinnati. At Sarah Gore's house and elsewhere he paid the expenses and gave plaintiff money. The first time he was informed by plaintiff that she was pregnant by him was in the summer of 1887. The first time he ever heard of her pregnancy he called her to Cincinnati in the fall of 1892. She afterwards said the pregnancy of 1887 resulted in a legitimate miscarriage in her mother's house, with her mother's knowledge. During this evidence Miss Pollard's friends had difficulty in keeping her quiet. He denied that it was on account of his importunities that she came to Washington and declared that she came in spite of his efforts to dissuade her, pointing out the danger to both from such a course.

In reply to a question as to the truth of the statement by Miss Pollard that he had, on two occasions, after protestations of love, promised to marry her, Breckinridge said: "There is not a scintilla of truth in that statement, not a shred." Under no circumstances, at no time, was there such a statement. Plaintiff never alluded to the possibility of it. Before the death of my wife there was no military word that could be construed into such a thing."

He further declared that she never told him she gave birth to a living child. If she had it would have given him an excuse for breaking off the relations, for, considering the time of those relations, it would be evident that the child could have been his. From November, 1886, to July, 1887, there were no improper relations between them. They were resumed after that during the time she was in the Academy of Visitation. He paid her expenses, even when not retaining these relations, recognizing the danger of scandal in view of her temper and disposition.

Rain Making a Failure.

WASHINGTON, March 30.—Secretary Morton has issued a circular in answer to inquiries, saying that the government rainmaking experiments did not produce much results as to justify the belief that they could be developed into any commercial importance.

Laundry Girls Injured.

PROVIDENCE, R. I., March 30.—The floors at the Nottingham lace mill were startled by the sound of an explosion. A second later there was a series of cries from the laundry and when the door was opened two girls lay upon the floor in an unconscious condition. Another girl was wiping the blood from her face. The three girls had been at work beside a steam wringer when a sudden explosion shattered pieces of the flying iron struck the girls in the face and head. One is seriously injured.

Death Juan Austin.

ELGIN, March 30.—Juan Austin, the well known cattleman, died this morning.

READS LIKE FICTION.

Breckinridge Lifts the Veil from a Life of Infamy.

CONTINUATION OF HIS STORY.

The White Haired Colonel Explains His Relations to Madeline Pollard.

WASHINGTON, March 30.—The Pollard-Breckinridge case was resumed this morning when the defendant again took the stand. His examination by Daniels, his counsel, by an exhibition of a work basket which belonged to his wife, which Miss Pollard asserted he gave her after the wife's death, Breckinridge denied emphatically that he gave it to her, or even knew that she had it till the trial was opened.

The circumstances of their first visit to the house of Sarah Gore, the reputed assignation house keeper at Covington, was then taken up. Witness said he met her on the train to Lexington and an arrangement was made to meet at the house mentioned that evening. They went there but could not get in. Finally it was arranged that she should wait on his return, which Breckinridge claims he found, returning home, and that he slept in the house. Proceeded to a reconsideration she would find paramount cause.

He returned after having supped with his family and found her there. She made no confession of prostitution. Nothing, during our the arrangement made on the train. He left her there, as she did not want to take the risk of being discovered coming out, with the understanding that she would slip out during the course of the day if a favorable opportunity was offered, if not she would be there the next night. He returned the next night but not found her still there. He remained till to go to.

Everything in her appearance and conduct indicated that she was a fully developed and experienced woman. Nothing was said and then, or until the filing of the suit, about his having seduced her, physically or otherwise, on the occasion at Sarah Gore's on August 23d, and he did not see her again till the next October, at the Sayre Institute, Lexington. He declared that if she received any one in her room thereat so night it was not he. While Miss Pollard was absent from Lexington in the spring of 1887, when she said her first child was born, witness declared he had no knowledge of her whereabouts or of her condition. He had no knowledge of the birth of any child. He subsequently met her in the school in a ball. This subject he declined to discuss. He had no knowledge of any child. A few days later the boys caught two dead along the railroad tracks, but the head between his legs and heavily bent and locked into a ball to be no connection. They then threw him in one side of the track and he was, where he was found by the section men, who picked him up and took him home. He died evidently on the tracks and grew stiffly when he was found. Later he died. His family did not think it necessary to make any report of the strangeness of the affair outside. The boys who were implicated were overheard yesterday talking about the case and put back to the investigation. County Clerk has received the body exhumed and taken to Cincinnati and will hold a post mortem examination today.

A PECULIAR ACCIDENT.

The Bursting of a Water Pipe Causes Loss of Life.

TROY, March 30.—Workmen were engaged this morning in repairing one of the large conduits of the Troy Water Company, which has been leaking. Without warning the bottom section burst and the upper structure of stone collapsed. A number of men employed were injured by falling stone and they with five workmen were buried a distance of one block by the force of the large amount of water in the standpipe suddenly let loose. Frank Hughes was killed by falling stone and John Hughes was buried in the water but could not get in. Finally it was arranged that one should wait on the return, while Frank Hughes went home, returning first, and if he slept in the house proceeded to a reconsideration she would find paramount cause.

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THE DISTRICT COURT.

Ex-County Treasurer Taronto's Suit Against Salt Lake County.

A QUESTION OF COMPENSATION.

Some Contempt Proceedings Springing Out of a Park City Partnership.

The arguments in the case of J. B. Toronto vs Salt Lake County, on motion to strike out part of answer and for judgment, were made and concluded in a morning before Chief Justice Merrill.

The plaintiff was represented by Attorney Waldemar Van Cott and the county by County Attorney Murphy.

In the year 1890 Mr. Toronto was elected treasurer of Salt Lake county, the school law providing that the county treasurer shall handle the school moneys, and also that the county court fix his compensation. The Territorial Legislature of 1890 extended the term of office of the county treasurer up to January 1st, 1893. Where he had acted until January, 1892, a little over two years, Mr. Toronto appealed to the county court, under that law, to have the amount of compensation to which he was entitled, and it was fixed at $900 per annum. On December 31st of the same year plaintiff went out of office, and on March 31st of the year following presented his claim, amounting to $1,800.00, this being for the period of 2½ years, at the $900 per annum rate. The county court, however, passed a resolution repealing the claim, but offered to give him $600 in full payment for the services he had rendered during the 2½ years. This was declined.

Judge Merritt now held that Mr. Toronto had performed all the duties of the office, and that the compensation having been fixed by the county court, it became therefore a vested right of that body and the salary could not be reduced. His honor accordingly overruled the motion.

ALLEGED CONTEMPT.

Contempt proceedings arising out of the suit of the Park Utah Mining Co. vs McLaughlin & Co., of Park City, are ready to be heard in Chief Justice Merrill's division of the Third District Court, the defendants O. C. Lockhart and E. C. Williamson having been filed to show cause why they should not be punished for contempt in disobeying an order of court.

On supplemental proceedings had before Holmes Harris some time ago it developed that Lockhart had the sum of $2,000 in his possession, and this he was ordered to turn over. This, however, he failed to do. The case as to Williamson, Mr. it transpired, was directed to assign to the U. S. marshal 140 shares of stock in the county Building Association, but he has neglected to obey the order contained in the report of the referee, and confirmed by Judge Zane.

Attorney Schroeder appears for the plaintiffs and Brown & Van Cott for the defendants.

TO DISSOLVE AN ATTACHMENT.

A large portion of Judge Merritt's time today was occupied with the hair that legal arguments in the case of Andrew Brown vs Wm. Groesbeck et al. It was a motion of the defendant to dissolve an attachment. The motion was instituted by plaintiff on a promissory note given him by the defendants for the sum of $4,500 secured by 300 shares of stock in the Groesbeck company, of the value of $7,500. When maturity was reached attachment proceedings were resorted to as against the property, and it was the attachment thereon that the defendants now sought to dissolve.

The case was taken under advisement by His Honor.

A Missing Parrel.

Isabella Willson, or Eliot, writes from Richfield, and makes inquiries for a parrel that would be of little use to anyone else, but is of special value to her. It was placed in care of Elder A. H. Lund, at Liverpool, last September, and was given by him to some one coming to Salt Lake. It was to be left with Joseph Horne, of this city, for the owner, but the person who carried it failed to deliver it as intended. The inquirer says she believed that it was left in Salt Lake City, but she cannot discover where, and requests that the party who has it, or who thought it over, leave it at Mr. Horne's or at this office, where some one who is attending Conference may call and get it for her. The lady is 77 years of age, and the person having the parrel would confer a favor by not delaying the delivery to the owner any longer.

FUNERAL OF COLONEL LETT.

Arrangements are Perfected—Ceremonies at the Commercial Building.

As yet announcement for the remains of the late Colonel Henry C. Lett will arrive in the city tomorrow at 8 a.m. in the special charge of J. H. Bennett, of the Rio Grande Western, accompanied by the immediate relatives, and Hon. C. C. Richards, chairman of the Territorial Democratic committee.

They will be met at the Depot by sub-delegations from the Odd Fellows, headed by S. W. Davis, from the Real Estate Exchange, by J. L. Conklin, from the Democratic society, by A. G. Morrell, and the Newsboys' Union, by President Simpson, and thence escorted directly to the Utah Commercial building on First East, where they will lie in state from noon until 2 p.m.

At the last named hour appropriate ceremonies under the immediate direction of the Odd Fellows will be followed by short addresses by the Rev. T. C. Iliff—after which the remains will be escorted to the Rio Grande Western depot by the order of pallbearers and a detachment of the firemen.

The pallbearers will meet tonight and perfect their arrangements for the day. The escort consist of the Democratic state, city and county full tickets, ex-Governor Eli H. Murray, Governor Caleb West, Chief Justice A. H. Norrell, F. A. Brunstrom, J. W. Judd, J. R. Rawlins, J. W. Shaw, J. H. Mayo, H. V. Boyle, Orson Hyde, O. W. Powers, A. C. Sutherland, F. S. Richman and F. W. Mulvey and the meeting for the Real Estate Exchange consists of J. C. Conklin, F. Reimers, W. A. Holman, F. Vilas, E. F. Colborn, F. Hooper, A. Dryden, C. E. Woolley, G. Hawkins and Joseph Jennings. These, with city and Territorial officials, all the federal officers of the Democratic committee and society, the general council of the united clubs and all the members thereof, and the Newsboys union are invited to be present at the commencement building at 1 p.m. tomorrow, without further notice.

All floral decorations should be sent direct to the Commercial building and placed in charge of Col. Page.

The immediate family of the deceased will receive Col. Lett's home during the day until the departure at the evening train for Denver.

Fire Chief Devine Denies.

Fire Chief Devine today emphatically denied the charges made by Judge Powers that he was indirectly connecting Democrats from the department and filling their places with Republicans. This is the way he does it: "All the three changes made by me I have now mentioned that two Republicans were removed and one Democrat. Of those appointed I find on inquiry that two of the men are Democrats and that one is a Republican. Now, this statement is quite sufficient to refute all similar charges to those made by respected political Powers. That is all I care to say at the present."

At Their Old Tricks Again.

Fred Washington, the hat darkey pickpocket, and George Davis, alias Harry Joseph, who escaped punishment in the police court yesterday for the offense of throwing coal kitchen into the house of a helpless woman, soon broke their good behavior promises made to the court. Last night they proceeded to the house of the same woman, it is claimed, and threw stones through the window, demolishing the glass. Today the boys were brought to the police station and this time they were to be called upon to face Justice Smith again.

A BURGLAR'S HARVEST.

Valuables Stolen from the Residence of Richard J. Filer.

Mr. Richard J. Filer, who resides at No. 300 east Seventh South street, called at the News office today and made the following statement concerning a burglary at his place last night while he was temporarily absent: "Entrance was forcibly made by destroying a transom with an iron bar and a largecutting iron found on the premises. The rear leading into the front room was wrenched open, when a general search appears to have been made; drawers, trunks, boxes and all things that place they to contain anything of value were overturned and rummaged. Contents of any value were duly appropriated. Among them were a silver Waltham watch, a silver watch case, one massive gold chain and a heavy one, two gold seals, a solid diamond-sparkling eye glass, and two country original pocket scales. The contents of two drawers of miscellaneous articles seem to have attracted the robber's special appetite, for they have almost wholly disappeared."

It is believed the thief is known and that his capture is only a matter of time.

Another Deserted Babe.

Another deserted babe was brought to the police station last night. The infant was a female and apparently had made its advent into the world not more than twenty-four hours before. The little waif had been deposited on the doorstep of the residence of Thomas H. Ash, at 651 First street. It was wrapped in clean linen and a heavy blanket. As the Ashtonly left they were not in a situation to rear the foundling it was taken to the City Hall. For the present at least it will find a good home with Mrs. Hawes, wife of the well-known city detective.

Captain Dreyden today ascertained the identity of the babe's parents and also that the little one was born out of wedlock. The mother is in a precarious condition, having been in a hallucinatory condition during the day. The unnatural father will be given the alternative of providing for his deserted offspring or of being injured by a case of prosecution in the courts. It is believed that he will wisely choose the over course and that he will worry the women who gave birth to the child no more in the future unless sufficiently from her present mission.

Returned Home.

Elder Heber J. Steele, of Orderville, Kane county, Utah, who departed on a mission on March 28, 1892, has returned home. He arrived in the city on March 28, this year, feeling well in every respect. He has labored in northern West Virginia and Pennsylvania and reports that he has met with success in many places. He was placed to a free upper class, never able to the Elders, in the attitude of some of the people in those states and he had not had the opportunities for preaching the Gospel were numerous.

Salt Lakers Going East.

The following Salt Lakers will leave for the East tonight over the Union Pacific, New York being the objective point: Simon Wolff, Sidney R. Harper and Walter Allen. On the same train M. S. Adams, the well-known Park City merchant, will also start for Gotham.

TERRITORIAL LAWS.

A Statute Forbidding the Larceny of Electricity.

PRIVATE CORPORATIONS CHANGE.

To Third Class Cities Tax Collections Will Be Made by Treasurers.

STEALING LIGHTING.

A Crime to Unlawfully Take It from Electric Wires.

An act to amend chapter 5, of title 19, of the Compiled Laws of Utah, 1888, in reference to larceny.

Be it enacted by the Governor and Legislative Assembly of the Territory of Utah:

Section 1. That chapter 5, of title 19, of the Compiled Laws of Utah of 1888, be amended by inserting after section 4972, the following:

"Section 4972 A. Every person who with intent to defraud or without makes or causes to be made any connection by wire or other instrument with any cable or wire used for conducting or supplying electricity for power, lighting, heating or other purpose in one house or office by or at which such electricity is used or consumed for lighting, heating, power, or any other purpose, around or without passing through the meter provided for measuring and registering the quantity used or consumed, or in any other manner so as to evade payment therefor, and every person who with the intent before or after any electric meter or meters in action, is guilty of a misdemeanor."

Approved March 8th, 1894.

CORPORATIONS.

Amendments Regarding Notices of Meetings and Removals.

An act amending sections 2277 and 2285, of the Compiled Laws of Utah, 1888.

Be it enacted by the Governor and Legislative Assembly of the Territory of Utah:

Section 1. Section 2285 of the Compiled Laws of Utah, 1888, is amended to read as follows:

Sec. 2285. Unless required by the agreement or by-laws no notice need be given of annual or stated meetings of the stockholders. Notice of special meetings shall be given in such manner as may be prescribed in the agreement or by-laws. When not otherwise specified in the agreement or by-laws notice of special meetings of the stockholders shall be given by personal service of the notice upon each stockholder at least five (5) days before the day fixed for the meeting, or by advertisement in some newspaper published in the county in which the principal place of business of the corporation is located, or if none is published therein then in a newspaper published in an adjoining county, or in the nearest county to which one may be produced. If publication be made in a daily newspaper the notice must be published in each issue of the paper for a period of two (2) weeks, and if a weekly newspaper for three (3) successive issues next before the day of meeting.

A director or trustee may be removed from office by a vote of stockholders holding two-thirds of the capital stock outstanding at a meeting held after previous notice of the time, place and of the intention to propose such removal. Special meetings of stockholders for this purpose may be called by the president or by a majority of the directors, or by stockholders holding at least one-half of the shares of stock outstanding. Such calls must be in writing and addressed to the secretary, who must thereupon give notice of the time, place and object of the meeting, and by whose order it is called. If the secretary refuses to give the notice, or if there is none, the call may be addressed directly to the stockholders.

In case of removal of a director or trustee the vacancy may be filled by election at the same meeting. At all meetings each stockholder shall be entitled to one vote for each share of stock which he or she may have in his or her own right, or may held by him or her in trust for others, as administrator, executor or guardian, and such votes may be given in person or by an authorized agent or proxy.

Sec. 2. Section 2277 is amended by striking out the words "for misconduct."

Approved March 7th, 1894.

COLLECTORS GO OUT.

Law Providing That Treasurers Shall Do the Work.

An act abolishing the office of collector in cities of the third class.

Be it enacted by the Governor and Legislative Assembly of the Territory of Utah:

Section 1. That the office of collector in each city of the third class is hereby abolished and all the duties of said office shall be performed by the treasurer of such city or village.

Sec. 2. All acts and parts of acts in conflict with this act are hereby repealed.

Sec. 3. This act shall take effect from and after its approval.

Approved March 7th, 1894.

Tonight's Council Meeting.

A member of the City Council stated this afternoon that he was of the opinion that the new fire and police commissioners would be appointed at tonight's meeting though the matter might go over until Tuesday night at which time the appointments would have to be made.

The bonding bill, he said, would have to go through as the city needed the money. It had heavy outstanding bills, the portion of the joint city and county building to Salm and the sewerage system to complete.