

TO SECURE BODY OF RUSSELL SAGE

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New York, July 22.—Enclosed in a hermetically sealed copper envelope, placed within a solid mahogany coffin, the body of Russell Sage will today be placed in a chilled case, four inches thick, riveted with steel bolts, locked with a lock which can only be opened from the inside, and lowered into a grave carpeted and lined with evergreen on which the clouds will be depicted and the mound built. The steel case weighs three tons. It was shipped to Oakland cemetery, Troy, yesterday.

Immediately after the steel box and its contents are lowered into the grave, electrical connections will be made and wires will be strung so that an immediate alarm will be given if any attempt is made to tamper with the remains. The extraordinary efforts to secure the body of Sage are being made by Mrs. Sage and by her sister, Mrs. H. H. Sage.

The expenditure for this protection, which is estimated at \$100,000, will be paid by the estate of Sage. The body of Sage will be placed in a chilled case, four inches thick, riveted with steel bolts, locked with a lock which can only be opened from the inside, and lowered into a grave carpeted and lined with evergreen on which the clouds will be depicted and the mound built. The steel case weighs three tons. It was shipped to Oakland cemetery, Troy, yesterday.

The coffin alone, of solid mahogany, with its copper inside envelope, weighing approximately \$10,000. The steel case and its contents will weigh approximately \$20,000. It is called the burglar proof coffin and it is asserted that even without the added precaution of electrical protection of guards, it would be impossible for the most expert grave-robbing party to get at the body.

Mrs. Sage, it is said, has had a dread of a violation of sepulture, since the stealing of the body of A. T. Stewart, and she readily consented to the proposal for safeguarding the grave of her husband.

The steel case is of such hardness that it would take two expert safe openers a full day to break the outer shell, and then only by the employment of specially constructed tools. There is no visible lock to be attacked. Once the lid is closed down, a self-locking mechanism clamps it inside at 20 points, and not the slightest opening is left for the insertion of a wedge.

The corners are all rounded. Following a brief committal service at the grave today, the lid of the steel case will be finally closed. The epitaph to be engraved upon the sage monument is:

"I have done the best that I could by the light of the day."

The will of the dead financier will be offered for probate tomorrow, and then if Mrs. Sage consents, its contents will be made public.

After the services in Far Rockaway, the body was placed in a special car and brought to this city, where it was taken to the Sage home in Fifth avenue. The casket was placed in the parlor and was so arranged that friends of the family who called might have a last look at the face of the dead financier. Mrs. Sage accompanied the body to the city. The arrangements for the funeral tomorrow will be made public.

The casket containing Mr. Sage's body when finally interred, will rest in a heavy steel case and which in turn will be encased in concrete. Until such time as these arrangements can be carried out in detail it is said that the temporary grave will be carefully guarded.

FUNERAL AT FAR ROCKAWAY.

New York, July 24.—The funeral services over the body of the late Russell Sage were held in the First Presbyterian church at Far Rockaway this afternoon. A number of prominent persons were among those who came to pay last tribute to the memory of the dead financier. The service was conducted by Rev. Dr. Andrew Hageman, assistant pastor of the Collegiate-Reformed church of New York, assisted by Rev. Robert Leetch, pastor of the First Presbyterian church, Far Rockaway, and Rev. Lyman D. Feltner, former pastor of the church. Mrs. Sage attended this service. A party of Mr. Sage's friends from this city were at the funeral.

MORE SENSATIONS IN HARTJE DIVORCE CASE COMING

Pittsburg, July 24.—From the statement made by Dist. Atty. John A. Hink today, there are some sensations indicated in the Hartje divorce case that have been heretofore disclosed. Mr. Robt. while attending the hearing, said that as soon as the Hartje case was submitted to the court there would be arrests which would develop pronounced sensations.

It is expected that a great legal battle will take place when Hartje's attorneys endeavor to show how the Madine love letters were secured.

After several hours devoted by counsel for Augustus Hartje to an endeavor to prove that the Wagner letter was written by Mrs. Mary Scott Hartje, which she has denied writing, the evidence

in the matters presented. Atty. G. W. Hamilton of the prosecution and the district attorney addressed the court in favor of a reasonable time. The court then asked Weber to stand up and formally sentenced him to be hanged by the warden of the state penitentiary at Folsom on Sept. 12. Sheriff Keena and Deputies Deppendorf and Longo waited at noon to take Weber to Folsom.

JEWELRY SALESMAN ROBBED.

San Jose, Cal., July 24.—At Gilroy yesterday a jewelry salesman lost a sample case of a jewelry salesman containing diamonds, watches and jewelry. The value of the case is variously estimated at from \$5,000 to \$15,000. The jewelry was stolen from the store of Harry Frucht, where it had been left over night by the junior member of the firm of Eisenberg & Eisenberg of San Francisco. Mr. Eisenberg displayed his wares in Frucht's store last night, and when the store was closed at 10 o'clock last night the jewelry cases were left there. This morning when the store was opened it was found that the cases had been looted. The most valuable part of the samples taken consisted of diamonds and watches. There is no definite clue to the robbers.

WAR ON STOCK GAMBLERS.

Atlanta, Ga., July 24.—The lower house of the Georgia legislature today passed what is known as the anti-bucket-shop bill by a vote of 132 to 15, after the longest debate of the present session. The bill prohibits all dealings in futures on margin and will close all bucket-shop exchanges, etc., in the state. The bill will now go to the senate, where it is expected it will pass.

INCREASES ASSESSMENT.

Helena, Mont., July 24.—The state board of equalization, which under the laws of Montana fixes the assessment of the railroads of the state, today decided upon an increase of about 12 1/2 per cent over last year's assessment of the main lines. Last year the main lines were assessed at \$14,452 per mile. The board today increased this to \$16,236 per mile with some slight increases in the sidings and spurs. The representatives of the railroads will be heard by the board at some future date if they desire to except to today's action.

HURLED INTO FIREBOX.

Helena, Mont., July 24.—L. D. Chanby, formerly of Helena, and now employed as fireman on the Northern Pacific, was killed here this morning in a most unusual manner, says a Record special from Billings. The engine on which Chanby was working collided with another engine and he was hurled into the fire box just as he opened the door. The entire top of his head was burned off. Engineer Thurber was also badly bruised and burned, but will recover.

MANCHURIA'S DOOR.

Japan's Attitude Toward It Still Discussed in Far East.

Tien Tsing, China, July 24.—Japan's fulfillment of her promises regarding the open door in Manchuria continues to be the principal topic of eastern politics. The chamber of commerce of Shanghai has repeatedly requested the diplomatic corps to take action to insure equality of trade conditions, but the majority of the diplomats do not consider that the situation demands it and consequently united action is impossible. American negotiations for the opening of the Yangtze are proceeding. One of the most important details to be settled regarding Manchuria is the assignment of tracts of land for foreign settlers. This cannot at present be arranged because Japanese merchants and speculators bought from the Chinese all the most desirable lands including the entire navigable water front of Tung. The question whether these purchases are valid must be decided between China and Japan.

The American ambassador at Shanghai has petitioned Minister Rothkill at Peking to press China to resume an effective administration of Manchuria at the earliest possible moment, and to establish customs to regulate trade over the borders controlled by Japan and Russia. The government is arranging to establish a customs office at An Tung.

The Japanese minister at Peking, M. Hayashi, has promised to take up the question of the opening of Port Dally in the near future.

The Chinese say they are unable to take any other steps towards administering Manchuria until the evacuation of that territory, according to the terms of the Portsmouth treaty.

HAWAIIAN SHIPPING.

All Quarantine Restrictions at Honolulu Have Been Raised.

(Correspondence of the Associated Press.)

Honolulu, July 17, via San Francisco, July 24.—All shipping quarantine restrictions have been lifted here, the city having been absolutely free from any case of plague for a month. Up

Do it Now! Don't Wait Until It's Too Late!

KEEP your body clean!

Most people are very neat and clean in their outward appearance, but how about the inside?

Are you clean inside?

And if not, how can you face the world with clean thoughts, clear intelligence, a fair, just, bright mind and get your full share of opportunity for work and enjoyment?

Neglect of exercise, rich over-feeding and carelessness about stools, often leave the delicate internal mechanism in a nasty mess.

The small intestine is compelled to absorb the poison of decaying matter instead of wholesome nourishment.

The liver gets inactive; the bile doesn't "work off"; the eyes get yellow; the skin gets dead like putty and pale like dough, disfigured with boils, pimples, blackheads and liver-spots.

There's only one solution to the problem: Keep clean inside all the time. That's the answer.

If you can not diet, or keep your mechanism going by proper exercise, take Cascarets, the sweet, fragrant, harmless little vegetable tablets, that "act like exercise" on your bowels, and gently but powerfully clean out and disinfect the whole digestive canal.

A Cascaret every night before going to bed will "work while you sleep" and make you "feel fine in the morning."

If you have been neglecting yourself for some time, take a Cascaret night and morning and break up the "constipated habit" without acquiring a "cathartic habit."

Cascarets are sold by all druggists, 10c, 25c and 50c. The 10c size trial box is a neat fit for the vest pocket or lady's purse.

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