GEO. GOULD RETIRES

Forced to Recapitulate After ed Co., which was purchased by the Struggle of Twenty Years.

Bince Death of Jay Gould in 1892 Control of His Many Valuable Properties Gradually Wrested From Family-Story of War.

New York .- An important chapter in the railroad and financial history trance into Pittsburg, which he did of the country came to a close at the -fy securing control of the Wheeling recent annual meeting of the share- & Lake Erie. He then began work holders of the Missouri Pacific rafiroad held at St. Louis, when George J. Gould presented his resignation as trol of the Western Maryland, which president of that road, and new men ran from Baltimore inland, and the were elected to succeed the representatives of the Gould interests on the board of directors.

which has been waged relentlessly for control of the Gould properties; thus will George Gould's dream of controlling a coast-to-coast railroad be rudely dispelled.

Since the death of old Jay Gould in 1892, the control of his many valuable properties has gradually been Manhattan Elevated line was gobbled arties and considered one of the most valuable of all the Gould holdings, will pass into other hands.

But these changes were not effected without struggle, the history of which makes interesting reading.

his enemies with a courage born of burg Terminal, the Pennsylvania ordesperation, but the odds were too dered the Western Union Telegraph great and he has at last been forced Co., which the Goulds control, to take to recapitulate.

Interborough in 1902. By this time George Gould had con-

verted the Missouri Pacific into a valuable property. A control of the majority of the stock of the Wabash carried it as far east as Buffalo, and the purchase of the Denver & Rio Grande brought it west to Ogden, Utah. It was now time to procure a

terminus at the Atlantic seaboard. His first step was to gain an enon his Wabash-Pittsburg Terminal. The next step was to secure con-

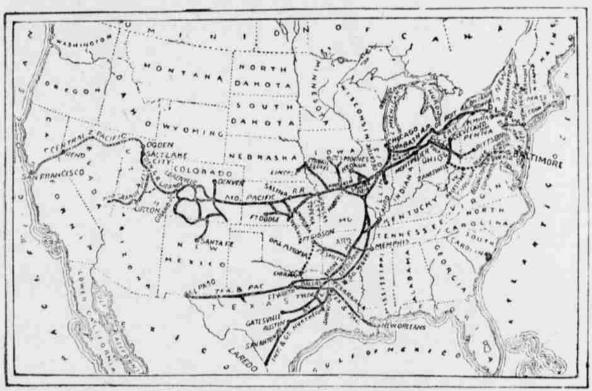
West Virginia and Central Pitsburg, which ran east from the Smoky City. Between these two roads there was a

Thus will end a twenty years' war, slight gap, which Mr. Gould proposed to bridge by building a new road. by the financial giants of Wall street With this exception the only link necessary to complete the chain of reads from coast to coast was that from Salt Lake City to the coast, and to complete this Mr. Gould started to build the Western Pacific.

But his troubles had already begun. The other railroad interests. wrested from the family. First the recognizing the value of the Gould properties and the serious competiup by the Interborough; then the tion they would offer, had already be-Western Union Telegraph Co. was gun a war to oust George Gould as absorbed by the A. T. & T. Co.; and the head of the system. As early as now the Missouri Pacific, the holding 1902 the young financier had a severe company for the Gould railroad prop- struggle with E. H. Harriman and Edmund Hawley for the control of the Colorado Fuel and Iron company, but succeeded in worsting his opponents. The Pennsylvania bitterly opposed his entrance into Pittsburg, and so

bitter did this fight become that after At every turn George Gould has met | the erection of the Wabash Pittsdown their lines east of Pittsburg This does not mean, however, that alone the route of that road.

size; on the contrary it has greatly agreement with Joseph W. Ramsay ness firm to exploit it as a popular



to sacrifices and did not accept one cent salary from his work as president of the road. About this time it was discovered that Kuhn, Loeb & Co., who were agents for the Harriman road, had underwritten some \$30,000,000 of the Missouri - Pacific bonds.

It was in 1909 that another of the Gould properties passed out of the control of that family. This was occasioned when the American Telegraph & Telephone Co. took over the Western Union.

An inkling as to the rallroad situation was given during last summer when the Pearson Fafquhar Syndicate, which had been organized for the purpose of gaining control of the transcontinental road, went to smash. Among the many securities which they held were large blocks of Missouri Pacific and Wabash. These securities were taken off their hands by Kuhn, Loeb & Co. With such a large interest in the Gould roads it became very evident that this banking house would desire a voice in the control of the affairs of so valuable a property the Missouri Pacific. George 85 Gould's methods of railroad manage ment had been discredited for many years and when the demand was made a few weeks ago for the list of stockholders it became known at once that the fight to oust George

Gould was on. Gould, however, realized the weak ness of his position and agreed to present his resignation at the annual meeting of the stockholders.

TOWN IS SOLD BY AUCTION

Baltic Watering Place of Heiligen damm is Offered for Sale to the Highest Bidder.

Berlin-The unwonted spectacle of a whole town being offered for sale at auction was witnessed recently at Doberan, where the Baltic watering place of Heiligendamm was put up for sale to the highest bidder. The entire town was purchased in May, 1909. the Gould fortune has dwindled in In 1905 Mr. Gould had a serious dis- by John Marlitt, who founded a busi-



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A Fair Return.

Minister (arousing himself in bar ber's chair)-All through yet. Barber-Aye, lang syne.

Minister-Then I must have been induiging in a quiet nap?

Barber-Ye wis that, sir, Minister-It was very good of you

not to waken me. I am very thankful for what has been a most refreshing sleep.

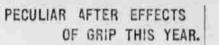
Barber-Hoots, man, haud yer tongue; it's only a fair return. I slept all through your sermon last Sawbath .-- London Tit-Bits.

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THE CHILL



Leaves Kidneys In Weakened Condition

Doctors in all parts of the country have been kept busy with the epidemic of grip which has visited so many homes. The symptoms of grip this year are very distressing and leave the sys-tem in a run down condition, particularly the kidneys which seem to suffer most, as every victim complains of lame back and urinary troubles which should not be neglected, as these danger signals often lead to more serious sickness, such as dreaded Bright's Discase. Local druggists report a large sale on Dr. Kilmer's Swamp-Root which

so many people say soon heals and strengthens the kidneys after an attack of grip. Swamp-Root is a great kidney, liver and bladder remedy, and, hess to a woman; thus has been esbeing an herbal compound, has a gen tablished this contle healing effect on the kidneys, which fidence between Mrs. Pinkham and is almost immediately noticed by those who try it. Dr. Kilmer & Co., Binghamton, N. Y., offer to send a sample bottle of Swamp-Root, free by mail, to every sufferer who requests it. A trial will convince any one who may be in need of it. Regular size bottles 50 cts. and \$1.00. For sale at all druggists. Be sure to mention this paper.

Perhaps Not.

An instructor in a church school where much attention was paid to sacred history, dweit particularly on the phrase "And Eacch was not, for has gained the very knowledge needed God took him." So many times was this repeated in connection with the death of Enoch that he thought even the dullest pupli would answer correctly when asked in examination: State in the exact language of the Bible what is said of Enoch's death: But this was the answer he got: "Enoch was not what God took him

for."-Brooklyn Llie.

Why Maria Laughed.

Hiram paused at the door and holding up a steel trap, said: Mariar, when you see this trap again it will have a skunk in ft." Fifteen minutes later he reappeared. "Mariar," he velled, "you come here

tran." And then he got mad at "Mariar" because she laughed.

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He Was a Judge.

Geraldine-I am just twenty-two. Gerald-Verdict set aside.

MENT fails to sure any enset of Dataria. In Isleed up of Protrailing Piles in 6 to 14 mays. She

works. Deeds must spring spontaneously from the divine life within the soul.-C. W. Wendte.

Mrs. Window's Sootting Syrup for Unlideen teching, softens the grans, reduces infomma-tion, allays pain, curve wind colle, the a outpe-

It must have been a spinster who said that some widows wear heavy veils to conceal their joy.

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rects constipation, cleanses the system and rids the blood of impurities. All druggists,



"There are a lot of girls here who don't ever intend to get married." "How do you know?" "I've proposed to several!"

School Boy's Garden.

An admirable scheme to have a chool boys' garden next year has been planned by the anthorities of Elming, N. Y. Last summer a hundied hoys made good as farmers of vacant lots, and it is now proposed to place practically all such unused property in the city under cultivation, the pupils of the public schools to be the gardeners and to reap the profits from their products.

Doubts.

The Stranger-Are you quite sure that that was a marriage license you gave me last month? The Official-Of course! What's

the matter? The Stranger-Well, fire lived a dog's life ever since .-- Sketch

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increased. It simply marks the disap- | Jr., his right-hand man, and president | health resort. He paid \$325,000 and pearance of the Gould fortune as a of the Wabash, which culminated in invested another \$250,000 in improvepower in the financial world.

The story of this war had its beginning in the early eighties, when road several weeks later. Ramsay however, was insufficient, and Mr. old Jay Gould was the most power- made a hard fight to oust Gould, but ful, as well as the most feared man was defeated. in Wall Street. His particular hobby was the securing of control of various railroad properties, which he would proceed to wreck and then dispose of. that it would injure the interests of He had great faith in the possibilities of the West and Southwest, and many a Wall street financier looked on his properties in that section with a covetous eye. But they knew better than to attempt to monkey with the

"wizard of American finance." When the old gentleman died in various companies were boycotted in 1892, however, the long-delayed fight for the valuable Gould property immediately began. His will divided his of his business. Gould was now hard vast fortune among his children, but provided that all his stock holdings should be voted at the various meetings as a unit, and gave George J. able. Gould, his eldest son, the power to careful tuition had developed his business and fighting ability to a great for acquiring railroad properties and his great ambition was to gain con-

trol of a road which would stretch from the Atlantic to the Pacific. The most valuable piece of railroad

property in the Gould estate was the Missouri Pacific, which stretches from with Harriman, which was accom-Kansas City to Denver, and by securing control of the Denver & Rio Western Pacific to be operated on Grande, George Gould extended his line into Salt Lake City.

In the meantime, in order to carry out his plans in the West and South- dends from the Missouri-Pacific and town. Parents with large families have west. Gould was forced to sacrifice turn back all carnings into the com- a quart allowed them while others

Ramsay's discharge. At the annual ments calculated to render the place meeting of the stockholders of the attractive to visitors. The capital,

By his decision to build the Western Pacific he again incurred the displeasure of Harriman, who believed first bid of \$220,000 was made by Herr the Southern Pacific.

About this time considerable legislation adverse to the railroads was Glubenstein of Hamburg \$300,000 enacted in several of the western Herr Kahlden then bid \$312,000 states, and on account of his lack of railroad training Gould was not equal to the situation. The stocks of his

Wall street on account of the methods which had characterized that end pressed for money. His Wabash Fittsburg terminal had been overcapitalized, and ruin seemed inevit-

The crash came with the panie of control such votes. At this time 1907, which destroyed forever his George Gould was only 26 years of transcontinental dream. Four of his age, but ten years under his father's roads, the Western Maryland, Wabash-Pittsburg Terminal, the Wheeling and Lake Erie and the Internaextent. He had inherited a craze tional and Great Northern, which ran into Texas, went into the hands of receivers within a period of one year. He did not give up, however, but on

the contrary began a new scheme to recuperate his properties. His first step was to patch up his differences plished by the arrangements of the amicable relations with the Southern milk from the royal dairy at Frogmore Pacific.

Marlitt was declared bankrupt at the end of last year.

> The sale by nuction took place by order of the official receiver. The Vobes, a lawyer, on behalf of Herr Kahlden. The Lubeck bank bid \$250, 000, Herr Kahlden \$275,000 and Herr

whereupon Herr Glubenstein made the highest bid-namely, \$375,000. As this amount was below the margin fed by the official receiver another auction sale will have to be held.

Goes Far to Sunday School,

New Castle, Del-Howard Jefferies of Philadelphia for the past year has traveled every Sunday between his home in that city and the First Baptist church in this city to attend Sunday school. The young man has relatives here and on one of his visits he attended the school and was so well pleased that he continues to make the round trip of seventy miles each Sun-At the celebration of the twenty day. fifth anniversary of the Sunday school he received a handsome Hible and several books as prizes for lessons and perfect attendance

Poor Get Royal Dairy Milk.

London.-Every morning at the church rooms, Windsor, 80 quarts of Another plan adopted for are ,by kindness of the king, distribraising funds was to cut off the divi- uted among the poor people of the his holdings in the Manhattan Elevat- pany. Gould himself was not adverse with smaller families have a pint,

Christen With Liquid Air.

STUDENTS IN LABOR UNION Goldes, '13, secretary,

Badgers Will Be in Position to Adjust Difficulties Arising With "Undergrad" Labor.

Madison, Wis .--- A labor union composed of students who are working their way through college has been formed at the University of Wiscon-

This latest entry into the ranks of trades unionism is to have for its membership to start with 200 students at Madison, who are earning all or part of their expenses by waiting on table, tending furnaces and lawns and doing other work open to students who spend the greater part of their time in their college work.

The union is to have a constitution and by-laws and will incorporate under the laws of the state of Wisconsin.

A start toward this end was made the other night at the public library. last week, when the student help at Strange revelations would occur to the irving, 27 in number, organized civilized persons were the senses of into an association to secure justice taste, touch and smell developed equal. of the state of Delaware. from their employer. Fred Merk, '11, ly, she said, with those of sight and was elected president, and H. L. hearing.

The general union will not only aid its own members, but will perpetu smell was either undeveloped or unate itself by securing work for new students coming here. In this it will those senses was more marked in men co-operate with the Y. M. C. A., which has looked after this work in the past.

SMOKER'S DIET KILLS TASTE

University Instructor Says Civilized Persons Have Lost Original Uses of Touch and Smell.

atrophied by tobacco, men must have Henry, highly seasoned foods to tickle their palates. And the constant eating of such foods disables the individual from Barbados or Trinidad some time in recognize delicate flavors."

Dr. Elizabeth H. Dunn, instructor of anatomical research at the Chicago university, was speaking to the Chicago Medical society on "Sensation"

The ceremony was witnessed by a not-Chicago .- "With the sense of taste able gathering which included Prince Buckler plans to cross the ocean

from the Cape Verde islands to the March or April.

than in women.

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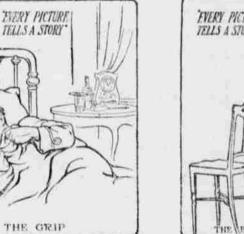
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