

A CARNEGIE GIFT?

Rumor Says Some One Is to Get \$10,000,000.

PERHAPS FOR BIG LAW SCHOOL

He is Interested in Plan For Institute of Internationalism to Be Established at The Hague and May Establish It.

New York, Dec. 13.—It was rumored here that Andrew Carnegie is about to announce the gift of \$10,000,000 to some international organization. At Mr. Carnegie's house the representative of Mr. Carnegie refused to deny or confirm this report. He advised patience.

Mr. Carnegie is president of the International Peace society and always has been interested in the international peace movements at The Hague. The last few months five or six leaders in the field of international law in this country have been the recipient of a somewhat lengthy correspondence setting forth the plan that originated in Holland and has for its purpose the founding of a great institute of internationalism. This institute would support a school in international law in The Hague.

The originators of this scheme estimate in their letters to our internationalists that the building and equipment of such a school would cost approximately \$10,000,000.

For the erection of the Palace of Peace at The Hague for the international court of arbitration Mr. Carnegie gave \$1,750,000.

Mr. Carnegie is expected to be present Thursday at the international conference in Washington of the American Society For the Judicial Settlement of International Disputes.

IS THIS CHARLES BAUMAN?

Automobile Mechanic Suddenly Loses His Memory in Paterson, N. J.

Paterson, N. J., Dec. 13.—A man is held at police headquarters who asked to be locked up, as he suddenly lost his memory. He was able to remember that his first name was Thomas, but he could not recall his last name or where his home is other than that it is in some town in New Jersey. He could not remember anything about the town. He could not tell why he came to Paterson or how he got here.

The man is about thirty years old, five feet seven inches tall and weighs about 200 pounds. He wore a gray overcoat, black suit, soft gray shirt and corduroy cap. He is an automobile mechanic and believes he may have come here to do some work.

"I never had a day's illness in my life, and I never touched strong drink," he said.

A letter signed "Rose" was found in his pocket. He said Rose was his wife. The letter mentioned Newark, but he said he did not live there. His overcoat was made in Brooklyn. A name piece on it read, "Charles Bauman, Oct. 29, 1908." The man said he did not recognize the name "Bauman."

WHITE IS NOW CHIEF JUSTICE.

Van Devanter's and Lamar's Names For Associates Are Sent to Senate.

Washington, Dec. 13.—Edward Douglas White, Democrat, of Louisiana has been made chief justice of the United States. The time required was only one hour and five minutes, making a new record for rapidity of action by the senate. The new chief justice also became the first man to become such by promotion from associate justice.

The reorganization of the supreme court was also completed when President Taft sent to the senate the nomination of Willis Van Devanter, Republican, of Wyoming and Joseph R. Lamar, Democrat, of Georgia to be associate justices. Justice White succeeds to the vacancy occasioned by the death of Melville W. Fuller. Justice Van Devanter will take the seat recently resigned by Justice William H. Moody and Justice Lamar that vacated by Justice White.

JUDGE WILL HONOR SERVANT.

Intends to Adjourn Court to Attend Funeral of Negro Nurse.

White Plains, N. Y., Dec. 13.—Judge Keogh of the supreme court has adjourned court until tomorrow morning so that he will be able to attend the funeral of Dinah Hicks, an aged nurse, who has been in the Keogh family for thirty years, who died at the age of 110 years.

The old nurse was a slave in Virginia. She was taken from there when sixteen years old. Thirty years ago she entered the employ of Judge Keogh, and she has since been at his country place on Pelham road, New Rochelle.

Population Center of U. S. Has Moved.

Columbus, Ind., Dec. 13.—If statistics carefully computed by former Lieutenant Governor Miller are to be accepted, the new population center for the United States has moved thirty miles west and two miles north in the last ten years.

Coombs Wins Game From Havana.

Havana, Dec. 13.—The Philadelphia-Havana game was won by the Americans by a score of 5 to 4. Batteries for Philadelphia—Coombs and Thomas; for Havana—Pareda and Petway.

Saturday Night Talks

By Rev. F. E. DAVISON
Rutland, Vt.

THE EVERLIVING KING.

International Bible Lesson for Dec. 18, '10—(Matt. 28:1-20).

The darkest day this world ever saw was that Friday, when the sun in heaven refused to look upon the crucifixion of Jesus of Nazareth, and a horror of supernatural gloom overspread the earth. But the brightest day that ever dawned upon this planet began the following Sunday morning, when the Mighty Victor arose in triumph from the broken tomb in the Garden.

Do not waste valuable time attempting to prove the resurrection. You might as well occupy your ingenuity in proving that the sun shines, that water flows, that birds sing, that the seasons come and go. It would be possible perhaps to find skeptics who doubt that the Pilgrim Fathers landed on Plymouth Rock, but it is easy to see that such unbelievers must explain how the ninety millions of people of this country were deluded into the belief that they did land, and how it happens that traces of such an origin are found in our Constitution, in our religious and educational institutions, and in our annual festival—Thanksgiving. So he who doubts the resurrection of Jesus Christ must explain how millions of the noblest, most intelligent people have been made to believe that He rose, and account for the origin of the strongest, purest and best civilization on the face of the earth. That will give scepticism a cud to chew on for quite an extended period.

Let us all avoid the error of the weeping women on the morning of resurrection day of seeking the living among the dead. We spend too much of our time going backward when we should be going forward, standing at the stern of the boat, watching our luminous track, instead of in the pilot house steering our craft into unknown seas. There are thousands of preachers who are fixing the eyes of their flocks upon the historic Christ, instead of inspiring them with the desire to go out and find Him in the person of His disciples, who need a cup of cold water.

The Tomb Empty.
That church which hugs to her heart a Holy Sepulchre, which persists in obsolete ceremonies and effete customs, and dead usages will have little influence upon the world of to-day. If Christ is anything at all He is a leader into the boundless future, not the custodian of ancient relics. The most abundant and glorious heritage of the church is in the present and the future, all new and good ideas, all novel but sacred impulses, all healthy civilizations are hers, a part of her unsearchable riches. The tomb is empty, never to be occupied again. Let it go. It needs no adornment of flowers, no decorations, no repairs, no lavish expenditure of affection. Christ, once out of it never went back to shed sentimental tears over the place where He rested for three days.

Where Christ is Found.
If you want to find Christ these days, look for Him in orphan asylums, and homes for the unfortunate; see him accompanying the Red Cross nurses across bloody battlefields and binding up the wounds of friend and foe alike; find him in halls of legislation, inspiring enactments in behalf of the laborers and all who are oppressed; behold Him knocking off the shackles of superstition from the nations who for ages have sat in the valley of the shadow of death. Christ is not in the cradle, neither is He on the cross, nor in the grave. There is no man living on this planet to-day, in any country under the sun, who is so much alive, who so persistently thrusts himself into society, law, politics, education, religion as He does. There are a multitude of things that could have been done once, that cannot be done now simply because Christ is alive. He has to be reckoned with. Men can sneer or snarl, blubber or blaspheme, vote or not vote, the thing falls, simply because Christ is alive. They tried to stop Him by killing Him. Then they tried to stop Him by killing his disciples. But they failed both times.

"Thou fool," he said, "that which thou sowest is not quickened, except it die." No seed ever went into the earth saying, "Let me die, and be forgotten." The seed says, "Put me where you will, only connect me with the ministry of nature, and I will come back to you, and will do it a thousand fold. Bury me that I may live." So when Christ broke out of that rock-hewn sepulchre in the garden, he filled the whole earth with His presence. He was gone from the tomb, but not destroyed. Into each century He comes. At the very moment that Mary was complaining that they had taken away her Lord the Lord Himself was looking at her. Oh, dry up your tears, ye mourners, look for Christ in the church, in the school, in the library, in the law-courts, in the ruler's palace, in the poor man's house, on 'Change, in halls of legislation. You may not know Him at first, any more than weeping Mary did, but if you watch carefully you will, sooner or later, discover that the resurrection is an accomplished fact.

TAMMANY HALL

Famous Building as It Appeared After Destructive Fire



New York, Dec. 13.—The Tammany organization is considering plans to move its headquarters uptown. A meeting to decide the question has been called for Dec. 19 as a result of the fire which partly destroyed Tammany hall, in Fourteenth street, near Third avenue. The Olympic theater, formerly Tony Pastor's, which is in the western section of Tammany hall, was seriously damaged.

At the start it looked as if there was not only small hope of saving the historic old hall, but that the Academy of Music on the west and the Central hotel adjoining the Tammany structure on the east were doomed.

By exerting almost superhuman efforts the firemen managed to keep the flames confined to the third and fourth floors, and the Tammany records were saved from destruction, although some of them were damaged by water. The total damage resulting from the fire was estimated at between \$35,000 and \$50,000.

ENGINEERS FAVOR A STRIKE.

But Trouble For Higher Pay May Be Avoided by Mediation.

Chicago, Dec. 13.—Settlement of the wage controversy between the Brotherhood of Locomotive Engineers and the sixty-one western railroad companies involved will be settled from present indications by federal mediation under the Erdman law. Grand Chief Warren S. Stone of the railroads, with three assistant grand chiefs and fifty-seven chairmen of districts, met the conference of the General Managers' association of the railroads and announced the result of the strike referendum, which showed a percentage of 97.52 in favor of a strike unless the demands of the union are granted.

That the railroads will refuse to grant the demands of the engineers is said to be a foregone conclusion. The next natural movement of the engineers will be to call a strike, but in the meantime Chairman Martin A. Knapp of the interstate commerce commerce commission and Charles P. Neill, labor commissioner, will be appointed to act as mediators.

TO FILE MRS. EDDY'S WILL.

At Concord Tomorrow the Document Will Be Made Public.

Boston, Dec. 13.—It is the present intention of General Henry M. Baker, executor of the will of Mrs. Mary Baker G. Eddy, to file her will in Concord, N. H., tomorrow, at which time it will, of course, be made public. It is not certain that George W. Glover, Mrs. Eddy's son, and his children will not be beneficiaries to some extent under the will. No one but General Streeter, who drew the will, and General Baker, who is its executor, know its provisions.

George W. Glover has not yet formally given his assent to his mother's final burial in Mount Auburn, but it is understood that he will agree to the wishes of the directors of the Mother church.

ALDERMAN INDICTED.

With Confederate He is Charged With Extortion.

New York, Dec. 13.—Alderman Michael J. Volkmann of the Twenty-second assembly district and Edward Cruise, son of former Police Captain William Cruise, who were arrested on the complaint of David Barisch, a crippled newsdealer, were indicted by the grand jury for extortion. Barisch, who owns a news stand, alleged that Cruise, acting for Volkmann, demanded \$200 from him for the renewal of his license. He brought the matter to the attention of the district attorney, and both men were arrested.

TALE OF THE WEATHER.

Observations of the United States weather bureau taken at 8 p. m. yesterday follow:

Temp. Weather.	
New York	24 Cloudy
Albany	16 Cloudy
Atlantic City	20 Cloudy
Boston	28 Clear
Buffalo	18 Clear
Chicago	22 Clear
St. Louis	24 Clear
New Orleans	48 Cloudy
Washington	28 Clear

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