

ing to serve writs upon the United States Steel Corporation and other defendants named in the order signed by Circuit Judge George C. Gray, and filed in the United States Circuit Court clerk's office here this afternoon by Henry E. Colton of the Department of Justice, at Washington.

The writs were issued to restrain the United States Steel Corporation and 12 other defendants from destroying books and papers and other evidence that might be useful to the government in the dissolution suit against the Steel Corporation. The writs were also issued to restrain the other defendants from destroying books and papers and other evidence that might be useful to the government in the dissolution suit against the Steel Corporation.

These writs which restrain the destruction of books, papers, etc., are to be effective until March 5th, when argument is to be heard on the application of the government made in its petition for a permanent injunction restraining the destruction of books, papers, etc.

The serving of the writs, Mr. Colton said, was for the purpose of precluding a plea that such knowledge was not possessed by the defendants.

Nine of the 13 defendants, including the Steel Corporation itself, are New Jersey corporations with registered offices in this State, and service of writs will be made upon those officers. The Tennessee Coal and Iron Company will have to be served in Tennessee and the Union Steel Company, the Clanton Steel Company and the Frick Coke Company, Pennsylvania corporations, will serve in Western district of Pennsylvania.

PRESBYTERIAN LAYMEN

Great Gathering for Opening Session Yesterday at Chattanooga, Tenn., Feb. 6.—Bringing the slogan "evangelization of the world in this generation," two thousand laymen of the Southern Presbyterian Church, and leaders of other denominations, met here today for the second general convention of the laymen's missionary movement in the Presbyterian Church in the United States.

Today's session was given over to recounting the history of the church's foreign mission work. "We claim a share in the history of modern missions," declared Dr. James L. Vance, pastor of the First Presbyterian church of Nashville, after the laymen had been welcomed to Chattanooga by Mayor Thompson.

Dr. Vance outlined the extent of the work today, paid tribute to workers in all fields and women of the church who have made missionary campaigns possible. The church has given in fifty years, he said, \$25,296. One hundred and twelve missionaries are at work in seven countries; 60,000 patients receive treatment in eighteen hospitals; 318 self-supporting churches last year gave \$53,423 and received \$336 converts.

The meetings will continue until Thursday night. Among the church leaders that arrived today were J. Campbell White, Robert E. Speer, D. Clay Lilly, Dr. Robert Vinson, of Austin, Texas; Dr. R. O. Flynn, of Atlanta; Dr. Egbert W. Smith, secretary of the church's mission board.

The mission field is represented by J. Fairman Preston, of Korea; Motte Martin, of Africa, and W. H. Hudson, of China. Other notables are Dr. Jas. T. Barton, secretary of the American board of commissioners for foreign missions; Harry Wade Hicks, general secretary of the missionary educational movement; Dr. James Howie, of Washington and Lee University; Dr. George W. Denny, president of the University of Alabama; Dr. Dwight Sloan, of Johns Hopkins University, and Dr. W. D. ... of St. Joseph, Mo.

Southern Baptists are represented by J. T. Henderson, of Bristol, Tenn., and Southern Methodists are represented by John R. Pepper, Memphis; the Episcopalians by Rev. W. R. Patton, department secretary in the South.

Action on the foreign mission debt of \$10,000 is not scheduled on the programme. A church leader, however, said the same process initiated at Birmingham might be used. At the Birmingham meeting \$70,000 was raised to offset this debt.

NEGROES LYNCH NEGRO

Georgia Man Taken From Officers and Strung Up. Vidalia, Ga., Feb. 6.—Homer Stewart, a negro, was lynched by members of his own race today at Cedar Crossing, a small town in a remote section of this county. Reports received here, Stewart is alleged to have killed another negro and fatally wounded two others at a negro festival. Stewart was arrested soon after the killing, it is stated, and was being taken by an officer to the county jail when they were overtaken by a mob. The officer was overpowered and the prisoner taken to a tree and hanged.

Richmond, Va., Feb. 6.—Senator Charles Watkins, of Chesterfield county, will introduce tomorrow a bill in the General Assembly of Virginia, asking for an appropriation of \$2,000 to pay outstanding bills incurred in the Beatties case.

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Theatrical.

A full house greeted the presentation of the "Mayor of New Town," at the Academy of Music last night by a company of colored performers with Salem Tutt Whitney, the colored comedian, in the star role. The show was said to be a good one and the audience thoroughly enjoyed it. The audience voiced its appreciation by frequent applause.

Popular Prices Again Today. After having given away to the Smart Set, that appeared last night, the Carleton Sisters and associate players will resume their popular price run at the Academy today. They will also offer two performances today, presenting a special matinee, when the prices will be 10 and 20 cents, and when the beautiful drama, "Wife in Name Only" will be offered. This is an especially pretty play and one that will appeal strongly to the ladies. In connection with the dramatic part of the performance will be given a new line of splendid vaudeville between acts.

Tonight the company will be seen in one of its best successes, "For Her Brother's Sake," and as a compliment to the ladies every lady will be admitted free tonight, providing the accompanying ticket is one of the first 200 purchased at Plummer's, where tickets are now on sale. "For Her Brother's Sake" is an intense drama of human interest, with plenty of comedy, and is entirely new to the Academy stage. New specialties, and plenty of them, including an act by the clever Carleton Sisters, will be presented between acts of tonight's fine bill.

"The Cow and the Moon." "The Cow and the Moon" which appears at the Academy next Monday night, is said to be most entrancing musically.

Skepticism as to the possibility of composing anything in tune to such a title is forgotten from the moment the orchestra plays the opening strains of the pretty prelude and it is authoritatively claimed that as much credit is due to the score as to the libretto of this trick show.

That well known composer of extravaganza hit, Carleton Lee Colby, is responsible for all of the music and numerous press criticisms from those who know, compel the inference that Carleton has once again wrought most fortunately.

During the action of this new vehicle for extravaganza the principals and the chorus will be heard to great advantage in the following songs, especially arranged for "The Cow and the Moon," by Carleton Lee Colby. Following are the principal numbers: "Town Hall Tonight," a satirical political number, "If They Are All as Nice as You," which is a big hit; a new idea in a rag "They All Look Alike to Me"; "In Seville," a Spanish number that is sure to appeal to the popular fancy of the romantically inclined.

Then there is a sufficiently foolish fusion of tuneful tinkles to warrant the title of "Ching-a-Ling-a-Foo" and no further description is either necessary or possible.

A sweet touching song "Just the Same Old Story" attests the wonderful versatility of the young composer and for the sake of the customers and scenic artists comes the newest rag, "The Naughty Hottentots."

Mr. Eddie Gilmore, of comic opera fame, is the feature with "The Cow and the Moon," and through intelligent and persistent effort, as well as a magnetic personality, is endeavoring himself to the public as a comedian of high quality. From what we know of the meritoriousness of his new character, we predict instant success here. Seats will be on sale at Plummer's Saturday morning.

"Madame Sherry." There is a general impression abroad that actors and actresses are born with the proverbial silver spoon in their mouths or, through some influence with a producer, author or manager. Such is not the case except in rare instances. Take the Madame Sherry Company for example, which appears here at the Academy Wednesday night of next week, February 14th. In that company is a list of celebrities who have won their "spurs" by hard work and determination to succeed.

At The Grand. As usual The Grand Theatre will offer three big motion picture features, a song hit and the always delightful music by the orchestra for all patrons of the house this afternoon and evening. The big feature for today is a Biograph on two reels, "A Blot in the Scutcheon," an adaptation of Robert Browning's poem than which there is possibly no literary classic better known. In this he presents in his inimitable manner the results of vanity, hence there is little need of any attempt at description further than a brief outline. Thorold, Earl Treham, proud of his ancestral scutcheon which he claims shows no tarnish, welcomes the proposal of Henry, Earl Mertoun, for his sister Mildred's hand, as it will mean the uniting of two noble houses, he not knowing that Mildred and Henry, who are both very young, ignorant and unguarded, have already met, sinned and now attempt at reparation. He learns from one of his servants that an unknown visitor, who was none other than himself, was seen leaving his sister's chamber, and in a fury of rage set out to right the wrong which he believed was the only way. In addition to this great feature on two films there will be placed a Pathé, "The Professor's Daughter," a comedy, which will be appreciated by everyone who sees the picture. Patrons may always be sure that The Grand is comfortable and cozy and there is no better place in Wilmington to spend an hour comfortably and pleasantly.

Almost Lost His Life. S. A. Stid, of Mason, Mich., will never forget his terrible exposure to a merciless storm. "It gave me a dreadful cold," he writes, "that caused severe pains in my chest, so it was hard for me to breathe. A neighbor gave me several doses of Dr. King's New Discovery which brought great relief. The doctor said I was on the verge of pneumonia, but to continue with the Discovery. I did so and two bottles completely cured me." Use only this quick, safe, reliable medicine for coughs, colds, or any throat or lung trouble. Price 50c and \$1.00. Trial bottle free. Guaranteed by R. R. Bellamy.

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MR. WILLIAM LORD JEWETT

His Body Laid to Rest in Greenwood Cemetery, Ocala, Fla.

Mention was made in The Star a few days ago of the death of Mr. William Lord Jewett, formerly of this city, but of recent years a prominent citizen of Ocala, Fla., which occurred suddenly in that town January 31st. The following from the Ocala Banner, of February 2nd, gives an account of his death and funeral:

"The people of Ocala, among whom he lived so long, so modestly and so quietly, will learn with profound sorrow of the sudden death of Mr. W. L. Jewett. He died Wednesday afternoon, January 31st, 1912, at 2:30 o'clock.

"The last summons came scarcely without premonition, and he laid down to his last sleep as one does to pleasant dreams.

"Mr. Jewett came to Ocala in 1888, and during his 24 years of continuous residence he so lived as to merit the esteem and had ground himself into the affections of all who had the pleasure of acquaintance. He was amiable, cultured and refined, and he rounded out in his life the very precepts of the creed of Christianity.

"Mr. Jewett was born at Wrightsville, N. C., in 1847. Early in life he married Miss Nan Sanford, of Wilmington, N. C., and their married life was an extremely happy one. Mrs. Jewett died in 1904, ever since which time Mr. Jewett has been in declining health, and has been an invalid for the past five years.

"He is survived by two sons, one daughter and two granddaughters, viz: Mr. Stephen Jewett, of this city; Mr. Sanford Jewett, of Lakeland; Miss Meta Jewett, of this city, and little Margaret and Nan Sanford Jewett, of Lakeland.

"All that is mortal of William Lord Jewett now rests under the pines of Greenwood cemetery next to the grave of his wife, there to await the resurrection morn. The sod above this highly respected citizen of Ocala is banked with sweet and pretty flowers sent by friends of the deceased and of his family.

"The funeral of Mr. Jewett was held from his residence on Front King avenue and was largely attended by Ocala's most prominent citizens. The funeral was in charge of Mr. C. V. Roberts of the firm of Smith & Roberts.

"Rev. G. Hendree Harrison, of Jacksonville, formerly rector of Grace church in this city, conducted the funeral services, using the beautiful ritual of the Episcopal Church.

"Messrs. C. S. Cullen, A. E. Gerig, J. J. Gerig and D. S. Woodrow sang several beautiful hymns, favorites of the deceased, and at the conclusion of the service the body was taken to Greenwood cemetery for interment, escorted by a large funeral cortege.

"Messrs. B. A. Weathers, Jake Brown, J. J. Gerig, C. S. Cullen, George H. Ford and D. S. Woodrow acted as pallbearers.

"In their sudden loss and sorrow the Jewett family have the sincere sympathy of their best of friends.

"Mr. Jewett's love of his home life is his highest monument. He found his chief happiness in his home and was devoted to his children, and the love between father and children was very strong.

"Mr. Sanford Jewett, the youngest son, arrived from Lakeland Wednesday night to be present at his father's funeral."

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CHAS. LARKINS DEAD. Aged Negro Man Succumbed to Burns Yesterday Afternoon. Chas Larkins, the aged negro man who was so seriously burned at the home of Amelia Jewett, colored, No. 1210 North Ninth street, late Monday night, died at the James Walker Memorial Hospital yesterday afternoon at 1:50 o'clock. The old man suffered torture from his burns, despite all that could be done to allay his pain, and the obituary of death was probably a merciful one.

It is thought that Larkins, who was said to have been under the influence of whiskey, probably dozed off to sleep and fell into the fire from his chair. The police will make further investigation of the matter but they do not think an element of foul play entered into the burning.

CEMENT COMPANY FAILS. Receivers Appointed for American Cement Company. Philadelphia, Feb. 6.—On petition of two stockholders of the American Cement Company, Judge McPherson, in the United States District Court here today appointed three Philadelphia receivers for the concern, which is one of the largest manufacturers of cement in the United States. The stockholders alleged that, because of the depression of business in the cement trade the receivers were necessary in order that the property of the company might be conserved. The assets of the concern, according to the petition filed, are placed at \$1,858,000, and consists largely in the company's holdings of stocks of subsidiary concerns. The liabilities are given as \$325,000, which include a bond issue of \$550,000. President Leslie, in a statement, declared by reason of recent depression in the cement indus-

try, keen competition and over-production, which have continued for two years, some of the subsidiary concerns were unable to operate at a profit. The American Cement Company was organized in 1899 under the laws of New Jersey, it has plants for the manufacture of Portland cement in Norfolk and other places. The combined capacity of all the plants is about three million barrels a year. The company has \$2,100,000 capital stock outstanding, and bonds and stocks of its own and subsidiary companies totalling \$2,086,750.

Washington, Feb. 5.—The tariff fight will open in the Senate tomorrow when the Finance Committee begins the hearings on the House bill for revision of the steel schedule, of the Payne-Aldrich tariff law. Scores of protests against the cut in duties, made by the House measure, are before the committee. No assignment has been made for tomorrow's hearings, but a number of interested concerns will be heard during this next week.

New York, Feb. 6.—Packey McFarland, the Chicago lightweight, had the better of every round except the ninth, which was even, of a 10-round fight with Kid Burns, of New York, at the Fairmount Athletic Club tonight. The stock yards' champion was never forced to extend himself, and at the end had Burns very weak and tired, and bleeding from nose and mouth. There were no knockouts.

New York, Feb. 6.—Louis De Pontheu, the French lightweight, and Joe Coster, of Brooklyn, fought 10 fast rounds in Brooklyn tonight. The Frenchman was aggressive throughout but the consensus of opinion was that Coster outpointed him.

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