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## J. PIERPONT MORGAN. MONEY KING, IS DEAD

World's Greatest Financier Passed Away Early Yesterday at Rome

## SERIOUSLY ILL OVER A WEEK

In a Semi-comatose Condition-Will be Laid to Rest in Cedar Hill Cemetery, Hartford, Conn. Sketch of His Career.

Rome, March 31 .- J. Pierpont Morgan, the New York financier, died here today a few minutes after noon. Fer months his health has been declining, but the symptoms became greatly aggravated about a week ago and since Wednesday last he had been in a semicomatose condition.

Tonight his body, lying in the death chamber, is surrounded with flowers. Messages of sympathy have been received from King Victor Emmanuel, the construction of which Mr. Morgan high officials of State, diplomatic rep- was a large contributor. esentatives and from many personal friends in all parts of the world.

performing their functions and affect- Morgan's mansion, and their occupants

For five days Mr. Morgan received were out in force in the vicinity of the artificial nourishment, but was unable Morgan home, and at one time reached to assimilate the food. As a result he such proportions that it became necesvery rapidly lost strength. For many hours prior to his death he was in a the condition of semi-coma, which prevented him from recognizing those about him. His end was without suffering.

Mr. Morgan's daughter, Mrs. Herbert L. Satterles, who has been in constant attendance, was at the dead of the financier would be received by the firm from Rome. It was specified that distance that is giving the President no little embarrassment. He is known to hold both in high regard.

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woman out of the room where friends would then be worked out.

Mr. Satterlee is prostrated by grief and had no statement to make to-night regarding future arrangements. So far no preparations have been made with reference to removal of Mr. Morgan's body to the United States. Those relatives who are in New York. Morgan's body to the United States. Ret. Mr. Morgan's limes had been ic post.

Those relatives who are in New York end over presenting had been taken. Thomas Nelson Page and Joseph E. will first be communicated with re- and every precaution had been taken garding their wishes.

The American ambassador and Mrs. Thomas J. O'Brien, the secretary of the embassy. George Post Wheeler, and Mrs. Wheeler, who went to the hotel this afternoon to inquire about dull. when his death was announced. They of the house of Morgan had been of

people. It has been suggested that side the Morgan offices there was a was contained in the schedule of the mitted having served a term in jail Mr. Morgan's body should be taken to the United States on board a warship. Side the Morgan office door the United States on board a warship. Dr. M. Allen Starr, called into consultation in connection with J. Pierpont Morgan's illness, attributed the financier's breakdown to emotion caused by the investigation carried out by the Pujo committee at Washington into the operations of the "Money

Mr. Morgan toward the end showed that he was suffering internally only frained from large new enterprises. except by continuous heavy breathing. tate had been done during the last tive Keating, of Colorado, told the request bulletins were issued dur. Frequent bulletins were issued dur- and financial world against calamity withstanding the protest of other Coning the morning showing that his con- when Mr. Morgan's last hour came. dition was gradually becoming worse and by 11 o'clock the physicians had given up all hope,

Mr. Morgan was unable to assimilate the artificial nourishment administer ed during the morning and his physical weakness was extreme. Heart ton-ics were injected, but these had no effect and for several hours before his death he was in a state of coma unable to respond to any questions or to recognize any of those at his bedside. One of his relatives, Mrs. Fitzsimmons, wife of the Rev. Fitzsimmons. arrived from Cannes and was shown into the death chamber, but her pres- of the corporation. His death will leave tories to her credit. ence remained unknown to the dying

Besides the four trained nurses in dated Exchange said:

attendance, Miss Helen Hamilton was "in the death of Mr. Morgan his ricultural, 964, vs. University of Verof great assistance to the three phy- country has lost a real American citi-Bastinelli, zen who united with his genius for finsicians, Prof. Gluesseppe Bastinelli, zen who united with his gentus for the part of the p and Mrs. Herbert L. Satterlee had upbuilding and maintaining of Americal a mistake had been made in lican credit throughout the world."

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cepts Ambassadorship to Court of St. James

ence in Behalf of Girl on Hunger Strike

GRAVE CONDITION BEFORE THE FLOOD UNDERWOOD PLAN

Ky. and the Entire City Is Inundated

World's Work Editor Ac-Suffragettes Want Interfer Break Occurs at Columbus, Several Congressmen Want Beautiful Long Leaf Pine Committees Appointed

at Extra Session

of the County

Forest Given to People

POSTS TO BE FILLED SOON LETTER SMUGGLED TO MOTHER CONDITIONS IN OHIO BETTER MANY MATTERS TO CONSIDER MR. AND MRS. M'RAE DONORS

President Wilson Will Likely Fill Re- American Girl in English Prison Says Suffering is Relieved and Rehabilitamaining Ambassadorships Before Beginning of the Extra Session of Congress.

Washington, March 31.-President Wilson probably will fill the majority of Detroit, Mich., today received a let- at Columbus went out early tonight of the nine ambassadorships now vacant before the beginning of the extra session of Congress next Monday. undergoing two months imprisonment from five to ten feet of water. With tative Underwood and other party the President expects to confer in Holloway jail for window-smashing. the exception of several families who leaders, that no committees should be with many of his friends during the Her "hunger strike," and forcible feed- are marooned in the second floors of appointed at the opening of the spepresent week and it is expected that when Congress convenes nominations ing in prison have attracted a great their homes, the entire population of cial session except those necessary to terday to the people of New Hanover for the more important posts will be deal of attention.

Today's developments brought out leased prisoner. It stated that Miss that Walter H. Page, editor of World's Emerson had just completed three Work, and an intimate friend of Mr. days' solitary confinement for viola-Wilson, had been offered and had accepted the ambassadorship to Great death in Rome reached here today ex-Britain, White House officials confirmed the news, and Mr. Page will pressions of regret at his passing were

The death of Mr. Morgan was not known in Rome until several hours atter it occurred, owing to the desire that Mr. Morgan's son, J. Pierpont Morgan, Jr., who is in New York, should first be notified.

The official statement prepared by Dr. Guiseppe Bastianeill, Dr. M. Allen Starr and Dr. George A. Dixon, the attending physicians, indicates that a gradual general collapse followed a condition of nervous prostration, which prevented the digestive organs from prevented the death of Mr. Morgan was not the financial in the finduction of Mr. Page in the digestine in the digestion.

It was s sevelt, of the Navy Department, and Mr. Page have made their homes in left cards of condolence. The morbid

New York for many years. Augustus Thomas, the playwright, and William Church Osborn have been sary to request the police to disperse prominently mentioned for diplomatic places, chiefly France and Germany, but the fact that both come from the

and tried to obtain some sign of recognition. She thought that when the supreme moment came he faintly pressed her hand. Mr. Satterlee and physicians almost carried the weeping woman out of the room where friends sicians giving in detail the last filness came forward prominently the name of Rudolph Spreckles, of San Francisco, and today there came forward prominently the name of Rudolph Spreckles, of San Francisco, and today there came forward prominently the name of Rudolph Spreckles, of San Francisco, and today there came forward prominently the name of Rudolph Spreckles, of San Francisco, and today there came forward prominently the name of Rudolph Spreckles, of San Francisco, and today there came forward prominently the name of Rudolph Spreckles, of San Francisco, and today there came forward prominently the name of Rudolph Spreckles, of San Francisco, and today there came forward prominently the name of Rudolph Spreckles, of San Francisco, and today there came forward prominently the name of Rudolph Spreckles, of San Francisco, and today there came forward prominently the name of Rudolph Spreckles, of San Francisco, and today there came forward prominently the name of Rudolph Spreckles, of San Francisco, and today there came forward prominently the name of Rudolph Spreckles, of San Francisco, and today there came forward prominently the name of Rudolph Spreckles, of San Francisco, and the spread of the The immediate effect on the machin-ment, it is said, would be a recognition

to guard against a serious break in prices.

At the opening, the prominent stocks declined a point or so, but they received prompt support and railied those under consideration for diplomatic appointments, but there have been

quickly. Thereafter, the market was

fices would be closed for the day.

Friends of Mr. Morgan pointed out

another reason in addition to the warn-

Among the number of numerous ap-

preciations of Mr. Morgan was one by Elbert H. Gary, chairman of the Unit-ed States Steel Corporation, the great-

est of all the industries organized by

a void that can never be filled."

"None of Mr. Morgan's business as-

A resolution adopted by the Consoli-

Mr. Morgan.

remained to offer their services and such large consequence for so many of his callers came to talk for and permit Miss Florence W. Ward, of Bir-years that the news of his passing of his callers came to talk for and permit Miss Florence W. Ward, of Bir-years that the news of his passing transparence of the new transparence of the ne All the Rome newspapers publish made an enormous impression. Banktributes to Mr. Morgan, expressing the ers, brokers, railroad and business pot the slightest butination of what deep sense of loss told by the Hallen and the stormer Lyania. She addeep sense of loss felt by the Italian men paid tribute to the dead man. Out. not the slightest intimation of what day on the steamer Ivernia. She ad-

there was a terse notice that the of- jects. A. Augustus Healy, of the Brooklyr Academy of Arts and Sciences, who talked with the President about the tariff on leather and hides, was introduced by Secretary Redfield.

ing given by his illness why the finan-cier's death was not seriously disturb-W. F. Sardis, of Buenos Ayres, urging. His career, they said, was rounded out. He had accomplished virtually all he started out to achieve. For ed the President to see that meat came to the bitter end. Besides we cannot into this country from Argentina free some time the Morgan firm had re of duty. Senator Broussard and Governor Hall, of Louisiana, protested against free sugar, while Representa-All that human foresight could dicgressmen from Colorado.

RIFLE CHAMPIONSHIP

lowa State University and West Vir-Washington, March 31.—Iowa State University and West Virginia Universociates will mourn his death more sity are tied for the inter-collegiate than those who are connected with the United States Steel Corporation," said sult of the 12th match just concluded. Mr. Gary. "His presence, his counsel, The teams from the two universities his efforts were always influential in will now shoot off the tie for the chamthe endeavor to establish and maintain pionship of the West and the winner a reputation for fair and honorable will compete for the championship of treatment towards all who might be the United States with Harvard Uniwill compete for the championship of affected by the decisions and conduct versity, which has 12 straight vic

The result of the 12th match folmont, 919. Harvard, 946, vs. Norwich 936. Massachusetts Tech, 961. vs. Le-high, 812. Cornell, 907, vs. Rhode Is-

She Is Feeling Very Sick-Comtion of Cities and Towns Begins. plains of Ill-treatment-Angry Waters Sweeping Interest in Case Down Ohio Valley. London, March 31. Mrs. Emerson,

ter from her daughter, Seelie, who is and at midnight the city is covered undergoing two months' imprisonment from five to ten feet of water. With The letter was smuggled out by a re leased prisoner. It stated that Miss

tion of the prison rules. She complained that she was feeling very sick White House officials con- and feared permanent impairment of her digestion.

Mrs. Pankhurst announced that the of destruction.

ed her.

Baron von Horst, of an Francisco, who has taken great ir erest in Miss Emerson's case, stated nat on one investigation and after to king legal advice, he is satisfied that forcible feed-Miss Zeelie Emerson.

Beatrice Harraden l.s sent the following cablegram to President Woodrow Wilson: "Having just come back from America, where Liegened from all sources that there is a strong feelbeg you to intervene in behalf of Miss in Holloway jail and is in a precarious

Home Secretary McKenna, questioned today in the House of Commons by James Kier Hardie, who urged the release of the suffragist prisoners now undergoing forcible feeding, said that there were two women and one man at the present time undergoing forcible feeding, but that their condition was not dangerous. One of the women he referred to must have been Miss Emerson.

Baron von Horst said tonight he is working in conjunction with the leaders of the Women's Social and Politino decisions as to any of these men as cal Union in the preparation of strong protest to be presented to the The President had a task today of American government against the recrusade in London and for this reason

was debarred. "If that precedent is followed," said Pankhurst and other suffragette leadever landing in the United States the reach of the waters. Therefore, all suffragists should fight consistently expect American intervention in behalf of Miss Emerson while, under the American law, a woman like Miss Ward is refused admis-

OUTLINES

President Wilson today continued to onvey optimistic news of the flood

situation in Ohio. The case of Miss Zeelie Emerson, the American suffragette imprisoned in England and undertaking a hunger strike, is attracting great attention. Currency reform will come to the attention of Congress soon after it assembles next week, as several bills will be ready for introduction at that

William D. Haywood, organizer for he Industrial Workers of the World, was convicted of disorderly conduct and sentenced to six months in jail at Patterson, N. J., yesterday. Considerable opposition has developed in the House to the plan of Demothe organization of practically all com- from rising waters, are cut off from tional Monetary Commission, providands of inhabitants; and he said that session of Congress.

Walter H. Page, editor of World's Work, has been tendered and has ac-Britain. President Wilson will proba- ple, Ohio stands ready from today to ed in the last Congress.

Other Legislation Needed Besides

Paducah, Ky., March 31.-The levce Columbus reached the hills about the the transaction of routine business and by Mr. and Mrs. Hugh MacRae, who city in safety.

Crest at Cincinnati Cincinnati, March 31.-When the Ohio here reaches a stage of 69.9 feet, which is expected about midnight, the crest of the flood at this point will have been reached. Late today the stage was 69.5 feet. The river rose "the less rapidly today than at any time since the yellow flood began its course

At points east of here the river already has begun to recede, while to to hold back the organization of other the west there is an appreciable acdown the river are replete with stories is before the House. Members who remembered by an appreciative peo cession to the stage and reports from of destruction and desolation.

The direct and indirect damage caused by the flooding of the river front places will be great. An estimate of while the direct loss is estimated at more than \$2,000,000.

Relief work locally and also in the nearby inundated territory is more ing is illegal and, the efore, constitutan adequate and a statement was tutes a ground for inter erence by the today issued by Mayor Hunt to the American government on behalf of effect that no more supplies were required here and that a surplus existed that is being turned over to the Red Cross authorities for distribution. Across the river in the several Kentucky cities and towns that practically form one large city, conditions still ing against the barbarity of forcible are deplorable. All of them are with feeding, I venture with confidence to out lights, their gas and electric lighting plants being both shut down. Emerson, who is being forcibly fed Newport the property loss, it is declared by authorities, will be more

than that suffered in any previous flood Relief measures so far have been sufficient to cope with the rather try ing situation in all the towns across the river from here, ex cept Dayton, where the authorities have appealed to the Federal relief officials for assistance. Estimates at Dayton are that 1,000 homes have been nundated and that more than 4,000 ersons are homeless and dependent upon relief measures for subsistence. Ludlow and Bellevue are in better shape than any of the other small

Centucky cities. Conditions in Indiana Indianapolis, March 31. - While Northern and Central Indiana cities today were rehabilitating their flooddevastated districts, the waters disappearing there were tightening their disastrous grip upon southern regions, The government relief boat Scioto, in command of Lieutenant Height, U. S. A., towed a barge load of provisions into Lawrenceburg today to find but 40 of 5.000 homes there not under wa-Baron von Horst, "it will prevent Mrs. ter. When the boat proceeded to Aurora, conditions were found almost ers who have been in prison from as bad, with but 500 homes free from

Governor Ralston, on the appeal of Mount Vernon, ordered out the company of militia stationed there to pa-

reported increasing suffering from the rising waters, but the mayor of Vinstruck unexpectedly, but now is gone, that body. still are conflicting. Peru's list of 20 day business conditions in Indianapolis troduced early in the session. were quite normal, with public utili-

removed much danger of loss of life. Ohio Rises From Floods.

Tariff, is Contention-Sims Leads the Fight for Organizing All Committees.

Washington, March 31.—Democratic opposition has developed in the House to the plan agreed upon by Representative Underwood and other party ty, but which will attract attention the handling of the tariff revision

Representative Sims, of Tennessee, one of those who urged the appoint- Gardens for a public park in favor of ment of other important committees at the outset of the session, discussed the matter with President Wilson to day. The latter made no recommendation on the subject and said he had an 'open mind" upon if.

It has been the plan of Democratic Leader Underwood and his colleagues committees so that full attention may be given the tariff while that subject favor the appointment of other com- ple mittees insist that this plan would be interpreted in many quarters as a leaf pine, jealously guarded for many method of forcing members of the House to support the tariff bill. Further than this, it is claimed that Panama canal, Philippine, Alaskan, currency, appropriations and other legiscommittees early in the session.

Representative Underwood Senator Simmons, the latter chairman of the Senate Finance Committee, got into communication today over details of the tariff bill, and will confer informally throughout the week. Both will discuss the tariff programme in detail with President Wilson within

Representative Underwood has prepared a comprehensive hand-book of detailed comparative information regarding the proposed changes to be submitted to the caucus with the tariff revision bill. The changes made have been so numerous and drastic that to ensure caucus approval the committee majority proposes to place before each Democratic Representative full ex-

planatory data.
President Wilson indicated that he expected to advise the House Ways and Means Committee Democrats tomorrow of his opinion of the bill, and if he does the caucus will be called for next Tuesday.

Currency Reform Coming Up. Washington, March 31.-Currency reform will come informally to the attention of Congress soon after it assembles next week, notwithstanding efforts of President Wilson and the mals on the tract, and prevent the cut-Democratic leaders of the two houses ting of trees or other damage to the to focus attention upon the tariff dur- property and trespassing by hunters, ing the ear.y weeks of the extra ses- etc. They shall build roads and pathsion. At least a half dozen currency ways as deemed necessary and imwhen Congress meets, it is believed, of the donors, and with the consent and their appearance in the House and approval of the State Forester, and Senate will mark the beginning of they may cut and remove or destroy a general discussion of financial re-

Most of the bills now, being prepar-ed represent the views of individual members, and will be introduced as individual bills. Senator Owen, of Oklahoma, and Representative Glass, of Virginia, are working upon measures and assigns, and for 10 years they which probably will be submitted first to the banking committees of the re- and their heirs will have the privilege help. New Harmony and Evansville reported increasing suffering from the

ennes telephoned that the water there tic members of the Senate's new Com- by all parties interseted, is broken, is falling and, although the property mittee on Banking and Currency, to be the property shall loss is heavy and many flooded porheld late this week. The suggested ors or their heirs. tions are segregated by swift currents, plan of currency reform will not be it is believed no lives have been lost, taken up in detail at that time, how-People of Southern Indiana heeded ever. Senator Owen practically has flood warnings quickly through the completed a bill representing his views fear created by reports from the flood of needed reform, and it will be subdistricts of the Central States region. mitted to the committee and studied Reports of fatalities where the flood with other measures that come before

Senator Owen has not made public promises to shrink somewhat, but with the details of his contemplated bill, promises to shrink somewhat, but with the details of his contemplated bill, those figures still standing. Indiana's nor indicated the extent to which it may provide a central agency under governmental control. The bill present identified while four refugees have the exposure suffered. Somewhat is a member of the Senate that the exposure suffered the extent to which it may provide a central agency under grow until future generations will give the full measure of praise to the donors which the magnificent benefaction will inspire.

Asked what his idea area for any preciation, and in the years to come appreciation, and in the years to come appreciation will grow until future generations will grow until future generations will grow until future generations will measure of praise to the donors which the magnificent benefaction will be provided the extent to which it may provide a central agency under grow until future generations will grow until future been victims of the exposure suffered. committee, which provides for 20 sep-Indiana is recovering, outside aid arate and independent currency associ- the gift to the public, Mr. MacRae told greatly relieving its burden, and to ations in the United States, will be in a Star representative yesterday that ties completely restored. Some south- member of the Senate committee, will would stretch to Wrightsville Beach, a

the organization of practically all com-mittees at the opening of the extra communication, but ample warning has long for a National reserve association. When the fruition of such hopes came, mittees at the opening of the extra communication, but ample warning has long of life. Senator Weeks said day the measure this park would be somewhere near would be changed in no way from the the center of the great city, and would Columbus, O., March 31.—"Refresh- form approved by the monetary comed by the tears of the American peo- mission, and in which it was introduc- of a Greater Wilmington.

Near Winter Park Gardens and Admirably Located-Potential Valus \$150,000-Practically No Conditions.

A munificent gift to the public that will be of absorbing interest to the people, not only of New Hanover counthroughout North Carolina and even beyond State bounds was made yesdrew a deed for 153 acres of beautiful long-leaf pine forest at Winter Park five trustees as representatives of the

people of the city and county. In potential value the gift represents easily \$150,000. In present value, according to the standard of value of adjacent property, it represents as much as \$76,500. It, therefore, ranks as one of the great benefactions of the State and in the years to come will cause the benefactors to be gratefully

The big tract of second growth long that the long leaf pine will reseed itself and reproduce itself if protected from fire and the depredations by hogs and cattle, has aroused admiration in lation will require consideration by many a passenger on the Wrightsville Beach railway because of the inviting natural beauty of the place. The gift has a frontage of 891 feet on the railway and extends deep into the forest. taking in Crystal Lake, one of the love liest bits of scenery imaginable, with its cypress trees and garlands of moss. It is ideal for park purposes and when improved, as it will be, no city in the South will possess a more attractive

place where its people "may walk abroad and recreate themselves. The deed is made to Mr. M. S. Willard, chairman of the Board of County Commissioners, Mayor Jos. D. Smith, of the city of Wilmington, and Mr. John J. Blair, superintendent of the city schools, and their successors in office; and Mr. W. A. McGirt, of this city, and Mr. L. D. Latta, of Winter Park. It provides that the successor of any one of the officials named immediately becomes one of the trustees of the park, and the three official members shall fill any vacancy occurring in the remainder of the board of trustees, provided that the citizen members of the board be selected, one from Wilmington and one from Winter

Park Gardens. The trustees shall provide protection for the trees, birds and wild aniwill be ready for introduction prove the grounds. After the death such trees the removal of which would improve and beautify the place. For protection against fires, they shall disc and rake clean an avenue around the property each year. The right to gather the pine straw on the tract served to the donors and their heirs Senator Owen stated today that he it away for their purposes. If any of would call a meeting of the Democrathe agreements in the deed, as signed the property shall revert to the don-

Other than these simple conditions. for the most part designed for the improvement and beautification of the property, there are no "strings", so that the gift amounts to a most princely present to the white people of New Hanover county, who will immediately respond to the announcement with cordial expressions of appreciation, and

he was firmly convinced that in the Senator Weeks, of Massachusetts, a course of no great time, Wilmington ern towns, believed to be suffering reintroduce the bill drawn by the Na- vast and unbroken city of untold thous-

Western Learne: lowa State, 965, instead of a violey hotel and they instead of a violey hotel and they thought too, that the climate of Rome was too mild in his condition of instance in the state of t The property, as stated, is near Win-