

MR. PULLMAN'S WILL

His Estate Valued at Only \$7,000,000. George and Sanger on Short Railroads - Wife and Daughter Well Provided for.

Chicago, Oct. 27.—The will of George M. Pullman was filed for probate this afternoon. To his widow he left the home at Prairie Avenue. Sufficient sums are also set aside to provide her with an income of \$50,000 yearly, during her life. One million dollars each is left in trust for his two daughters, Mrs. Frank O. Lowden, of Chicago, and Mrs. Carolan, of San Francisco. An income of but \$3,000 yearly is provided for his sons, George M., Jr., and Sanger W. Mrs. Lowden is also given the summer residence known as C. Stone Rest, on an island in the St. Lawrence river.

About \$150,000 in sums of \$10,000 and \$20,000 is left to various charitable institutions in Chicago, a sum of \$200,000 is given for the erection of a Manual Training School in Pullman, which is also endowed with \$1,200,000. Five old employees are given \$5,000 each. Two sisters and two brothers of the dead millionaire are given \$50,000 each, and another brother gets \$25,000. If the estate shall be more than sufficient to satisfy all the debts, trusts and legacies named, the executors are directed to divide the excess into two equal shares and add the same respectively to the portions set aside for the daughters, Mrs. Lowden and Mrs. Carolan.

The total value of the estate is shown by the petition for letters testamentary to be \$7,000,000. Of this amount \$5,000,000 is personal property and \$2,000,000 real property. Attorney Runnels, who prepared the will, said that these figures are a conservative but fair estimate of the value of the estate.

A Reminiscence of the War. As it has been stated that General Sedgwick was killed near Spotsylvania Court House, it is my understanding that it was on the old Plank Road in the Wilderness, which position was held by Cook's N. C. Brigade. This brigade met the enemy's sharpshooters nearly five miles from the Wilderness, at light on the morning of the 5th of May. We began to advance and drove their sharpshooters slowly back till we learned that the enemy were making heavy columns in our front, to force a passage up the Plank Road. We then formed our line to wait their advances and threw out three lines of sharpshooters in our front. As General Sedgwick at any time headed his column, our sharpshooters in falling back on the main line that evening reported this general killed by them. He was known and recognized by our same men at Brattle Station before this, and came very near falling into the hands of these same men there.

General Sedgwick was a brave man, and was always in the front when an engagement came on, and was very bad to drive back. Troops were better when their general stands by them. At Brattle his horse was shot, where he made a very narrow escape. I recollect giving the order not to shoot the man. Our men did not want to shoot a man that was as brave as Gen. Sedgwick, but we used all our efforts to take him a prisoner, but failed.

J. S. DUNN, Cook Brigade.

NOTICE. As executor of L. G. Bellis, I will sell to the highest bidder for cash, at the late residence of said Bellis, in Mt. Pleasant, N. C., on Tuesday, the 2nd day of November, 1897, the following articles of personal property, to wit: Household and kitchen furniture, farming tools, wagons and other articles.

STRIKERS KILLED. I have bought 12 car-loads of COAL. You can get any size of HARD COAL, you want, at the lowest prices. I will deliver you good SOFT (bituminous) COAL at \$4.25 to \$4.50 per ton. Call on K. L. CRAVEN, Cor. Dupont & Spring St.

Tax Notice? Your town tax for 1897 is now due, and the law books have been delivered to me with instructions to collect, and for that purpose I am authorized to collect all taxes due to the town.

THE STANDARD cotton mill, of 3120 Hill, S. C., has been put into the hands of a receiver, the company being a firm in New York. Judge Simonon has appointed one P. C. Pong temporary receiver.

THE PRIZE FIGHT. Money Wagered for the Fugalist. The law takes them in hand. From the case of the fugalist there was a prize fight in our county Wednesday, which took place in No. 9 township. A nice amount of money was put up on both sides for the pugilists. We withheld, by request, the names of the participants. Quite a large number of people of the community witnessed the battle, and no damage is reported from it, save some bad sore throats.

Another One Caught. Policeman Blackwelder, Charlotte's reputable officer, came over last night after a negro that Policeman Post pulled out of a box car the other night, which it seems he had broken into at Charlotte, and remained in the car until he arrived at this place.

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Bidding adieu to this department, we once more get into the main entrance, but quickly we become fascinated by "The Gypsy Maid" and soon we are in Gypsy town, pure and simple. Upon entering here you are met by the rubicund cheeked maidens to have your future revealed by Dame Fortune, which is "great."

In another tent you find the gaily dressed Gypsy boy, who wears a sorrowful look upon his face as if to say, "I wish I were a Gypsy Girl." To ease your cares and relieve you, these lovely Japanese girls stand waiting for you to take tea with them, and one can not help buying some of their nice chinaware.

Here in this room you buy your souvenir of the Fair. But one part of this room, and an essential part too, has been left off. Behind the retort of the trinket loving people is the man dining hall, where one is served a meal that is a meal. Miss Jennie Smith is due the credit of this nicely gotten up room.

This, now, completes our tour over the Fair, though one can spend hours taking in these various departments, and talking to the clever waiters, who will gladly show you through.

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To Be Erected at Trinity College. Committee Consist Charlotte Architects. Dr. T. N. Ivey, of Greensboro, Mr. W. R. Odell, of Concord, and Mr. S. J. Durham, of Bessemer City, are here today consulting architect F. P. Milburn and other Charlotte architects regarding the plans for the new Braxton Craven Memorial hall that is to be erected at Trinity College, Durham. They propose the committee appointed to select a plan for the new building committee. They have decided that plans must be submitted by November 15th, when the committee will make the selection.

It is proposed to erect a large auditorium and assembly hall, modern in design and equipment, and costing from \$100,000 to \$150,000. Work will probably be begun on the structure in the early spring, and it is hoped to have the building completed by the next Trinity commencement, when it will be dedicated with appropriate ceremonies.

A large portion of the amount required for building has been subscribed, one Methodist minister, Rev. N. M. Jurney, making a donation of a thousand dollars. This hall is to be a memorial to the founder of Trinity College, Dr. Braxton Craven, who did so much for education in North Carolina.—Charlotte News of 28th.

Our county Home Affairs. Superintendent Barnard says he has the crops at the county home gathered in and thinks he can make a gratifying report from the home, on the 1st of January.

Since the death of Charlie Jones on the 20th, and the removal of William Starnes to the hospital, at Morganton, there is but one case in the home of a serious nature, that of Austin Peay, colored, who is waning with consumption. There are 31 inmates of the county's care and all seem contented and reasonably happy. While at Morganton with William Starnes, Mr. Barnard says, Dr. Taylor told him that Cabarrus has the best county home for its unfortunates of all the counties in the State.

Blasphemy in the Diamond of Character. Truthfulness is the diamond of character. Hypocrisy is a cloak that is ragged in the back. A \$20 coat often covers a 5 cent soul.

A heart without love is like a violin without strings. The man who talks most about himself says the least. A pious face is not infallible proof of a devout spirit.

Smiling lengthens the month and the life in about equal proportions. All things were made for the good and some day they will have them. He is more than half miserable who is doing nothing to make others happy.

Any fool can make money, but it takes wisdom to know how to spend it well. What if you have lost your ring? Be thankful that you still have your finger.

Original Observations. The spirit of the times is brandy smash. A letter may be registered but it cannot vote. Not all who know their minds know their own hearts.

If you can't possibly do anything tomorrow do it today. How can a good natured lawyer conduct a cross-examination? Some people are comfortable only when they know others are not. Gossip and slander travel not only on roads where there are toll gates.

"Competition is the life of trade" and the death of most of the traders. A man must look up and be hopeful—especially when he is trying to drink from a jug. A full stomach is a better protection for a poultry roost than a thousand professions of religion.—Orange O. server.

Whose are They? Yesterday (Wednesday) evening some one found three and one-half pairs of brand-new frogan shoes, under the warehouse at Cannon's factory. It is very probable that these shoes were stolen by some one and left there for a while. A mortise lock was also found with the shoes.

Sold Mortgaged Cotton. James Pong yesterday sold a bale of cotton to Mr. T. M. Constable, of J. H. Sloan's, which was discovered to be mortgaged property. Messrs. Wadsworth having the claim. Pong was arrested and jailed.—Charlotte Observer.

He Wants Noise. Col. Frederick Anderson O'ods, the accomplished Raleigh correspondent, averting to the presence of the Stateville band at the fair, says it is "a good one, but it does not play loud enough." Our band, Col. O'ods is composed of fine musicians and therefore plays fine music. It's no steam calliope, and if it's simply noise you want you've got the wrong crowd. But of fine music they'll give you a plenty.—Statesville Landmark.

Of Course. "The young man in St. Paul who was fined \$15 for kissing a girl probably kissed the wrong girl. A few mistakes of that kind may make him more careful."—Salisbury Sun.

Of course it was just the wrong girl. Who ever heard of a fellow's getting into trouble at kissing the right girl? The right act must be applied to the right subject. Death Struck a Shining Star. Henry George died Friday morning at 4:45 o'clock. He was making a strong contest for the majority of Greater New York, and doubtless overdid his strength.

He had made three speeches the night before he died, and coming home at 1 o'clock retired, but soon became restless, then incoherent in his words, and next unconscious, and passed away calmly. The immediate cause of death was apoplexy. He was a man of great power in the advocacy of his views, some of which were considered peculiar and objectionable. He wrote several books on great economic questions, one of which set forth his novel idea of common ownership by the lands, or rather ownership by the government and the land to be held by a renter's title only, and from the rents all taxes should be derived. He did not admit that he was a socialist in any degree, but his views met with much disfavor. He was not a victim of the charge of anything dishonorable in his conspicuous career, and his name is a shining star in the political sky that has set to leave its rays of purity glimmering down the ages. He was about 58 years of age. His burial will be unostentatious, according to his wishes.

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