

NEW YORK ORPHANAGE FIRE

Remarkable Escapes From the Burning Building.

HUNDREDS OF CHILDREN THERE

But Through Heroic Efforts of the Sisters Only Four Deaths Resulted From the Conflagration.

New York, Aug. 28.—The entire group of buildings with the exception of the hospital which comprised the convent of St. Ignatius and the orphanage in charge of the Dominican sisters situated near Sparkill, Rockland county, were burned early today and as far as known, four lives were lost and many were injured, two of whom will probably die.

The fire started in the lavatory at the northwest corner of the group of buildings, nine in number. It soon communicated to building No. 1, occupied by older boys. The lads were awakened and rushed out. Word was quickly passed through the nine buildings and the sisters in charge each soon had all the occupants of the dormitories out of bed. The work of getting the children out of the buildings was heroically done by the sisters, assisted by some nurses, as well as many of the older boys. The alarm was telephoned to the nearest towns but when the fire company from Piermont arrived, all but the hospital buildings had been demolished.

All children were taken out alive, but two little tots died from convulsions after rescue. An aged woman nurse known as Jane is supposed to have perished in the building. Theresa Murphy, 16 years of age, escaped but went back to save a baby and perished. Six of the sisters jumped from the second, third and fourth floors of the building, but only one, Sister Bertrand, was seriously injured; Sister Marie is severely burned; Sister Catherine had an arm broken; Sister Sienna who assisted in the work of rescue, showing wonderful courage, collapsed after the children were gotten out and remained unconscious several hours.

Sister Agnes had a miraculous escape from injury, and possible death. After climbing out of the fourth story window, she took hold of a swinging shutter, swung herself free of the building and dropped to the ground without apparent injury. In all, there were 326 children in the building when the fire started. Most of the children were sent to the orphanage through the Gerry society and police magistrates. All children and sisters, as well as the wounded, are being taken care of at the Blauvelt convent, about two miles from the scene of the conflagration.

About twenty-five children received injuries, none of which the doctors think will prove fatal. It is believed the fire was of incendiary origin. The property loss is \$100,000.

Sells O. R. & N. Stock.

New York, Aug. 27.—It is learned on excellent authority that the Northern Pacific Company, some time ago, disposed of its entire holdings of Oregon Railroad & Navigation Company preferred to a banking house in this city, which is closely identified with Union Pacific interests. The Oregon Short Line, which is controlled by the Union Pacific, is the owner of practically all of the common stock of the Oregon Railroad & Navigation Company. The controlling interest of the preferred stock of the latter corporation has been owned jointly by the Union Pacific, Northern Pacific and Great Northern, the holdings of these two last being equal in amount, but the Union Pacific holdings being much larger than those of either of the others. By the transfer of the Northern Pacific's interest, it is understood the Union Pacific secures control of the preferred stock of the Oregon Railroad

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Guilty Sergeant Caught.

WALLACE, Idaho, Aug. 27.—Sergeant Crawford, company L, First cavalry, who escaped after letting the eight men out of the prison at Wardner, was arrested at Missoula, Mont., last night by the sheriff of Missoula county. He dressed in citizens' clothes and came to Wallace immediately after the escape and took the early Northern train. Soldiers were sent from here this morning to bring him back. They are expected tomorrow evening. No trace of the escaped prisoners has been found. It is believed that they are hiding in the mountains, as it would be extremely hazardous for them to try to get out of the country. The sheriff has several deputies and squads of men out in every direction searching for them.

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REVOLUTIONISTS WIN, BY JIMINEZ!

Santo Domingan Government Throws Up the Sponge.

New York, Aug. 28.—Andrian G. Sullivan, representative of the Santo Domingan revolutionists in this country, has received the following cablegram:

"Santiago de Cuba, Aug. 27.—Revolutionists are in the capital. The government surrenders. LAMARCHE."

Lamarche is the representative of the Jiminez revolutionists at Santo Domingo. No details are as yet received.

Red Hot From the Gun

Was the ball that hit G. B. Steadman of Newark, Mich., in the Civil War. It caused horrible ulcers that no treatment helped for twenty years. Then Bucklen's Arnica Salve cured him. It cures cuts, bruises, burns, boils, felons, corns, skin eruptions. Best pile cure on earth. Twenty-five cents a box. Cure guaranteed. Sold by Blakeley & Houghton, druggists. 3

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IS IT RIGHT For an Editor to Recommend Patent Medicines?

From Sylvan Valley News, Brevard, N. C.

It may be a question whether the editor of a newspaper has the right to publicly recommend any of the various proprietary medicines which flood the market, yet as a preventive of suffering we feel it a duty to say a good word for Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy. We have known and used this medicine in our family for twenty years and have always found it reliable. In many cases a dose of this remedy would save hours of suffering while a physician is awaited. We do not believe in depending implicitly on any medicine for a cure, but we do believe that if a bottle of Chamberlain's Diarrhoea Remedy was kept on hand and administered at the inception of an attack, much suffering might be avoided and in very many cases the presence of a physician would not be required. At least this has been our experience during the past twenty years. For sale by Blakeley & Houghton, Druggists.

Jeffries-Sharkey.

New York, Aug. 28.—An important agreement has been reached to pull off the Jeffries-Sharkey fight before the Sporting club this fall.

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POPE BLESSED OLYMPIA'S CREW

And Sent an Autograph Letter to Admiral Dewey.

IS CONCERNED ABOUT WAR

To the Chaplain of Dewey's Flagship, He Expressed His Horror of Bloodshed and Dilated on Importance of Bringing the War to an End.

New York, Aug. 28.—A dispatch to the Journal and Advertiser from Rome says:

His holiness, the pope is deeply concerned about the war in the Philippines. He has communicated his anxiety to the Rev. Father Reamy, chaplain of the Olympia.

In the plainest possible terms, Leo expressed a strong desire to see peace established between the United States and the natives, and said that he contemplated the opinion of negotiations with the United States government with a view to regulating the position of Catholics in the Philippines.

All this was in the course of a special audience accorded to the chaplain of Dewey's flagship. In heartfelt terms, he expressed his horror of bloodshed that had occurred and dilated upon the importance of making every endeavor to bring it to an end. He took it for granted that when peace was concluded, the United States would establish a beneficent rule under which the Philippines would quietly reach a condition of happiness and prosperity.

His holiness asked many questions about Admiral Dewey's personality, his opinions, and inquired sympathetically about the state of his health. At the conclusion of the interview, he gave Father Reamy an autograph letter for delivery to the admiral and made the priest the bearer of his benediction to the crew of the Olympia.

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Nebraska Cattleman Disappears.

OMAHA, Aug. 27.—A Bee special from McCook, Neb., says: "This section of Nebraska is much stirred up over the mysterious disappearance of Robert Barr a prominent cattleman and a bachelor. Two weeks ago he left his boarding-house, south of this city, saying he would return on the following morning. On Thursday of the same week, his horse was found saddled and bridled a few miles east of Oberlin, Kan. Search for the missing man was immediately begun and continued for several days but so far without success."

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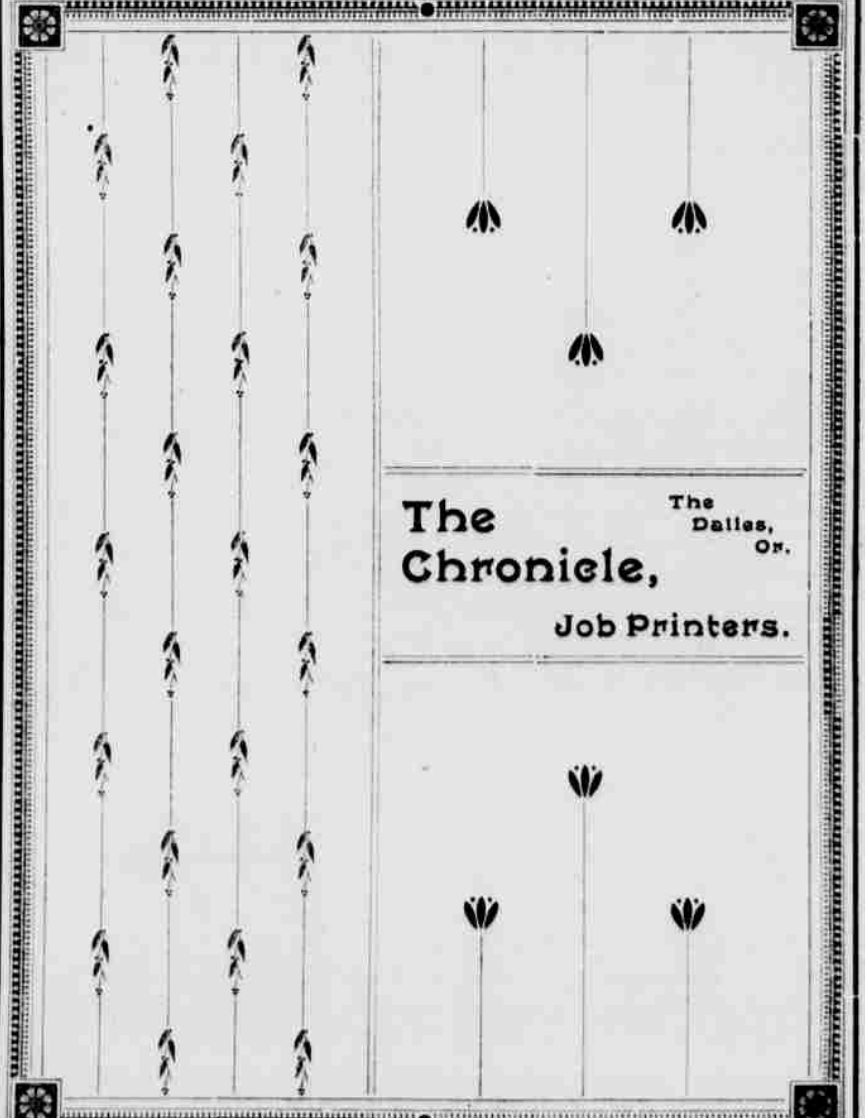
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