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CRIMES AND ACCIDENTS.

Frank Wilson, who recently knocked down Wesley Griggs in Stockton, Cal., and robbed him of $6, was sentenced by Judge Jones to imprisonment in Folsom for life.

John Yeakey, a merchant and prominent citizen of Redding, Cal., was shot and killed by William Middleton, a young carpenter, who is in jail, and says that he shot Yeakey in self-defense. The shooting was the result of a quarrel about a girl named Cassie Clawson, with whom Yeakey had been associating. Yeakey was a married man, with three children.

Sweeping over a stretch of country 100 miles in width and devastating territory 300 miles long, extending from Livingston county on the north and McCoupin county on the south, and leaving a mark clear across the face of central Illinois, a tornado inflicted property loss which will aggregate $1,000,000 and cost a dozen lives, says a Bloomington dispatch. The wind reached a velocity of 100 miles an hour, and was the worst ever recorded in the history of central Illinois. The town hall at Merna, a village ten miles east of Bloomington, was destroyed. A dance was in progress in the hall at the time, and three of the women dancers were instantly killed by falling timbers. Several livers were lost in the vicinity of Peoria and much property destroyed.

De Wet Addresses the Boers.

Recent dispatches from South Africa give the total number of Boers who have surrendered as 16,500, and the British are extending every possible kindness to the men who come in. General Delarey surrendered at Lichtenburg with 800 men. The appearance of General De Wet at the Boer camp at Winburg was the signal for a display of great enthusiasm. He delivered a speech, in which he counseled his hearers to be loyal to the British government.

Novel Way to Get Rid of Grasshoppers.

The residents of Ephraim, Utah, the agricultural centre of San Pete county, where the crops last year were completely ruined by grasshoppers, have adopted a novel method of exterminating the pest, which is again threatening the crops. A series of entertainments has been arranged, the admission to which is half a bushel of grasshoppers. The first entertainment—a dance—was held recently, and 75 half-bushels of grasshoppers were presented to the ticket man at the door. After the dance the "hoppers" furnished fuel for a bonfire. Everything possible is being done to catch the young insects before they begin to fly, and the citizens around Ephraim have banded together in an army to fight them. A standing bounty of $1 a bushel has been offered by the city officials for the young "hoppers."

The supreme court of California has decided that the statute prohibiting the sale of game is constitutional. The majority opinion holds that the ownership of wild game is vested in the people, and that the legislature may prescribe regulations for its slaughter and subsequent disposition. The minority opinion, however, shows that the law is discriminating, and is in the interest of a special class of sportsmen, namely, the gun clubs. The minority justices point out that it is only the privileged few who, under the law, can enjoy any positive rights in the wild game of the state.

BLIND-FOLD.

Blindfold a woman and she loses all confidence in herself. Her step is slow, hesitating and uncertain. Her hands are raised to ward the imaginary blows which threaten her. When a sick woman seeks the means of health she is often like a woman blindfold. She has no confidence. She cannot tell what her effort will lead to. She turns now to this side and then to the other in uncertainty and doubt.

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NEWS OF THE WORLD.

HAPPENINGS OF THE PAST FEW DAYS FROM ALL QUARTERS.

Large Sum to Be Expended on Water Front at New York—Americans Sent to Prison In France For Scorching. World's Bicycle Record Broken.

The English team won the second game of the series for the American polo cup, at Hurlingham, England, by a score of six goals to one.

United States Embassador Joseph H. Choate entertained at dinner King Edward and Queen Alexandra. There were also present Princess Victoria and many distinguished persons.

The time consumed in making the trip between New York and Chicago has been reduced to 20 hours, both the Lake Shore and Pennsylvania roads having now put on well-equipped trains for the purpose of making the fast run between the two cities.

Dr. R. G. Southwick, Boston's leading surgeon, is authority for the statement that cancer, tumors, lupus and tuberculous glands henceforth can be cured in all cases where X-rays can be applied directly. He says that in general cases X-rays are far superior to the surgeon's knife.

Advices from Honolulu state that Kilauea has broken out. The volcano, which has been quiescent for nearly ten years, became active again on the morning of June 3, and has continued its activity ever since.

Harry Elkes, in winning the Brassard race at Charles River Park bicycle track, Boston, broke all the world's records in a distance motor-paced race from one mile to 41, and in making 41 miles 250 yards for the hour broke the record of 40 miles 330 yards made by Will Stinson at Brockton last year. Elkes's fastest mile, the eleventh, was made 1:23 1-5.

One of the largest of Barnum & Bailey's performing elephants, while on the way to the railway station at Tours, France, suddenly went mad, broke its chains, tried to kill its keepers and had to be killed immediately by strangling. Two hundred men tugged at the rope that strangled the elephant.

The Boers generally hold an unfavorable opinion of their foreign allies, except the Americans, whom they declare to be crafty and great fighters, says a Pretoria dispatch. A prominent commandant said, "All the Germans are fit for is to give horses sore backs."

Fire destroyed the Novelty leather factory of M. Rosenblatt & Co. at Second and Oxford streets, Philadelphia, and resulted in severe injuries to a dozen persons. Many other buildings were damaged. There were many narrow escapes, most of the 400 men and women employed in the factory saving their lives by leaping from the windows into nets held by firemen. The damage is estimated at $300,000.

Eddie Guerin and George Miller of Chicago were sentenced in Paris to life imprisonment at penal servitude, and May Churchill, known as "Chicago May," was sentenced to five years' imprisonment. When the sentence was pronounced May Churchill threw her arms around Guerin's neck and kissed him passionately. The guard separated them and led the prisoners away. Guerin and Miller were charged with having entered the office of the American Express company in Paris during the night of April 26, 1901, and with stealing 30,000 francs ($6,000). The Churchill woman was accused of being their accomplice.

C. F. W. Neely, who, on March 24, was sentenced to ten years' imprisonment and to pay a fine of $56,701 for complicity in the Cuban postal frauds, was released under the bill signed by President Palma, granting amnesty to all Americans convicted of crimes in Cuba during the term of American occupation and those awaiting trial.

The law against automobile scorching in Paris was violated by three Americans, and they had to pay the penalty. Tod Sloan was arrested while scorching and sentenced to two days in prison and fined a trifling sum. Gustave Warden of Chicago, for a similar offense, was sentenced to two days' imprisonment and fined. Trafford Huteson, formerly of Cedar Rapids, Ia., was sentenced to eight days and fined 300 francs for running down and killing a shepherd near Fontainbleau. Huteson pleaded that the shepherd committed suicide, and promised to erect a monument to him in the forest of Fontainbleau to placate his friends. Huteson appealed from the sentence.

The sum of $14,000,000 is to be spent in improving New York water-front, between West Twelfth street and West Twenty-third street, about two-thirds of a mile in length and from 500 to 800 feet in width. Where now there are manufacturing plants, factories, storehouses, shops and dwellings there will be within a year and a half a great stretch of water 35 feet deep washing the face of a bulkhead of the finest masonry. The object of the improvement is to induce all the great transatlantic steamship lines ultimately to dock their vessels on the New York side of the North river. This is the most extensive and costly undertaking of the kind ever contemplated by any municipality in the world.

Colonel Arthur Lynch, formerly of the Boer army, was arrested in England on his arrival from Paris, and later appeared in the Bow-street police court, London, charged with high treason. Lynch, who was born in Australia, was elected member of parliament for Galway, Ireland, in November last. The case for the prosecution is that on arriving in South Africa in 1900 he took service with the Transvaal government, raised a regiment, of which he acted as commander, to fight in behalf of the Boers, and actively fought against General Buller's operations. The case was remanded till June 21.

Negro Barber Gains University Degree.

Moses Leonard Frazier, a negro barber, has just graduated at Columbia university from the department of political science with the degree of master of arts, says a New York dispatch. Frazier was born in New Orleans in 1860. Thirst for knowledge was born in him. He had to contend with poverty, but managed to get a public school education. Then he opened a barber shop, but did not accumulate sufficient money to enter college till he was 35. He graduated from Mount Union college, Ohio, in 1899 as master of philosophy. He took a year's course at Harvard, graduating in 1900 as bachelor of philosophy. Then he went to the New York Law School for one year. Finally he entered Columbia, and secured the master of arts degree at the age of 42. Frazier is going to Germany for a two years' course at Heidelburg; then he will practice law in New York.

Frazier still owns the barber shop in New Orleans, which has supported his parents and paid his way through college.

Ready to Yield.

"I used DeWitt's Witch Hazel Salve for piles and found it a certain cure," says S. R. Meredith, Willow Grove, Del. Operations unnecessary to cure piles. They always yield to DeWitt's Witch Hazel Salve. Cures skin diseases, all kinds of wounds. Accept no counterfeits. Chas. Strang.

Governor Henry T. Gage of California filed complaints alleging criminal libel against John D. Spreckels and W. S. Leake, respectively proprietor and manager of the San Francisco Call, in Wilmington township court, Los Angeles county. Warrants were promptly issued by Justice H. C. Downing, who afterward went to Los Angeles and placed the warrants in the hands of Sheriff Hammell for service. The complaints are the outcome of charges of corruption made by The Call in connection with San Quentin prison. A justices' court can hold only the preliminary hearing, and the trial proper must take place in any superior court which the governor desires.

Saved from an Awful Fate.

"Everybody said I had consumption," writes Mrs. A. M. Shields, of Chambersburg, Pa., "I was so low after six months of severe sickness, caused by hay fever and asthma, that few thought I could get well, but I learned of the marvelous merit of Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption, used it, and was completely cured." For desperate throat and lung diseases it is the safest cure in the world, and is infallible for coughs, colds and bronchial affections. Guaranteed bottles 50c and $1.00. Trial bottles free at Chas. Strang's.

Mrs. Edward Murphy, who, with her husband, resides at 1475 Seventh street, Oakland, Cal., lost her right ear in a peculiar manner. Mr. and Mrs. Murphy were driving in a buggy, and tied to the horse drawing the buggy was an extra horse which was being brought home from pasture in the Contra Costa hills. This horse began kicking, and one of its hoofs struck Mrs. Murphy on the right ear, completely severing it from the head. Although suffering from pain, Mrs. Murphy wrapped the amputated ear in her handkerchief and was driven to a surgeon, who sewed the ear to its place, though at the time he expressed the opinion that there was very little probability of its uniting.

Virulent Cancer Cured.

Startling proof of a wonderful advance in medicine is given by Druggist G. W. Roberts, of Elizabeth, W. Va. An old man there had long suffered with what good doctors pronounced incurable cancer. They believed his case hopeless till he used Electric Bitters and applied Bucklen's Arnica Salve, which treatment completely cured him. When Electric Bitters are used to expel bilious, kidney and microbe poisons at the same time this salve exerts its matchless healing power, blood diseases, skin eruptions, ulcers and sores vanish. Bitters 50c, Salve 25c at Chas. Strang's.

Under a ruling made by Superior Judge J. W. Hughes at Sacramento in the coyote scalp suits California will be saved thousands of dollars. The law relating to coyote scalp claims requires that suits on certificates shall be begun within one year of their issuance by the "owner or holder." Hundreds of claims aggregating thousands of dollars have been assigned to banks and other agents for collection, and under the ruling of Judge Hughes they are merely agents. It is too late for these claims to be transferred back to the original claimants, and the statute of limitations comes to the rescue of the state treasury.

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American Millionaires and Art Prices.

The art critic of The Vossische Zeitung complains that American millionaires have sent up the prices of paintings to such a point that European collectors are now unable to compete with them, says a Berlin dispatch. The fact that pictures go to the United States, says the critic, does not mean their loss to the world. He deplores, however, the invasion of the art field by the younger generation of American millionaires, who, he declares, are without real artistic appreciation, saying they make it possible for picture dealers to increase the price of pictures tenfold, and thus shut out European buyers.

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FIFTY-SEVENTH CONGRESS.

Monday.

In the isthmian canal discussion in the senate Harris of Kansas, an engineer of recognized ability, strongly advocated the selection of the Nicaragua route, and said that some of the engineering difficulties of the Panama route were insuperable.

The house passed the bill to protect the president, vice-president, members of the cabinet and foreign ministers and embassadors and to suppress the teaching of anarchy by a vote of 175 to 33. The postoffice bill was also passed.

Tuesday.

The naval bill, carrying more than $78,000,000, was passed by the senate. It includes two first-class battleships, two first-class armored cruisers and two gunboats, but strikes out the house provision that one of each shall be built at government yards. When the isthmian canal question came up Turner delivered a speech in favor of the Nicaragua route.

The house began debate on the Pacific cable bill. Corliss said he was opposed to the cable's being owned by a private company, and argued in favor of the government's owning, constructing and operating the cable.

Wednesday.

The senate agreed to vote finally on the Nicaragua bill and all pending amendments on June 19. After a sharp debate, a motion to discharge the committee on privileges and elections from further consideration of the resolution providing for the submission of an amendment to the constitution for the election of United States senators by the people was defeated, 21 to 35.

The house dispatched the Corliss Pacific cable bill by striking out the enacting clause of the measure by a vote of 116 to 77. The field is thus left clear to the Commercial Cable company, of which John W. Mackay is president.

Thursday.

In the senate Morgan of Alabama spoke in favor of the Nicaragua route for an isthmian canal, discussing particularly the diplomatic phases of the question.

The house devoted the day to general debate of the irrigation bill. Tongue of Oregon, Newlands of Nevada and others spoke in favor of the bill, while Gray of New York opposed the measure, and said it would benefit certain states at the expense of others.

Friday.

The senate spent nearly the entire day in considering the nomination of Captain William Crozier to be chief of the bureau of ordnance, with the rank of brigadier-general. No conclusion was reached on the question. Crozier's confirmation is generally conceded by his opponents.

The house passed the irrigation bill by a vote of 146 to 55. The bill has already passed the senate. The friends of the measure greeted the announcement with a round of applause.

Saturday.

The house amendments to the irrigation bill were agreed to by the senate and the measure was passed. Elkins of West Virginia introduced a joint resolution providing for the annexation of Cuba and its admission as a state of the Union. The resolution, at the suggestion of Elkins, was allowed to lie on the table. The Nicaragua canal bill was before the senate for a short time, Morgan of Alabama speaking in support of the measure.

In the house Hay of Virginia called up the resolution calling for information as to the cost of the war in the Philippines. By a party vote of 91 to 66, a motion to lay on the table was carried.

Frank Dewitt, an official court stenographer of Sacramento county, and his 7-year-old son, were drowned in the Sacramento river, at Sacramento, by the overturning of a gasoline launch.

George S. Ramsay, who was dismissed as superintendent of public schools in Fresno county, Cal., in December last, was committed at Los Angeles to the insane asylum. Since his dismissal for immoral conduct his downfall has been rapid, and he is now a physical and mental wreck.

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WASHINGTON NOTES.

The senate confirmed Clarence W. Ide as collector of customs, Puget sound district, and Benjamin D. Crocker to be collector of internal revenue, district of Washington.

President Roosevelt sent a message to congress urging reciprocity with the republic of Cuba. He pointedly declares that the proposition for a rebate is not acceptable, and intimates that reciprocity alone will meet the necessities of the case.

Commissioner Yerkes of the internal revenue bureau has settled the contested question as to whether butter or any other ingredients artificially colored may be used in the manufacture of oleomargarine without increasing the tax from one-quarter of a cent to 10 cents a pound by issuing a regulation which holds in effect that no artificial coloring matter can be used in any way in the manufacture of oleomargarine without increasing the tax as stated.

Immorality in the United States.

A pamphlet by Felix Baumann is having a large sale, says a Berlin dispatch. It is entitled "In Darkest United States," and contains extravagant descriptions of the immorality alleged to exist in American cities. There are long chapters on New York, Chicago, New Orleans and San Francisco. The writer has raked together accounts of cruel lynchings, police briberies and the sale of justice in cities. He contends that the United States is more deeply immoral than any other country in the world, and warns Germans, especially women, against emigrating to such an evil atmosphere. The black cover of the pamphlet is conspicuous on every news stand. The American flag is emblazoned on it.

The centennial celebration of the military academy at West Point closed with the presentation of diplomas to the one hundredth graduating class by President Roosevelt, addresses by Congressman Dick of the visiting board and Secretary Root, and remarks by General Miles.

Martin D. Kell, coroner of Santa Clara county, Cal., died recently from heart disease at his home in San Jose. For many years he had been identified with the growth and development of Santa Clara county. Mr. Kell was born in Toronto, Canada, in 1840.

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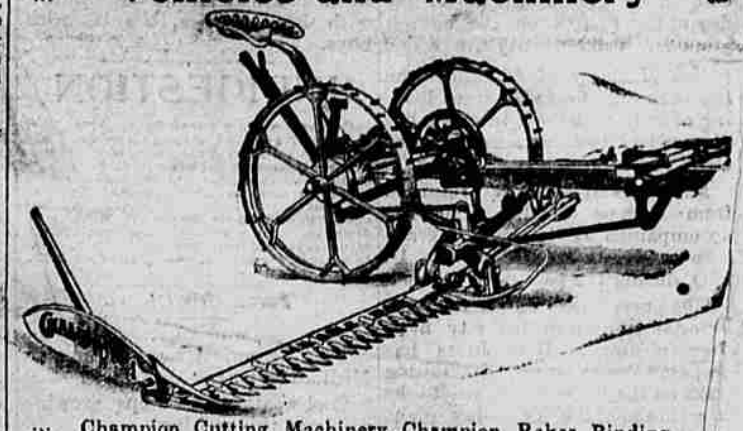

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