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LITTLE BABY'S SAD END

The Result of a Father's Carelessness.

BURNED TO DEATH BY HIS BED

The Grief-Stricken Man Fired a Bullet Into His Brain and Is Expected to Die.

Los Angeles, July 30.—One of the most pathetic and melancholy events that ever transpired in this county was the burning to death of the little three-year-old daughter of Marion Millar, and the suicide of Millar on account of the remorse for his neglect of the child.

The Millars live about three miles below Azusa on a ranch. Millar is well know throughout the locality and bears an excellent reputation. The family consisted of Millar, his wife and two daughters, one of them 15 years of age, and the other a pretty, flaxen-haired three-year-old child. Millar set his heart on this little tot and when she could, she accompanied him on his jaunts. He took as much care of her at home as her mother. In fact, the little one was his pride and pleasure. For several months Millar has been troubled over finances, and he has repeatedly said that the little girl was all he had to live for.

Wednesday Mrs. Millar went to visit a sick woman in the neighborhood and her eldest daughter went away to visit some friends. Millar was in charge of the little girl. He played with her nearly all day, and toward evening went into his room and lay down on the bed, leaving his little daughter playing in the shade in front of the house. Millar was very tired and slept soundly.

It appears that the little girl got hold of a box of matches and set fire to the thin and gauzy dress she wore. In a moment she was in a blaze. The little girl, it is supposed from the circumstances, tried to put the fire out, as the water was afterward discovered running. Failing to extinguish the flames she ran into her father's room and fell at his bedside, terribly burned. She must have cried herself hoarse, as her little charred hands were found extended toward the bed as if in silent supplication for aid. But Millar slept too deeply to hear his child's groans and cries if she made any.

When the other daughter reached the house in the evening she was met by a sickening odor, and looking into her father's room saw her little sister horribly burned and blistered, and dead by her father's bedside. She at once awakened her father. His grief was terrible. He picked up the dead and blistered body of his pet and tried to kiss it back to life again.

After his terrible agony of grief had somewhat subsided, he told his daughter he was going out in the backyard for a moment. Taking his rifle he went out in the yard and sent a rifle ball through his head. His daughter was so overcome with grief over the fate of her sister that she did not realize what her father was doing.

When Mrs. Millar returned home she at once fainted, and is still very low. Drs. Reed and Becknail were summoned to attend Millar. They declare that it is impossible for him to live. His brains protrude from the wound.

Millar is an old settler in the valley. He was one of the men who for many years fought the claim of Henry Dalton to the Azuza land grant. A decision was given in favor of the settlers in July, 1881, and the people of that section celebrated the event with a barbecue in which 1,000 participated. Millar was given much credit for the part he took in the fight.

Heavy Bank Deposits.

London, July 30.—The Times this morning has a letter commenting on the enormous increase of private deposits in the Bank of England and says: The money that the syndicates formerly put into foreign investments has been kept in hand. Good authorities estimate that up to 1892 English capitalists were accustomed to invest 30,000,000 pounds yearly in America, chiefly in railroad stocks.

But for the uneasiness induced by the American monetary system, undoubtedly it would be reinvested in America, now that business is perceptibly improving there, but the defects of the system still remain, and these cautious persons will refrain until they are remedied. The positive rush both in England and Europe to lend money in China proves the desire for good investments.

Banded for Murder.

Cincinnati, O., July 30.—In investigating the poisoning of George Washington Christopher Columbus Bell, who died Friday afternoon after eating a piece of watermelon, detectives have unearthed facts which lead them to believe threre is a negro mafia here, the objpect of which is to put out of the way persons who incur the ill will of members. Witnesses at the inquest uniformly showed a desire to conceal whatever they knew about the case. Mrs. Collins, the mother of the boy, has already been threatened with poisoning if she is not careful in giving her testimony. The evidence against Minnie Stout, the girl held on suspicion of having given the poison in the watermelon to the boy, is weak, and she will probably be cleared.

Indian Scare in Yucatan.

Mexico City, July 30.—Great alarm exists in the town of Yaxacata, in the state of Yucatan, on account of the presence of hostile Indians. The town was the scene of several massacres in 1854, 1855 and 1869, and was valiantly defended in 1859. Yucatan Indians from the swamps and forests are entire barbarians and supplied modern weapons and ammunition by British traders in the colony of Beliso.

Japan Preparing for Emergencies.

St. Petersburg, July 30.—Advices to the Novoe Vreyma from Vladivostock say Japan is assiduously raising her army and navy to a war footing. Two cruisers, bought in Peru, have already arrived, and the crews will soon be sent to England to bring out three ironclads, each of 13,000 tons, which have been ordered there. A strong and warlike temper prevails in Japan.

THE FOREIGN MARKETS.

Results of the English Elections Expected to Have a Good Effect.

London, July 30.—The return of the strong unionist parliament must sooner or later have a strengthening influence on the stock market, but for the present this feeling is overborne by the desire to close accounts for the holidays, and by the anxiety respecting the situation in Eastern Europe and the plethoric condition of the money market, which will be increased by the decision of the Japanese government to have the indemnity from China paid to the London account. Prices have experienced a slight setback almost all around. Colonial securities were suppressed on banking difficulties in Australia. Bulgarian and Turkish securities were rather heavy. The new Brazilian loan has fallen rather flat, being quoted at a slight discount. Rumors of the passing of the next dividend on Canadian Pacific preferred, and the consequent heavy selling, depressed all Canadians. Mines have been irregular. Americans, without being very active, were only strong, the market showing an advance all around on favorable Atchison reports. The advances were: Atchison mortages, 3; Atchison shares, 2; Lake Shore, 1 7-8; Wabash preferred, 1 1-8; Illinois Central and Northern Pacific preferred, 1.

WAR IN MACEDONIA.

Turkish Troops Defeated and Their Quarters Burned.

London, July 30.—The correspondent of the Chronicle at Constantinople says:

"The Macedonians, after a sharp conflict with the Turkish troops, have captured Nevrcop. The victors burned the telegraph station and the Turkish quarters."

The Vienna correspondent of the Chronicle says:

"According to the statement of the Roumanian minister at Constantinople, many insurgents in Macedonia were found to be Russian officers. The porte intends to send the documents found in their possession to the powers as proof that the Macedonian uprising is due to Russian agents and money."

The Chronicle also had an editorial on the above information, with regard to affairs in the Bakans, as menacing the peace of Europe. It says:

"We see no way out of the trouble, except by summoning another congress. Failing in this, we may expect atrocities in Macedonia and Abania."

An Old Negro Lynched.

Meridan, Miss., July 30.—Charlie Burwell, colored, about 65 years of age, was lynched near here last night. It was thought that he was connected in the Farmer outrage, which occurred near where he was hanged. The night of July 4 Lewis Farmer and his wife, who run a small store about two miles from here, were murderously assaulted and left for dead, after which their store was robbed. Later developments seem to fasten the lynching on the real culprits, since it is learned that the old negro Burwell was promised a reward to ferret out the guilty parties. This became known to those concerned in the Farmer outrage, and they are thought to have made away with Burwell.

Japanese Soldiers Killed.

Yokohama, July 30.—A train bearing 400 Japanese soldiers, who landed at Hiroshima, on their return from the war, while en route to Kobe ran off the rails, where the line is constructed along a sea wall. Plunging over the wall, the first section of the train was thrown into the sea. It consisted of twenty-three cars and two engines, one in front and one in the rear. A gale prevailed at the time and immense waves washed over the railway track. When the train reached the most exposed part it was very dark. A succession of heavy breakers struck the train and cut it in two. The first engine with eleven cars fell into the sea. It is stated the killed number fourteen.

Montana Opposed to Consolidation.

Helena, Mont., July 30.—A number of conferences have been held by business men and shippers of Montana to see what measures should be taken to thwart the proposed consolidation of the Great Northern and Northern Pacific railroads. Governor Richards has expressed a willingness to call an extra session of the legislature, if necessary, to prevent the consolidation. There is strong constitutional prohibition of the combination of parallel railways, and the legislature may forfeit the charter of any corporation offending in this respect.

Must Be Again Divorced.

Guthrie, O. T., July 30.—The suit to test divorces granted by the probate judges of Oklahoma has been decided by the supreme court adversely to the judges and the divorces, the court affirming its former decisions on the subject, denying the right of probate judges to grant divorces, and declaring all such null and void, and any subsequent marriages of the parties illegal. Hundreds of Eastern people who have secured divorces from probate courts will be compelled to have their cases retried in the district courts.

The Sokoto Long Overdue.

San Francisco, July 30.—The British ship Sokoto left Liverpool for this port 170 days ago, and nothing has been heard of her for weeks. She was last spoken off the Horn by the Dumcliff, a vessel which arrived in London several weeks ago. At this season of the year head winds and calms on this coast are not very unusual, and it may be that the Sokoto is delayed by encountering some of them. Nothwithstanding the uncertainty of the season, much anxiety is felt for the safety of the Sokoto.

To Navigate the Valkyrie.

London, July 30.—The Telegraph says: The Valkyrie III will be navigated by Captain Harrison, of the Allan line's Corean, who was granted special leave for the purpose. Superintendent Cranfield and Captain Sycamore are on board. The Valkyrie is provided with enough berths to accommodate sixty men. The crew and tons of stores on board did not show so much free board, but laid on even keel, and looked very seaworthy. It is expected the voyage will occupy twenty days.

MASSACRE HAS BEGUN

Everyone in Jackson's Hole Country Murdered.

BAD NEWS FROM MARKET LAKE

All Men, Women and Children in the Settlement Killed—Indians Have Just Begun Their Work.

Denver, July 29.—The News has the following from its correspondent at Market Lake, Idaho:

M. J. Gray, L. M. Earl and Senator Hamer, of Illinois, and T. R. Hamer, of St. Anthony, all left St. Anthony Wednesday morning on a fishing trip to Jackson's Hole, taking no stock in the Indian war. Today they are back, and report every man, woman and child in Jackson's Hole murdered. One of the News' couriers, just returned, got far into the Teton basin, which is the present point in danger of massacre, now that the Jackson's Hole citizens are all butchered. He reports that the smoke of a large fire can today be seen several miles south of the Grand Teton, in the direction of Jackson's Hole. There is no doubt that the redskins have fired every home and cabin there, and by morning they will be repeating their work this side of the Teton range, in Teton basin, and perhaps after that all down the Teton river valley, in Idaho. Two hundred Utes were reported to have gone north to join the Indians in Hoback basin early this week. Small parties of Lemhis have been slipping daily across the Conant trail, something they have not ventured to do since the Yellowstone National Park was enlarged in 1891.

People in St. Anthony, Roxburg and other towns located in Idaho between the railroad and Jackson's Hole have been all along placing no credence in the "Indian scare," as they called it.

Pocatello, Idaho, July 29.—William Ross, of the firm of Ross, Grey & Wyatt, has just arrived at Market Lake from St. Anthony, and reports everybody in Jackson's Hole killed this morning. It is considered authentic news, and excitement is intense. The United States troops from Cheyenne will arrive in the city in the morning at 6 o'clock, and will leave at once for Market Lake, and thence by wagon road for the Fall river country. Courier Sargent arrived in Market Lake this morning from the vicinity of Jackson's Hole. He left a companion in the country, who intended proceeding into the Hole if possible and return with the news. He is expected at Market Lake tonight. Sargent reports all the passes guarded, and is afraid his companion will not be able to make an entrance.

A band of Bannock Indians, under the leadrship of Jim Ballard, has started north toward the seat of the trouble. If they reach the belligerents in Fall River valley before the troops get there, and they undoubtedly will, the result may be disastrous. Ballard's band is composed of the worst element of the Bannnock tribe.

Omaha, July 29.—Union Pacific headquarters were notified tonight by the company's superintendent at Pocatello of the receipt of a telegram from the Union Pacific agent at Market Lake that all the Jackson's Hole settlers had been massacred by the Indians, their stock killed and their homes burned. The agent declares the information is perfectly reliable.

Death of "Father" Gray.

San Francisco, July 29.—Father Samuel Gray, the old man who fought the legal battle for the Salvation Army in Victoria, B. C., died suddenly at the Rescue home in Fruitvale. Gray was well known in Salvation Army circles. He was a rich man in Victoria, and had money invested in various enterprises. A few years ago war was waged on the Salvation Army in Victoria and the organization had a hard time to carry on the legal battle. Gray finally came to the rescue of the organization and spent a large sum of money to carry on the contest before the courts. The result was the Salvation Army was enabled to become firmly established in Victoria. The soldiers in the army thereafter referred to the rich man as "Father Gray," and by that name he has been known to all the members on the Pacific coast.

More Revenue for Chicago.

Chicago, July 29.—City Collector Maas has found a way to make banks help support the city government. According to an old ordinance, which has never been enforced, among those compelled to pay license fees to the city for the privilege of doing business, are "banks, brokers, commission merchants, grain and produce dealers, real estate and insurance agents." National banks are exempt, but notices have gone to all the others. The fee is $25 a year. This means an additional revenue of $20,000.

Another Chance for England.

London, July 29.—The correspondent of the Times at Alexandria informs that paper that at the funeral of a British soldier at Cairo a mob of natives hooted and stoned a military detachment for half a mile, and mobbed the chaplain. Great Britain will demand satisfaction.

Riots in Hungary.

Vienna, July 29.—Riots have occurred at an election for magistrate at Magyasse, Hungary. Peasants stormed the town hall, and gendarmes fired upon the rioters' force. Four were killed, twenty were wounded and thirty arrested.

Wages Raised on the "Soo" Line.

Minneapolis, July 27.—The "Soo" road has raised the pay of its engineers and brakemen to the schedule in force prior to August, 1893. Similar restoration of pay will be granted other classes of employes.

A Swimming Record Broken.

Santa Cruz, Cal., July 30.—In the seventy-five yard swimming race at the plunge baths last night between Dan Renear, of San Francisco, and Clyde Hawthorne, champion of Santa Cruz, the latter won; time, 0:48 3-5. This breaks the world's record by four seconds.

JACK BRADY CAUGHT.

The Murderer and Trainrobber in Jail in Sacramento.

Sacramento, July 29.—The capture of Jack Brady, bandit, murderer and farmer's boy, near Sacramento, naturally created quite a sensation here, and large crowds of people were in and about Sheriff Johnson's office all afternoon, hoping for a chance to see the noted criminal. But few persons had their desires gratified, however, for after Detective Thacker, of the Wells-Fargo Company, appeared upon the scene, he put a stop to any further free exhibitions. If he had permitted it, Brady would have spun off yard after yard of stories about himself, for he is considerable of an egotist. Yet he tells his tale in such a matter-of-fact way that a person cannot put him up as a braggart.

Local police officers and the detectives of the railroad and express companies are considerably chargrined over the fact that the trainrobber, for whom they have been hunting for months, has spent several days in this city and in Stockton at various times.

"How do you do, Mr. Thacker," he said to the well-know detective as that gentleman stepped into the sheriff's office this afternoon

"How do you know my name?" asked Thacker.

"Oh, I was in a saloon near the corner of Third and K streets, in this city, a few weeks ago, when you came in. Someone remarked, 'There's Thacker,' and I ducked out of the place."

Brady says he lodged here for a week, and was at Stockton about three weeks. Near the latter place he bought a horse and cart with the intention of leaving the country. At the time he had over $300, and now regrets that he did not board a train and ride out. He feels confident no one would have noticed him. His capture, which was made by Deputy Sheriff McDonald and William A. Johnston, under a bridge near Franklin, in this county, was an easy one. They got the drop on him while he was hiding under a bridge, and he had to surrender. Yesterday he was driven by hunger into the little town of Freeport, and the officers were notified. Detective William Ahearn, of the railroad service, who has been on Brady's trail for several weeks, is given much credit for the fact that he notified the local officials a few days ago to be on the lookout for him. Ahearn was close upon him when he stole a horse near Biggs. Brady had worked in that neighborhood, and knew just where to get a horse and what one to take.

The story of his wanderings up and down the Sacramento valley and his fight with the Shasta county officers is a thrilling tale. He says the officers who fired upon him near Cottonwood wounded him in the side. He did not shoot at them at all, he says. His gun was accidentally discharged by being caught in some brush, and they ran away.

"I would have winged them," he said, "but I thought I would let them go."

With respect to the identification of Brady with Browning, at Golden Gate Park, San Francisco, and the murder of Stagg some time ago, Brady declared that that was all wrong, as he was not with Browning at the time alleged. He did not deny acquaintanceship with the dead bandit, Browning, and made admissions as to his whereabouts from time to time. He insisted, however, that he had nothing to do with the train-robbery. He asserted that he fell out with Browning several days before the robbery. The detectives, however, declare that they have traced Brady's footsteps, and they will have a complete case against him.

Dashed Into the Ocean.

Fernandina, Fla., July 29.—Chased by a posse, with the bay of bloodhounds sounding nearer, and with every avenue of escape shut off, four negro outlaws dashed into the ocean near Fort George last night and were drowned. The victims were Tudor Brown, Willie Cook, Sam Echols and John Armstrong. They were desperate characters who broke jail at Fernandina Sunday night and hid in the scrub along the beach. Sheriff Higginbotham determined to hunt them down. The negroes were discovered on the beach, and when called upon to surrender refused. Then the bloodhounds were unlashed and the deputies closed in and began firing. The negroes stood as if dazed for a moment, and then rushed into the ocean. In the faint moonlight they were seen bobbing up and down on the waves and then disappeared.

International Geographical Congress.

London, July 29.—The international geographical congress was formally opened today by the Duke of York, who is honorary president of the society, and who delivered an address of welcome to the delegates. Each batch of delegates, headed by the ambassador or diplomatic representative of the country from which they came, was introduced to the Duke of York, who was accompained by Sir Charles Tupper, Canadian high commissioner in London, and other colonial dignitaries. The meetings of the congress are to last eight days.

The Dallas Coliseum.

Dallas, July 29.—The final settling upon Dallas as the place of the big fight was the theme of all tongues today. The contract for the coliseum will be let today, and work will begin as soon as material begins to arrive from the East Texas sawmill. There is not enough lumber in town to build it, hence one or two sawmills will be called into service. The athletic club has received a letter from a New York bank president asking for tickets for a party of twenty Wall street operators. Another letter asks for fifty seats for members of the Chicago board of trade.

Mrs. Fair's Estate.

San Francisco, July 29.—The administrators of Mrs. Theresa Fair's estate have made affidavits that the personal property of the estate in California is worth only $3,000. The assessor has included railroad bonds and assessed the estate at $1,500,000. The executors are John W. Mackay and Richard V. Dey.

Cholera in Russia.

Berlin, July 29.—Cholera is raging in Molpania, Russia, near the Austrian frontier, which is southeast of the government of Molpania.

SCHOONER FIRED UPON

American Vessel Stopped by a Spanish Gunboat.

TWO SHOTS WERE FIRED AT HER

The Carrie E. Lane Was Boarded by Marines in Cuban Waters, but Was Not Searched.

Breakwater, Del., July 26.—Captain Quick, of the schooner Carrie E. Lane, upon her arrival here tonight, had a tale to tell about a thrilling encounter in Cuban waters with a Spanish gunboat. Two shots were fired at the Lane by the man-of-war, and one of the schooner's men narrowly escaped being killed by one of them. The vessel was made to have to and give an account of herself before being allowed to proceed.

The schooner was off Cape Antonio and making good time before a stiff breeze, when, on the 14th inst., she sighted a steamer flying the Spanish flag following her. While he was making up his mind what course to pursue, a puff of smoke curled over the stranger's port bow, and a round shot whistled uncomfortably close to the schooner's mainmast, plunging into the water on the lee quarter. Captain Quick gave the order to haul in sail and bring the vessel to. While this was being done, one of the crew ran out on the bowsprit. As he stood there the gun on the Spanish warship boomed again, and another shot sped on its way toward the American craft, this time coming so close to her that the sailor on the bowsprit swears he distinctly felt the wind caused by its rapid flight. The Lane soon came to a dead stop, and the gunboat drew up under her quarter.

A boat was lowered and four Spanish marines, under the command of a lieutenant in the Spanish navy, came aboard. They were fully armed, and their leader politely lifted his hat and demanded to know from what port the Lane had sailed and whither she was bound. Captain Quick gave the required information and no further search was made. The vessel was permitted to continue on her course without further molestation.

Captain Quick says he could not get the name of the gunboat. He adds that after the first shot was fired at the Lane he caused the stars and stripes to be hoisted, but the only response the Spanish made was the second shot. The gunboat did not hoist her colors until after the first shot was fired. William Quick reached here tonight and wired his agents in Philadelphia and will await advices from them before determining whether to consider the action of the Spaniards as an outrage.

Spanish Captain Probably Right.

Washington, July 26.—The government officials here have received no information regarding the firing on the schooner Carrie Lane by a Spanish war vessel off Cape Antonio. The general opinion of naval officers who read the report of the affair described by Captain Quick is that the Spaniard did not exceed his authority in overhauling the schooner, if the latter was in the territory of Cuba. The Spanish government is menaced by the danger of landing filibustering expeditions on the Cuban coast, and in exerting itself to prevent such landing has a right to overhaul and learn the character of any vessel within the three mile limit that might be expected of having on board those entertaining designs against the government or a cargo intended for the insurgents. Captain Quick's story shows he paid no attention to the man-of-war for an hour or more. This, it is said, probably caused the captain of the latter to believe the schooner was engaged in filibustering methods, and prompted him to take decisive action in preventing her escape.

The Bloomer's Blight.

St. Louis, July 27.—Bloomers and the bicycle have disturbed the peace again, this time in the Young Ladies' Sodality of St. Bridget's parish. Two of the young ladies belonging to the sodality have bought wheels, and the inevitable bloomers are said to have immediately followed. At this juncture the Rev. Dr. Thomas Walsh stepped in and interposed an objection. Bloomers are said to have been denounced by the young divine as a menace to the modesty and true womanliness which has always characterized the sodality girls.

Alleged Gold-Bar Thieves.

San Diego, Cal., July 26.—A dispatch from Ensenada says that Manuel Riveroll, who has been in jail there several months on a charge of stealing a gold bar valued at $13,000, will be liberated today, on orders received from the City of Mexico. The evidence against him is very weak. Allan Pratt and J. E. Garratt, also accused with Riveroll, will not be freed at present. The gold bar has never been found.

Speedy Justice.

Victoria, B. C., July 26.—Richard Blythe, arrested ten days ago for inducing Belle Rockford to leave her home at Port Hadlock, was speedily tried this morning before Chief Justice Davie, and convicted of abduction and at once sentenced to five years' imprisonment. This is the limit of the law, and the chief justice said he would have given him the limit if it had been ten.

Jewelry Company's Manager Gone.

Denver, July 26.—It is believed that Frederick L. Smith, the missing manager of the John W. Knox Jewelry Company and son-in-law of Mr. Knox, has gone to Japan. Benedict & Phelps, attorneys for Knox, say Smith ran the company into debt $40,000, but just how does not appear. They also say he raised $25,000 before his departure, putting up the company's diamonds as collateral.

No Evidence Against the Kindlings.

Seattle, July 26.—The preliminary examination of Fred and Charles Kindling, on the charge of murdering Ransom Stokes at Sunnydale, took place today. The evidence of the state failed utterly to connect the defendants with the crime in any way, so they were discharged.

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