

THE GOLD CURE MAN. Dr. Leslie E. Keeley and His Secret

THE STORY OF COLONEL MINES.

He Appears as a Champion of the Bicentennial of Gold Cure, and Writes of His Own Cure—Then He Relapses, and Dies in the Hospital.

Few men have the same degree of newspaper notice as Dr. Leslie E. Keeley, of Dwight, Ill.

The treatment followed remains a secret with Dr. Keeley. It is known as the bichloride of gold cure, and is applied by means of hypodermic injections and draughts.

The doctor is of Irish extraction. His early years were spent in St. Lawrence county, New York.

The relapse into drunkenness of Col. John E. Mines, the literary champion of the use of the gold cure or dipoman, and his death in the workhouse hospital caused a great deal of talk.

Many of Dr. Keeley's patients have been persons of some prominence and have sought to him without incurring the expense of a long journey.

How far the general belief in the treatment will be affected by Mines' relapse it is hard to tell.

It is unquestionably true that physicians generally have regarded Dr. Keeley's cure with suspicion.

Dr. George F. Shrady, editor of the Medical Record, said yesterday: "The case of Colonel Mines will, I believe, kill popular confidence in the treatment."

the notion that the doctors who expressed disbelief were jealous. But when so serious a matter as this is to be considered wise physicians are conservative.

Colonel Mines' case was prolonged since during the last week in October, and on November 5th he died at the workhouse hospital on Blackwell's Island.

When he returned from the West in May last he engaged rooms for himself and his 16-year-old son on East Eighth street.

"I was shocked to see him," she said. "He was dirty and ragged and unable to stand on each side of him was holding him up."

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SACRAMENTO, CAL., Nov. 16.—Assemblyman Bremer appeared before the supreme court this morning to urge his petition for a writ to prohibit Judge Wallace from proceeding in trying the charges of perjury and bribery taking.

BIG ST. LOUIS FIRE.

Heroic Fight by the Firemen Against High Wind Saves the City—Two Men Injured—The Fire Finally Bright Under Control.

ST. LOUIS, Nov. 18.—The most disastrous fire which has visited St. Louis in many years, started in the furnace room of the large dry goods house of Penny & Gentles, southwest corner of Broadway and Franklin avenue, about 4:30 this morning.

On Franklin avenue, opposite Penny and Gentles, the whole row, from Broadway to the alley, was badly damaged. Adjoining Crawford's, on Broadway, the following business houses were burned out: McDonald Bros., hats; G. Clements, shoes; Charles Stix, gentlemen's furnishing and cloaks; Mrs. Tobin, millinery; F. Wendell & Co., New York Millinery Company, Square Dealing Company and the Weinman houses.

The fire has burned itself out. The firemen deserve great credit for their noble work, considering the high wind.

James Warder Speaks of the Output for This Year.

SAN FRANCISCO, Nov. 17.—James Warder, of the Big Blue Canon coal mine at Bellingham, Wash., Washington, has arrived here.

A Worcester Dealer's View of the Case of James Sullivan, charged with the murder of Michael Shelley, returned a verdict of guilty.

An Organized Movement to Rid a Nation of Opium.

NEW YORK, Nov. 17.—George Stratton, who has been fasting for more than 40 days at Huber's museum, exhibited every symptom of heart failure yesterday.

GAVESION PAPERS. SAN FRANCISCO, Nov. 17.—When a dispatch was received from St. Louis yesterday announcing that the Transcontinental Association refused to endorse the \$50 rate guaranteed by the Southern Pacific.

THE MALE MORNINGS. SAN FRANCISCO, CAL., Nov. 17.—Forecast for Oregon and Washington: Scattering rains in the north and west.

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BIG BROOKLYN FIRE.

Twenty Tenement Houses Consumed in Their Entirety—Neighbors Frantically Attempted to Rescue—The Death List Will Probably Grow Longer.

BROOKLYN, Nov. 17.—Six persons are believed to have perished in a tenement house at No. 120 Nostrand avenue, which was destroyed by the fire.

LATER NEWS ADDS TO THE HORROR. NEW YORK, Nov. 17.—Half a dozen or more lives were lost early this morning by a fire in a row of frame buildings in Brooklyn.

A Patent that Will Likely Greatly Aid Communication.

WASHINGTON, D. C., Nov. 17.—Today the United States patent office issued a patent to Emile Berliner, assignor to the Bell Telephone Company.

Blizzard Raging in Wisconsin. ASHLAND, Wis., Nov. 17.—A heavy blizzard raged in Northern Wisconsin last night, the wind blowing a gale and the snow drifting.

Merced, Cal., Nov. 17.—The jury in the case of James Sullivan, charged with the murder of Michael Shelley, returned a verdict of guilty.

Butte, Mont., Nov. 17.—A well organized movement has been inaugurated here to rid the town of the Chinese element.

Afraid of Brazilian Securities. LOSDON, Nov. 17.—British merchants are receiving many Brazilian orders for machinery, apparatus, etc.

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FIRE IN MINNEAPOLIS.

The wholesale house of the Minneapolis Glass Company and warehouse of Lindsay Bros. agricultural implements were burned this morning.

A Detective's Story. NEW YORK, Nov. 17.—A sensation that threatens to be far more than a nine days' wonder occurred at the barge office yesterday.

NEW HART, Ont., Nov. 17.—Jack Harris, the Great Falls gambler, who shot and probably fatally wounded Marahal Treat and Joseph Lassar, at that city, on the depot platform at New Hart, was taken from jail yesterday by a crowd of indignant citizens and hanged.

London, Nov. 17.—A bulletin issued from the Marlborough house this morning states that Prince George passed a good night.

PHILADELPHIA, Nov. 17.—Florence, the actor who is lying seriously ill here with pneumonia, passed a telegram on Monday night and his condition this morning is slightly improved.

RIO GRANDE CITY, Nov. 16.—Captain John G. Burke, of Fort Ringgold, and Deputy United States Marshal John Duran arrived here at 2 p. m. November 14, after a 30-hour arrest at Paso and Cerrillo, Mexico.

AT PASSO, 30 miles from Guerrero, a drunken militiaman, a State ranger, arrested them on suspicion and would listen to no explanation.

AT 8 O'CLOCK in the morning they were started to Cerrillo, reaching it at noon.

WASHINGTON, Nov. 16.—Argument was begun in the United States supreme court today in the anti-lottery cases.

PHILADELPHIA, Nov. 17.—It noon W. J. Florence's physicians had a consultation at the conclusion of which it was stated that the patient is in an extremely critical condition.

PALO ALTO HOSTS THE WORLD'S STATION RECORD. STOCKTON, CAL., Nov. 17.—Marvin drove Palo Alto, the game Electioneer steeplechase, today, breaking the world's steeplechase record.

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LOVELL DIAMOND CYCLES.

Advertisement for Lovell Diamond Cycles, featuring various models and prices, and a list of accessories like tires and chains.

Advertisement for New England Pianos, highlighting their quality and variety of models.

Advertisement for the Leffel Water Wheel & Engine Co., promoting their water wheels and engines.

Advertisement for Dr. Acker's Blood Elixir, listing its benefits for various ailments like skin diseases and general weakness.

Advertisement for Anderson's Shoemaker's Guide, a manual for shoemakers.

Advertisement for Frazer Axle Grease, describing its use and benefits for machinery.

Advertisement for Indiana Range Co., a manufacturer of wrought steel ranges.

Advertisement for Indiana Range Co., Evansville, Ind., providing contact information and details about their products.

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