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CONFESSED TO MURDER.

Cedar Falls, Feb. 18—When Mort Truesdell, of Kenosha, Wis., confessed at a revival meeting to the murder of a man named Sheldon, at Leadville, Colo., September 10, 1890, he said: "I have been trying to lead a Christian life for several years, but have been conscious all the time that I was a great sinner. I am guilty of murder and ready to surrender myself to the officers. I want to serve the Lord, and cannot do it without leaving off this awful burden."

To a reporter Truesdell afterward made the following confession: "I first met the man I murdered at Springfield, Ill., the 23th day of July, 1890. He and I traveled from there to Colorado together. I had been a private detective in Wisconsin. I was still a detective, but had no authority outside of that state. The fellow's name was Bill Sheldon or Shelton, I don't know which. At Tennessee Pass I was taken sick with mountain fever. I was sick only one night. Sheldon was then with me, and while I was in bed he rifled my pockets, taking some private letters which contained matter showing I was a detective. I did not know he took the letters until we had trouble the next day. In the morning we started afoot for Leadville. When within a few miles of that city I gave out and could go no further. Sheldon began swearing at me and spoke of the letters he had taken from my pockets.

"He said he had found out that I was a detective, and would give him the worst of it for the crooked cases he had told me of. He became enraged, and as he came in front of me with a knife, I pulled a revolver and shot him in the head. I fired two shots. The first bullet struck him in the temple. The other took effect in the back of the head. After the shooting, I laid down the revolver by Sheldon's side, and took the knife and a watch and rode into Leadville with a farmer. I do not know whether the body was ever found or not."

FITZSIMMONS IS PLEASSED.

El Paso, Tex., Feb. 18—Fitzsimmons, after reading the interview given in Chicago yesterday by James J. Corbett, and learning that he could have a fight with the latter before a London club, exclaimed: "That suits me: I will fight Corbett anywhere and at any time. All I ask is that we be secure against interference. I would be ready for him the day after the Maher fight, if he were here and ready to fight."

Practically all the sporting men have left the city, and only the correspondents are now waiting the big fight. Fitzsimmons has resumed training, but will do only light work. He is in splendid condition.

Governor Ahumada left Juarez last night for Chihuahua after making this solemn declaration: "Should the fighters give battle on Chihuahua soil I will arrest the principles, betters, spectators and newspaper correspondents, and not one will escape a three years' sentence in prison."

How to Prevent Croup.

Croup is a terror to young mothers and to post them concerning the cause, first symptoms and treatment is the object of this item. The origin of croup is a common cold. Children who are subject to it take cold very easily and croup is almost sure to follow. The first symptom is hoarseness; this is soon followed by a peculiar rough cough, which is easily recognized and will never be forgotten by one who has heard it. The time to act is when the child first becomes hoarse. If Chamberlain's Cough Remedy is freely given all tendency to croup will soon disappear. Even after the croupy cough has developed it will prevent the attack. There is no danger in giving this remedy for it contains nothing injurious.

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America's Great Danger

AN ENGLISH COMMENTARY.

Said an eminent English scientist recently: "The danger that confronts the great American people today is not the possible adoption of a wrong financial policy for the nation, or the spread of socialism, or the increase of corruption among public men. All these are bad enough, to be sure, but they are as nothing compared to the terrible national disease—I had almost said national crime—of overwork. The mad rush for wealth is set at a killing pace, and thousands fall by the way every year."

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