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DEATH CRIES AND LAUGHTER.

On the 263rd day after that December afternoon on which 600 lives were lost in the Iroquois theater the building was reopened as a playhouse.

And it was packed to the roof.

What a strange mystery is the human mind! How shallow, after all, is human sentiment! Says an exchange.

Outside he packed theatre that rang with merry songs and jest and laughter another great crowd clustered and lingered, gazing into the electric-lighted cavern of the foyer. A workman shook his fist toward the glare of lights and cursed the playhouse, its proprietors and all connected with it.

"My wife and my sister-in-law were burned to death in that place," he said with a sob in his voice to the policeman who ordered him to move on.

From inside the brilliantly-lighted and gorgeously-decorated place came the sound of laughter and cheer. One man is said to have sought the same seat he occupied on the night of the dreadful disaster.

In the days immediately following the Iroquois fire it was universally agreed that it would forever be impossible to reopen the theater, even under a different name. It was thought to be inconceivable that human beings could ever resort for pleasure to a place that had been the scene of such a horror.

But business men seem to have taken a more correct estimate of human sentiment.

An eminent psychologist has sought to explain the meaning of this change of feeling. But the best he can do is tell us that sentiment is subject to change.

Why did the public say that it would never enter the door of the building, and why does it crowd through the doors? The mind expert's only answer is that perhaps the mind of man is affected more by time than we are aware of.

The afflicted one believes that he will never again be able to be happy, that he will ever be weighed down by the thought of his great loss. As the days go by the burden becomes lighter and finally is nothing but a memory, with an occasional sigh. Indeed, the sorrow itself may be the source of pleasure. Even Homer knew that man "rejoices in his tears." We take pleasure in thinking of the hardships and afflictions which we have endured. The "luxury of grief" is no fiction.

No explanation is needed. Every heart has learned how short is the step from the grave to gay.

RURAL FREE DELIVERY.

An item in our budget of expenses which cannot be overlooked by the voters is the money spent for rural free delivery. The importance of this to the farmer can hardly be estimated, and it may safely be said that the larger the amount of the appropriation for this purpose, the greater will be the gain, not to the farmer alone, but to the city man.

The farmer's hard time have hitherto been largely due to the fact that the smaller farmers were obliged to compete with the big ranchowners, and not infrequently could not sell their produce in the nearest city as cheaply as the city dweller could obtain it from wholesale dealers ordering their produce by the railroad from a distance, while the ranchowner has been obliged to take risks enough to make up for his occasional large profits. Now, however, the smaller farmers are applying scientific methods to their work, and endeavoring to regain their lost markets; and in order to do this they must be able to keep in constant touch with the cities. They cannot do this so long as they are liable to a delay of from three hours to twenty-four in getting their mail. To send each day to the post-office means great loss of time, yet most of them do it rather than risk the loss of orders, or the inconvenience which arises from delay in receiving letters. Rural free delivery means the simplifying of this whole problem, to the convenience of everybody.

A POLITICAL ROMANCE.

"I hear that Miss Western's engagement is broken."

"Yes; it was quite sudden."

"The engagement or the break?"

"Both; the engagement made the family jump, and when they sat down they sat on the idea."

"How was that?"

"Well, you see, Judge Parker had good business reasons for wishing to stand well wies Wall street, and he naturally felt rather cautious about courting Miss Western at the same time, so he allowed his bosom friend, Dave Hill, to manage the affair for him."

"ort of Cyrano game, eh?"

"Precisely. Well, Hill knew that Miss Western and her people wouldn't stand for any nonsense; so he said nothing about the previous engagement and led them to think that the Judge had never been really and truly in love before."

"Did they find out?"

"You wait and see. After the engagement had been announced and congratulations were in order, somebody happened to mention Miss Wallstreet to the Judge, and he said, so that everybody heard him:

"She is the only woman I ever really loved."

"It must have been hard of the Western girl."

"It was; and it was the kind of episode you can't hush up. So they let it go on until the day of the wedding, and then, when the Judge and his best man were all ready and waiting, the bride failed to appear."

"Eloped with another?"

"Not at all; she simply staid at home!"

HERE AND THERE

An invasion of mice is reported from all parts of South Australia, owing, it is said, to the large quantities of wheat left on the ground during the recent unfavorable harvest weather.

The most frequented lake in Europe is the Lake of Lucerne. Last year 20 steamboats plied on it and carried 1,529,000 passengers and over one thousand tons of baggage and freight.

Among those who are gathering bees' stings for medical purposes is William Seiser, of Jenkinton, Pa. To collect bee stings by letting an indignant bee sting your arm seems a painful if not heroic method, but Mr. Seiser declares that it is not even uncomfortable.

Surakarta is the paradise of umbrellas. They are carried proudly over the heads of every official and every nobleman; but invariably are shut at the approach of a person of higher rank, and inside the kraton no umbrella may be carried open, except that of the Emperor himself.

A bond of friendship for mutual benefit has sprung up between the younger members of the Cocopa Indians and the Patagonians at the world's fair. Cocopas are experts with the bow and arrow and their neighbors are past masters with lasso and bolas. Each tribe has been giving the other lessons in the art of using these weapons.

A representative collection of sapphires from the famous Toco Gulch mine, Fergus county, Montana, is exhibited in Montana's section in the Palace of Mines and Metallurgy at the world's fair.

A United States flag made entirely of corn husks, the work of the High School girls of Achen county, Kansas, floats over that state's exhibit in the Palace of Agriculture at the world's fair.

A California woman, Miss Mabel Adams Ayer, of San Francisco, has succeeded in training a number of butterflies. Sugar and water are the ingredients and the little winged pets go through quite a few cute performances.

The business in children's tin soldiers has increased about fifty per cent in the last three months. War news caused the increase.

Bordeaux (France) waiters are jubilant for henceforth they will be permitted to wear moustaches. The strike lasted only 24 hours.

Two million brick will be used in the new Rockefeller building in Cleveland; 40,000 square feet of glass will be put into windows, and the steel alone will cost \$130,000.

Co-operative stores play a perceptible part in supplying the necessities of life to the industrial classes in Germany, though they have not attained so large a development as in England, where they originated.

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Pendleton's Moral Wave.

The midnight and Sunday closing of saloons, the revoking of the license of any drinking place that permits women or minors to frequent its rooms, and opposition to the passage or enforcement of prohibition within the city of Pendleton are the principles of the Citizen's League, which came into temporary existence last week.

The membership of the Citizen's League is to consist of male property owners, saloon men excepted, in the city of Pendleton, over 21 years of age, and the object of the association shall be to assist the city and county officials in the proper enforcement of the laws.

No city or county or employe is eligible in the league.

THE PEOPLE ALL

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Daniel J. Coy, Special Agent

Allied Printing Trades.

St. Joseph, Mo., Oct. 3.—Several scores of delegates were present today at the opening of the state convention of the Allied Printing Trades. The sessions will continue until Thursday and will be devoted to the discussion of various subjects of importance to the craft.

Notice to Taxpayers.

Notice is hereby given that all taxes for the year 1903 must be paid by October 3, 1904, that being the time fixed by law for the roll to close. After that date additional penalty and interest will be added. W. J. CULVER, 9-29-04 Sheriff and Tax Collector.

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