

A MOTHER'S CRIME.

MAD INFANTICIDE LEADS TO AN AWFUL ACT.

She Drowns Her Son as Her Lover's Condition to a Marriage.

Mrs. Eliza Sage on the Stand to Convict Her Accomplice and Divorced Husband.

Mrs. Vandegrift, of Bordentown, N. J., Found Guilty of the Poisoning of Her Son for Insurance Money—A Secret Mail Service for Cronin Convicts Revealed—The Criminal Record.

WEATHER BULLETIN.

SIGNAL OFFICE, WICHITA, Kan., May 8.—The highest temperature was 70°, the lowest 49°, and the mean 64°.

WAR DEPARTMENT, WASHINGTON, D. C., May 8, 9 p. m.—Forecast until 8 p. m. Friday.

For Missouri—Warmer, higher southerly winds, increasing cloudiness, rain with local thunderstorm.

For Kansas—Increasing cloudiness with local storms, high southerly winds; colder Saturday morning.

SPECIAL BULLETIN. A storm center of considerable intensity has developed over the Rocky mountain region, a part of which is indicated by the isobars of 29.50 in western Kansas.

A MOTHER'S CONFESSION.

She Murders Her Child at a Man's Request.

MARION, Ind., May 8.—The introduction of evidence in the case of John Sage, charged with the murder of Henry Cunningham, was commenced yesterday.

She testified that she was 20 years of age; that she first met him in August, 1887; that soon after he commenced paying regular and devoted attention to her, and offered to marry her if her 2-year-old boy could be disposed of.

THEODORE THOMAS MARRIED. CHICAGO, Ill., May 8.—About 300 of the elite of Chicago and other cities were present at the wedding this evening of Miss Rose Fay, granddaughter of the late Right Rev. John Henry Hopkins, first Episcopal bishop of Vermont, and sister of C. N. Fay, the Chicago capitalist, and Theodore Thomas, the world-renowned composer and conductor.

AN OLD COMRADE OF PLUMB.

COLUMBIAN, Ill., May 8.—There died at an isolated farm house about two miles from this station recently an exceptionally tall, lean and attenuated old man whose statements and documents prove he had lived a history.

HILTON SUED FOR LIBEL.

NEW YORK, May 8.—Papers were served today upon ex-Judge Henry Hilton in New York by a suit for libel.

THE WAITERS NOW.

CHICAGO, Ill., May 8.—The colored waiters employed in Kinley's restaurant, against a strike, this morning, presented the demand for the removal of hours and wages, agreed upon by the waiters' union last night, and being denied.

COMPENSATION MINERS' DEMANDS.

NEW YORK, May 8.—The American Federation of Labor, president of the American Federation of Labor, was asked today about the statement of the same organization, to the effect that the coal miners would be next to demand eight hours.

PLUMBERS ON A STRIKE.

PITTSBURGH, Pa., May 8.—A strike of the plumbers in this city, which has about 300 members, is on the employment of apprentices.

THE SAWTELL MURDER.

BOSTON, Mass., May 8.—A Dover (N. H.) special says that County Solicitor John Kivel has received a letter from Dr. Charles Blood revealing his whereabouts with relatives near the Canadian line—and offering to become a witness in the trial of Isaac Sawtell for the murder of his brother Hiram Sawtell.

BASE BALL.

WESTERN ASSOCIATION. AT OMAHA.

Omaha, May 8.—18 1000 000 3-13 Denver, May 8.—12 000 221 0-11 Base hits—Omaha 10, Denver 11. Errors—Omaha 2, Denver 1. Pitchers—Somers and Kennedy.

AT ST. LOUIS.

St. Louis, May 8.—00 000 000 0-0 Kansas City, May 8.—00 000 000 1-1 Base hits—St. Louis City 3, Kansas City 5. Errors—St. Louis City 4, Kansas City 0. Pitchers—Devlin and Bell.

AT DES MOINES.

Des Moines, May 8.—03 000 000 0-5 Minneapolis, May 8.—10 111 001 0-4 Base hits—Des Moines 9, Minneapolis 6. Errors—Des Moines 4, Minneapolis 3. Pitchers—Hart and Mitchell.

AT ST. PAUL.

St. Paul, May 8.—02 114 000 1-9 Milwaukee, May 8.—20 000 000 4-8 Base hits—St. Paul 10, Milwaukee 8. Errors—St. Paul 12, Milwaukee 3. Pitchers—Maines and Davies.

NATIONAL LEAGUE. AT CHICAGO.

Chicago, May 8.—12 291 010-8 Cincinnati, May 8.—00 131 000-9 Base hits—Chicago 18, Cincinnati 12. Errors—Chicago 12, Cincinnati 11. Pitchers—Hutchinson and Vian.

AT CLEVELAND.

Cleveland, May 8.—14 110 010 0-9 Pittsburgh, May 8.—20 232 100 0-8 Base hits—Cleveland 8, Pittsburgh 6. Errors—Cleveland 6, Pittsburgh 6. Pitchers—Gilles and Sowers.

AT PHILADELPHIA.

Boston, May 8.—00 100 030 0-4 Philadelphia, May 8.—00 000 041 0-8 Base hits—Boston 11, Philadelphia 6. Errors—Boston 4, Philadelphia 4. Pitchers—Nichols and Vickery.

AMERICAN ASSOCIATION. AT TOLEDO.

Toledo, May 8.—01 310 000 1-7 Louisville, May 8.—00 010 010 0-1 Base hits—Toledo 3, Louisville 6. Errors—Toledo 3, Louisville 5. Pitchers—Cushman and Ebert.

AT COLUMBUS.

Columbus, May 8.—10 002 400 0-7 St. Louis, May 8.—00 000 021 0-6 Base hits—Columbus 5, St. Louis 1. Errors—Columbus 1, St. Louis 4. Pitchers—Gardner and Smith.

AT SYRACUSE.

Syracuse, May 8.—10 200 422 0-11 Rochester, May 8.—10 000 002 2-5 Base hits—Syracuse 12, Rochester 11. Errors—Syracuse 6, Rochester 6. Pitchers—Keefe and Fitzgerald.

PLAYERS' LEAGUE. AT CHICAGO.

Chicago, May 8.—525 104 030-20 Pittsburgh, May 8.—101 000 030-9 Base hits—Chicago 34, Pittsburgh 8. Errors—Chicago 1, Pittsburgh 3. Pitchers—King and Staley.

AT CLEVELAND.

Cleveland, May 8.—033 013 103-14 Buffalo, May 8.—200 010 002-5 Base hits—Cleveland 14, Buffalo 7. Errors—Cleveland 1, Buffalo 5. Pitchers—McGill and Hadcock.

AT BROOKLYN.

Brooklyn, May 8.—70 000 001 2-10 Boston, May 8.—00 000 034 1-11 Base hits—Brooklyn 11, Boston 5. Errors—Brooklyn 0, Boston 3. Pitchers—Weyhing and Dailey.

AT PHILADELPHIA.

Philadelphia, May 8.—112 044 101-14 New York, May 8.—00 032 000 0-5 Base hits—Philadelphia 16, New York 8. Errors—Philadelphia 2, New York 4. Pitchers—Knell and O'Day.

POSTPONED GAMES.

The New York and Brooklyn National League game was postponed on account of wet grounds.

The Athletic and Brooklyn American association games were postponed on account of wet grounds.

Prominent clergymen, physicians, and all classes of citizens are unanimous in the endorsement of Salvation Oil, the great cure for rheumatism.

ILLINOIS MINERS' STRIKE OVER.

CHICAGO, Ill., May 8.—An evening paper says: The strike of the coal miners in southern Illinois which has kept 15,000 unemployed for the past month, has been settled and the men will return to work Monday.

COLUMBIA, TEX., UNDER WATER.

COLUMBIA, Tex., May 8.—This town with the exception of one street is under water and railroad traffic is suspended.

A Woman's Strength.

A striking looking young woman came into Deimonico's yesterday. She was tall and of magnificent proportion, with fair hair and deep blue eyes—Brunhilde in a new spring gown.

A Petrified Priest.

While breaking new ground for a farm on the left bank of the Arkansas half a mile from Bonville, Colo., the laborers exhumed the petrified body of a man clothed in the habit of a Roman Catholic priest.

Blood Drinking in Paris.

Blood drinking is rather an unsavory medication. Every morning, however, fashionable ladies suffering from anemia go to the monumental slaughter house of La Villette, where they drink the blood of the Parisian victims.

THE SCENE WAS SPOILED.

A Star Fined Upon for His Acting is Obligated to Explain to the Excited Miners.

"We were playing in a small town, when in the seventies," said a theatrical man, "back our leading heavy man had a rather tough experience.

"Mercy" he roared. "You had no mercy for me, and I will have none for you."

"I tell you I won't have a man in my company who is so easily daunted. Go on your knees, or you leave the company tomorrow."

"That was serious. To be stranded in that foreign town was calculated to make the heavy man appreciate."

"He'd go back," he said. "I'll be going on, stepping down to the footlights with an injured expression of countenance, he said."

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IN AND ABOUT NEW YORK.

WESTERN JOURNALISTS ARE THERE IN PLENTY.

Marat Halstead's Connection with a Brooklyn Paper Suggests the Subject. Western Methods Certainly Dominate Metropolitan Newspaperdom at Present.

[Special Correspondence.]

NEW YORK, April 28.—Horace Greeley wrote few things that have been quoted more than his brief admonition, "Go west!" There has been, however, especially among journalists, in the tide of humanity which flows westward an eddy which has brought western men back to the east.

"Field Marshal" Halstead, though he has chosen to take a position in the suburbs instead of in the metropolis, will not find himself lonely. "The woods are full" of Western men in his own profession. In the mark and file—among the reporters—there are scores who have come here and succeeded, to say nothing of those who have failed, after a more or less successful experience on the Western papers.

The most conspicuous among them is Joseph Pulitzer, the editor and owner of The World. No man of this generation of workers has done so much to modify the methods of New York journalism as he.

Col. John A. Cockrell, who was Mr. Pulitzer's chief aid in St. Louis, came here with him and still retains the position of managing editor of The World, though he has by no means the relative power he had on the staff of The Post-Dispatch.

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OUR GREAT STRIKE

LACE CURTAIN SALE!

We advertised in last Sunday's papers a special sale for this week of Lace Curtains, and up to this time our success has been so great that we feel flattered and complimented.

Curtains for \$9.00, others are asking 15.00. Curtains for \$6.00, others are asking 10.00. Curtains for \$3.00, others are asking \$6.00.

Curtains for \$2.50, others are asking \$3.00. Curtains for \$1.50, others are asking \$2.50. No charge for the poles and fixtures.

THIS SALE LASTS THIS WEEK.

ARCADÉ!

139 North Main Street.

P. S. New Wraps and Capes just opened.

Grand Special Sale

TEN DOLLAR SUITS!

GRAB THEN UP FOR THEY ARE SURE TO FLY

You know what we have done for you in the past. Come and see what we can do for you now.

WE ARE GETTING WARMED UP

And propose to paint the town red with Bargains.

We will sell suits for \$10.00 which other dealers ask \$15.00, \$18.00 and \$20.00 for. Hold up your hands, competitors; we can down you in every department.

COLE & JONES,

THE ONE-PRICE CLOTHIERS.

208, 210 and 212 Douglas Avenue, Wichita, Kansas

Well Paid for Opening a Door.

A merchant residing in a village at some little distance from Berlin had the misfortune to stain the door of his safe with the key was inside.

Two well known young couples about town engaged in a joke several evenings ago that turned out to be serious.

One of the girls asked what they were and was informed that they were cousins.

The foolish girl swallowed two of them and gave two to her lady friend, who actually chewed them.

From the first girl swallowed two more and was the last of taking the first one of the young men discovered her.

Now a grain of morphine has proved fatal there was some talk of trying to keep the foolish girl from going to sleep.

Several doses of ipecac made her throw up the poison, but she was kept waking until a doctor in the morning before she was in condition to go home.

The girls will feel with things in a drug store to cure.—Cincinnati Enquirer.

Many Imitate, None Equal

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