

DEATH IN THE FLAMES.

Early Morning Fire in a Five-Story Tenement House.

FOUR AND POSSIBLY FIVE LIVES SACRIFICED.

Series of Frightful Accidents in a Funeral Procession at Altoona, Iowa—Stampee Among Carriage Horses, in Which One Man Was Killed outright, Four Persons Fatally Injured and a Score Badly Bruised.

Special to the RECORD-TRUST.

NEW YORK, Oct. 5.—Three persons were burned to death early this morning in a fire in a five-story brick tenement house in this city, and two others were fatally burned.

The dead are Mrs. Annie Murphy, aged 32; Miss Katie Dunn, aged 22; Josephine Ryan, aged five.

John and Martin Toohy, young sons of Mrs. Murphy by her first husband, were fatally injured, and Johnny died in great agony at 9 o'clock this morning.

Three policemen discovered the fire and immediately broke in the doors of the house. The flames and smoke drove them back. The only stairway in the house was on fire, and it was impossible for the inmates to escape in that way.

Nine families resided in the house, and each family had an average of three boarders, an aggregate of fifty persons. The policemen hastened to the fire-scene on the building, and aided men, women and children to descend. In this they were assisted by the firemen, who quickly answered the alarm. The firemen rescued several children, including one of the young children, who were almost overpowered by smoke and unable to help themselves.

One of the firemen on duty was fatally burned, and another of the women burned to death. He found his wife burned beyond recognition. Little Josephine Ryan, the dead woman's niece, died soon after being removed from the house. Katie Dunn was overcome by smoke and burned to death.

The fire broke out in an unoccupied woodhouse in the cellar, and police believe it was of incendiary origin.

SERIES OF ACCIDENTS.

One Killed, Four Fatally Injured and a Score Bruised.

DES MOINES (Ia.), Oct. 5.—A series of frightful accidents occurred in a funeral procession at Des Moines today, in which one man was killed outright, four persons were fatally injured, and a score bruised. A procession of forty carriages was following the remains of Nichols Hempstead from the church to the cemetery, located some distance from town.

While the procession was winding down a hill, a team in the rear of the cortege, frightened at a steam thrasher and started to run. The road was narrow and the team ran into and upset a dozen carriages, breaking six into splinters and scattering the occupants. Other teams started to run away, and a panic ensued. Many women jumped from their carriages, only to be trampled on by runaway teams.

After quiet was restored, it was found that Edwin Dressel of Altoona was killed, and Joseph Herdue of Grinnell, Mrs. J. O. Mason (aged 70 years), F. S. Sayre and Mrs. R. C. Lane of Newton were fatally injured, and a score of others were injured more or less.

CALIFORNIA FRUITS.

Fair Prices Obtained at Yesterday's Sales in the East.

NEW YORK, Oct. 5.—The Porter Brothers Company sold to-day at auction, for account of California Fruit Union shippers, Bartlett pears, \$2 85 to 47, average \$3; Winter Nellis pears, \$2 05; Grouse pears, \$2 20; Yellow pears, \$2 05; Heath Clings, \$1 15; Georgia Late Clings, \$1 25; Tokays, \$1 25; Muscats, \$1 25; Tokays, singles, \$1 10 to 15; coubles, \$2 05 to 30; Muscats, \$1 25; Cornish grapes, singles, \$1 25; double, \$1 35 to 45; Purple Damascus grapes, \$1 30; Japan plums, \$2 50.

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AT OMAHA.

OMAHA, Oct. 5.—The Porter Brothers Company, agents for the California Fruit Union, sold two cars of California fruit, realizing for peaches \$1 25; Muscats, \$1 25; Tokays, \$1 25; Black grapes, \$1 25.

AT KANSAS CITY.

KANSAS CITY, Oct. 5.—Ginochio Brothers, agents for the California Fruit Union, realized for Tokay grapes, single crates, \$1 60 to 75; single crates Muscats and other varieties, \$1 25 to 50.

AT ST. LOUIS.

ST. LOUIS, Oct. 5.—The Gerber Fruit Company, agents for the California Fruit Union, realized for Tokay grapes, \$3 00; Muscats, double crates, \$2 50 to 62 75.

ON THE TURF.

Results of Yesterday's Eastern Racing Events.

JEROME PARK, Oct. 5.—Six furlongs, Leonard won, Wrestler second, Sleipner third, Time, 1:16.

One mile, Peter won, Levonia second, Cracksman third, Time, 1:43.

One mile, Kitty T. won, Lizzie second, Bellevue third, Time, 1:43.

Seven furlongs, Azra won, St. Florian second, Dagonee third, Time, 1:30.

Five furlongs, Airplay won, Temple second, Hatto third, Time, 1:35.

Five furlongs, Holmdel Cotwon, Grand Prix second, Dago third, Time, 1:33.

Fourteen hundred yards, Busted won, Civil Service second, Roquetfort third, Time, 1:24.

AT CHICAGO.

CHICAGO, Oct. 5.—The track was fast. Six furlongs, Warren Island won, Leland second, Charley Ford third, Time, 1:13.

Six furlongs, Esperanza won, Anne Time, 1:13.

Second, Miss Patton third, Time, 1:13.

One mile and three-sixteenths, Silver Lake won, Quotation second, Cassell third, Time, 2:22.

One mile, Y Tambien won, Gulinda second, Bob Forester third, Time, 1:44.

One mile and a sixteenth, Lena Frey won, Big Tree second, Ed. Leonard third, Time, 1:50.

One mile, Gorman won, Ray S. second, Elaze Duke third, Time, 1:44.

Cheney May Succeed Proctor.

NEW YORK, Oct. 5.—Ex-Governor

Cheney of New Hampshire passed through this city to-day on his way to Washington, where, according to report, he will accept of the Presidency.

Army Health Report.

WASHINGTON, Oct. 5.—Surgeon-General Sutherland of the army in his annual report speaks of the efficiency of the hospital corps shown during the Sioux campaign, and urges an addition of \$6 per month to the pay of the members of the corps as an inducement to enlisted men to enter. The general health of the army is better than last year. All medical officers are in excellent health, and the system of hygiene, with one exception, Surgeon-General Sutherland recommends a systematic source of athletic exercises at each post to improve the physique of the men, as this does not follow the military drill.

Death of General Kirby.

NEW YORK, Oct. 5.—General Patrick Kirby, aged 64, dropped dead to-day at his residence here.

General Kirby was a retired merchant, formerly of California. He was born in Ireland and was one of the early pioneers of California. He was quite wealthy. Heart disease caused his death.

Quartz Mill Burned.

DEADWOOD (S. D.), Oct. 5.—News has just been received that at Greenwood a 120-stamp quartz mill, situated in the Greenwood mine, fourteen miles from this city, was destroyed by fire Saturday night. The origin of the fire is unknown. The mill was valued at \$18,000, and cost of \$150,000; insurance, \$100,000.

Largest Oil Well in the World.

PITTSBURG, Oct. 5.—The Greenlee and Forest oil well at McDonald, eighteen miles from here, was drilled deeper to-day, and the flow increased to 14,000 barrels a day. This is the largest well ever struck in America, and is believed to be the largest in the world.

Damages From Spain.

WASHINGTON, Oct. 5.—It is said the President will demand indemnity from Spain for maltreatment suffered by American missionaries at the hands of Spanish priests and officers on the Caroline Islands.

Rescued Entombed Miners.

POTTSVILLE (Pa.), Oct. 5.—The work of rescuing the miners entombed at the Richmond, Saturday night, is still being vigorously pushed. There is no hope of finding them alive.

Gold Imports.

NEW YORK, Oct. 5.—The steamer La Touraine, from Havre, brought \$2,488,000 in gold, and the steamer Kaiser Wilhelm \$1,958,000 in gold.

Four Tramps Drowned.

MEMPHIS (Tenn.), Oct. 5.—Two freight cars were run off a transfer steamer yesterday, and four tramps in them were drowned in the river.

Silver Purchases.

WASHINGTON, Oct. 5.—Six hundred and eighty-two thousand ounces of silver were purchased to-day, at prices ranging from \$69 1/2 to \$70.

SEAL FISHERIES QUESTION.

A SERIOUS DIFFICULTY IN THE MATTER POINTED OUT.

WASHINGTON, Oct. 5.—The regular annual meeting of the Pacific Northwest Sealers' Association was held here to-day, President Bushnell of Tacoma in the chair. The following directors and representatives of the four clubs were present: W. A. Hardy of Seattle, President of the Seattle Club; J. C. Brookenbough of Tacoma, John A. Foster of Spokane, manager of the Spokane Club; H. H. Hudson of Portland, Vice-President of the league and President of the Portland Club; and J. A. D. of Astoria, Secretary of the league. It is stated that the sealers are in a serious difficulty in the matter, says the Governor, is the illegitimate slaughter of females and their young in the open sea. There is no doubt that a most valuable industry and the fruitful source of a national income is in danger.

That one hundred marauding vessels are hovering about the islands in Behring Sea during the season and large numbers of skins are taken. The steamer Danube made a special trip to the North Pacific during the latter part of June, reaching Victoria on the return July 20, last, having on board nearly 15,000 seal-skins received from thirty-five sealing vessels, which it must apparently have transported. Those delivering their cargoes to the Danube were all British vessels.

The Governor estimates the number of seals illegitimately taken during the small part of last season at from 50,000 to 100,000, and the value of the products Alaska exported during the year was \$8,000,000.

INVESTIGATIONS OF THE BRITISH COMMISSION.

OTTAWA (Ont.), Oct. 5.—Word was received here by the Department of Marine and Fisheries from Victoria, B. C., that H. M. S. Phœnix brought news from Danube and British Commissioners investigating the seal fisheries question. They are at present on board the steamer Danube, which is under the command of Commander Islands, in Russian waters, west of Behring Sea. They obtained from the Russian authorities permission to visit these islands in order to study the movements of seals, and to ascertain what truth there is in the theory that in seasons when seals are plentiful on St. George's, St. Paul and other islands on the eastern side of Behring Sea they are scarce on the Commander Islands, and vice versa. This season seals were plentiful. At the breeding islands there are millions of them. At St. Paul Island fully half a million seals are in sight. At St. George Island, however, the number is not so great. It was found by fastening iron clips to the tails of young seals that they do not remain in the vicinity of their native place, but cross from side to side of Behring Sea.

The Phœnix brings the report that several female seals were killed during the suckling season by the commission-ers and their stomachs found to contain nothing but a little seaweed and pebbles. This is an important point, and one on which the commission-ers received special instructions. During the last season in Washington Secretary Blaine held that the most serious reason for the stringent restrictions on taking seals in Behring Sea was that the mother seals, while during the suckling season swim fifty miles every day to the feeding grounds, and that the young seals which they left on the shore islands would perish unless the mothers were protected. He said the loss of seals would thus soon be exterminated.

Sir Charles Tupper argued against this, that, as a matter of fact, the mother seals never left their young in the suckling season, during which time the mothers took no food at all. Secretary Blaine replied that the idea of an inland of in the nautical history, but Sir Charles pointed out that the seal, as a hibernating animal, had a store of fat on which it could well live for a long time. The report that the stomachs of the mother seals were found empty bears out Tupper's statement.

The steamer Danube is expected at Victoria before the end of the week.

MRS. FAIR'S WILL.

The Document Admitted to Probate at San Francisco.

THE ESTATE APPRAISED AT OVER FOUR MILLIONS.

Sensational Testimony Brought Out in the Preliminary Examination of M. B. Curtis for the Killing of Officer Grant—Homicide at Vallejo—A Woodland Grocer's Clerk Attempts Suicide—Placerville Hotel Burned.

Special to the RECORD-TRUST.

SAN FRANCISCO, Oct. 5.—The will of the late Mrs. Theresa Fair was admitted to probate by Judge Coffey this morning. The testimony of the subscribing witnesses was taken, together with that of Judge Mesick, who drew the will. It was stated that the value of the estate left by Mrs. Fair was \$4,000,000, of which \$4,000,000 is personal property and \$300,000 in real estate.

W. S. Goodfellow, representing James G. Fair, Jr., and Charles L. Fair, sons of the deceased, who are left \$500 a month each until they are 35 years old, when they get \$500,000 each, asked Judge Mesick whether he knew of the existence of any other will than the one presented for probate. The latter replied so far as he knew the deceased had never made any other will, but Mr. Goodfellow nevertheless asked for an order of court enabling him to search the box used by Mrs. Fair at the Safe Deposit vault. He said he understood that he believed the will and that a search would disclose it. Judge Mesick stated that he would another day assist in his power, and it was arranged that Judge Mesick, Goodfellow and R. V. Dey, Mrs. Fair's attorney, should together try to find the alleged will. Judge Coffey therefore granted the order of the court, and in the meantime, however, the will was admitted to probate and the executors granted letters testamentary. James G. Fair, Jr., was sworn in as executor, and he believes his mother left another and later will, in which different provision was made for him.

KILLING OF OFFICER GRANT.

SAN FRANCISCO, Oct. 5.—There was some sensational testimony in the preliminary examination of Actor Maurice B. Strellinger for the murder of Police Officer Grant. On Saturday last Henry J. Jenson, who was formerly employed by Strellinger as a gamester, identified the pistol found in the pocket of the murder as one belonging to Strellinger. To-day Jenson voluntarily took the stand and stated that his testimony given yesterday was false, and that he testified through fear of the police, and that he had told him to say. He said to-day that he had never seen a pistol in Strellinger's wrist, and that he never saw Strellinger's wrist after the murder was committed by Officer Grant. The case was postponed for one week.

NORTHWEST LEAGUE.

The Penman for 1891 Unanimously Voted to Portland. The regular annual meeting of the Pacific Northwest Baseball League was held here to-day, President Bushnell of Tacoma in the chair. The following directors and representatives of the four clubs were present: W. A. Hardy of Seattle, President of the Seattle Club; J. C. Brookenbough of Tacoma, John A. Foster of Spokane, manager of the Spokane Club; H. H. Hudson of Portland, Vice-President of the league and President of the Portland Club; and J. A. D. of Astoria, Secretary of the league. It is stated that the sealers are in a serious difficulty in the matter, says the Governor, is the illegitimate slaughter of females and their young in the open sea. There is no doubt that a most valuable industry and the fruitful source of a national income is in danger.

FEUD BETWEEN NEIGHBORS.

FARMER WOODS SHOT IN THE ABDOMEN BY FARMER SIMMS. GRASS VALLEY, Oct. 5.—Saturday night at Rough and Ready, Farmer Simms shot Farmer Woods in the abdomen. Woods' father had been annoying Simms, and the latter wanted to keep them home from his neighbor's place. It is stated that Simms then lay in wait for the cattle. It happened that Woods' cattle did not come home, and supposing they were over at his neighbor's place, he started to shoot a fence for them, when Simms fired, inflicting a bad wound. Woods was not hurt badly enough, however, to prevent his giving Simms a severe beating immediately thereafter. Simms claims to have thought his neighbor one of the cows.

Paio Alto Trotters.

STOCKTON, Oct. 5.—Charles Marvin, who has the Paio Alto trotters here, hopes to break two records on the kiteshaped track to-morrow. He will drive Arion, the two-year-old Electioneer colt, with a racing record of 2:28, to beat the world's record for that age, 2:28. With Bell Bird, a yearling, he expects to beat the world's record for that age, 2:23. He will also drive the two-year-old Electioneer colt, with a racing record of 2:28, to beat the world's record for that age, 2:28. With Bell Bird, a yearling, he expects to beat the world's record for that age, 2:23. He will also drive the two-year-old Electioneer colt, with a racing record of 2:28, to beat the world's record for that age, 2:28.

Attempted Suicide.

WOODLAND, Oct. 5.—A young grocer's clerk named Non, who works at his father's store, attempted suicide this morning, but made an ignominious failure of it. He stood before the looking-glass in the office of the store and placed a pistol to the side of his head. The aim was bad and the result was a cut on the forehead of a little hair from the back of his head. Despondency resulting from some love affair is said to have been the cause. Since regaining consciousness the disappointed youth refuses to talk.

Customs Frauds.

SAN FRANCISCO, Oct. 5.—Collector Phelps to-day opened six cases of alleged frauds consigned to Neuberger, Reiss & Co. The first two cases opened contained crash towels, according to the invoice, but the remaining cases were filled with the finest qualities of velvet. Another consignment of six cases of "cotton" will be seized as soon as they arrive.

Numerous Field and Mountain Fires.

HUENEME, Oct. 5.—A dry, east wind has been blowing the last three days, and reports are now coming in of numerous field and mountain fires. A. J. Bell of Las Posas loses a building and grain valued at \$1,000; Charles Willard of Jespi a mill with bags of beans worth \$1,500; J. S. W. of Montalvo 500 bags of beans worth \$1,000. Smaller losses are reported from several other localities. The total value of property destroyed will reach \$5,000.

Judge Morrow Takes His Seat.

SAN FRANCISCO, Oct. 5.—Ex-Congressman Wm. W. Morrow, who was recently appointed by President Harrison to succeed Ogden Hoffman, deceased, as Judge of the United States District Court for this district, took his seat on the bench this morning. Judge Morrow reviewed the services of the deceased Judge at length, and paid an earnest tribute to the latter's ability. Several addresses were also made by other members of the bar.

Susanville Races.

SUSANVILLE, Oct. 5.—The first fair of the Thirty-fourth District opened here to-day. The weather was fine and the attendance good. First race, mile dash, Ottawa won, Jack Dempsey second. Time, 1:40. Second race, trotting, mile and repeat, J. D. B. won. Time, 3:15. Third race, one and a quarter miles and repeat, Norman won, Blackbird second. Time, 2:33.

A Laborer Killed.

PORT COSTA, Oct. 5.—James Riley, a laborer, aged 25 years, was killed here to-day. He was climbing between two cars, when the train suddenly backed up, and as both drawheads were broken out, the ends of the cars came within six inches of each other. In this space he was caught and badly mashed. He then fell to the track and had one leg cut off. He lived about an hour.

Homicide at Vallejo.

VALLEJO, Oct. 5.—Jim Carey was shot and killed by Alphonzo Wilson last night. Wilson was tending bar in a saloon and quarreled with Carey, who directed a single shot at him. Wilson took down a shotgun from behind the bar and fired, killing Carey almost instantly. Wilson claims that the shooting was accidental.

The Searcies Estate.

SAN FRANCISCO, Oct. 5.—The Public Administrator has asked Judge Coffey to settle his final account as special administrator of the estate of Mrs. Hopkins Searcies. He states that the estate in California is valued at \$2,000,000, and the rents amount to \$5,000 per month.

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British Bark Wrecked.

NEW YORK, Oct. 5.—The news of the first disaster as a result of yesterday's gale came in a dispatch this morning from St. John, N. B. It was to the effect that the British barkentine Minnie C. Elkin was wrecked and that her crew were undoubtedly lost. The barkentine had on board about twenty people, inclusive of her officers and the Captain's wife and baby. August 19th she left St. John and that was the last ever seen of her until she was passed bottom up and abandoned. What became of those on board is not known.

Visible Supply of Grain.

NEW YORK, Oct. 5.—Following is a statement of the visible supply of grain on Saturday, October 3d, as compiled at the Produce Exchange: Wheat, 27,755,000 bushels, an increase of 991,000; corn, 7,557,000 bushels, a decrease of 1,400,000; oats, 5,819,000 bushels, an increase of 881,000; barley, 1,263,000 bushels, an increase of 5,000.

Special Agent Appointed.

WASHINGTON, Oct. 5.—James R. Dewitt of Washington has been appointed Special Agent of the Land Office for surveying the lands in the Territory of Washington, Oregon and Montana.

DEBSON'S DENIAL.

His Side of the Fuller-Kendall Trouble. He Declares It to Have Been a Damnable Conspiracy Concocted to Injure Him.

In reference to the charges made against ex-Judge S. C. Denby by the Examiner on Monday, that gentleman's side of the story was given yesterday in the Chronicle as follows: Ex-Judge S. C. Denby was found at his home, 290 Jackson street, yesterday afternoon. He had been in the city for several days, and was very much worried by the reports during the past two or three days. During the day he held long consultations with Mr. Whittier's attorney, among whom was Chief Justice Beatty of the Supreme Court, who is Denby's brother-in-law.

At first, Mr. Denby emphatically declined an interview, but finally said: "I am the victim of a most damnable conspiracy on the part of four or five men whose enmity I have incurred because I used Mr. Whittier's attorney, and because these fellows smell brimstone before I get through with them."

The truth about the whole matter is this: When Mrs. Fuller separated from her husband and arranged to sue for a divorce, both Mr. Whittier and myself were consulted as to what was Denby's interest in the firm of Whittier, Fuller & Co., in order that her attorneys might have full knowledge of the facts which they should advise for as her share of the community property. It was then I learned of the causes leading to the separation.

"Then came the published stories, but I had nothing to do with the publication of the story in any way. "When this story was published here a newspaper reporter came to me and said: 'That Kendall woman is back with blood in her eye and is going to sue Fuller for damages.' I said to the reporter: 'I was going to send her to you.' "At first I told him I would have nothing to do with the case, but afterwards I thought it over and agreed to see the woman. Well, she came to see me a number of times and I tried in vain to get her to state her case. She always refused to do so, and finally agreed to write out a statement of facts and bring it to me. In doing so she sent for me to come to her room and get it. I went for that purpose Friday. No sooner was I in the room than the woman, who was in bed, began making advances toward me which could mean but one thing. Up to that moment I had no suspicion she was other than what she claimed to be, a woman who had been grossly wronged by Fuller. I realized what she was attempting to do. I saw the peril of my position. I said to her, rising to the room, 'You will have to send me that statement. I am too busy to wait for it.' In an instant she sprang from the bed, threw one arm around me, and with the other she threw herself back and struck me. The door connecting with an adjoining room was flung open and 100 men confronted me. I admit that for a moment I was dazed, but I deny emphatically I made any such admissions or statements as those which have been made concerning Mr. Whittier or myself. I made no plea for mercy and no confession."

Miss Kendall could not be seen, nor could any of the interested parties, except Mr. Fuller's attorney, W. S. Heron, who positively refused to say anything about the matter or to answer a single question on the subject. It is believed Mr. Whittier will return to the city at once, in which event further developments in the matter may be speedily looked for.

The Alert at Yokohama.

WASHINGTON, Oct. 5.—The Navy Department was informed to-day by cable of the arrival of the British steamship Alert at Yokohama this morning. She made a good run across the Pacific, leaving Unalaska on September 10th.

RAILWAY TRAINMEN.

Proceedings of the National Convention Yesterday.

GALESBURG (Ill.), Oct. 5.—The National Convention of the Brotherhood of Railway Trainmen met to-day, with the largest attendance of delegates in its history. Grand Master Wilkinson was in the chair. The forenoon was spent in examining credentials.

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