TWO VESSELS SUNK AT SEA

Probably Sixty Lives Lost by a Night Collision Off the New Jersey Coast.

Spanish Steamer Visicayea Run Into by a Coal-Laden Schooner, and Both Sink in Seven Minutes—Several Persons Rescued.

NEW YORK, Oct. 31.—The steamship Visicayea, of the Spanish-American line, collided with a four-masted schooner on Thursday evening, when six miles off Barnegat, and both vessels sunk almost immediately. It is supposed that over sixty people have been lost. The steamer Humboldt, which arrived in Brooklyn this morning from Brazil, rescued eight of the crew and the first and second officers, the engineer and surgeon of the Visicayea. So far as is known at present these are the only persons out of a total crew and passenger list of eighty-six of the Visicayea and the crew of the unknown schooner that have been saved. It is feared that all the others have been lost.

The details are meagre. The Visicayea left here yesterday, at 1 P. M., for Havana and other Cuban ports. She had a large cargo of freight, a crew of seventy-seven, and nine regular passengers. There were others on board, however, who are not entered on the passenger list. At half past 8 Thursday evening a large four-masted schooner hove in sight. She was a much larger vessel than the Visicayea, and immediately bore down upon her. Her bowsprit struck the steamship on the starboard bunkers, carrying away the bridge and the cabin. The captain of the Visicayea, who was standing on the bridge, was instantly killed. Seven minutes later both vessels had sunk, and the passengers and crews were struggling in the water. This morning heart-rending shrieks and cries were heard by the people on board the Humboldt. The captain of the vessel headed for the spot where the cries were heard as quickly as possible. Several persons could be seen struggling in the water. Boats were lowered and twelve persons were picked up. After waiting some time the Humboldt steamed away. A negro was picked up by a small boat afterwards. He belonged to the Visicayea. The captain and crew of the unknown schooner are supposed to have been drowned.

I. M. Caballos & Co. are agents of the Spanish-American line. Their offices are at No. 80 Wall street. The Visicayea was a Spanish screw steamer, built in London, in 1872, by J. & W. Dudgeon. She was one of the latest additions to the Spanish-American fleet, and her captain, who had been twenty years in the company's service, was implicity trusted. The vessel was recently repaired and renovated. So far as the agents have a list of passengers and crew they are as follows: Captain, Francisco Cunill; first officer, Felipe Hazass; second officer, Francisco Covas; third officer, name not known; purser, Senor Deza; physician, Valdes Rico; chief engineer, Francisco Zerra; second engineer, A. Guezala. Passengers: Juan Pedro, A. A. Calvo, wife, son and maid; Mr. Purr and three children; Mr. A. Ruise, Jose Acaibia, Ramon Alvarez, Juan F. Hedman, Oscar Islauer, Ligui Pellion and Jose M. Garcia.

Juan Pedro was not included among the regular passengers. He is a member of the steamship company and a Spanish millionaire. He was born in Spain, and was bound for Havana to look after the interests of the company.

STORY OF A SURVIVOR.

From Dr. Rico the following account of the catastrophe was obtained. Dr. Rico said: "Before the collision everything was working nicely. The weather was fine, the moon shone bright, and the sea was smooth. It was about 8 o'clock when I was on deck, and took a few turns back and forth, smoking a cigarette. I did not see any vessel near us. The ship was in charge of the first officer, who was on the bridge. I went down to the saloon then, and there met Mrs. Calvo, who sat down and began talking. Suddenly I heard the gong in the engine-room ring the stop signal. Before I could even wonder what it was for there came an awful shock, a crashing, scraping sound on the deck over our our heads, and the steamer rolled well over on her port side. Everybody in the saloon was thrown down. All was excitement, men, women and children shrieking for help. Mrs. Calvo seized my hands and begged me to find and save her son. I started up to the deck to find him. When I got up the companion-way a terrible scene of confusion met my eyes. The bridge, deck-house and fore rigging were all torn away. There was a great gash in the starboard just abaft the coal bunkers, and through this opening water poured in. Close by on our starboard beam was a big four-masted schooner with her bowsprit and forerigging gone and her beams stove in. She, too, was filling rapidly. Men were running wildly about on our decks, shouting all kinds of orders, and I can remember seeing the crew of the schooner doing the same thing on their vessel. The next thing I knew the water was washing over our decks. The steamer was fast sinking.

"With a wild idea of saving ourselves, several of us scrambled up the rigging. Down went the steamer and up we climbed. We reached the foretopgallant yard and just then the hull reached the bottom. This left us just above the surface of the water, but there every swell drenched our lower limbs. There were twelve of us in the rigging. Some of our crew had tried to reach the schooner, but she had gone to the bottom almost as quickly as the Visicayea had, and as far as we could see there was not a sail in sight to bring us succor. One of the men in the yard said that while climbing the rigging he had seen a boat lowered from the schooner and seven men get into it and row away. We looked around, but could not see anything. Then, in the hope of attracting the attention of some passing vessel or some one on the shore, we cut the tarred ropes on the yard into pieces one or two feet in length, and, lighting these, shook them in the air as long as they lasted. The lights brought no one to our rescue, and all through the long night we clung to the yard, growing colder and stiffer as each hour passed. Toward daybreak a cold fog settled on us and made matters worse. When one of the men on the yard said that he thought he heard a steamer passing by we all shouted as loud as our enfeebled voices would permit. Then a boat made its appearance and we were taken on board the Humboldt. We could not have endured the ordeal longer."

Late to-night one of the shipwrecked men was seen on board the steamer Ciudad Condal, another vessel belonging to Ceballos & Co. He repeated the story told by Dr. Rico, adding that at the time of the collision nearly all of the Viscayea's crew were asleep, being worn out with the hard work attendant upon leaving port. Only those on duty were up and about. He said that before the lashing of the boats could be taken off preparatory to lowering them the Viscayea's decks were under water. He saw several persons in the water clinging to floating debris, spars, hatches and wreckage after he was on the yard, but all these soon sank. At the office of the company but little information could be obtained. It was stated that Senor Colvo, who perished with his wife and son, was a partner in the house of Franche & Co., of Havana, the biggest and richest sugar house in Cuba. He was on his way home with his family. The Viscayea's cargo was valued at about $150,000. The vessel was insured.

The tug Hercules arrived at Lewes, Del., this evening, and reports that the schooner Cornelius Hargraves and the Viscayea collided fifteen miles off Barnegat. Both vessels sank in fifteen fathoms of water. Ten men from the Hargraves and seven from the Viscayea were picked up by the schooner Sarah L. Davis, and were transferred to the Hercules. The latter proceeded to the wreck to render assistance, but at midnight met the tug Bettler, which had been to the scene and found both vessels sunk and all hands gone. They picked up the body of a woman. The survivors report nearly a hundred people were clinging to the wreck at one time. The survivors have been landed at the Lewes life station; also the corpse of the woman picked up. She is reported to have been stewardess of the steamer. The schooner Cornelius Hargraves, Captain Allen, cleared from Lewes Oct. 27, with a cargo of coal for Fall River, Mass.

Eleven Germans Drowned.

BERLIN, Oct. 31.—Eleven German lifeboat men were drowned to-day while trying to rescue the crew of the British vessel Erik Berendsen, which was wrecked off Slesvig. Only one of the vessel's crew was saved.

Movements of Steamers.

KINSALE, Oct. 31.—Passed: England, from New York, for Liverpool.

SOUTHAMPTON, Oct. 31.—Arrived: Trave, from New York, for Bremen.

BROW HEAD, Nov. 1.—Arrived: Bothnia, from New York, for Liverpool.

HOLYHEAD, Oct. 31.—Passed: City of Berlin, from New York, for Liverpool.

NEW YORK, Oct. 31.—Arrived: Germanic, from Liverpool; Columbia, from Hamburg; Aller, from Bremen.

ESCAPED FROM SIBERIA.

An Exile Reaches London After Many Hardships—Imperiled by American Sympathy.

LONDON, Oct. 31.—A young Russian named Kelchosky, who succeeded in making his escape from Siberia after having served fourteen years there, has arrived in this city. He was arrested in Vitna when only eighteen years of age, on suspicion of having in his possession revolutionary documents and of being concerned in a conspiracy against the government. His escape from Siberia was attended with many hardships and perils. M. Kelchosky is unwilling as yet to publish an account of his life in exile and his escape, for fear that by doing so he will endanger his comrades left in Siberia. He states that exiles there are greatly encouraged by the expressions of sympathy with them in their fate by the American people, and claims that the Russian government is much disturbed thereby. The Official Messenger of St. Petersburg recently announced that the rumors current in Russia that Americans and others were severely criticising Russian prison management were simply concoctions of the Nihilists. M. Kelchosky also brings news that two exiles named Peshekerov and Makarenko, who were recently arrested at Oushour, have been condemned to solitary confinement, pending an official investigation, for having in their possession clippings from American newspapers upon the subject of the feeling aroused abroad by the alleged maltreatment of political prisoners in Siberia.

The Vossische Zeitung of Berlin confirms the report from Warsaw that while a number of persons were leaving Russia, their intention being to emigrate to Brazil, they were fired upon by the Russian frontier guard at Slupca. The Warsaw report, however, stated that nine were killed, while the Zeitung says that only four of the party lost their lives.

Mr. Balfour Hears Suggestions.

DUBLIN, Oct. 31.—Mr. Balfour drove today from Costello Lodge, the residence of Police Commissioner Byrne, at Carrarvo, to Galway. Upon his arrival at the latter place he received a large number of the representatives of the local trades, who made suggestions to him for alleviating the distress in the western counties of Ireland. In reply Mr. Balfour said he was glad the present government had been instrumental in bringing into effect the projects which had hovered before their eyes as a dream for many years past. From Galway Mr. Balfour took a train for Dublin. A crowd assembled at the depot and gave hearty cheers for Mr. Wm. O'Brien and Mr. John Morley as they departed.

The Express says that delegates appointed by the landlords' convention will meet Mr. Balfour upon his arrival in this city and will urge him to change the proposed Irish land purchase bill by providing for the appointment of a judge of the High Court of Justice as the head of the land commission and limiting the powers of the local authorities to interfere with the purchase of land.

Spain Will Treat for Reciprocity.

MADRID, Oct. 31.—Cuban mail advices report that the McKinley law has already had a baneful effect in Cuba. Forty of the smaller tobacco factories have been closed, and a large number of operatives are idle. Premier Canovas Del Castillo announced to the Queen at a council of Ministers that there was reason to hope that President Harrison would agree to modify the tariff in favor of Cuba. The Premier thought that Spain would not find it difficult to negotiate a new treaty.

Holland's King a Lunatic.

LONDON, Oct. 31.—A dispatch from The Hague says: It has transpired that the statements made regarding the condition of the King of Holland by the doctors and the ministers were untrue. The King's physician says his health is good, but he is suffering from a mental malady which renders him unfit to govern. In other words he is a lunatic. The statements that he was physically ill were made simply to delude the general public and to explain the necessity of the appointment of a regency.

Cable Notes.

It is stated that since the accession of Czar Alexander (1881) 270,000 Jews have been expelled from Russia.

Rabbi Adler offers to pay the expenses incurred if Stepniak, Krapotkin, Morris, Burns and others abandon the proposed meeting in London in behalf of the Jews in Russia, on the ground that the cause of the Jews will not be benefited by being associated with that of the Nihilists.

ILLINOIS TOWN BURNING.

Chillicothe on Fire and Telegraphic and Telephonic Communication Cut Off.

PEORIA, Ill., Oct. 31.—At 11 o'clock tonight the city of Chillicothe, ten miles above here, was reported to be burning. The fire started in a livery stable, and soon it appeared that the entire business portion of the city was in danger of being swept away. The telegraph office was ablaze, and it became difficult to obtain news. A special Chicago, Rock Island & Pacific train left shortly before midnight, carrying fire engines to help control the flames. At midnight the telephone office at Chillicothe caught fire and the operator abandoned his post.

Other Fires.

Special to the Indianapolis Journal.

SOUTH BEND, Ind., Oct. 31.—A disastrous fire occurred here at an early hour this morning, which destroyed the interior of the South Bend porcelain-works. The works were but recently started and just beginning to get a firm foothold in the manufacture of porcelain ware. The loss is $10,000; insurance, $5,000. The fire will throw a large number of men and girls out of employment.

JACKSONVILLE, Ill., Oct. 31.—The large round-house at the Jacksonville Southeastern shops here was destroyed by fire this morning. The blaze originated from the explosion of a coal-oil lamp. Two locomotives were destroyed. The loss to the railroad company will be nearly $10,000.

Conductors' Insurance Association.

CHATTANOOGA, Tenn., Oct. 31.—The Old Reliable Railway Conductors' Insurance Association of the United States and Canada concluded its twenty-third annual convention here yesterday. Hereafter the association will receive as members all persons who are physically, morally and mentally qualified, who are under the age of fifty years and who are in positions as depot-masters, trainmasters, train-dispatchers, superintendents, and all officers above the rank of superintendent. The next annual convention will be held at Hartford, Conn. The election of officers for the ensuing year resulted; President, W. O. Beckley, of the Wabash line, at St. Louis; grand secretary and treasurer, Harry P. Feltrow.

INDIANA AND ILLINOIS NEWS

The Sort of a Christian the Young Man Was Who Won Sympathy at Mitchell.

Prof. Stotts Eloped with His Widowed Cook—Bold Swindling Scheme—Fatal Accident to a Prominent Man.

INDIANA.

Variegated Past History of the Young Christian Who Robbed the People of Mitchell.

Special to the Indianapolis Journal.

MITCHELL, Oct. 31.—About three weeks ago, as noted in a former dispatch, a young man about thirty years of age, of prepossessing appearance, giving his name as Welden E. Clements, located in this place. He leased the Review, a weekly newspaper, changing it to a semi-weekly, and started out to revolutionize the town. He attended all the religious services possible, made eloquent prayers and truly good speeches, and was remarkably religious generally. He claimed to be from Elkhart, Ind., where he said he had been burnt out. His second number of the Review contained an editorial calling attention to the defenseless condition of the town in case of fire. The evening of its publication a fire broke out in the office of the Review and burned it and several other buildings. The following morning Clements had solicitors out collecting money, with which he could again begin publishing the Review, although he had lost nothing himself, the plant being leased.

He secured over $100, and left for Cincinnati last week to buy a new printing outfit, promising to repay all contributions in advertising and subscriptions to the Review. Since then no word has been received of him, and many of our business men are wiser and poorer. Clements, as he called himself here, proves to be a consummate fraud, and the News, the local paper, openly charges him with having set fire to the Review office in order to work up sympathy, claiming that there is evidence to substantiate the charge. He has victimized several newspaper offices. He probably came here from Poplar Bluffs, Mo., at which place he buncoed the people. Last summer he was at Columbus, Ind., where he stole a fine scarf-pin and a revised New Testament from the editor of the Republican. In April last he established the Owl at New Madison, O., calling himself W. Edgar Clements. He left there in July, carrying with him a goodly sum of money belonging to the citizens. He worked on the Mirror, at Montgomery, Ky., and defrauded the editor out of $100. He also worked on the Owl, at Sebree, Ky., and the Item, at Madisonville, the same State. At Earlington, Ky., last summer, he edited the Bee under the name of W. Irving Clark. He suddenly disappeared from there. The detective association of this place has offered a reward for his capture. They are on his trail. He is a remarkably shrewd confidence man, confining himself generally to buncoeing the newspaper fraternity in country towns. "Clements," alias "Clark," alias any other name, is of medium height, weighs 135 pounds, dark hair, brown mustache, wears a silk hat and seedy Prince Albert coat, a quick walker, quick speaker and shrewd talker, and very self-possessed.

Swindled His Benefactors.

Special to the Indianapolis Journal.

CONNERSVILLE, Oct. 31.—A man giving his name as L. M. Clark, claiming to be a member of Apollo Lodge, F. and A. M., of Philadelphia, Pa., and also an executive officer of the Brotherhood of Locomotive Engineers, who said that he had been employed as an engineer on the J., M. & I. railroad for seventeen years, struck this town about two weeks ago, and his first act was to obtain credit for a suit of clothes on his credentials. He obtained employment at the Root's foundry, and yesterday he threw up his job, on account, as he claimed, of having won $3,000 by gambling. He was provided with board, clothing, money and good employment by the Masons here, but he left town yesterday afternoon, leaving all his creditors still creditors.

Bought Goods on Another's Credit.

Special to the Indianapolis Journal.

SOUTH BEND, Oct. 31.—One of the boldest pieces of swindling ever tried in South Bend has just come to light. A young man of smooth appearance and glib tongue appeared in the city the first of the week and registered at a hotel as Arthur S. Kern. Living here is A. S. Kern, an old and wealthy business man. Shortly after the arrival of the young man Mr. Kern began receiving heavy consignments of boots and shoes, which he had never ordered. There also came telegrams asking Mr. Kern if he had ordered boots and shoes. As he had not, he informed the alleged A. S. Kern of the telegrams, and the latter has not been seen since. There are at present over five thousand dollars' worth of boots and shoes here which the young swindler had ordered.

Professor Stotts Eloped with His Cook.

Special to the Indianapolis Journal.

MITCHELL, Oct. 31.—Prof. J. W. Stotts, whose mysterious disappearance was mentioned last week, has evidently eloped with Mrs. Bettie Sanders, a good-looking widow, who has been a member of the Stotts family for several months as cook. The Professor's attentions to this woman have been marked for some time, so much so as to cause scandal. Both disappeared at the same time, and since then nothing definite has been learned from either. Professor Stotts was heavily involved financially. He has left behind a remarkably interesting family, and which was, up to the advent of the widow, one of the happiest families in Mitchell. The deserted wife and children are left destitute and heartbroken.

Wanted in Illinois and Iowa.

Special to the Indianapolis Journal.

MUNCIE, Oct. 31.—Deputy Marshal George Long, of Little Rock, Ill., arrived here this morning to transfer William Simmons, of this city, to that place, where he is wanted for many robberies. Simmons was willing to go until informed that the officer did not have the requisition properly signed by Governor Hovey. He then refused to go, and is still here in jail. An officer is en route here from Boone, Ia., with the necessary papers, and probably will get Simmons, who will be taken charge of by the Illinois officer when Iowa gets through with him.

Child Burned to Death.

Special to the Indianapolis Journal.

COLUMBUS, Oct. 31.—William Whillington and wife, who reside on a farm six miles west of this city, came here at noon to-day to do some shopping, leaving their little girl, seven years old, at home with a domestic. The domestic left the child in the house alone where there was a fire in a stove, and went into the yard. When she returned, in a few minutes, she found the child's clothing had caught fire, and its body was burned to a crisp. The little one lived but a few minutes, dying in great agony. The parents are crazed with grief.

Swift Justice.

Special to the Indianapolis Journal.

RICHMOND, Oct. 31.—Frank Hudson, who was arrested in Lew Winkler's shop, yesterday noon, was held in default of $1,000 bail before the Mayor this morning. Before he was taken to the county jail he stopped at the court-house, got his dose and to-morrow morning he will be on his way to the penitentiary, which is pretty quick work. He says his home is in Perry county, and that he had been in Richmond drinking for about two weeks. Before his arrest he had been seen in alleys and shadowed as a sneak-thief.

Minor Notes.

Wm. R. Kelly, of Fort Wayne, a brakeman, was killed at Toledo, O.

Frederick Yunkman, a varnisher, committed suicide at Madison by drinking carbolic acid.

The Messrs. Oliver are about to erect a $300,000 hotel in South Bend, which will be the finest in the State.

Archbishop Ryan, of Philadelphia, was warmly received by the students and faculty of Notre Dame University, where he stopped over on his return from the Feehan jubilee at Chicago.

The Citizens' Gas Company has struck a well six miles northeast of Tipton with a flow of 10,000,000 feet a day.

John Rogers, a grocer at Greencastle, aged thirty and single, shot himself in the temple. No cause is known.

Benjamin Fisher went to Madison from Manville, sold his hogs, got very drunk and died in his debauch, aged twenty-three.

Teddy Ring has been bound over to court at Crawfordsville in the sum of $200 for striking his grandfather, a man over eighty years old, with a chair several times and knocking him down.

F. L. Ervin, of Hartford City, lost a valuable roadster yesterday from distemper. The horse was sick but a short time. There are many other serious cases in Blackford county, but thus far only one has resulted fatally.

ILLINOIS.

Prominent Pioneer Fatally Mangled at a Grade Crossing at Bloomington.

Special to the Indianapolis Journal.

BLOOMINGTON, Oct. 31.—Nathaniel Perry, a prominent farmer and pioneer settler in McLean county, was struck and fatally injured this afternoon by a passenger train on the Big Four railroad. He was driving home from this city, and when four miles out he drove on the railroad track at a crossing, not observing the approaching train. The buggy was smashed into smithereens and both horses were killed. Mr. Perry's head was crushed, several ribs were broken and he was injured internally.

Charged with a Bold Assault.

Special to the Indianapolis Journal.

MARSHALL, Oct. 31.—Clarence Covert and Grant Husted, two young men of the city, were arrested late last night, charged with the assault on Thomas White, the young Melrose township farmer, on the night of Oct. 22. White was knocked down and robbed of $57 in the street in front of the postoffice in the most public part of this city. White was severely injured.

Brief Mention.

The public schools of Roodhouse have been closed until Nov. 10 on account of diphtheria.

Sherman Allen, "Doc" Allen and John W. Murphy, charged with burglary, sawed their way out of the Newton jail. This is their second escape.

Oliver H. P. Orendorff, of McLean county, died in the asylum, at Kankakee, yesterday, having been an inmate five weeks. He was born in 1822.

The twenty-year-old daughter of Thomas Beekman, of Franklin, fell into the fireplace in a spasm, and was burned to death before assistance reached her.

John January, of Monticello, who is known throughout the United States as the man who cut his own feet off in Andersonville prison and thereby saved his own life, has become an actor.

PULLY-WORKS DESTROYED.

A Fire Hard to Manage Sweeps through a Large Building and Contents—Heavy Loss.

At 2:10 o'clock this morning flames were discovered by the town watchman issuing from the rear roof of No. 180 South Pennsylvania street. It is a large two-story brick building, occupied by the American Paper Pulley Company, and the rapid spread of the flames led the watchman to send in two alarms, one directly after the other. By the time the first relay of engines reached the scene the fire had gone so far as to envelop one-half the building, and the smoke was so great that the firemen had great difficulty in approaching the building. Tho flames then swept through the whole upper story, finding quickly-combustible material in stocks of paper and wood. Thus the fire raged, causing a complete loss on building and contents.

Horatio C. Newcomb, the second member of the company of Rockwood, Newcomb & Co., which owned the works, informed a Journal reporter that they carried what they considered a very fair insurance, probably $10,000 or $12,000, the exact amount he could not tell until he could get into the safe. He could form no estimate of the loss, except to say that if the flames were confined to the second floor it would not be exceptionally heavy, as the wood-working machinery was on this floor and was not so valuable. Probably $5,000 to $7,000 would cover the loss. Gregory & Appel carry the insurance in their agency. The building belongs to Hon. Albert G. Porter, United States minister to Italy, but is well insured, its value being about $8,000. The walls stood the intense heat very well, but will have to be torn down. The company has been in business on this site for five years, having bought the plant of Zschech & Co. for $5,000. They make all kinds of machinery, iron-fencing and pulleys.

Cuban Revolutionists at Key West.

KEY WEST, Fla., Oct. 31.—Victor Aguita, an employe of the Spanish government, was decoyed by two men to the outskirts of the city, Wednesday night, who then shot and slightly wounded him and ordered him to leave at once for Havana under penalty of death. He immediately boarded a departing steamer, but in the meantime the authorities heard of the affair and arrested the guilty persons and also Aguita himself, whom they held as a witness. Juan Garcia, a brother of one of the accused, assaulted the Spanish consul yesterday afternoon on the steps of the latter's office, and, but for the interposition of an officer, it is believed that the consul would have been murdered. Garcia is now in jail. The Cuban revolutionists in this city are very active and daring just now, and it looks as though they will make trouble in the island before long.

Will Not Return to the Stage.

BALTIMORE, Oct. 31.—Mr. Joseph Anderson, the brother of Mary Anderson, is here with his wife, who is the daughter of Mr. Lawrence Barrett. He says that in a letter which he received from his sister several days ago she wrote that she is at present enjoying excellent health at Tunbridge Wells in Kent, England, where she is with her husband, F. Antonio Navarro. "I do not think my sister will ever go on the stage again," said he. "The strain was too great on her. It is wonderful how she endured it. She always arose about 7 o'clock in the morning to attend church; then came breakfast and rehearsals for three or four hours, and in the afternoon scores of callers; in the evening performance, and bed seldom before 1 o'clock in the morning. Her health was so much impaired that it was impossible for her to go on, and she was compelled to retire."

Lost His Life While Attempting a Rescue.

ST. JOHN, N. B., Oct. 31.—The wildest storm for years struck St. John harbor yesterday. When the storm was at its height and hundreds were watching the waves breaking over the railway track at Union street a terrific wind blast lifted Fred Mundee, aged thirteen, from the wharf into the raging sea. Fred Young, aged seventeen, seizing a life buoy, plunged in to rescue Mundee. Both were drowned. Mundee's mother saw his heroic act and also saw him drown.

Defrauded the Government.

SAN FRANCISCO, Cal., Oct. 31.—The United States grand jury has indicted ex-State Senator James McCudden, a Vallejo contractor, on the charge of presenting false claims against the government for the payment of coal delivered at Mare Island navy-yard in April and September, 1889. Bail was fixed at $5,000 on each of two charges, and was furnished by McCudden.

Championship Pool Match.

NEW YORK, Nov. 31.—The pool match for the championship of America and a purse of $600, a medal and the gate receipts, was ended to-night at Daly's billiard-rooms in Brooklyn, and resulted in a victory for Manning, of New York. Score: Manning, 600; Powers, of Chicago, 534.

Obituary.

MUNICH, Oct. 31.—Herr Johann N. Nussbaum, the celebrated German surgeon and oculist, died in this city to-day.

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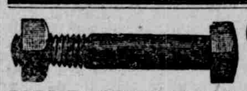

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Y. M. C. A. OF INDIANA.

The Richmond Convention Gets Down to Work—More Subjects Discussed.

Special to the Indianapolis Journal.

RICHMOND, Ind., Oct. 31.—The attendance at the twenty-first annual convention of the Indiana Young Men's Christian Association is unusually large, that of a little over one hundred at the reception last evening having increased to over 150.

This morning's session of the convention was held in the chapel at Earlham College. George S. Fisher, State secretary of Kansas, spoke on the general theme, the trust imposed in the Christian and the temptation to betray it.

After singing came the recognition service, in which State Secretary Stacy called all delegates present to rise and announce their names and the place which they represented. The colleges which were represented were DePauw, State University, Hanover, State Normal, Purdue, Wabash, Valparaiso Normal, Union Christian, Butler University and Earlham. All the larger cities and towns of the State were represented. Following this came an address by J. R. Mott, international college secretary, on "Bible Study in College." The next feature of the programme was taken up and reports from college associations were given, which showed that in many of the colleges there are earnest and effective organizations which are agressively pushing forward the Y. M. C. A. work.

This afternoon was monopolized with section meetings, beginning at 2 o'clock. O. M. Gregg presided over the one at the First Presbyterian Church, where the convention is held. It considered city work and preliminary work in unorganized towns, and the programme was in order as follows: Devotional services and reports from city associations and prayer circles; "The Spiritual Interests by Our Associations," led by L. C. Whitcom, of South Bend; importance of leading new converts into church membership, led by W. A. Bodell, of Lafayette; "Our Physical Department," led by W. A. McCulloch, of Indianapolis; "Foundation Work," led by Geo. S. Fisher, of Kansas. Another meeting, devoted to college work, was held at Earlham College, presided over by J. A. Mott, with the following programme: Devotional service; "The Missionary Work of Our Associations;" "The Fall Campaign," and the question drawer.

Still another, relating to women's committees, presided over by Mrs. C. J. Buchanan, of Indianapolis, had this programme: Devotional service, brief reports from local committees, "The Best Form of Organization" and "New Lines of Work."

At this evening's session brief reports of these meetings were made. After a praise service, led by H. T. Williams, the State committee reports were heard and Rev. W. F. Taylor, of Indianapolis, addressed the convention.

Board of Methodist Bishops.

WASHINGTON, Oct. 31.—Every one of the sixteen members of the new board of bishops of the Methodist Episcopal Church was present at the second day's meeting of the board to-day. Matters interesting to Methodism were debated during the morning session. Bishop Newman occupied more than an hour of the time with his report concerning the work in Japan. At the conclusion of the morning session the bishops visited the site of the proposed new Methodist university. In the afternoon the bishops were conveyed to the home of Mrs. John A. Logan, where they were entertained at dinner. To-night they attended a reception at the Metropolitan Church. To-morrow afternoon the bishops will be received by President and Mrs. Harrison.

Woman's Foreign Missionary Society.

WILKESBARRE, Pa., Oct. 31.—At the meeting of the executive committee of the Woman's Foreign Missionary Society of the United States to-day, interesting reports were read from several returned missionaries. Bishop Thoburn, who has charge of the work in India, delivered an address. The collections for the year were $220,329.

Hoosier Club at Chicago.

CHICAGO, Oct. 31.—Indianians who are residents of Chicago are going to have an association to be known as the "Sons of Indiana." Last Tuesday evening, at the Sherman House, a preliminary meeting was held for the purpose of organization, but, owing to inclement weather, the meeting was postponed until Tuesday evening, Nov. 11. Since the adjournment of the first meeting, Messrs. Alfred Moore, C. F. Sheldon and L. C. Copeland, former Indianians, have set about ascertaining the names and residences of Hoosiers resident in Chicago. It has been ascertained that many reside here, and all are to be invited to the Sherman House meeting on Nov. 11.

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Negro Tied to a Tree and Shot.

MACON, Ga., Oct. 31.—Near Valdosa, Loundes county, yesterday afternoon, a negro named Palsco committed an assault on Miss Hardee, daughter of a prominent planter. Last night the negro was taken from the officers by a mob of whites, tied to a tree and shot to death.

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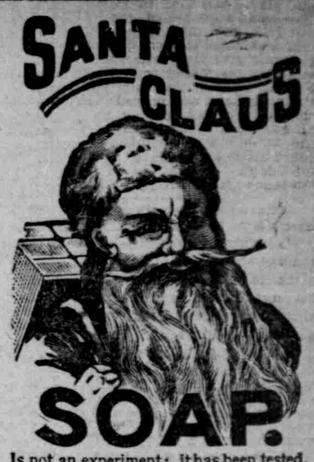

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