

ANOTHER OUTRAGE

The Brutal Betts Drags a Sane Man to the Lunatic Asylum to be Abused and Maltreated.

THE ASYLUM INFAMY CONFIRMED

Piteous Appeal of the Victim for Aid—Betts Escapes with Him by Sudden Departure of Train.

[Continued from the Globe.]
LANSING, July 1.—There was considerable excitement at our city on Saturday last at the time the western bound train was stopping here.

The cause was the appearance of Frank Ellis, a former resident of this place, a young man well known and well liked, in custody of the notorious "Betts" of the St. Peter's insane asylum. The young man was appealing to his friends to release him from the custody of the inhuman brute who had him in charge, and had the train stopped a minute longer he would have done it, as they know that Frank is not crazy, and that he will be brutally treated at the asylum on his return. His entreaties stirred the hearts of all that were in hearing.

The circumstances connected with the case are these: Some three or four years ago Frank became crazy, caused by overwork and disappointment in love, and was sent to the asylum, from which he was discharged, since which time he has been all right excepting and occasional spell of being slightly out of his mind, but entirely harmless. About a month ago at the instance of a brother who is owing Frank considerable money, he was taken back again, and a week ago last Sunday he got permission to go to church. Inhuman brute who had him in charge, and had the train stopped a minute longer he would have done it, as they know that Frank is not crazy, and that he will be brutally treated at the asylum on his return.

FINDING FRAUD.

The Investigation at Washington and New Orleans.

Important Testimony Brought out by Both Committees—Lively Letters Between Mrs. Jenks and Jas. E. Anderson—Packard Continues his Damaging Testimony at New Orleans—The Weber Affidavit Proven Genuine.

EUROPEAN EVENTS.

Congress Moving Along Satisfactorily—Russia Gets Back that Portion of Bessarabia Lost in 1856—Other Boundary Propositions—General Foreign Intelligence.

BERLIN, July 1.—The congress was in session three hours to-day. Representatives of Roumania were present and made a statement of the progress of their negotiations. It is not expected that demands will be granted. Congress will acknowledge the independence of Roumania only on condition that all religions be granted liberty of worship. It is anticipated that the question of the occupation of Bosnia and Herzegovina by Austria will soon be brought before the congress again and carried to a result. All European powers have instructed their ambassadors to insist on the independence of the Danube. It is reported in many quarters that the Turkish plenipotentiaries have been instructed to insist on the independence of the Danube. The Turkish plenipotentiaries have been instructed to insist on the independence of the Danube. The Turkish plenipotentiaries have been instructed to insist on the independence of the Danube.

CONSTANTINOPLE, July 1.—Abe Austrian plenipotentiaries in the congress stated that Austria sought the cooperation of Turkey, and did not desire the withdrawal of Ottoman troops. The Porte's representatives did not formally protest against occupation, but only made some observations which are now being discussed.

LONDON, July 1.—Six hundred Mormons, including five hundred Scandinavians and one hundred English and Welsh, are expected to sail for Liverpool Saturday last.

A Paris dispatch says twelve hundred and sixty-nine communists have been allowed remission of commutation of punishment in France. The communists have had forty thousand francs distributed among them, besides grants from local relief funds.

CRIMES AND CASUALTIES.

Suicide at Rush City—Wife Shooting at St. Louis—Triple Tragedy at Elmira, N. Y.—Fatal Shooting at St. Louis—Mysterious Express Robbery—Confession of a Train Wreck.

Another accident happened to-day. While the passenger was passing a sharp curve just north of Pine City, it ran into the hand car standing on the track sending it flying in every direction, a portion of which struck one of the section men named Lewis Johnson severely lacerating his chin and jaw. He was taken to Rush City for treatment.

WIFE SHOOTING IN CHICAGO. CHICAGO, July 1.—Late last night two shooting affairs occurred on the west side, the victims in each case a man named John Stephens, a young man living apart from his wife, Marnie, aged 17, having, as he thought, become possessed of proof of her infidelity, confronted her as she was going into the house of her parents, 360 W. Madison street, and drew a revolver and fired two shots, one entering her head and the other her left shoulder. He was arrested and taken to a police station without bail. Thomas O'Brien, a moultier in McCormick's repair factory, after having quarreled with his wife in the street, escaped, and has not yet been captured. Physicians say the wounds of both women will prove fatal.

MURDER AND SUICIDE. ELMIRA, N. Y., July 1.—Colonel A. Beckbe, a prominent citizen of this city, shot his wife and his mother-in-law, and then blew his own brains out, dying instantly. Both women are fatally wounded.

THE SWAMP WILL FISH UP. [Boston Globe.] Emperors may be shot down by the dozen; gigantic political frauds may be exposed; steamships may collide and go down with all hands on board; Europe may be plunged in bloody and universal strife—but still the "b-s hall editor" will walk in with eleven full scores and fill up two-thirds of the space in the paper.

FOR WASH. AND HIS "DIAGNOSIS." [Special Telegram to the Globe.] RUSH CITY, July 1.—At the county convention held in Pine City, Saturday afternoon, H. Bennett of Pine City, and R. H. Grant of Hixson were elected delegates to attend the district convention. Both Washburn men.

WALLACE AND GLENYER, the Metropolitan officers arrested for murder, were held in \$1,000, and went to jail as a matter of precaution for their personal protection.

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The Public Debt Statement.

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