

HERE'S A HOW D'YE DO, EXPLOSION.

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my own money and I spent sometimes \$8.00 a day in treating. I didn't make a cent out of it. I did this out of friendship for Mr. Curley and his son. I've done him hundreds of favors. I lost money on the whole transaction. It cost me more than I got in treating people.

Col. Hamilton continually appealed to Mr. Curley to testify to the truth of his statements, which the old gentleman did each time, excepting in the matter of the paying of \$14 to Chief Clerk McAdam. In this matter they disagreed. Mr. Curley insisted that the Colonel told him that he paid Mr. McAdam that amount.

Assistant Corporation Counsel Wickes made the announcement that he had, at the request of the Commissioners of Accounts, subpoenaed sixteen witnesses, and had experienced no difficulty in finding them such as Mr. Nicoll complained of.

Richard D. Brown, the witness who was nearly frightened out of his boots by a threat of Mr. Nicoll to prosecute him for perjury, was present.

His counsel, William R. Wilder, said that his client had made some inaccurate statements in his testimony which he desired to correct. The witness said:

"I never paid to any city official any amount of money for the change in the location of my stand. I stated openly that it would be worth \$100 to me to have the location of my stand changed.

Mr. Joseph Carson heard me say it and retained a check for the amount, but he afterward gave Mr. Carson \$75. I didn't give him \$100 because he said, I think that Mr. Carson said that \$75 was enough. I made a check for the amount, got it cashed and gave him the money.

Mr. Carson is a stand-holder in the new market.

Mr. Nicoll questioned the witness at length on the subject of his "barrels" entry in his book.

"Brown said at the time he gave his former testimony he did not know what word had been used to allow the writing of the word 'barrels'."

He had since learned from his bookkeeper, Mr. Davidson, that the erased word was "barrels."

"This word had been written there by his bookkeeper, and was discovered by the witness two days later. He said:

"I never had a check for a \$100. I don't recall writing that word there and we erased it. My motive in testifying falsely regarding this entry was to shield Mr. Carson so that his name wouldn't be brought into the matter."

Joseph E. Carson, who secured the favor for Mr. Brown, said that he visited the Corporation's office several times and saw Mr. McAdam with reference to changing the location of Mr. Brown's stand.

He testified that he received the \$75 mentioned by Mr. Brown and used it for his own purpose. None of it found its way to any one connected with the Finance Department.

Lawyer Nicoll took hold of the witness and by a clever cross-examination mixed the witness up like an added egg and made him admit that he had consulted with Brown regarding what they should testify to on day.

Col. Theodore Hamilton was suspended by the Commissioners of Accounts immediately after giving his testimony.

The result of the pending investigation will determine the question of his reinstatement.

Col. Theodore Hamilton has been an assistant to the Commissioners of Accounts since the first of this month only.

He was born, educated and reared in this city. His father was a former well-known broker in Wall street.

The Colonel has held office before, as Deputy Assistant under Register Doeherty, and as Inspector in the Department of Public Works under Commissioners Thompson and Squire. He then belonged to the County Democracy.

Until his recent appointment by the Commissioners of Accounts he had not held office since 1866.

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what I could in quieting the ladies and children in the other cars, but I never saw such a scene in my life.

"Did you look for the Italians when you got off?" asked the reporter.

"Yes, I did."

"Where were they?"

"Do you think they were killed?"

"It is possible, though, that they escaped, in which case I suppose they just hustled to get out of that vicinity after seeing the damage caused by their foolishness," he concluded.

Mr. S. J. Smith, of 21 Park Row, was another passenger who had a thrilling tale to relate.

"The accident just robbed everybody of their sense," he said to the reporter.

"Why, I saw a man jump off the train and pick up a burning rag like a fool."

"Others jumped up and down in the most foolish and ridiculous manner," he concluded.

"What caused the explosion?" asked the reporter.

"Of course, I could not tell positively, but I think it was a premature blast that was not properly handled. I would have got off the train at Fordham to notify the police of the occurrence, but another gentleman did so."

"A more indignant set of passengers I never saw in my life, and they had reason for it."

"If it had been the up train, which was due there two minutes later, I am positive that it would have been blown from the track," he concluded.

Other passengers related incidents of a woman who in her fright clasped her traveling satchel to her breast and carried her lily out of the train by the skirts.

"The Commissioner Stevens Towle, who was a passenger on the train, gave an Evening World reporter the following account of the explosion:

"A terrific concussion jarred the train. People fell from their seats from the shock. Many fainting, as many men it seemed, as women. Others were affected just as in sea-sickness. Women shrieked and the greatest confusion and excitement reigned for a time."

"All the windows, ventilators and the stained glass were actually blown away, and the window frames left as clean as if they had never held any glass."

"This happened on every car but the last. The train consisted of eight passenger coaches and a baggage car."

"As far as I have learned, no death has yet resulted, though the shock to the nervous system of many of the women was something very bad."

"All that saved the train from being blown from the track was the rapid rate at which we were going."

"The violence of the concussion was so great that the glass was shattered into infinitesimal particles, like sand. The explosion was to the right of the train, and actually the fine pieces of glass were blown through from the right side of the train out of the shivered windows of the left."

"The reason the passengers were not hurt more severely is owing to the powdery character to which the glass was reduced. Many persons were, however, cut badly."

"Whether the explosion was caused by blasting or from stored dynamite set off by the jarring of the passing train could not be ascertained."

"The train stopped and backed to the scene of the explosion. Not a soul could be found in the vicinity and the greatest confusion reigned for a time."

"The passengers suffered greatly coming into New York from the wind which rushed through the paneless windows."

"I was glad to reach the depot. I don't care to pass through another such experience."

Burglar in Higgin's Factory.
John O'Hearn, twenty-four years old, of 801 West Forty-second street, was held in the Yorkville Police Court this morning to answer for a burglary committed in Higgin's carpet factory last night. Supt. Charles O'Hearn climbed the fire-escape and forced a window on the second story of the factory, where he was arrested by Policeman Malone.

Takes an Expert.
[From the Illustrated Evening World.]
It is a good man that can tell the age of a saw by looking at its teeth.

AGAIN THE ATHLETIC WAR.

EFFORTS TO DRAW THE COLLEGES INTO THE N. FOUR A'S.

Jack Dempsey Expected Home This Week—He'll Find McAdams Waiting for Him—About the McAdams-Myers Fight—George Payne's Fine Team of Roadsters—Two Fights on the Taps in "Prize."

A morning paper stated yesterday that President McMillan, of the Amateur Athletic Union, is authority for the statement that the Union will soon issue the following resolution:

Resolved, That any amateur athlete competing in the games of the University of Pennsylvania, to be held in the Academy of Music on Saturday evening, Feb. 23, will be disqualified and barred from competing in any future games held under the rules of the Amateur Athletic Union.

There does not appear to be any cause for passing this resolution and it is doubtful if such a resolution will be adopted by the Union. The University of Pennsylvania will give its games under the rules of the Intercollegiate Association, a member of the National Association of Amateur Athletes of America, the Union's rival, at present, and this is virtually giving the games under the Association laws. According to the rules of the A. A. U., if any athlete competes under the N. four A. laws, he is already barred out of the Union's games, and as this is pretty well understood among the athletes, the passing of the above resolution would be useless. In the recent games of the Union, given in Madison Square Garden, no athletes who had competed under N. four A. rules since the Union passed its boycott resolution were allowed to enter, and so it stands now. The Union claims that the Intercollegiate Association has no right to give open games under anything except Union rules and in the phase of the athletic war, which will be developed in the next few weeks, the colleges will be made by conspicuous which ever way they go—with the union or against it. The Association's coming games create a great demand for athletes, and strenuous efforts will be made to have Harvard, Princeton and Yale send large delegations, thereby turning college athletics into N. four A. channels. Great inducements to athletes are offered in the diamond prizes to be given by the Association in the games of March 2, and these have already persuaded many to enter.

Jack Dempsey is expected to arrive in the city this week from his sporting exhibitions in Western cities. He has written to a friend here that his tour has been very successful and free from any of the annoying incidents that attended the exhibitions of Jake Kilrain and Charley Mitchell in their recent trip together. "I haven't been edged once," says Dempsey, "and the treatment I have received has been very friendly. Jack will find Dominick McAdams waiting for him when he comes home. The men will not do much more and so what can be done towards a battle. Jack will have to give away considerable weight to Dom, but he will have no trouble in securing sufficient backing. McAdams says he is backed to the extent of \$5,000.

The fight between Jack McAdams and Billy Myers for the championship over Atlantic City, which was postponed by a bout brought about in a few days. It will probably occur near Chicago and will be witnessed by Eastern and Western men of money. A member of the Chicago Board of Trade are said to be backing Myers heavily, and every indication points to a great fight. Myers is a very strong fighter, but he will give away weight to meet him at every point. McAdams is the favorite and, barring accident, his chances for winning are excellent. He has a cool and clever trainer, and will be aided and will enter the ring in prime condition.

Jack Fallon, Brooklyn's strong boy, is disappointed in his inability to get on a match with Dominick McAdams. Jack will turn his attention to other boxers in hopes of better success.

The managers of the international horse-shoe-turning contest to be held in Madison Square Garden Feb. 26 are planning several side events which will be entertaining. They will have a fat men's race and several novice races in which all contestants will be put on the scratch and be made to travel at least a quarter of a mile to a prize.

George Payne, the horseman, has sold a fine team of road horses to A. S. Todd for \$800, and a black mare, 2,24 1/2, by Driftwood, dam by Monarch, jr., to James Canby for \$750.

A. J. Cammeyer's Sweepstakes has gone lame. His high hind leg is badly swollen, and he is in the care of a veterinary surgeon.

Makes Heineman, of the Windfall Stables, on West Fifty-eighth street, has a sleek sorrel gelding which has recently developed speed. Mr. Heineman jogs him in Central Park every afternoon, along with the rest of the crack city trotters, and occasionally sends him a flying in Seventh avenue. The horse has attracted considerable attention.

Two prize-fights are announced to take place in San Francisco on or about March 19. They are the postponed match between Sam Blacklock, the Englishman, and Jimmy Carroll, of Boston, and the match between Faddy Duffy, of Boston, and Tom Meadows, the Australian, which was made at Boston last week. Duffy and Meadows are to fight at 140 pounds. Duffy leaves for San Francisco tomorrow.

Joe Glassey, the feather-weight boxer, who was defeated in a finish fight by Frank Donovan a short time ago, will have a benefit to-night in Hudson Hall, Hoboken. Glassey and Donovan will wind up the performance in a friendly set-to with the gloves. Several well-known boxers are advertised to appear.

The Jersey City Lawn Tennis Club will give an entertainment at Bergen Hall this evening. The proceeds will go towards building a new club-house.

The announcement of the games of the Hillside Athletic Club, in Jersey City, should have made the date of the events March 2.

Big Damages Against the "L."
In the Superior Court to-day a jury gave Charles C. and Henry M. Taber a verdict of \$23,640.51 in their suit against the New York Elevated and the Manhattan Railway companies for loss of rental value of six weeks from Dec. 29, 1888, of the property 137, 139 and 141 Pearl street and 90 Beaver street. The suit was for \$50,000.

Shaken by an Earthquake.
[SPECIAL CABLE TO THE EVENING WORLD.]
LONDON, Feb. 11.—An earthquake shock was felt at Bolton and Manchester to-day. No damage was done.

Snow and Colder Weather.
WASHINGTON, Feb. 11.—The weather indications for Eastern New York are: Snow; moderate, followed by colder, steadily winds. The LOCAL WEATHER for the day.—Indicated by Hinkley's tele-thermometer: 1880-1888. 13 18. 14 18. 15 18. 16 18. 17 18. 18 18. 19 18. 20 18. 21 18. 22 18. 23 18. 24 18. 25 18. 26 18. 27 18. 28 18. 29 18. 30 18. Average for past twenty-four hours, 35.4; degree. Average for corresponding time last year, 30.19 degrees.

From Dakota.

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THE MANAGER'S OF THE INTERNATIONAL HORSE-SHOE-TURNING CONTEST TO BE HELD IN MADISON SQUARE GARDEN FEB. 26 ARE PLANNING SEVERAL SIDE EVENTS WHICH WILL BE ENTERTAINING. THEY WILL HAVE A FAT MEN'S RACE AND SEVERAL NOVICE RACES IN WHICH ALL CONTESTANTS WILL BE PUT ON THE SCRATCH AND BE MADE TO TRAVEL AT LEAST A QUARTER OF A MILE TO A PRIZE.

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