

SAVED TO DEATH.

Iron Merchant Louis Caemmerer and Two Companions Drowned.

Their Naphtha Launch Capsized Off Long Beach.

One Survivor Rescued After Clinging to a Buoy for Hours.

Louis Caemmerer, a well-to-do iron merchant at 46 E. Kalb avenue, Brooklyn, George Milton, of Flatbush, L. I., and D. Head Dennis, a manufacturer of underwear at 254 State street, Brooklyn, are supposed to have been drowned off Long Beach, by the capsizing of Mr. Caemmerer's naphtha launch Ethel.

Caemmerer and Norwood accompanied a party of seven snipe hunters from East Rockaway to Rockaway Beach, where they separated. Caemmerer and Norwood, with Dennis, came on board the former's launch.

Nothing has been heard of them since, except through Linden White, of East Rockaway, skipper of the launch, who was picked up late yesterday afternoon while clinging to the big red and black buoy of Coney and Point.

The man was almost completely exhausted and unconscious by a pleasure party in the Agnes Deane.

White told the launch being upset on the bar. He saw nothing of the others after the capsizing, and is positive they were drowned. White himself luckily caught sight of the bell-buoy as he was lifted high up on the crest of a big wave, and after a hard struggle succeeded in swimming to it.

THE MISSING MEN.

George Norwood is a single man, thirty years old, and lives with his parents at Flatbush, L. I.

He is in the wireworks business at 349 Adams street, Brooklyn, in company with his father, Joseph, and his brother, Edmund H., who also lives at Flatbush.

Edmund H. Norwood told an Evening World reporter this morning that his brother went to East Rockaway yesterday morning to go out with Caemmerer in his naphtha launch.

He had not returned either to his home or to the store at 10 o'clock this morning, and Mr. Norwood feared that he had been drowned.

"He was accustomed to go out with Mr. Caemmerer frequently," said Mr. Norwood, "although we had urged him time and again not to do so."

"We did not think Mr. Caemmerer was capable of running the launch any way, and besides, that we didn't believe that the boat was safe."

"I shall go to East Rockaway as soon as I can get a train and make an investigation for myself."

MR. CAEMMERER'S ANXIOUS FRIENDS.

Edward Dunn, of 83 Flatbush avenue, who is in business with his brother-in-law, Mr. Caemmerer, at 40 Bklyn. ave., also went to East Rockaway this morning to investigate the startling rumors concerning Caemmerer's drowning with Norwood and Dennis.

Before leaving he called at Norwood's place of business, on Adams street, but could learn nothing.

All that he knew was that Caemmerer had not shown up at his place of business nor at his cottage at East Rockaway.

Mr. Caemmerer resided during the summer at East Rockaway with his wife and family in a fine cottage, with very commodious and had stables attached. He kept several horses, and was somewhat of a sporting man. He made frequent excursions on the launch Ethel with parties of friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Caemmerer formerly resided at 61 Hanson place, Brooklyn.

D. Head Dennis, the third supposed unfortunate victim, is a manufacturer of ladies' and children's underwear at 254 State street, Brooklyn.

He is thirty-seven years old and lives with his wife and children at 1044 Herkimer street. His family are spending the summer with his mother, Mrs. S. E. Dennis, at Stillwater, N. J., and the house was closed this morning.

Miss Jennie Holcomb, formerly at Dennis's factory, said this morning that Mr. Dennis went to East Rockaway Saturday to remain over Sunday, as was his custom.

He was acquainted with Caemmerer and had frequently been boating with him. Mr. Dennis owns two or three yachts himself.

Mr. Dennis told Miss Holcomb Saturday that he would return at 8 o'clock this morning, but that at 11 o'clock he had not been heard from.

WALL ST.

STOCK REPORTS.

Wall Street Business in a State Approaching Stagnation.

Rumors of More Gold Shipments Have Slight Effect.

Sugar Trust Shares Score a Decline - The Quotations.

Speculation at the Stock Exchange continues dull. The market opened this morning slightly lower, and then improved about 1/4 to 3/8 per cent. Burlington & Quincy, St. Paul, Big Four, Lake Shore and New England leading.

Later, weakness set in and the gain noted was lost, owing to rumors of fresh gold shipments. The sterling exchange market is hardening again and discounts are also higher in London.

The sales of listed stocks up to midday were only 51,000 shares.

The Court of Appeals has reaffirmed the decision of the lower courts establishing the point that a stock exchange seat cannot be reached by an attachment through lawsuits.

The LAUNCH IS RECOVERED.

At 1.30 this afternoon the naphtha launch Ethel, bottom up and empty, floated in at Far Rockaway.

RUN DOWN BY A STEAMER.

Their Rowboat Capsized and Three Men Drowned in North River.

Search is being made to-day for the bodies of three young men who were drowned in the North River, by the Pennsylvania Railroad Co. Jersey City, last evening.

The men had been out in a rowboat, and were returning home, when it is said, a small river steamer ran them down, capsizing the boat, smashing it in its side and throwing all three into the river.

The story of the collision and drowning of the men was told by the skipper of a small sailing yacht, who picked up the injured boat, to George Niedhart, a young carpenter, who reported the case to the Charles street police.

The name of the steamer which ran down the boat or of the sailboat captain who left it in his charge, Niedhart neglected to ascertain. It has been learned, however, that the boat belonged to Joseph May, of Thirty-fourth street, John Lecher, who lost his party in the morning to three young men, who were strangers to him.

The captain who picked up the boat told Niedhart that he saw the collision, but that no effort was made by those on board the steamer to stop the boat, which disappeared before he could reach them. He was bound for Newburg and could not stop to report the case to the police himself, so he reported the case to the Charles street police.

Both children drowned.

Perished Before Her Eyes.

No report had been made up to noon today of the finding of the bodies of the two young children, George Van Lecher, of eight years, and his sister, who were drowned in the Hudson River yesterday before their father's eyes.

He took them out rowing and was returning home when a sudden squall came up and sent the boat careening over to one side, six-year-old George fell overboard, and as her father jumped to rescue her the boat was capsized.

Mama sank and the father caught his other child, George, and put him in the water, which was the end of the boat and the bodies of the two children were recovered by members of the fishing club.

At the Bottom of the Hackensack.

Search is being made to-day for the body of Arthur Miller, of 78 Rogers avenue, Brooklyn, who drowned yesterday in Sheepshead Bay has been recovered. He, with his father and some friends, were out in a rowboat which was capsized off the Manhattan Beach Hotel. The others were saved.

Decrease in Kansas Mortgages.

CHICAGO, July 13.—A Topeka, Kan., special says: Reports from thirty-eight counties in the State, published in the Capital, the official State paper, show that mortgages on real estate in Kansas for the first six months of 1900 were \$754,375, while new ones were filed for \$473,074.

Fatal Ending of a Protracted Drunk.

ECHOES OF CITY POLITICS.

Commissioner McClave's Rejection by the Union League Club.

Candidates for Civil Justice and Coroner Early in the Field.

The exclusiveness of the Union League Club again demonstrated by the action of its Committee on Admissions, which has refused to receive into membership Police Commissioner John McClave.

Commissioner McClave had been on the waiting list of the club for four years. He knew that only true and tried Republicans are admitted to the privileges of the big club, but he had been a Republican ever since there was a Republican party, and he thought his Republicanism was of a stamp that could not be questioned for its lack of Democratic alloy.

The committee of admission thought differently, however, when it took up the application of Mr. McClave, and voted him too liberal a Republican to associate with the high-farrier, dark-eyed politicians of the Union League Club. The vote was 13 to 2.

The rejection of Mr. McClave is believed to be the result of a concerted attack, which, it is alleged, was led by Charles Watrous.

The Commissioner was charged with hobnobbing with the Democracy and accepting favors from it.

His term as Police Commissioner expired last year, and was renewed by Mayor Grant. This was construed by members of the Union League as confirmation of the story that the appointment was the result of a deal with the Democracy.

The Commissioner also accepted of a favor to support the combination anti-Tammany ticket last fall.

The names of the candidates for Coroner and Excise Commissioner Joseph Koch is returning on the steamship City of Paris from a six weeks' trip to Europe. His friends are planning to receive him home by the next steamer.

Two Candidates for Coroner.

State Senator Roosevelt's Tenth Assembly District Organization has two candidates for Coroner at each of whom it is said to claim to have a solemn promise of the nomination.

They are Assemblyman William Schorer and Joseph Groszer, a district superintendent of the Metropolitan Life Insurance Company.

Republicans to Meet This Afternoon.

The Executive Committee of the Republican County Committee will meet late this afternoon to confer with the delegates of the State League of Republican Clubs, who have just returned after a missionary tour of the State.

The purpose of the conference is to formulate a common basis of action for the coming campaign.

HE IS NOT A COUNT.

"Hungry Jennie's" Father Has Been Masquerading, It Seems.

It is now discovered that the Hungarian whose tale of woe about a lost daughter excited much sympathy is not Count George de Sirmas-Bessary, but belongs, however, to an o-hungarian family.

His so-called medical diploma turns out to be simply a certificate granted after a first examination by a medical board.

"Hungry Jennie's" father, who he came to seek, is believed to be 6,000 florins. His second wife is married to an officer in the imperial army.

BURGLARS DESPERATE FIGHT.

One Killed, Another Arrested by a Brave Policeman.

WEST VIRGINIA, July 13.—Policeman Cuthran caught two men in the act of forcing an entrance into a residence in the western part of the city yesterday.

The burglars immediately attacked the policeman with clubs and a bloody fight ensued, the officer getting the worst of it.

He managed to get the first man, being struck to the ground and fired one shot, the ball entering the eye of one of the men, killing him instantly.

The other submitted to arrest but refused to tell who the dead man is or give any name.

DISABLED AT SEA.

Schiedam Broke Her Crank Shaft, and Arrives Safely.

RACING.

3 TO 1 SHOT

Silver Thread Filly Surprises the Talent at Brighton.

FIELDS GREATLY REDUCED.

Tattler, Eclipse and Tanner Were Also Winners.

(SPECIAL TO THE EVENING WORLD.)

Brighton held undisputed sway at the beach today. No opposition sent all the people to the popular seaside track and the result was a large attendance. The card was very attractive one when viewed in the papers in the morning. In the afternoon it was not so pretty, for Autumn and Eclipse scored eleven entries out of the thirteen races.

Prize Royal refused to take issue with Longstreet.

This was a genuine disappointment, for the program was argued well for a good day's sport. The track was dry, fast and in the condition.

The first race brought a fair lot of miles to the post. Tattler was a hot favorite, and remained so to the close of the betting.

Long Island was second choice and Advance sold slightly over Gladstone for third choice.

Bliss rode Tattler, and he laid away until the stretch was made, coming away then and winning easily from Long Island. Gladstone was third.

Two-year-olds entered in the second race elected to go as well. He was with-drawn, and James G. King and Belle D. were heavily played, and at the end it was a draw, both retaining equal favorites.

The Coroner today received a letter reading as follows:

"MY DEAR LAY: Allow me to congratulate you on your most noble stand for the cause of humanity in the matter of the last election in this city.

I should be glad to echo my sentiments to you, but I am sorry that I have no opportunity to do so at present.

OLIVER HOWARD BLOOD.

STATE BAR AND FLIMS APPEALS.

Case of Lawyer Haire to Go Before the Executive Committee.

ALBANY, July 13.—Secretary L. B. Proctor, of the New York State Bar Association, today said that the action of Lawyer Haire in appealing the election cases to the United States Supreme Court for what seemed to be the purpose of delay, would be called to the attention of the Executive Committee of the Association, which meets here in a few days.

He added that the Committee's action has already been outlined in the shape of a memorial asking Congress to take such steps as will restrict appeals in such cases.

APOLOGIZING TO GILROY.

The Steam Company Promises Better Fashions and Gilroy Relents.

Commissioner Gilroy today received a letter from Wallace C. Andrews, President of the New York Steam Company, deprecating the action of Sept. Prentiss in tearing up the streets with his party.

President Andrews apologizes on behalf of the company for its violation of the ordinances, and promises that any employee of the steam company who shall hereafter dig the streets with his party, will be immediately discharged.

On receipt of this humble communication Mr. Gilroy renewed his order granting permits to the company to make operations in the pavement in cases of emergency.

TWELFTH MAKING A RECORD.

The Regiment's Week's Work in Camp Begun in Earnest.

PERKINSVILLE, N. Y., July 13.—The Twelfth Regiment and the First, Fourth, Sixth and Ninth, separate companies, made a good start today with their week's work.

The men not only of the Twelfth but also of the separate companies were steady in the trenches with their rifles, and were promptly and with precision. The election movement at the close of the parade was well executed.

LEVY'S MIND IS NOW MADE UP.

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David Molloy is locked up at Bay Ridge on a charge of intoxication. He was arrested last evening after creating excitement in the quiet village.

This is the nineteenth-year-old youth who excited the attention of the world a month ago by stopping a policeman in Pell street and writing on a pair that he had been assaulted and robbed two nights before, and that since the assault he had been stricken deaf and dumb.

Four typical young Chinatown toughs were arrested and identified by the "dummy" as his associates.

Each made a written statement in police court confessing to enough of Davey Molloy's written charges to surely indicate them all, and the Board of Control, after a full hearing, all were sent to the Kingsboro Reformatory.

At the trial, the case was heard with the young toughs who testified that in Pell street thought he was a deaf mute, for they had been struck by a horse.

All through the proceedings Molloy maintained silence and every time was resorted to by the prosecuting attorney, but to no effect.

A few days after he spoke one word, and then he gradually resumed his speaking a hand on the desk and spoke in a voice tremulous above being told their story.

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