

MIRACLE ON MOUNT

Prayers for Rain Bring Rescue to Picnickers.

FIRE AND WILD, FIGHTING BEASTS

Downpour From the Skies Falls Like a Curtain Upon a Human Tragedy.

New York Sun Special Service

Cook's I. T., March 17.—Hemmed in by an impassable circle of fire, with all the kinds of animals, both wild and tame, to be found in Indian Territory for picnickers on Mount Cook, in the valley of the Illinois river, four miles north of this place. It has long been a resort for pleasure seekers. Almost a perfect circle, its base is nearly two miles in circumference, and its slope, covered by a thick forest, extends gradually upward for nearly 1,400 feet, where it ends in a perfectly level plateau, entirely denuded of timber of several acres in extent.

IN A NUTSHELL

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AFTER TAMMANY LEADER

Nixon Sued by an Inventor to Recover Stocks and Bonds. New York Sun Special Service. New York, March 17.—Dr. Carl Walter Volney, a chemist, has begun an action in the supreme court to recover from Lewis Nixon, the Tammany leader, money and stocks which he alleges have been withheld from him. Justice Beach has granted an order requiring Nixon to appear before him Tuesday to be examined concerning the disposition of \$3,500,000 of stocks issued by the International Steamship and Dynamite company, of which Mr. Nixon is president and which Dr. Volney alleges obtained possession of certain inventions of his.

"MAKING TRACKS"

Czar's Agent Big With Anglo-Japanese Alliance News. New York, March 17.—Speeding to St. Petersburg with secret dispatches on the situation in Manchuria, from the Russian embassies in Tokyo and Washington, is Prince Lobanov-Rostovsky, a confidential agent of the czar. He left this city on the steamer Aquitaine for Havre. Prince Lobanov-Rostovsky has been a special attaché in the Russian embassy in the Japanese capital.

FERGUS-GLENWOOD

Letter Wins Choice of Sides for the Semifinal. Special to the Journal. Fergus Falls, Minn., March 17.—The Fergus Falls high school debating team won the choice of sides and chosen the negative for the coming contest with this city. The Fergus debaters have won the last three debates on the negative side and are not particularly pleased with the prospect of changing in the semifinal contest. They are not discouraged, however, and will be prepared to meet their opponents on April 4.

MINNESOTA EXCURSIONISTS

Three From Winnebago City in an Accident at Houston, Texas. Houston, Texas, March 17.—A switch engine with two freight cars attached struck a trolley car here filled with Minnesota excursionists. Four were injured, one fatally, as follows: Byron Sperry, Winnebago, Minn., badly hurt about head and body, internal injuries; will die. William Waldron, Winnebago, Minn., compound fracture of leg and severely bruised about head and body. F. L. Hart, Winnebago, Minn., injured about head and chest, not serious. C. L. Sullbarde, Houston, Texas, seriously injured about head.

"Worst Indian" to Be Freed

New York Sun Special Service. Fort Sill, O. T., March 17.—Geronimo, characterized by General Miles as "the worst Indian that ever lived," is at last to be liberated and he may be given citizenship. This famous Apache chief, who has been called a "human tiger," is believed a military prisoner. He has asked that he be allowed to become a citizen and spend his last days in peace and honor in his own country. Colonel Frank Armstrong of the regular army, has recommended that Geronimo be released.

BURNING OF THE GORTONS

ADDDY ARRESTED FOR MURDER

Sequel of a Suspicious Fire and Two Deaths Near Litchfield Last Winter.

Litchfield, Minn., March 17.—Frank Adddy has been arrested and placed in jail charged with the murder of Milton Gorton. Mr. Gorton and wife were burned to death in their home four miles from here last winter. Adddy, being the only person on the premises. Circumstances looked suspicious and detectives were placed on the case. The arrest came as a surprise for it was thought the case had been dropped. Excitement is running high here, and the outcome will be eagerly watched.

RESCUES WOMEN

Fire in Chicago Flats Brings Hero to the Front. Chicago, March 17.—Twenty-four families occupying the St. Catharines flats were driven from their homes by fire early today. George Patton, one of the tenants, proved himself a hero. Three women were penned in on the third floor. Patton had reached them before the fire had become too intense. He made a rope of bed sheets and led the women down the elevator shaft by means of it. He then fastened it and attempted to slide down after them. The make-shift rope gave way and he sustained a broken ankle. Firemen rescued him. The loss was \$60,000.

FARGO IRISHMEN

Song Recital and Other Exercises in Honor of the Day. Special to the Journal. Fargo, N. D., March 17.—St. Patrick's Day was quietly celebrated here today by the sons of old Erin, but there were no special exercises. There will be a series of functions this evening, chief among which is a song recital by the St. Mary's Cathedral choir of the Catholic church. The music has been rehearsed till the choir of fifty voices has been exceptionally well trained. The recital is a more difficult one than is usually essayed by such organizations.

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NORTH DAKOTA

JAMESTOWN.—The quarantine on account of diphtheria has been raised. BISMARCK.—A crew of men drilling a well on property owned by W. D. Washburn, north of this city, struck a vein of lignite coal of at least twenty feet.

SOUTH DAKOTA

DEADWOOD.—The 14-year-old daughter of Clinton Douson is circulating a petition praying for her father to be released from the sentence of her father to life imprisonment. MILBANK.—The city council has ordered the payment of a \$500 bond, held by the state. This completes the payment of the last dollar of the floating indebtedness of Milbank.

CABLE FLASHES

Santiago de Chile.—A section of the black arsenal at Valparaiso has been burned. Loss, \$1,000,000. Suez.—The canal is blocked by the British steamer, the Helios, and the Russian steamer, the Rostovsky, which are engaged in a dispute over the canal. The Helios is a British steamer and the Rostovsky is a Russian steamer. The Helios is a British steamer and the Rostovsky is a Russian steamer.

WASHINGTON

Sensators Spooner and Allison oppose the ship subsidy bill. J. H. Manly of Maine has been offered the place of first assistant postmaster general. Mr. Minor of Wisconsin, in the house, denied the story that he had changed his position on the shipping bill and on the Cuban tariff question because of the speaker's intention to advance a local revenue cutter measure in which the Wisconsin member is interested.

WISCONSIN

EAU CLAIRE.—Dr. Albert Fischer died suddenly of heart failure. He leaves a widow, two sons and two daughters. PRAIRIE DU CHIEN.—The body of an unknown man was taken from the Mississippi river.—Fire totally destroyed the St. Paul hotel.

NEW SPRING OPENING OF MILLINERY TUESDAY

Donaldson's Glass Block.

Our Millinery Opening will be the most elaborate "Style Exhibition" ever given in the Twin Cities. A month's visit to Paris would not give you as good an idea of the season's newest styles as may be gathered from an hour's visit to our Millinery Dept., where we have collected the smartest styles from the principal fashion centers of Europe as well as our great city of New York. Among the most exclusive models will be found the new "Princess Irene" hat, which is identical to the one worn by the royal wife of Prince Henry—and one entirely new and novel. Another bit of royal headgear is called the Coronation Toque, a creation of jewels and jeweled flowers; and still another, the famous DuBarry Hat, same as worn by Mrs. Leslie Carter in the play of that name. Another, the dainty Dolly Varden hat, all fluff and flowers; also the exquisite neck boa worn with it will be shown. These are only a few of the exquisite showing. Come prepared to spend a most enjoyable time.

NEW SPRING MODES IN SUITS, JACKETS, SKIRTS, NEW SPRING STYLES IN DRESS GOODS, NEW SPRING SILKS, SATINS, VELVETS, NEW WHITE AND COLORED WASH FABRICS.

The anxiously looked-for first showing of new fashions spring 1902, in these depts. takes place Tuesday

If You Enjoy Flowers Visit our greenhouses, 35th St. and Portland Av. Now is the time—just before Easter. The bloom is something magnificent. Take 8th or 4th Av. cars.

W.B. ERECT FORM CORSETS. The Erect Form, by placing all pressure of lacing upon the hips and back muscles, does away with the ills of tight lacing and develops a beautiful incurve at the base of the spine. It is the only proper model to wear with the new Erect Form and Princess gowns. Fit your new dress over an Erect Form and it will be a masterpiece of grace and elegance. Prices from \$1 up. If your dealer cannot supply you send direct to WEINGARTEN BROS., 377-379 Broadway, New York. No other corset can take the place of the W. B. Erect Form. Accept no substitute.

PIANO REPAIRING. You are about to begin housecleaning! Better let us bring your piano to our shops and give it a thorough overhauling. We can return it in the pink of perfection when your house is ready. We can "hand polish" or varnish the case at trifling cost or "scrape and refinish" making the case as perfect as when new. Phone us (both 'phones) 1288. 41-43 South Sixth Street. Metropolitan Music Co. 41-43 South Sixth Street.

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