NEW STATE AUDITOR.

J. E. Frost, an Attorney of Ellensburg, Is Appointed.

BOGGS ARRAIGNED AT TACOMA.

Holmes Restores His Bond and Triumphs Over His Foes—The Sealer Louis Olsen Forfeited.

Olympia, Nov. 26.—Special.—The governor today appointed J. E. Frost, of Ellensburg, state auditor, vice L. R. Grimes, deceased. The new appointee is a practicing attorney of Ellensburg, a native of New York. He holds the position of major of the First infantry battalion, N. G. W.

Ellensburg, Nov. 26.—Special.—J. E. Frost, the new state auditor, is a native of New York, 29 years old. He has been auditor of this county four years, and is now associated with Ralph Kaufmann in the practice of law. He is a sterling Republican, and very popular with all who know him.

HOLMES MAKES HIS BOND GOOD

His Enemies, Who Tried to Oust Him From Office Defeated.

Tacoma, Nov. 26.—Special.—Late this afternoon Chairman Holmes, of the board of county commissioners, filed the last of his supplemental bonds required to make up the deficiency caused by the withdrawal of several of his sureties. There was lacking today $1,750, and double this amount was furnished, the new sureties being George H. Boardman and Mrs. John Holgate. Each justified for $7,000. Since Saturday Mr. Holmes has filed bonds for $4,000, signed by E. M. Peacher and wife, $2,000; W. P. Litten and wife, $1,000; Charles C. Miller and wife, $1,000, and Charles Bottle and wife, $500.

Attorneys McKay and Garretson were present at the clerk's office when the bond was completed. They appeared satisfied with the outcome of the matter, and said the new sureties were satisfactory. Mr. Garretson claimed that Mr. Holmes had been induced to sign some kind of an agreement to restore the mileage alleged to have been illegally charged, and not to favor his relatives in the bestowal of patronage. Nothing definite could be learned about this agreement, and in the office of the board it was regarded as a mythical proposition. It was said, however, that if the courts hold the mileage was wrongfully charged the commissioners will make restitution.

Mr. Holmes did not seem to be very highly elated over the victory he had won, but took it calmly. About as bitter a fight was made on him as any official would care to encounter. The charges made against him were taking mileage unlawfully and favoring his son Louis, in getting him a position in County Treasurer Hedges' office. Nothing has ever been said reflecting on the young man's capability of filling the position.

Commissioner Bartholomew's son has also been employed by the county treasurer. The "mileage grab," as it has been termed, amounted to about $7.50 for three commissioners during the past six months. In the recent flurry caused by the failure of the Commercial, Columbia National and German-American banks, and the retirement from business of the First National bank of Puyallup, the county did not lose a dollar. Treasurer Hedges had $29,000 in the Columbia bank two weeks before it failed, but at the persistent requests of the commissioners he drew it out in time.

THE BRANSON INSANITY TRIAL.

Effort to Send the Aged Tacoma Lawyer to an Asylum.

Tacoma, Nov. 26.—Special.—Lewis Cass Branson's trial on the charge of insanity was begun in Judge Parker's court today before a jury, and Drs. Smith and Dewey, Thomas Carroll and James Ross appeared for him, and County Attorney Colner for the prosecution.

Charles M. Norton, the half-nephew of Mrs. Branson, was the first witness, and told how the judge had always been more or less odd and peculiar, but of late and especially since the 18th of November, he had been much worse. He described how he would promenade in front of the house with a revolver in his hand, and also carried it when he went for water. He would lock himself in his room and refuse to take food his wife would bring to him, or to let her clean up his room. The judge, he said, would go out on the street and pick up old worthless cans and bring them to his room. His room was like a junk shop. Old cans, old shoes, axes, saws, bits, pipes, grindstones and old tea kettles and stewpans kept company with his books and papers.

Mrs. Branson told the jury that her husband had forbade her speaking to him, and had persistently refused food and other attentions from her. She said she feared for her life on account of his strange actions. The witness read several long and rambling letters from her husband written while they were occupying adjoining rooms in their home on Yakima avenue. He would open the door and throw a letter into the hall for her to pick up and read and answer. The husband had choked her and knocked her down on one occasion, and swore repeatedly at her in the most violent fashion.

In one letter he told her their property would be worth $3,000,000 in twelve years. The letters were all written since November 1.

Several neighbors testified to the old man's peculiar actions, and one, Miss Lillian Reidmaster, said he told her he would some day regain his property, reap in a few millions by the sale of a wonderful invention of his, get a divorce and marry her.

Dr. T. F. Smith, for a long time Judge Branson's physician, testified that he suffered from senile dementia, and was subject to acute attacks, during which he was dangerous.

The aged defendant sat at his attorney's table and participated in the examination of witnesses. The case was continued till tomorrow.

TACOMA WILL NOT DEFAULT.

The Land Company Will Pay Its Delinquent Taxes at Once.

Tacoma, Nov. 26.—Special.—Tacoma's $53,000 interest on her water and light bonds will be paid promptly in New York. The $2,500 interest on the bridge bonds has already been forwarded. Chairman O. R. Nichol, of the committee that has been raising a subscription to help the city out of the difficulty, said tonight that ever $30,000 had been paid, and that with the late collections of taxes by the county treasurer the city would have ample funds to meet the payment in New York December 1. Tomorrow it is expected that the Tacoma Land Company will pay into the treasury $70,000, including city and county taxes. Of this $21,500 will be apportioned to the interest fund. During the last week or ten days the county treasurer has collected and turned over to the city $7,300. Some more delinquent taxpayers have agreed to settle tomorrow, when the committee will be enabled to give out an exact statement of how the matter stands. It is proposed to publish the list of those who have made up the $30,000 by their personal subscriptions.

Ex-Treasurer Boggs Arraigned.

Tacoma, Nov. 26.—Special.—Judge Campbell and Hugh Farley, attorneys for ex-City Treasurer Boggs, today filed a motion to quash the information against him. They allege that he is being imprisoned in the county jail on a criminal complaint and warrant in which other and different charges are made than those in the information filed Saturday. These charged the ex-official with taking interest on city funds in banks, while the complaint and warrant on which Boggs was extradited from Oregon charge him with embezzling $109,000 and misappropriating $180,000 of the city's funds. The motion to quash was argued before Judge Parker and overruled this morning. It is understood Boggs' attorneys will go to the supreme court on the question.

When arraigned this morning Boggs "stood mute," and a plea of not guilty was entered against him.

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Whatcom Politics.

Whatcom, Nov. 26.—Special.—Registration books for the approaching municipal election have closed with 1,127 names, and nominating petitions have been filed as follows: For mayor, J. P. de Mattos; for clerk, J. K. Appleby and C. E. Castle; for treasurer, A. E. Woolard; councilman-at-large, W. C. Willox; councilmen, Third ward, J. L. Likens, Robert Knox; Fifth ward, B. F. Hershe; Sixth ward, L. D. Drake. Of the elective officers Appleby is the only one who is a candidate for re-election. He has held the office for two terms, and as he is efficient and well liked he will probably get it again. Judge de Mattos, as he is generally called, was the first mayor of Whatcom, and also the first and only mayor of New Whatcom before consolidation. He is a lawyer, and owns considerable property here. Mr. Woolard was treasurer of New Whatcom at the time of the consolidation. Of the candidates for the council Likens and Drake are present members. De Mattos and Woolard have the support of the A. P. A. organization and are said to be members. Castle is a member of the A. P. A., and so also are Knox and Hershe, Knox being a member of the advisory board. Both are foreigners. Councilman Wolaver, of the Fifth ward, will probably be a candidate for re-election, but his petition has not yet been filed. Henry George, of the firm of George & Morgan, will probably be a candidate against Councilman Drake in the Sixth ward, and will have the A. P. A. support. D. W. Freeman will probably be the only candidate for attorney, the compensation having been reduced to $2 a month. It is reported also that C. W. Roberts, secretary of the Board of Trade, will be a candidate for treasurer, and if he is he will make a strong run. A mass meeting for the indorsement of candidates was talked of at the council meeting last evening, and the suggestion seemed to meet with approval. There are a great many, however, who believe that such a meeting would be productive of no good and might on the contrary be harmful.

South Bend Politics.

South Bend, Nov. 26.—Special.—The rigistration books just closed show a total registration of 238 for the city election, of which 175 are in South Bend precinct and sixty-four in Broadway precinct. The total is about the same as last year. Party lines will not be drawn in the election, but the A. P. A. will probably have a ticket in the field. M. D. Egbert will be their candidate for mayor, H. M. Flint for clerk and T. B. Kent for city attorney. Candidates for councilmen on their ticket are not very numerous as yet. Capt. D. R. French and James H. Robb are understood to be willing to run, however. There will also be a business men's ticket in the field, with the object of securing a more economical administration of city affairs. J. T. Harris, manager of the Pacific Empire Lumber Company, is being urged to run for mayor, but has not as yet consented. James G. Heim, receiver of the First National bank; A. P. Leonard, county auditor; J. U. Maxwell, cashier of Maxwell, Smith & Co.'s bank; W. H. Boner, A. R. Brayton, W. E. Brown, James A. Johnson, C. F. Gilbert, Ed Ackerman, O. C. Gamage and H. R. McNeil are among those mentioned for councilmen. J. T. Welsh will probably be renominated for city clerk. George Russell is being urged for clerk, and F. S. Laythe and W. H. Weller for treasurer.

Fairhaven Politics.

Fairhaven, Nov. 26.—Special.—There are 419 voters registered for the municipal election to be held December 3, and certificates of nomination have been filed as follows: For mayor, Edgar Lindsay, present incumbent; for clerk, William Hanna, present incumbent, and S. P. Tapping; for attorney, Jesse A. Frye, present incumbent; for treasurer, Maj. J. M. Darling, present incumbent; for health officer, Dr. McKinnon, present incumbent; for councilman-at-large, W. A. Woodin; councilman, Third ward, J. O. Sharpless and J. W. Westfall; Fifth ward, S. C. Henn, Alex Lindgren; Sixth ward, L. N. Griffin, present member; Edward George, D. W. Hurlbut. No reduction has been made in salaries this year. There will be no election for marshal, as under the new law that officer will be appointed by the council. Politically the "slate" is considerably mixed. Mayor Lindsay and Clerk Hanna are Populists; Attorney Frye and Dr. McKinnon are Republicans and Treasurer Darling is a Democrat, and there is a sprinkling of all parties among the candidadtes for the council.

The Sealer Louis Olsen Forfeited.

Portland, Nov. 26.—Judge Bellinger, of the United States district court, has decided that the schooner Louis Olsen, seized in Bering sea by the United States cutter Rush on a charge of killing seals within the prohibited zone of sixty miles around the Pribilof islands, must be forfeited to the government. The defense was set up that the schooner was seven miles outside the prohibited zone, but Judge Bellinger held otherwise, and unless an appeal is taken the schooner and her cargo of skins, valued at about $10,000, will be forfeited to the government. Capts. Cole and Guilliams and Officer Thorne are also liable to a fine of $200 each.

Snohomish Politics.

Snohomish, Nov. 26.—Special.—At a citizens' convention held this evening at Odd Fellows' hall, A. J. Wolf was chosen chairman and the following ticket nominated: Mayor, H. C. Comegys; attorney, L. H. Coon; treasurer, Adolf Watson; clerk, D. S. Swerdliger; health officer, S. B. Limerick; councilman-at-large, J. N. Langfitt; councilman, First ward, C. H. Melville; Second ward, P. H. Meeks; Third ward, Charles Morgan.

Two Skaters Drowned at Anaconda.

Salt Lake, Nov. 26.—A special to the Tribune from Anaconda, Mont., says: Gus Sardin and Leonard Forsman were drowned this morning in the slump pond of the Anaconda Mining Company. They were skating, and the ice broke and they went into the water fifteen feet deep. Forsman came to this city from Portland, Or.

Mr. Fisher Will Recover.

Tacoma, Nov. 26.—Special.—William J. Fisher is resting easily at the hospital tonight, and has regained so much strength that his recovery is assured. The leg was successfully amputated last night, and no dangerous complications have been observed by the physicians.

The Tacoma Paving Bonds.

Tacoma, Nov. 26.—Special.—The paving bonds by which Contractor Berens was paid for paving Pacific avenue were sold today to C. H. White & Co., of New York. The figure paid is understood to be 96½, but nothing definite could be learned about it.

A Victorian in Great Luck.

Victoria, Nov. 26.—Special.—Beggarstaff Wilson, of Victoria, has just received a fortune of a quarter of a million dollars by the death of his godfather in England. The inheritance was entirely unexpected.

Supreme Court Decision.

Olympia, Nov. 26.—Special.—The supreme court affirmed the judgment in the case of G. S. Helphrey, appellant, vs. Paul Strobach et al., from Spokane.

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HILL AS A LECTURER.

He Experiences a Frost at His Debut in Milwaukee.

THE ADMISSION FEE TOO HIGH.

He Speaks on Liberty, Condemns Legislation Against "Habits," and Expresses Sympathy With Cuba.

Milwaukee, Nov. 26.—Senator Hill was greeted by an audience of about 400 people at his first appearance as a public lecturer in this city tonight. The prices of admission to the theater were too high, and that is given as an explanation of the small attendance. The audience consisted mainly of old line Democrats who entertained Senator Hill during the day. The lecture was on the subject of "Liberty," its underlying idea being that the safest mode of liberty and government was that which did not interfere with individual liberty and did not attempt to legislate in matters of personal customs and habits. It was an elaboration upon a former speech of his delivered in New York, explaining why he was a Democrat and why every true lover of liberty ought to be a Democrat.

He spoke at length on the Monroe doctrine, of which he showed himself to be a strong adherent, and proclaimed his sympathy with the Cubans in their present struggle for independence. He denounced the adoration for titles which was growing in certain quarters in America, and regretted the sending of Americans to foreign courts who were full of toadyism for dying monarchy, and Americans ashamed of their American citizenship. True Americanism, as the senator understood it, was defined. Perhaps because it was his first lecturing effort, he occupied nearly an hour and a half to make his talk.

Senator Hill was the guest of the Jefferson Club after the lecture. He was entertained at dinner by prominent Democrats at a leading club of this city, and was given an informal reception by the local press club. At midnight he left for Minneapolis.

The Committees of the House.

Washington City, Nov. 26.—The contest for the committee chairmanships in the house is being waged with much earnestness. Mr. Reed is keeping his own counsel in this matter. It is generally accepted that he has already made up his mind with regard to the most important chairmanship at his disposal, that of ways and means. Representative Payne, of New York, is, it is thought, pretty certain to secure this position, which carries with it the honor of leading the majority on the floor. Mr. Payne and Mr. Dalzell, of Philadelphia, are the two leading candidates for the place, but Mr. Dalzell is not on friendly terms with Senator Quay. Mr. Payne, on the other hand, is very close to Platt, the Republican leader of New York, and he is at the same time the ranking Republican member of the committee. If Mr. Reed, therefore, who is accredited with having an eye to 1896, can please both Senator Quay and Mr. Platt by appointing to the ways and means chairmanship and follow the rules of precedent at the same time, it is thought very probable that he will do it. Gen. Henderson, of Iowa, is thought to be slated for the chairmanship of the next most important committee, that of appropriations.

Business Failures.

Kansas City, Nov. 26.—Howard M. Holden, assignee of the Kansas City Safe Deposit and Savings bank, filed an intervening petition in the United States circuit court today, in the litigation pending between the New York Security and Trust Company and the Equitable Mortgage Company. The petition asks the court to declare the Equitable Mortgage Company indebted to him in the sum of $148,786 on account of securities held by the Kansas City Safe Deposit and Savings bank at the time of the failure. The suit is an effort upon the part of the receiver to realize something for depositors upon the thousands of dollars of worthless securities which Darragh and Sattley lent money on.

Philadelphia, Nov. 26.—The announcement was made on the commercial exchange this afternoon of the failure of S. J. Clevenger & Co., commission merchants. The liabilities are probably heavy.

A Printer Girl Strays From Santa Rosa

Petaluma, Cal., Nov. 26.—About a week ago a good-looking young woman arrived in Santa Rosa and registered at a hotel as Miss Owens. That evening she disappeared, and no trace has since been found of her. No one knew who she was or whence she came, but today her identity was made known by Mrs. S. F. Clayton and daughter, of Astoria, Or. The missing girl is Miss Mattie Owens, a newspaper compositor. Her father lives at Genesee, Idaho. Mrs. Clayton and daughter were intimate friends of Miss Owens, and last saw her in Astoria, where she was employed on the Daily and Weekly Astorian. She left Astoria ostensibly to go to her father. Mrs. Clayton is certain the missing girl is the same, but does not understand why she should come here. She thinks probably she has gone to Pleasant school district, near Sebastopol, where it is thought she has acquaintances.

A Sheriff Defeats Lynchers.

Abbeyville, S. C., Nov. 26.—An unsuccessful attempt was made this morning by a mob of thirty or forty men to lynch the prisoners now in jail here charged with the murder of Nellie Bagwell, the young white woman whose body was almost cremated in the building burned near Hodges on Tuesday night. But for the coolness and discretion of Jailer Nance and his father, the sheriff, the murderers would have been hanging to the trees by sunrise this morning. The mob came to the jail and aroused the jailer, saying they had a prisoner under commitment. The jailer suspected all was not well, and immediately left the jail through the back door and notified the sheriff, who summoned the Abbeyville Rifles, who promptly responded. The tread of the soldiers and the voice of Sheriff Nance were too much for the men who were thirsting for blood, and they quietly went away.

Wreckage Off Cape Flattery.

San Francisco, Nov. 26.—Capt. McLeod, of the bark Rufus B. Wood, bound from Nanaimo, B. C., for this port, reports having sighted wreckage northeast of Cape Flattery fifty miles. The wreckage was that of a broken wheelbox, on which were the distinited letters "F R O W." Capt. McLeod thinks that the box is from a British ship. A British schooner called the Fairy Flower has been missing since December 1894, and it is rather a peculiar coincidence that the combination of letters occurs in the names of only two vessels afloat, the first initials of whose names commence with "F." These crafts are the Firth of Solway and the Fairy Flower. The former vessel is safe at anchor in the British channel, but the latter has been reported to the British admiralty as a wandering derelict.

The San Francisco Horrors.

San Francisco, Nov. 26.—Three more arrests were made last night in the Latin Quarter for outrages committed on little girls. They were Joseph Garcia and Manuel Gomez, barbers, and G. U. Risso, proprietor of a toy shop. Risso got out on bail and went to his room back of the shop about midnight. This morning a policeman broke in the door and found Risso dead, with a bullet through the head. He had committed suicide to avert disgrace and punishment. He left a written confession of his guilt.

$1,200,000 of Gold for Export.

New York, Nov. 26.—Lazard Freres will ship tomorrow $850,000 of gold bars; L. Von Hoffman & Co., $350,000 of gold bars.

Philadelphia, Nov. 26.—Gimbett Bros., dry goods dealers of this city, have engaged to ship $100,000 of gold to the secretary of the treasury under the agreement of Mr. Carlisle to pay express charges. They are the first merchants to take advantage of the offer.

If you want a sure relief for pains in the back, side, chest, or limbs, use an

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BEAR IN MIND—Not one of the host of counterfeits and imitations is as good as the genuine.

Atlantic City, N. J., Nov. 26.—In response to the call made by Secretary Carlisle, the First National bank of this city today shipped $35,000 in gold to the sub-treasury of New York.

Washington City, Nov. 26.—The treasury today lost $1,134,000 in gold bullion for export, which leaves the true amount of the reserve $80,924,650.

Gen. Harrison in New York.

New York, Nov. 26.—Gen. Harrison returned from Saratoga tonight, and is quartered at the Fifth Avenue hotel. One of the first men the general met upon entering the hotel was Gen. Alger, of Michigan. The two shook hands, but indulged in no extended conversation. Gen. Alger said that he came here on private business, which would probably detain him for a week or more. He declined to indicate his preferences for the nomination or discuss possibilities. Gen. Alger paid a visit to Mr. Platt during the evening, but the gentlemen said that it was purely of a social nature. Other statesmen in the city today were ex-Congressman Benjamin Butterworth, of Ohio; Congressman Galusha Grow, of Pennsylvania, and ex-Congressman W. W. Crapo.

A Rich Man Convicted of Assault.

New York, Nov. 26.—Walter S. Langerman, whose trial for criminal assault on Miss Barbara Auts has created a stir in the city for the past week, was convicted this afternoon. The jury returned a verdict of guilty in the first degree, as charged in the indictment. The extreme penalty for the offense is twenty years' imprisonment. Langerman was remanded until Friday for sentence. Barbara Auts in May last called at Langerman's flat, No. 11 West Sixty-second street, to sell a lawyer a book for which she was agent. She took with her a letter of introduction from Mrs. Emily Roselle. The young girl alleged the assault occurred after Langerman had read the letter and given an order for the book.

An American Ship Lost.

London, Nov. 27.—The Times this morning announces that the names of the survivors of the American ship Belle O'Brien, of Thomaston, Me., owned by E. O'Brien, supposed to have foundered thirty miles N.N.W. of Kerryhead, are Cotton, Ellis, Olsen, Vasburg, Sysberg and Kirnsdale. Sailor Cotton, who was adrift in one of the boats, said those in her saw the last rocket go up from the ship at 10 o'clock Tuesday night last, and believe she then foundered. Capt. Kelly had his wife on board, and it appears that they perished. The long boat, with two seamen and the second mate, without provisions, is also missing.

Whatcom Postoffice to Be Moved.

Whatcom, Nov. 26.—Special.—There is said to be a strong probability that the postoffice will be removed to the Roth block, in old Whatcom when the lease of the present quarters in the Lighthouse block expires in about two months. Most of the rent of the present rooms has been paid by private subscription for the past year, but the owner will not renew the lease. The Roth block is a fine stone building, and it is said that the owners have offered free rent for five years.

The Trial of Father O'Grady.

Cincinnati, Nov. 26.—In the sanity trial of Father O'Grady for murdering Mary Gilmartin, the panel was filled today, when challenges were made and the venire was exhausted. Another list of fifty was issued, from which vacancies will be filled tomorrow. No members of the A. P. A. or other similar organizations are accepted, and the questions propounded have caused quite a sensation. O'Grady appears in court on a cot.

Rich Ore in Idaho.

Boise, Idaho, Nov. 26.—Shipment of ore is being made from the Friday mine, in the new Willow Creek district, near this city, that runs $2,800 per ton in gold. This is selected ore, but it is believed that the entire body on which work is now being done will run close to $500. Developments in the district indicate that it is one of the richest ever discovered in the state.

County Treasurer Unable to Give Bonds

Leadville, Col., Nov. 26.—Joseph E. Horner has resigned as county treasurer, having been unable to obtain a new bond as requested by the county commissioners. Mr. Horner had $70,000 on deposit in the Breene bank when it failed. The office will be close for about a week, or until Treasurer-elect George W. White can file a bond.

Printers Strike at Guthrie, O. K.

Guthrie, O. T., Nov. 26.—As a result of an attempted cut of 20 per cent. in the scale of wages, which was already 20 per cent. lower here than in any capitol city in the United States, the entire force of printers, pressmen and apprentices in the two daily newspaper offices struck last night, leaving them in a badly crippled condition.

Murderer Speisman Probably Caught.

Vancouver, B. C., Nov. 26.—A man answering the description of Fred J. Speisman, the wife murderer of Everson, Wash., was arrested today at Langley in a small shack. He will be brought down to New Westminster and held until word is received from the Washington authorities.

A Church Deacon Caught Moonshining

Louisville, Ky., Nov. 26.—A special to the Times says: In Union county, Tenn., revenue officers captured a still, twenty persons and 1,000 gallons of whisky. The still was run near a church, and a deacon of the church was the leader of the moonshiners.

THE MAGAZINES.

Godey's, the oldest of the magazines, follows the good old custom of proffering Christmas confections in their proper season. The December number is notable, therefore, with Yule-tide fiction and verse, besides such seasonable articles as "Holiday Decorations," "Christmas, Past and Present," and "Christmas Day in a Japanese Go-Down"—this latter richly illustrated by C. D. Weldon.

In Short Stories for December one of Catulle Mendes' daintiest sketches, called "Painting From Memory," charmingly illustrated by Arthur Keller, whose drawing of the "Little Shepherdess" serves as a frontispiece to the magazine.

Conspicuous among the contents of the December Atlantic is another of John Fiske's historical studies. It has for a title "The Starving Time in Old Virginia," and is an important historical contribution, as well as delightful reading. This issue also contains three short stories: "Witchcraft," by L. Dougall; "The End of the Terror," by Robert Wilson, and "Dorothy," by Harriet Lewis Bradley.

The complete novel in the December issue of Lippincott's is the "Old Silver Trail," by Mary E. Stickney. It deals with Colorado mining life, with strikes, plots and various underground proceedings, as well as with scenery and mountain breezes. The hero loves his enemy's daughter, and his pluck and manliness triumph over many obstacles. The scene of "Bennett's Partner," by James Knapp Reeve, is in a wild and lonesome part of the great West, which lends itself naturally to exciting adventures.

Reward.

A reward of $10 will be paid for information leading to the arrest and conviction of any one stealing copies of the Post-Intelligencer delivered to subscribers throughout the city.

Jack Brady, the California train robber and murderer, has been sentenced to life imprisonment in Folsom penitentiary.

CONDENSED DISPATCHES.

Sharp earthquake shocks were felt Tuesday morning at Athens, Greece, and at Lividia, Thebes and Corinth.

William Royce shot and killed his mistress, Nellie Patten, at Sioux City, Ia., Sunday evening. He was jealous.

Conductor J. M. Robb, who was terribly scalded in the Santa Fe train wreck at Shoemaker, N. M., Monday, died in a hospital at Las Vegas Tuesday.

David F. Hannigan, the acquitted slayer of Solomon H. Mann, of New York city, has been committed to the Hudson River hospital for the insane at Poughkeepsie.

The Canadian parliament will meet on January. 2. This will be the sixth session in one parliament, a most unusual thing. The Manitoba school question will be a great subject of debate.

Hyman Hettenhost, a well-known pugilist and trainer of Brooklyn, shot and killed his two children and himself Sunday night. He was the proprietor of a college of physical instruction in Brooklyn.

At Portland, Me., Tuesday, Gov. Cleaves, on behalf of the state, presented to the new battleship Maine an elaborate silver service set. A reception followed the presentation exercises, at which the officers of the Maine were guests of the governor, at noon.

An order in council has been passed, appointing as Canadian commissioners to confer with the United States engineers on the deep waterways scheme Messrs. T. C. Keefer, Thomas Monroe and O. A. Howland, president of the International Deep Waterways Association.

Unwin Bros.' printing works, located at Chilworth, Surrey, England, were burned Sunday night. One hundred valuable manuscripts and works in course of preparation or ready for publication were destroyed. The publishing house of Unwin Bros. is also known as the Gresham press.

The board appointed by the secretary of the navy, with Admiral Walker at its head, has made a report on the location of the rams of the new battleships Nos. 5 and 6, recommending that they be placed eleven feet below the water line, as on the Texas, in accordance with the English system.

At Ottawa, Kan., P. J. Youngberg accidentally took strychnine Monday night, and in twenty minutes was dead. He went behind the prescription counter in his son's drug store to take some medicine. He mixed the dose in a glass graduate in which strychnine had been measured, and took enough of the poison to cause death.

Joseph W. Wyant, an engineer, was instantly killed. Andrew Muggins, engineer, fatally injured, and several others severely scalded by the explosion of a steam pipe in Oscar Hammerstein's theater and music hall, New York, Tuesday. The damage to the theater building was small. Andrew Higgins, the assistant engineer, died in Bellevue hospital last night.

The directors of the Childs-Drexel home for union printers decided, after the evidence before them had been carefully considered, to send a committee to Colorado Springs to investigate the charges that have been preferred against Superintendent Schuman, of the home. The following directors were appointed to make the investigation: F. A. Colby, of Colorado Springs; L. C. Shepherd, of Grand Rapids; Henry Dossey, of Dallas, Tex., and Alexander Duguid, of Cincinnati.

A terrible accident resulting in great loss of life occurred at Palma, capital of the island of Majorica, thirteen miles south of Barcelona, Spain, Monday. Eighty persons, most of whom were women, were employed in emptying old cartridges outside of the walls of the town, when one of the cartridges exploded in some manner. There was a large quantity of powder that had been taken out of the cartridges lying about over a large area, and this was ignited by the discharge of the cartridge. A tremendous explosion followed, which shattered the masonry of the town walls, which were extremely thick, and did much damage to buildings. Thirty-seven women and fourteen men were instantly killed. Thirty-five women and five men were seriously injured, and twenty have died.

NOTABLE DEAD.

George Edward Dobson is dead, in England.

Griffin Johnston, son of Albert Sidney Johnston, the noted Confederate general, is dead, at Los Angeles. Several days ago he fell from a porch and received injuries which caused his death Monday night.

Castellane Making Gould Money Fly.

New York Press.

At the Waldorf and St. James hotels yesterday tongues were wagging over this story from Paris that Count Castellane had been squandering the money which his wife, formerly Miss Anna Gould, brought him. Estimates of the cash assets which the count received vary from $5,000,000 to $15,000,000. Since his marriage rumor has said Castellane took to speculation, and that large sums disappeared. At the French watering places last summer much comment was caused by the count's expenditures. He has spent $1,000,000, it is said, on bric-a-brac. He has also been lavish in subscribing to funds established by French newspapers, and has lost more than a trifle at the gaming table and on the race course. At least, such are the rumors.

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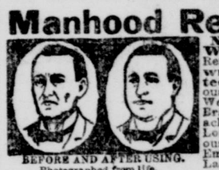

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