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WOOD ALCOHOL KILLED HIM.

Benjamin Bair Drank the Poison and Died at City Hospital.

Elizabethtown, Ky., Nov. 14.—Harlan Buckles, who was yesterday sentenced to life imprisonment for the murder of Robert L. Field, Deputy Marshal, was hanged by a mob early this morning. The mob consisted of seventy-five men, some of whom are supposed to have come from Laclede County. On account of the number they had little difficulty in getting Buckles from the jail. He was taken from the Courthouse yard and hanged to a tree, after which the mob dispersed.

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Suspected of Highway Robbery.

Richard Farrell, 20 years old, was arrested yesterday on suspicion of having held up and robbed Joseph German of No. 109 North Sixth street, near that place, November 11. German says \$60 was taken from him. The police are investigating.

UNITED IRISH LEAGUE PREPARES FOR RECEPTION.

The Reverend P. J. Carney is Chairman of Resolutions Committee for Meeting of Irish Envoys.

A meeting of the Central Council of the United Irish League was held at No. 505 Olive street yesterday evening for the purpose of preparing for the reception of the Irish envoys.



THE REVEREND P. J. CARNEY, Chairman of Resolutions Committee for the Dillon-Davitt demonstration.

pose of receiving reports of the committees on Michael Davitt and John Dillon, Irish envoys, at Music Hall on November 21. John P. Leahy presided.

All the branches of St. Louis and East St. Louis were represented. Requests from several societies and Irish organizations to participate in the demonstration were accepted.

A general meeting of the Reception Committee will be held on Thursday evening next, at which Edward Devoy will preside.

The Reverend P. J. Carney, one of the assistant pastors at St. Bridget's Church, is chairman of the committee that will draft the resolutions that are to be submitted to the Music Hall meeting.

OCTOBER EXPORTS SHOW TENDENCY TO IMPROVEMENT.

Recovery From Depression Caused by Short Corn Crop Last Year Seems Assured.

REPUBLIC SPECIAL

Washington, Nov. 15.—October exports show a decided tendency toward recovery from the depression due largely to the short corn crop of last year, and to reduced foreign demand for other breadstuffs. The total exports for October were larger than those of any preceding month in the history of our commerce, except October and December, 1900, and October, 1901.

Exports of corn are, of course, less than in October of last year, by reason of the very great shortage in corn, due to last year's drought, the total value of corn exported in October, 1902, being \$74,882, against \$238,610 in October of last year, while for the ten months ending with October the total value of corn exports is \$6,366,022, against \$7,283,459 in the corresponding months of last year.

In wheat, which has shown a material reduction in exports in the last few months when compared with the extraordinarily high figures of the corresponding months of the preceding year, the figures for October show a marked improvement, the total value of wheat exported in October, 1902, being \$12,458,688, against \$10,515,414 in October of last year, while for the ten months ending with October the total value of wheat exports is \$125,000,000, as compared with the corresponding months of last year, and a total of \$1,000,000,000.

The above figures, it should be understood, are from the preliminary statement of the Bureau of Statistics, and are slightly below the final figures, which will not be completed until the close of the month.

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WAGONER WILL CONTEST.

Butler's Right to Seat to Be Again Questioned.

George C. R. Wagoner, who was a candidate for Congress at short term against James J. Butler in the Twelfth District, said yesterday at his home, No. 435 Washington boulevard, that it had been definitely decided to contest Butler's seat. The proposition, it is stated, will be made in the Horton-Butler contest, the taking of depositions in this city and the presentation of the facts to the next Congress.

George D. Reynolds, who opposed Butler for the Illinois term, said he did not know of a decision to contest and had not made up his mind about the matter. "I do not believe in a contest of a sort or of a sort," said he. "I want first to know that there are facts enough to be reasonably sure of success in a contest or of a sort, and to demand a contest in order that the fraud be shown up. Such facts cannot be until there is a public hearing in the district demanding a contest. I am not convinced of such a demand, and at present do not want to take the burden of the matter on my shoulders."

At present Mr. Reynolds is too busy to devote much time to the matter. The campaign kept him away from his office to such an extent that all his time has been necessary in an effort to catch up. He left for Jefferson City last night.

CONVENTION OPENS TO-DAY.

Illinois Cattlemen Will Gather at Bloomington.

REPUBLIC SPECIAL

Bloomington, Ill., Nov. 15.—The eighth annual convention of the Illinois Cattle Breeders' Association will open in this city to-morrow, concluding with the annual banquet on Thursday night. Some of the best breeders and feeders of the country will also be the guests of honor.

R. M. Allen, general manager of the Standard Cattle Company of Ames, Neb., is to tell of "Some Points of Importance in the Western Agriculture to Stockmen." H. D. Watson of Kearney, Neb., will talk of "All-India as a Factor in Cattle Stock Production." There will be numerous other addresses by experts in farming and stock raising, and a profitable session is in anticipation.

One session will be devoted to the Illinois Corn Breeders' Association and another to the Illinois Cattle Breeders' Association. In addition, the Illinois Sheep Breeders' Association, the Illinois Swine Breeders' Association, the Illinois Horse Breeders' Association and the Illinois Cattle Breeders' Association will all meet here at the same time. The gathering will probably be the most notable one of the year held in this city. The convention will be held in the city of Bloomington, where cattle have attracted attention the country over.

The science of grain culture and cattle breeding is carried on upon a tract of 25-000 acres, the richest farming land in the world. The inspection will be held, and visitors will have an opportunity to study the latest methods of crop rotation and scientific farming.

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Watch repairing and cleaning by expert watchmakers carefully executed, with reasonable dispatch and at moderate charges. All such work intrusted to us may be implicitly relied upon.



VISITORS AT ST. LOUIS HOTELS.

—Horace P. Deacon of Philadelphia, Pa., is registered at the St. Nicholas.

—Doctor Robert D. Haire of Clinton, Mo., spent yesterday at the Lindell.

—N. L. Zambie of Aurora, N. Y., is stopping at the Planters.

—J. Russell Marble of Worcester, Mass., has rooms at the Southern.

—E. Harding of Kansas City, Mo., was at the New St. James yesterday.

—E. Short of Davenport, Ia., is a guest at the Laclede.

—Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Quigley of Birmingham, Ala., are at the Moser.

—Edward Small and G. L. Hill of Muskegon, I. T., are at Horn's.

—Mrs. B. T. Hobart of Springfield, Mo., is a guest at the St. Nicholas.

—Floyd Galloway of Elsbey, Mo., is registered at the Lindell.

—Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Butler of San Francisco, Cal., are at the Planters.

—Paul F. Markoff of Rochester, N. Y., is stopping at the Southern.

—J. Miller of Washington, Ind., is registered at the New St. James.

—H. M. Walker of Lawton, Ok., has rooms at the Laclede.

—Mr. and Mrs. George P. Hays of New York are at the Moser.

—Henry F. Harrington of Oshkosh, Wis., was at Horn's yesterday.

—William H. Christopher of New York is on the guest list at the St. Nicholas.

—Mrs. G. K. Smith of Hot Springs, Ark., is a guest at the Lindell.

—Mr. and Mrs. F. J. Usher of Lincoln, Neb., are at the Planters.

—W. P. Robinson of Toledo, O., is stopping at the Southern.

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—Hubert Labadie of Detroit, Mich., was at the New St. James yesterday.

—D. G. Biggers of Omaha, Neb., is a guest at the Laclede.

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The set illustrated by above carver—knife, fork and steel, in silk-lined box—for \$10. The blade is the very best steel produced; the handles are choice selected stag-horn, with sterling silver ferrules. As a purchase for your Thanksgiving offering, wedding or Christmas gift, no more satisfactory could be made. **\$10.00**

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Triple silver-plated on solid nickel Forks, to match, at same price.

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Dessert, Orange and Fruit Knives, to match, at proportionate prices.

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BUTLER COMING TO MISSOURI.

Columbia University President to Consult President Jesse.

REPUBLIC SPECIAL

New York, Nov. 15.—Doctor Nicholas Murray Butler, president of Columbia University of New York, accompanied by Frederick C. Hollis, will leave New York for St. Louis tomorrow morning at 10 o'clock, arriving in the World's Fair city at 1:30 p. m. Thursday.

Doctor Butler will remain in St. Louis until evening, when he will leave for St. Louis to attend to the already extensive obligations of the Missouri State University on matters relating to the university. He will return to New York on Friday morning, and will be the guest of the Commercial Club at dinner in the evening.

Mr. Wm. Walsh, Founder of the Merrick, Walsh & Phelps Company, will be pleased to see you at Mermod & Jaccard's, Broadway and Locust, with whom he is now associated.

BRYANT'S OLD HOME BURNED.

Poet's Dwelling Place at Roslyn Now in Ashes.

New York, Nov. 15.—Scores of men and women whose names are familiar in society strove in vain yesterday to save from the flames the old home of the poet William Cullen Bryant at Roslyn, L. I.

While his friends and neighbors toiled in bucket brigade to aid the firemen gathered from all the surrounding villages, W. Butler Dunham, who lived with his family in the home, directed his efforts to stop the fire. All the furnishings of the house, including rare paintings, costly rugs, and furniture, and the original library of the poet, were saved, but the home itself was destroyed, together with Mr. Dunham's valuable collection of yacht models.

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FATAL LEAP FROM TRAIN.

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Marshall, Mo., Nov. 15.—Charles B. Jones, aged 15 years, was instantly killed at Glasgow this morning by a westbound Chicago and Alton freight. He jumped off while it was running.

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Carlyle, Ill., Nov. 15.—William Conrad, a farmer living near Clinton Switch, is having more than his share of trouble. His entire family of seven has the typhoid fever, and he is just recovered. Last night one of the sons, died from the disease. He was 20 years old. Three other children are in a serious condition.

BOOM FOR G. W. THORNBERRY.

Friends Want Him Nominated for Lieutenant Governor.

REPUBLIC SPECIAL

Hartsville, Mo., Nov. 15.—The Ave. Democratic third-party ticket in the Missouri District has started a boom for George W. Thornberry of Osark County for the Democratic nomination for Lieutenant Governor in 1904. Mr. Thornberry, last year, was appointed Judge of the Thirty-first District, which is a new district, created by the last General Assembly.

He was the Democratic nominee for Judge at the last election and was defeated by only 319 votes in that district, which gave a Republican majority of about 2,500 for the Republican State ticket. Mr. Thornberry is both able and popular, and it is thought would draw many votes to the Democratic State ticket in South Missouri if nominated for Lieutenant Governor.

Wedding Rings (Solid Gold). Finest quality, \$2 to \$20. Mermod & Jaccard's, Broadway and Locust.

Thirty-Five Stitches in Face.

It required thirty-five stitches to close up the gash on the right cheek of Frederick Schueber, who was wounded in a difficulty with three other men in a saloon at No. 1001 Brooklyn street early yesterday morning. The slash, inflicted by a pocketknife, reached entirely across the face, beginning at the ear. It was creased at the North End Hotel by Doctor Charles Schueber, who is a teamster, was sent to his home, No. 816 Montgomery street. Jerry Tomney and James W. Wilson, Reardon were arrested as a result of the fight.

Winter Tours

To Texas and Old Mexico Resorts. Tickets with liberal limits and stopover privileges now on sale via M. & T. R. Ry. See "Katy" Agent, 520 Olive st.

John H. Rabe's Statement.

John H. Rabe, who is a candidate for Postmaster in the event that F. W. Baumhoff is not reappointed, has issued a statement to the effect that his name was not on the Filley Independent ticket four years ago. Mr. Rabe states that he made an independent run for Congress in the Fifteenth Congressional District at that time, but that his campaign was in no sense made in connection with the Filley ticket.

FUNERAL OF DOCTOR PHELAN.

Services Were Held at St. Francis Xavier's Catholic Church.

The funeral of Doctor Richard A. Phelan, who died at his home, No. 338 Lawton avenue, Friday afternoon, was held yesterday at St. Francis Xavier's Catholic Church, Grand avenue and Lindell boulevard. The Reverend Father Poland conducted the services. Interment was in Calvary Cemetery.

Members of the Loyal Legion, Ransom Post, G. A. R., the Royal Arcanum and the A. O. U. W., of which the deceased was a member, attended the funeral.

15 Per Cent Discount Off Fine China Dinner sets, service plates, special sets, etc.—important to Thanksgiving purchasers—at **HERMOD & JACCARD'S,** Broadway and Locust.

Current Topics Club Meeting.

At the regular meeting of the Current Topics Club, Wednesday evening at the Y. M. C. A. building, Grisl and Franklin avenues, the topic for discussion will be "Problems of the Orient." The following programme will be read: "Japan," A. P. Hebard; "China," F. Langtry.

West Presbyterian Church.

Mrs. Mendenhall will lecture at West Presbyterian Church, Maple and Maryville avenues, Monday, Tuesday, Thursday and Friday, November 17, 18, 19 and 21. Free admission.

Negro Dies Over Bake Oven.

Charles Jones, employed as a cook on the steamer Peter Lee, fell dead about 5 o'clock yesterday morning while baking bread. It is supposed to be the cause. The body was removed to the morgue.

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