

THE FATAL RESULT OF A JAG.

J. H. Bostwick's Celebrated Stables Burned.

The Owner Dropped Dead During the Fire.

His Footman and Coachman and Valuable Horses Cremated - Careless Handling of Matches the Cause.

By the Associated Press. MAMARONECK, N. Y., Aug. 17.—Fire broke out in the handsome stable of J. H. Bostwick, the millionaire Standard Oil man, at his summer residence, on Oriental point, shortly after midnight, and spread to the stables of Mr. Constable, of Arnold & Constable, and both were destroyed, together with a number of valuable blooded horses, entailing a loss of nearly \$100,000. When the fire was discovered, Mr. Bostwick, who had been in poor health for some time, ran out on the porch in great excitement and dropped dead from heart disease. It appears that the dead man's coachman and footman were out boating yesterday, returned last night under the influence of liquor, and, probably, through the careless handling of matches, set the barn on fire. Both were burned to death.

THE OUELOW OF GOLD.

Treasury Officials Unusually Reluctant About the Matter.

WASHINGTON, Aug. 17.—The treasury officials, while apparently unconcerned over the recent gold shipments, are generally observing unusual reticence in the matter. Acting Treasurer Whipple takes a very philosophical view of the situation, and says he sees no occasion for any excitement because the assistant treasurer at New York, yesterday, paid out a million dollars in gold for export in exchange for treasury notes. He says that there is nothing unusual in the transaction, beyond the fact that gold shipments seem to have continued a little later this year than heretofore. It was due, he thought, to heavy imports of late, payment for which must be made in gold. Gold exports, in his opinion, are practically at an end for this season, and the usual reaction in favor of the United States will soon set in.

THE EIGHT-HOUR LAW.

It Will Increase the Cost of Public Buildings 12 Per Cent.

WASHINGTON, D. C., Aug. 17.—Superintending Architect Edbrooke says, regarding the new eight-hour law, that he estimates it will increase the cost of construction 12 per cent. The government spends about \$25,000,000 annually on public buildings, and the additional expenditure under the law will be \$3,000,000. He says the law also may make a serious difference in the character of the public buildings to be erected in Washington, Omaha, St. Paul, Milwaukee and San Francisco.

ON THE LOWER RIO GRANDE.

No Revolutionists in Sight, but Many Starving Mexicans.

SAN ANTONIO, Tex., Aug. 17.—United States Marshal Paul Frick has returned home from an extended expedition in the lower border counties, in search of Garza revolutionists. He made a thorough search, traveling several hundred miles on horseback, and discovered no evidence of any movement being organized against the Mexican government. There is great distress among the lower class Mexicans, and several cases of starvation have occurred among children.

Alabama Fusionists.

BIRMINGHAM, Ala., Aug. 17.—The Folk executive committee and the People's party committee held a joint session today. They issued a joint call for a joint convention, to put out candidates for congress and presidential electors. The fusion convention is to meet September 15th. Leading Republicans say the Republicans will take down their electoral ticket.

Dynamiting Still Alive.

LONDON, Aug. 17.—The resolutions adopted at the meeting of the Irish societies in Chicago, on Monday last, is being used by the Unionists to embarrass the Liberals. The Times says one of the principal problems of the Separatists is the treatment of political prisoners. The Times regards the meeting at Ogden Grove, Chicago, as a proof that dynamiting is still alive.

Out of the Fighting Business.

St. Louis, Aug. 17.—A New Orleans dispatch says: The Metropolitan club, which was a rival of the Olympic, has decided to retire from the prize-fighting business, and to organize merely as a social club. It will sell its arena and grounds.

Cholera Decreasing in Persia.

TEHRAN, Persia, Aug. 17.—There is a great decrease in cholera deaths, due to cool winds, but 350 occurred Sunday. The American Presbyterian mission has opened a cholera hospital, and is doing excellent work, but is crippled by lack of funds.

An Alliance Annals.

AUSTIN, Tex., Aug. 17.—At the state Alliance convention, Stephen Ashby, responding on behalf of the Alliance to an address of welcome, said, among other things, that the order numbered 7,000,000 in the United States.

Gladstone's Cabinet Meets.

LONDON, Aug. 17.—The first meeting of the new cabinet was held today. Gladstone presided. The session lasted two hours.

Dandruff.

This annoying scalp trouble, which gives the hair an untidy appearance, is cured by skookum root hair grower. All druggists.

Tarheel Populites.

RALEIGH, N. C., Aug. 17.—The third party convention last night nominated a full state ticket, with W. P. Exum for governor.

Miles' Nerve and Liver Pills.

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William Slaney.

Having opened his new store at 244 South Spring street, with an entire new line of boots and shoes, would be glad to meet his old friends and patrons, and many new ones. His stock embraces the best goods in the city, and at the most reasonable prices.

BOGRAN IS NOT DEAD.

The Ex-President of Honduras Sojourning in San Francisco.

NEW ORLEANS, Aug. 17.—The steamship Breakwater, which arrived yesterday, from Livingston, brought the information that ex-President Bogran, of Spanish Honduras, was killed in the vicinity of Puente Cortez, while the rebels occupied the place. Bogran's hiding place was disclosed by an old peon. SAN FRANCISCO, Aug. 17.—The report sent today from New Orleans that ex-President Bogran of Honduras had been killed, is not correct. He is registered at a hotel in this city, and has been interviewed by the newspapers here. He says he is on his way to Europe, and knows nothing about the revolution in Honduras.

VICE-PRESIDENTIAL CANDIDATES.

Reid Starts for Illinois and Stevenson for New York.

NEW YORK, Aug. 17.—Hon. Whitelaw Reid left Jersey City this morning at 10:40, on the Chicago limited, for Springfield, Ill. He was accompanied by Congressman Burrows, of Michigan; James F. Burke, president of the College League clubs, and T. W. Tyson, Reid's private secretary. Reid will address the convention of the Illinois State league at Springfield, tomorrow. BLOOMINGTON, Ill., Aug. 17.—Hon. A. E. Stevenson, accompanied by his law partner, James S. Ewing, left this morning for New York, on legal and political business.

RENEGADE APACHES.

General McCook Ascribes the New Mexico Murders to Them.

WASHINGTON, Aug. 17.—Acting Secretary Grant received a telegram this morning, from General McCook, at Los Angeles, Cal., regarding the case of the two men murdered at Davenport's ranch, sixteen miles south of Separ, N. M., on the 8th instant, from which it appears that the act was probably committed by a party of eight renegade Apaches, under the notorious Kid, recently seen in that vicinity. General McCook says he has four parties in search of the marauders, two from San Carlos, one from Bodie and one from Grant, and that the troops with the boundary commission are also keeping watch for them.

COAST CULLINGS.

Fire at Kendrick, Idaho, destroyed four blocks of business houses; loss, \$80,000. The second carload of fresh grapes from the Cajon valley is en route to Chicago.

It is stated that Bernard Moses, at present professor of history at the University of California, will be made president of that institution.

The Chinese of San Diego say they won't pay any attention to the new registration law, as their head man has received a letter, telling them to evade it, and return to China, if necessary. All object to having their photographs taken.

Judah Baker, one of the pioneers and best known merchants of San Francisco, was stricken with apoplexy Wednesday afternoon, and died shortly afterward. He was 60 years old and a native of Massachusetts.

Arnold Pollack & Co., of San Francisco, wholesale and retail dealers in tobacco and cigars, have been attached for \$45,000. The liabilities of the firm are estimated at over \$180,000. The failure is attributed to the tight money market.

EASTERN ECHOES.

Preparation is being made at the Washington navy yard for the shipment of the ordnance outfit of the coast defense vessel Monterey across the continent to San Francisco. This will be the largest single shipment of ordnance material ever made in this country.

Dr. J. Albert Kimball, 49 years old, a dentist enjoying a large and lucrative practice, and himself proprietor and editor of the Dentist, the official organ of his profession, committed suicide in his room in New York city, by cutting his throat with a razor.

The executive committee of the Southwest silver convention has issued a call for the second annual convention to meet at El Paso, Tex., December 5th. The call says the silver interest is in a most critical condition, mines are closing down, and further exploration and development of the mineral resources of the southwest have received a serious shock.

In Philadelphia, Tuesday night, Joseph C. Bailey shot Mary Carney, who he mistook for his wife. He next shot Paul Ginther, with whom he supposed he had caught, his wife in a compromising position, and then turned the revolver upon himself, inflicting a fatal wound. Miss Carney will recover, and Ginther's wound is only slight.

A Hold-Up Frustrated.

GREELY, Colo., Aug. 17.—As a passenger train on the Union Pacific stopped for coal at Lasalle, last night, two masked men entered one of the cars, and with drawn revolvers, ordered the passengers to hold up their hands. The fellows were on the point of collecting toll from the astonished passengers when one of the latter opened fire on the hold-ups. The latter returned the fire, but one of them getting hit, they both jumped from the car and fled.

Falling Hair.

Produces baldness. It is cheaper to buy a bottle of skookum root hair grower than a wig; besides, wearing your own hair is more convenient. All druggists.

Blount Will Retire.

INDIAN SPRINGS, Ga., Aug. 17.—It is stated that James H. Blount, chairman of the committee on foreign relations of the present house of representatives, will not be a member of the next house. After a service of twenty years in that body, he has decided to quit congressional life. The convention to nominate his successor met here today.

Why Do I Suffer From This?

From a long letter written by Mrs. Ada E. Hurd, of Groton, S. D., we quote: "I was taken with a bad cold, which settled on my lungs. Cough set in, and finally terminated in consumption. Four doctors gave me up, saying I could live but a short time. I gave myself up to my friends on earth, and would not stay in the world. The hours for sleeping are between 8 and 10 o'clock a.m. and 6 and 8 o'clock p.m. For a violation of the above regulation the water was turned on in the night, and I was before water was turned on again. 8-17-91."

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AMUSEMENT PLAYERS.

The Lawn Tennis Tournament at Santa Monica.

Notes about the Contests Which Will Begin Monday.

The Plans of the Executive Committee. Some of the Experts Who Will Participate—Increased Interest in the Game.

The midsummer tournament of the Southern California Lawn Tennis association begins on next Monday morning on the Casino courts at Santa Monica. The executive committee, having the arrangement of this tournament in charge, has done all in its power to insure a successful meeting, and the prospects are very brilliant for the best meeting ever held in Southern California. In fact, it is difficult to speak of the programme for the week, without dealing in the superlative degree. Certainly, the prizes (now on exhibition in Montgomery Bros.' window) are the most costly and appropriate ever offered, and the quality of the playing promises to be the most expert we have yet seen.

In the first class there will be "Bob" Carter, facile princeps of racket wielders hereabouts. Mr. Carter, in the estimation of the writer, will have no difficulty in securing the challenge cup won by Coulter last year. He is playing in perfect form, and can easily give any opponent fifteen and a beating.

It was hoped by the executive committee that some of the northern cracks could be induced to enter their names, but the absence of Hubbard and Hobart in the east, and the retirement of Taylor, almost precludes this possibility. Was such not the case, however, it is not probable that any of these players would care to meet Mr. Carter on his own stamping ground. President Severance, however, is in San Francisco at the present time, using his persuasive powers to induce some of the northern men to visit us, and it is to be hoped that they will succeed in their endeavor.

Quite a stir has been created in tennis circles by the playing of the Chase brothers, of Chicago. They are at present living in Riverside, and those who have seen them play say their style is of a high order. They come from a good tennis family, their elder brother having held the championship of the west for the past several years. The present game, considering the fact that they are 14 and 16 years of age. In the late tournament of the Palomar club, of San Diego, both the single and double events were captured "hands down" by them, and several who "know it all" have predicted a like triumph at Santa Monica, but this is hardly likely to occur. We have several local players who can easily win from the best talent of San Diego; and as to the singles, the writer has already expressed his opinion above. However, the entrance of the Chase brothers will add great interest to the tournament.

Coulter, last year's champion, will not defend the cup, on account of ill health. This will be bad news to many of Mr. Coulter's friends and admirers of his playing style of play.

Among the other players are such well known men as Bumiller, Germain, Butler, Causton, Frank Carter, Cobly, Manning, Corcoran, Wallace, Singleton, Lester, Routh, Woodhouse and others. The general entry list will be much larger than this, as there are a number of unknown from the younger clubs.

Right here let me say to all tennis players who have any skill or knowledge of the game at all, that the future of the game is in your hands. There may be a few complain at your presence, but that is a small matter. The experience and knowledge you will gain will not only be of value to yourself, but also help materially in the advancement of the game in general. It is from the rank of the young players that the future champions are to come, and there is no such training school as a tournament.

It is no uncommon thing for a novice to improve his game "fifteen" by playing through his first tournament. So play early and often, and rest assured the tournament committee will make you a good come.

Mr. Robert Bettner, secretary of the association, in talking with the writer a few days ago, spoke of the rapid growth of interest in tennis during the past year. He said he was constantly receiving enquiries concerning the organization of clubs, and that during the past month the Olive club of Los Angeles, the Redlands club, the Anaheim club, the San Diego club and the Los Angeles Athletic club had been admitted to the association. Mr. Bettner is always willing to answer questions, and has corresponded with every club in the state in response to the coming tournament.

Among the lady players will be Misses Carter, Gilliland, Shoemaker, Wilkes for the first prize, between Miss Gilliland and Miss Carter, with the advantage in Miss Carter's favor.

It will be the aim of the committee in charge to arrange the various events so that every day will afford some especially interesting contest, and thus prevent the interest of the spectators from flagging.

A grand ball, on the evening of the 26th, promises to be the swellest event of the Santa Monica season. Here's to the success of the season of '92.

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Pronounced Hopeless, Yet Saved. From a long letter written by Mrs. Ada E. Hurd, of Groton, S. D., we quote: "I was taken with a bad cold, which settled on my lungs. Cough set in, and finally terminated in consumption. Four doctors gave me up, saying I could live but a short time. I gave myself up to my friends on earth, and would not stay in the world. The hours for sleeping are between 8 and 10 o'clock a.m. and 6 and 8 o'clock p.m. For a violation of the above regulation the water was turned on in the night, and I was before water was turned on again. 8-17-91."

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