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SEVERE STORMS.

The second of a series of thunderstorms broke with the violence of a cloudburst in New York yesterday afternoon. The downpour and the accompanying electrical display lasted only 15 minutes, but in that time it was responsible for the death of one man and the injury of several persons, while hundreds of streets were turned into rivers and cellars flooded.

At the Polo grounds the game between New York and Brooklyn was about to be called when the storm broke. As the 5,000 fans rushed for shelter a blinding flash of lightning struck the flag pole in center field, smashing the upper portion of the staff into splinters and tearing down the pennant flag which the Giants won in 1905. In Brooklyn John Freeman started to put out a fire which had been started by lightning in a pile of rubbish around an iron telephone pole. Freeman threw a pail of water on the fire and fell back, killed by the electricity which traveled back to him on the water from the pole. In another section of Brooklyn a woman was struck by lightning and seriously injured.

Summing up the results of the heat wave which has held New York in its grip for a week or more, Health Commissioner Darlington in his weekly mortality report yesterday, noted an increase of nearly 200 deaths over the figures for the corresponding period last year. An average of five deaths a day from sunstroke for the period of high temperature was reported, while many other deaths for which the weather is held primarily responsible, were reported under the captions "heart disease" and "infants' diseases."

During a severe electrical storm which passed over Harford county, Md. Sunday afternoon John Brinker was instantly killed by lightning. He was in the barn milking a cow at the time the storm was at its worst, when the bolt struck the building, passed down a large upright post and struck both the man and cow, killing them instantly. The storm was particularly severe at Belair, the residents being thrown into a state of terror by the blinding flashes of lightning. In numbers of homes the members of the families were called together in prayer that no harm might befall them. Several dwellings were more or less damaged by lightning. Cattle and horses in many parts of the country were killed during the storm and many trees splintered.

SUMMER VACATIONS.

When the hot weather comes, many persons in towns and cities think they must drop their work and go to some other locality for a vacation. In some cases, such a change is a necessity; in others, it is merely a question of personal inclination; and in still others, it is really harmful to leave home.

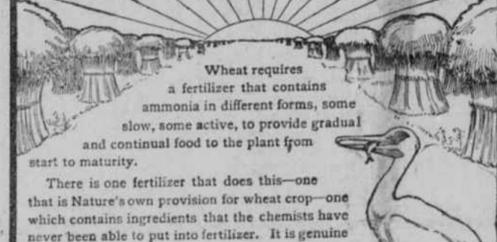
In any case, the summer visitor should be very careful in choosing the place for his vacation and equally careful in the way he spends it. As a general rule, a person should seek a change in altitude in taking his summer vacation. The man from Tidewater will often be more benefited by a trip to the mountains than by a visit to the seashore, and vice versa.

Much more important, however, is the choice of a place. Many people hurry away to a resort of some sort, without inquiring about conditions at the place to which they are going. This frequently results in a long stay at a place where there are none of the conveniences to which city people are accustomed, and none of the securities of the city for health.

When you are thinking of visiting any summer resort, never make any arrangements until you are satisfied that the water and milk are good, that there is no typhoid fever in the immediate neighborhood and that the sewage at the resort is disposed of in a satisfactory manner. If you cannot be satisfied on these points, do not hesitate to go some where else. A few pointed inquiries on these matters will save the visitor much risk of sickness and will result, in the end, in a marked improvement in the sanitary arrangements in summer resorts.

MURDER AND SUICIDE.
George Gurney, at Quincy, Ill., shot and killed his father, Dr. Seneca Gurney, aged 79 years; wounded his sister-in-law Mrs. Seneca Gurney, jr., aged 37 years, and then killed himself by sending a bullet into his right ear Sunday. Mrs. Gurney was shot in the right cheek and the back of the neck. Mrs. Gurney and her brother-in-law recently went to Quincy from New Orleans, where he was foreman for a firm of contractors. George Gurney called Mrs. Gurney to his room on the plea that he was not feeling well. She offered a few words of sympathy, whereupon he drew a revolver from under the bedclothes and fired at her twice. Dr. Gurney attempted to go to her aid and was shot down. Then the son killed himself. Ill health and worry over the death of a daughter and separation from his wife who lives in Oklahoma are supposed to have affected the slayer's mind.

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