

THE MORMON INCUBUS.

Gaining a Foothold in West Virginia.

WORK OF THE MISSIONARIES.

Wives Forsake Their Husbands and Husbands Their Wives at the Beck of the Elders.

(Associated Press dispatches to the Herald.)

WHEELING, W. Va., August 20.—Mormon elders have been doing effective missionary work in this State, and the effects are beginning to be felt in a very serious way. So critical is the situation in some sections that serious trouble is brewing. In Wheeling there is to be found a congregation of Saints with a church building of their own, in which regular services are held. The converts here have been mostly women, some of them have been exported to Utah. In the counties of Ritchie, Calhoun, Grant and Pendleton, the elders or missionaries as they call themselves, are working in the boldest manner. They have made an astonishing number of converts, and scores of families have been broken up in consequence. Cases are numerous where entire families have renounced their former faith and united with the Mormon church. More numerous, however, are cases where family ties have been broken, where wives have deserted husbands and husbands wives to cast their lot with the Mormons. Many young girls have been induced to leave their homes and go to Utah. Feeling is very bitter against them is very bitter, and an organized movement to drive them out is probable.

THE WORLD'S FAIR.

The New Yorkers Alive to the Situation.

New York, August 20.—Eighteen of the twenty-five financiers selected by Mayor Grant to constitute a finance committee for the projected World's Fair of 1892, were present this afternoon at the initial meeting of the committee in the Mayor's office. Many millions of dollars were represented in the gathering, and the unanimity of feeling was marked. Jesse Seligman made an address, in which he counseled prompt action in the matter of securing funds necessary for the successful carrying out of the great event. He submitted a plan in which he assumed that \$15,000,000 would be necessary for the undertaking. He thought a company should be organized to issue stock to the amount mentioned, which stock would command 2 per cent. interest and be guaranteed by the city of New York. The city should be authorized to assume such responsibility by the passage of an act to that end at the next session of the State Legislature. The stock should be exempt from all taxation. Congress should be asked to give its hearty support to the scheme at its session in December. The stock should be divided into as small as \$10 shares. When the public generally have had an opportunity to subscribe, the remainder of the stock, if any should remain, could find a ready market. Seligman asked his plan to be simply received for consideration, and it was so ordered. This plan, with others submitted and to be received, will be presented to the Executive Committee, who will be asked to select the one the more feasible and worthy of consideration.

SEVERE STORM.

A Deluge in Portions of Minnesota and Wisconsin.

St. Paul, August 18.—The storm which prevailed last night and this morning was one of the most severe ever experienced here. Two inches of water fell between 2 and 5 o'clock, and the lightning was constant and vivid. The storm was general throughout this section, in some places doing considerable damage. At Stillwater several houses were struck by lightning and considerably damaged. The streets were also badly washed out. At Eau Claire, Wisconsin, the large agricultural building of the Northwestern Fair Association was destroyed by fire caused by lightning. Several houses in the vicinity were also struck and badly damaged. At Duluth the total damage is estimated at \$60,000. Greater losses are feared, as the storm was very severe.

TRAVELING NOTABLES.

Sidney Dillon and Party Coming West.

CHICAGO, August 20.—Sidney Dillon, the railway magnate, and John Sloane, a wealthy New York carpet manufacturer, left the city this afternoon for a long western trip. Members of their families and a few friends made a party of fourteen. They first go to St. Paul and thence to Portland by way of the Northern Pacific. At this point Sloane may, with a few others of the party, visit San Francisco. Mr. Dillon will return from Portland by the Oregon and Transcontinental, by way of Denver. "It is my first trip to the West in a number of years," he said before leaving, "and it has really no significance. I own some property out that way, and have a natural desire to see it—that is all. The Oregon and Transcontinental territory is all new to me. The last time I was West there were no roads there."

TERRIBLE FOREST FIRES.

Twenty-five Square Miles Burned Over in Yuba County.

SACRAMENTO, August 20.—A correspondent writes from Bangor, Butte county, under date August 15th, that the forest fires which have raged in that vicinity were something fearful. The fire commenced burning last Tuesday in Yuba county, and burned steadily three days, sweeping everything before it, rushing madly over farms and through orchards, and burning down houses, barns, fences and trees. The flames were whipped into fury by south winds, and all efforts to stop them were almost futile. A strip of country ten miles long and two and one half wide was burnt over.

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Woolen Company Fails.

PROVIDENCE, R. I., August 20.—The Phoenix Woolen Company, of East Greenwich, has assigned. The embarrassment was brought about through the failure of Brown, Stees & Clark, who held the company's notes for large amounts. Assets and liabilities unknown.

Folding Their Tents.

New York, August 20.—Twenty Arabs, of both sexes, are detained at Castle Garden until the Turkish Consul can be consulted. It is said there are 70,000 Arabs waiting to come to this country, provided the twenty are passed through.

The Export Shipbuilder.

WASHINGTON, August 20.—Superintendent of the Census Porter to-day appointed Charles E. Taft, of Little Rock, Ark., special agent on ship-building. Taft is a civil engineer and has made ship-building a special study.

The Dresden Fire.

DETROIT, Mich., August 20.—The report of fire at Dresden, Ontario, sent last night appears to have been exaggerated. As far as learned only McKean's hub and spoke factory was destroyed. Estimates variously put the loss from \$100,000 to \$200,000.

British Money in American Breweries.

NEW YORK, August 20.—The Secretary of the United States Brewers' Association says a total of \$8,116,000 English money has been put into American Breweries within the past few months.

A Good Showing.

BUFFALO, August 20.—The receiver of Sherman Brothers & Co., limited, has filed a report which shows the amount of bills payable to be \$355,000; actual assets being \$600,000 and \$7,000,000.

Death of a Wealthy Hoosier.

LAFAYETTE, Ind., August 20.—Moses Fowler, President of the Fowler National Bank, of Lafayette, and one of the wealthiest men in Indiana, died this morning, aged 75 years.

Explosion in a Brewery.

PITTSBURG, August 20.—An explosion occurred in Staub's brewery, Allegheny City, this afternoon. Three men were killed and a number injured.

Established an Alibi.

LIBERTY, Mo., August 19.—Harvey and James Pullen, under arrest charged with the Wabash train robbery, have practically established an alibi.

Boaters Drowned.

EASTON, Pa., August 19.—Charles Keller, Mamie Callaghan and Winnie Callaghan while boating, last night, went over the falls, and all were drowned.

A First-Class Investment.

Ex-Mayor W. H. Workman has a few choice business lots for sale on First street (formerly Alamo avenue) between Cable Railway Co.'s power house and the top of the hill, call on T. E. Rowan, 114 N. Spring street, for prices.

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BANKING HOUSES.

FARMERS' AND MERCHANTS' BANK OF LOS ANGELES, CAL.

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