

By Telegraph

The Money Letter.

NEW YORK, Aug. 15.—The long delayed, expose by United States Commissioner John I. Davenport, of the Money Letter, will be published tomorrow morning. It makes a book of 150 pages, and is largely made up of facsimiles of documents, showing the forgery in its various forms. The narrative is only a brief part of the whole volume. The book sets forth that the person who actually penned the forged letter was a lawyer of this city named H. Hadley. Davenport describes him as a manipulator of insurance companies of doubtful character, and of other matters equally precarious, with an innate love of intrigue and with a craving for notoriety and an unconquerable desire to dip into politics and to correspond with public men. He quotes from his letters to show he was always a democrat, though at the time of the commission of the forgery he was the secretary of the Hancock republican association, in the rooms of which the forgery was committed, on or about October 23, 1880. The forgery, according to Hadley's admissions and confirmatory evidence collected by Davenport, was originally in the form of an extract from a supposed interview with General Garfield. Davenport possessed himself of about 1,000 letters written between 1873 and 1879 and finds all distinguishing marks of orthography and calligraphy alike in them and the forged letter. Hadley always misspelled the word "religiously" as it was misspelled in the forged letter and all nouns ending in "ies," such as "companies" and "copies," he spelled the final "y," as the word "company" appears in the forged letter. In his genuine correspondence Hadley invariably dotted the letter "e" when it occurred in a word containing an "i," as in the signature to the forged letter. It was on the display of this evidence of guilt that Hadley confessed his part in the crime. Davenport attempts to show the connection between him and other members of the national democratic convention had with the forgery, claiming he paid Hadley various sums for work done by him. He admits that he wrote H. L. Morey in the register of the Kirtland house, Lynn, and substituted it for the name of George E. C. Morey, in the affidavit of Mrs. Clara Morey, declaring he was her son. These forgeries were made to sustain the original forgery. There was no such man as H. L. Morey, to whom the forged letter was supposed to have been written, nor was there ever such a person as John W. Goodall, who claimed to have been the executor of H. L. Morey, and who transmitted the forged letter to Truth. Hadley wrote the Goodall letters also.

Fast Trotting.

PHILADELPHIA, August 15.—Not since the eventful day when Maud S. trotted the fastest three consecutive heats ever recorded, 2:12, 2:12 1/2 and 2:13 1/2, has there been such an attendance as at the Belmont course as was gathered there today when Jay Eye See and Phallias attempted to break the record made by Maud S. and 2:13 1/2, best for stallion, made by Phallias himself at Chicago. The mile record was not broken, but the time made by both horses more than met the expectations of a majority of the spectators. Jay Eye See beat the record for three fourths of a mile and but for a losing break just after entering the last quarter, without doubt would have chopped a second or two off of Maud S's fastest time. Phallias failed to equal his own best performance, but he trotted the three fastest consecutive heats ever recorded by a stallion; the slowest being better than the best record of any other stallion. There was an attendance of from 10,000 to 12,000 people. Jay Eye See's time by quarters was as follows: Quarter, 32 1/2; half, 1:03, three quarters, 1:35 1/2; mile, 2:11. Phallias trotted the first mile in 2:15, second in 2:14 1/2, third in 2:14 1/2.

Will Have Two Conventions.

FARGO, Aug. 15.—A dispatch to the Argus from Larimore states that the legislative committee of the Eleventh district met today and called a convention to nominate candidates for the legislature to meet at Larimore, October 2. The proxy from Grand Forks and the man from Nelson, not being recognized, called another convention to meet at Grand Forks, October 1. The fight of the factions in Grand Forks and the interests of Delegate Raymond are said to be involved.

The Records of the Expedition.

WASHINGTON, Aug. 15.—The records and relics of the Greeley Arctic expedition which were brought to New York and there turned over to the authorities of Governors Island, were brought here today and delivered to the chief signal officer. They will be used by Lieutenant Greeley in making his report of the expedition and by the chief signal officer in making his report to the secretary of war. The collection includes all the records of the scientific work and discoveries of the Greeley party, their instruments and private papers, and diaries of members. When the expedition was fitted out every member was supplied with blank books to keep as their personal property and not subject to the supervision of Lieutenant Greeley or anyone else. Seventeen of them have been preserved. Their contents will be considered confidential between the government and the writers, and while portions of them will be used in making up a history of the expedition, nothing they contain will be made public until Lieutenant Greeley's report of the expedition is completed. General Hazen says it may be a year before Lieutenant Greeley's report is finished.

Nothing in It.

ST. PAUL, Aug. 15.—General Manager Oakes authorizes the unequivocal denial of the rumors concerning his accepting the position of general manager of the Union Pacific system. He says there is nothing in it whatever.

Then It's a Lie.

ALBANY, Aug. 15.—General Logan telegraphs the Evening Journal, from Jamestown, that he never told Ex-Senator Barnum that he believed Garfield wrote the Money letter as stated in New York.

Marauding Utes.

SALT LAKE, Aug. 15.—Harold Carlisle, agent of the Kansas & New Mexico Cattle company, telegraphed Governor Murray on the 13th inst. from Durango, Colorado: A marauding band of Utes came over into San Juan valley, Utah,

from Colorado, and killed two white men and burned the ranches and provisions of the cattle company. They had driven all the whites out of the valley and had possession. The lives of people are in imminent danger, their homes and property being destroyed. Carlisle asked the governor to telegraph to Washington for aid to corral the Indians and drive them back to the reservation. Governor Murray sent the following telegram, Carlisle's dispatch being appended:

Hon. H. M. Teller, Secretary of the Interior, Washington.—The following message just received. On these facts I request that the Indians be returned to their reservation, protection being given by troops to the citizens of San Juan county. ELLIJAH H. MURRAY, Governor.

A Stricken City.

ST. PAUL, Aug. 16.—For the fourth time in its history the city of Anoka has been fire stricken, and the entire business portion for the second time entirely wiped out of existence. The ruin is widespread and extensive, and at this time it is utterly impossible to more than roughly approximate the great loss, which is placed by the most conservative at a million dollars at least. From the Congregational church at the corner of Main street and Third avenue west to Burn river and from Monroe street north to Van Baran street is naught but a heap of smoking ashes and blackened ruins. The alarm was given shortly after 2 o'clock this morning and was promptly answered by engine company No. 1, hose companies Nos. 1 and 2 and the hook and ladder company. The cause of the alarm was found to be fire in the skating rink of Kuines & Vandervick, situated in the rear of the post office and high school buildings. Although the department was quickly at work, it was soon evident that the

FLAMES WERE BEYOND CONTROL.

and that the adjoining buildings must go, and in a few minutes the Campbell-Boote brick block, in which the postoffice was situated, was in flames, followed almost simultaneously by the appearance of fire in the high school adjoining and D. W. Bell Bros. restaurant. The flames were communicated to the elegant new brick block belonging to E. L. Tiekner, and from there across Second avenue to H. S. Plummer's dry goods store and across Main street to a row of wooden structures occupied by various branches of trade; up Second avenue, taking several residences and the Merchants hotel; down Main street on the south side, destroying Plummer's dry goods store, Cutler's dry goods store, Tiekner & Co., drugs, Ryan, boots and shoes, and so on until the river barred its course in this direction. While DESTRUCTION WAS BEING WROUGHT

in this direction, the appalling flames leaped from the wooden buildings on the north side of Main street and enveloped the handsome and stately structure lately erected by W. D. Washburn, and in which was situated the Anoka First National bank and the elegant Washburn opera house. The whole city seemed ablaze at once. Up and down both sides of Main street, from Third avenue to the river, and along both sides of Second avenue from Van Buren to Monroe street. The pitiless flames swept irresistibly from Washburn block to the brick hardware store of Pittman, Cheslea & Lindsay, and from the First National bank to Bridge square

THE FIRE SPEEDILY MADE ITS WAY,

thence along bridge square, on the east side, sweeping away Daniel's boot and shoe store, A. Bear & Wicklung's, dry goods, Anoka Union block, Peters' drug store, and thence across Jackson street diagonally to the Great Lincoln flouring mill and elevator, consuming also the smaller flouring mill near the hedge, two flouring mills, one shingle mill, dry kiln, lumber sheds and office, all belonging to W. D. Washburn & Co, the flames being brought to a standstill at a line 90 feet from the mammoth Washburn saw and shingle mills. From the point where the fire communicated to the Lincoln mills it went eastward to the corner of Second avenue and Jackson street, there joining forces with the section which jumped Main street, and tackled Jackson's hotel and stables, a blacksmith shop, engine house and jail, exhausting itself at the corner of Jackson street and Third avenue. The branch

THE GREAT CONFLAGRATION,

which took its way south on Second avenue, destroyed everything to Monroe street, where it was brought under control. No lives were lost and no serious arson accidents occurred, though it was a scene of the wildest and most uncontrollable confusion. Men fell exhausted by the heat and smoke, while women fainted, appalled by the terrific visitation. The losses and insurance cannot be definitely ascertained for several days, as many losers lost everything, papers and documents included. It is learned that Washburn & Co, have insurance as follows: Lincoln mill, \$96,000; planing mill, \$5,000; shingle mill, \$800; small flouring mill, \$13,500; bank, \$20,000; office, \$700; lumber shed, \$4,000; dry kiln, \$3,500; total, \$143,500. Their loss is believed to be fully \$175,000 and possibly \$200,000. Assistance was summoned from St. Paul and Minneapolis, but it reached the doomed city too late to be of service except in saving General Washburn's mammoth saw and shingle mill.

A Pennsylvania Storm.

PITTSBURG, Aug. 16.—Between five and six o'clock this evening this section was visited by the worst thunder storm of the season. Rain fell in torrents, the wind blew a hurricane and hail as large as marbles fell in all parts of the two cities. Danziger's trimming store in Market street was struck by lightning and the roof partially torn off. Rain poured in the opening and goods were damaged to the extent of \$10,000. Library hall was also struck, but only slightly damaged. In all parts of Pittsburg and Allegheny cellars were flooded, and in certain localities the streets were covered with water to depth of from two to three feet. The damage will reach many thousand dollars. No fatalities reported up to 10 o'clock.

Investigating a Bank.

MILES CITY, M. T., Aug. 15.—The condition of the First National bank of Livingston is being investigated and serious developments are expected. Its cashier, D. E. Fogarty, has been east unreasonably long. Stebbins, Mund & Co., of Miles City, have taken charge of the institution.

A Different Story.

LONG ISLAND CITY, Aug. 16.—A Russian sailor wearing a United States navy uniform, and having the name Bear upon his cap, was captured by a reporter this morning. The sailor said he was one of the crew of the Bear; that he assisted in preparing the bodies of the dead of the Greeley party at Smith's Sound for

burial, and in placing them in their coffins and saw that all the bodies except one had pieces of flesh cut from them and the survivors told him that where the flesh was missing it had been burnt bitten. On being asked for his name, the sailor inquired whether it was for the newspapers and refused to give it, saying they told him at the navy yard he must not tell his name or give any information to reporters.

A Sensible View.

DETROIT, Mich., Aug. 15.—C. L. Clark, guardian of the children of Lieutenant Kinslingbury, in an interview this morning said: "If brought to such a point of starvation, I think the unfortunate men would have been thoroughly justified in doing so. It may be, before he died, Kinslingbury was forced to do likewise. It is, to say the least, cruel to criticize, in the manner that I have seen done, the unfortunate party on its return from the horrors of their exile. The friends of Lieutenant Kinslingbury made a sad mistake, in my judgment, when they permitted his body to be exhumed." He said that the relations of Greeley and Kinslingbury were most cordial and stories to the contrary are unjust and untrue. He bases his belief in this on conversations with different survivors.

Explains Itself.

LINCOLN, Neb., Aug. 16.—The following dispatch sent from here today explains itself: LINCOLN, Neb., Aug. 16, 1884. Coroner Robinson, Long Island City, N. Y. Dear Sir—I see by public prints that you have addressed me regarding exhuming and examination of my brother's remains. It is my desire that the full facts be known. You will please have the body exhumed and examined as soon as possible. Signed, DORA BUCK.

Miss Buck is almost heart-broken at the report of her brother being shot for stealing railroads, and has refused to see a reporter. The possibility that such reports are untrue since the Kinslingbury developments have revived her spirits and she is now very anxious that the matter be sifted to the bottom, believing it will vindicate her brother's reputation.

Relics of the Jeannette Expedition.

PHILADELPHIA, Aug. 15.—Captain Wilson, of the bark Florine, at this port, from Irgtal, furnishes the following: "In June, exp. Julienseh, latitude 60 degrees, 38 minutes north, longitude 48 degrees, 7 minutes west, the lower part of a tent was found by Esquimaux on a piece of floe or drift ice, the upper part of which seemed to have been blown away, the ends of a store or provision case marked Jeannette, contents in store also marked, a charter party and check book on the Bank of California, both signed by DeLong, a pair of oiled trousers of Louis Norris, a bear skin which covered something the size and shape of a human corpse, but the Esquimaux could not remove the skin to ascertain what was under it."

Well, What of It?

NEW YORK, Aug. 15.—Third Officer Kelley, of the steamer Bear, this morning said the reports of eating the flesh of Lieutenant Kinslingbury and Private Henry were true, as the survivors when brought on board were all but delirious and admitted that they had to eat the dead bodies to preserve their own lives. The cook of the bear said all the survivors stated they had to eat the flesh of the dead, as all their food except a little leather or seal skin had given out. The men on board the Bear knew that the bodies had been eaten, but were told not to speak about it when they got into port.

A Dynamite Attempt.

BURLINGTON, Ia., Aug. 16.—Early yesterday morning W. E. Blake, who has been active as the attorney in the prosecution of saloon keepers since the prohibitory law went into effect, was startled from his bed by a bright flash of light and a sharp explosion. He thought but little of the matter at the time, but on examination later in the day found a machine of destruction filled with dynamite, which he now believes was prepared with the view of blowing up his residence, but which failed to explode. Mr. Blake says that he has no known enemy and that in the prosecution he has been courteously treated by the saloon keepers.

Gen. Sherman at Grand Forks.

GRAND FORKS, D. T., Aug. 16.—General Sherman was met by the mayor, officials, citizens in carriages, Willis A. Gorman Post G. A. B. and the Cadet band. After dinner General Sherman and Hamilton shook hands with the post and were greeted cordially. General Sherman met and recognized an old army servant, "Old Shady," Mr. Durant, who lives here with his son. Having discussed crops, geography, etc., he casually kissed the ladies and went west to visit his old aid, Maj. J. Bacon, at Fort Totten. Owing to the heavy rain the street parade was abandoned.

Bishop Simpson's Will.

PHILADELPHIA, Aug. 16.—The will of the late bishop, Matthew Simpson, was admitted to probate today. It bequeaths to the trustees of the Methodist Episcopal church one seventh of his estate in trust for the endowment of an episcopality for a bishop who shall reside in Philadelphia, provided that including this bequest the sum of \$50,000 shall be subscribed for this purpose before the meeting of the next general conference. The remainder of the estate, valued at \$100,000, is bequeathed to the bishop's wife and children.

Fargo Facts.

FARGO, Dak., Aug. 16.—The first car of new wheat came in today from Lisbon, containing 600 bushels of No. 1 hard, consigned to Duluth. The directory of Fargo just issued shows 3,332 names, an increase of 353 over last year. It is claimed the population of the city is over 11,000. The opening excursion over the Fargo Southern took place today. About 225 invited guests took possession of five coaches and the 7:30 train started for Ortonville. An excursion on the lake followed the arrival at that city and the excursionists started on the return trip at 3 p. m. A vote of thanks was extended the managers and officials of the road.

Cameron to Retire.

PHILADELPHIA, Aug. 15.—Chairman Cooper, of the republican state convention, today said to an Evening Telegraph reporter that Senator J. Donald Cameron will not be a candidate for re-election to the United States senate.

Bad Indians—A New Paper.

MILES CITY, M. T., Aug. 15.—Boving Cheyennes are burning the grass in Powder River valley. The damage will be heavy, as the grass is rather short in that locality. Stock men are preparing against them. The Stock Growers'

Journal, a weekly, is being started here by S. A. Marney, who recently sold his interest in the Northwestern Live Stock Journal, of Cheyenne. Showers may stop the fire.

Soldiers' Home Investigation.

MILWAUKEE, Wis., Aug. 16.—The congressional committee appointed to investigate the soldiers' homes were at the Milwaukee branch all day and heard about a dozen complaints. The veterans all had reference to poor food; privileges were allowed few men to work outside the grounds; hard work was imposed as a sine for breaches of the peace or rules of the home, and personal complaints about pension money paid to destitute wives against the consent of the inmates.

A Weak Conspiracy.

NEW YORK, Aug. 12.—A dispatch from the City of Mexico, sent directly to the associated press, in referring to the reports, via St. Louis, that a great conspiracy against the government has been unearthed, says that such reports are, in fact, in circulation there, but are greatly exaggerated. It is true a few arrests have been made, but the so-called conspiracy is so ridiculously weak that it does not merit the name.

Cholera Still Raging.

PARIS, Aug. 16.—Sanitary precautions appear to be powerless to check the progress of cholera in France. The prefect of Paris has issued orders to the police commissari to disinfect all suspected houses. At Arles there were three deaths yesterday. At Aix two in the lunatic asylum and several in town. At Avignon six, at Seneil five, at Perzans three, at Gizeux three, at Cete three, at Perpignan six, at Riscals five, at Carcassone in two days fifteen.

A Chicago Fire.

CHICAGO, Aug. 16.—A fire broke out this afternoon in the fire proof paint manufactory of F. I. Russell. It was caused by an explosion of chemicals in the basement, and the flames spread so rapidly that the workmen had to jump from the windows to save their lives. None were badly injured. The flames extended to the molding establishment of Judkins & Co. The loss is estimated at \$20,000; partially insured.

Memorial Services.

ST. LOUIS, Aug. 16.—Mrs. Lillie Pavy, widow of Dr. Octavo Pavy, of the Greeley expedition, arrived here today and will await the arrival of the doctor's brother Alfred, from New Orleans, when memorial services will be held in honor of her dead husband.

Stark County for Raymond.

DICKINSON, D. T., Aug. 16.—At the county convention of Stark county, N. C. Lawrence, of Dickinson, and J. G. Campbell, of Gladstone, were elected delegates to the territorial convention at Pierre. The delegates were instructed to vote for J. B. Raymond.

Will Test the Law.

CHICAGO, Aug. 16.—Officials of the Western Union telegraph company were fined today \$250 for violating the ordinance prohibiting the erection of poles and stringing wires in the streets. An appeal was taken and the case will be made a test one.

Hanlan Beaten.

LONDON, Aug. 16.—A dispatch from Sydney, New South Wales, reports that the sculling match between Hanlan and Beach for the championship of the world and £5,000 a side took place today on Parramatta river. Beach won by seven lengths.

Death of Ex-Senator Pool.

WASHINGTON, Aug. 16.—Hon. John Pool, of North Carolina, died suddenly of apoplexy today in this city. He was elected United States senator in 1865, but was not admitted. In 1868 he was re-elected and served until 1873.

Report Denied.

LONDON, Aug. 16.—A dispatch from Paris to the Exchange Telegraph company denies the report that China had declared war against France. It is expected on the other hand that negotiations will be resumed.

To Make Another Attempt.

WASHINGTON, Aug. 16.—Arrangements are about concluded to have the celebrated trotter, Jay Eye See and Phallias trot over the Troy city track on August 26th, for a special purse, in an attempt to beat their records.

Exposition Opened.

LOUISVILLE, Ky., Aug. 16.—The Great Southern Exposition opened with imposing ceremonies at 2 o'clock this afternoon. Public and private buildings are profusely and handsomely decorated.

Another Crank.

MILWAUKEE, Aug. 16.—Thomas Williams starts on Tuesday from Racine Junction, Wis., to bear a banner to Elaine, at his home in Augusta, Maine, walking the entire distance of 1,333 1/2 miles.

The Billings Delegation.

MEDORA, D. T., Aug. 16.—At tonight's convention of F. H. Eitel of Belfield and A. L. Packard of Medora were elected delegates of Billings county to the Pierre convention. They go unopposed.

A Cincinnati Fire.

CINCINNATI, O., Aug. 15.—A fire in the eastern part of the city destroyed the saw mill and lumber yard of Henton & Cole, the Little Miami cattle sheds and several small dwellings. Henton & Cole's loss is \$60,000, others \$15,000.

Their Demands Acceded To.

DENVER, Col., Aug. 15.—The Union Pacific strikers here resume work tomorrow morning. A telegram from their representative at Omaha says all demands are acceded to.

An Old Minister Dead.

NEWBURG, N. Y., Aug. 15.—Rev. Dr. John Brown, the oldest Episcopal minister in New York state, died this morning, aged 93. He delivered the address of welcome to Lafayette at the Masonic reception here in 1824.

Tired of Her Marquis.

PARIS, Aug. 15.—The advocate for Madam Patti presented a petition today for divorce from her husband, the Marquis de Caux. The balance of opinion expressed by the bar is that the court will refuse to grant the divorce.

Honors to Logan.

CHAUTAUQUA, N. Y., Aug. 15.—About fifty leading republicans of Jamestown arrived here this morning to escort Senator Logan to their city on his way to Chicago. In passing through

the outlet, the party met a steamer crowded with passengers who cheered General Logan. At the Jamestown dock General Logan was met by a post of the Grand Army and cordially welcomed. The party drove to the Humphrey house through streets packed with people. Ex-Governor Fenton cordially welcomed General Logan to Jamestown, and the general responded. There was great applause at the close of his address. After lunch the general and party passed through the streets to the west bound train. The demonstration was spontaneous and unpartisan. About 10,000 persons participated.

Bicycles vs. Horses.

CHICAGO, Aug. 18.—A five days contest of speed and endurance between Louise Armando, the lady champion, and John S. Prince, champion bicyclist, against Charles M. A. Anderson, horseback rider, began at Baseball park, this city, at 11 o'clock this forenoon. The bicyclists met and defeated Anderson in a similar match at San Francisco last April by a short distance. The conditions of the match are: Anderson shall ride fifteen horses against the combined score of the bicyclists, the latter to ride alternately every half hour for twelve hours daily. The score at 1 o'clock was Anderson, thirty four miles; Armando and Prince, thirty miles. Score at the end of the first day: Bicycles, 167 miles; horses, 161.

Will He Leave the North?

ST. LOUIS, Aug. 18.—James F. Keys, the newly elected president of the Washakie railway, was here in close consultation with General Manager Talmadge and other officials of the road, but the special reason of his visit has not yet transpired. A dispatch from Kansas City says, T. F. Oakes, vice president and general manager of the Northern Pacific, had arrived there after making a tour of inspection over the entire Union Pacific system. It is reported that this trip was preparatory to his acceptance of the general management of the Union Pacific.

They Guess Not.

BOSTON, Aug. 18.—Mr. Callaway, assistant to President Adams, of the Union Pacific railway, on being questioned in regard to the western rumor that the general management of the system had been tendered to and accepted by Mr. Oakes, said so far as his knowledge went, and he would be likely to know if such action had been taken, there is no truth in the report. Treasurer McFarlane had heard nothing of such appointment and did not believe the rumor.

The Julia Baker Case.

PHILADELPHIA, Pa., Aug. 18.—Captain Craig has returned from Key West, where he obtained testimony from a sailor who saw the deed, that Captain Lewis, of the steamer Julia Baker, was poisoned by Mate Walker and Steward Gomez. Captain Lewis was given a reddish fluid to drink and died in five minutes. The steward escaped at Anogua. Mate Walker will be tried at Key West in November and the crew are held as witnesses.

Good Time.

PROVIDENCE, R. I., Aug. 18.—Frank Work's team, Edward and Dick Swivel, were driven by John Murphy at Narragansett Park this afternoon to beat their record of 2:10 1/2 for a purse of \$1,000. They succeeded in doing so in handsome style with the following record: First quarter, 38 1/2; second, 1:07 1/2; third, 1:42 1/2; mile, 2:14 1/2.

An Ocean Collision.

COTTAGE CITY, Miss., Aug. 18.—The steamer Potteville arrived today and reports that last night in Vineyard Sound she was in collision with the schooner James H. Moore. The schooner sank in five minutes. The steamer lost her foretop mast, which in falling killed J. Nelson, a seaman.

Drought and Grasshoppers.

PLYMOUTH, N. H., Aug. 18.—The driest weather since 1870 is prevailing here. Wells are giving out and streams low, many smaller ones being entirely dry. No rain has fallen since May. Crops are suffering severely and the grasshoppers are detroying what does grow.

A Serious Explosion.

PRESIDENT, Ont., Aug. 18.—The barge Seneca, coal laden, was discovered leaking here and the captain sent two men into the hold to ascertain the extent of the leak. They lit a match and an explosion followed, blowing off hatches, seriously damaging the vessel and fatally injuring both men.

Drought in Ohio.

CINCINNATI, Aug. 18.—The continuous dry weather has for the second time this summer threatened great injury to the crop, as well as to tobacco, pasture and vegetables. There has been no rain in southern Ohio and Indiana for nearly three weeks.

Gobbled Another.

SARATOGA, Aug. 18.—It is said here that Robert Bonner has purchased Maud S. of W. H. Vanderbilt and that the mare will be used in a trotting race. Maud S. will, as far as rumor goes, be delivered to Bonner's representative tomorrow morning.

Sacrilegious Thieves.

PITTSBURG, Aug. 18.—Thieves entered the private study of the Rev. Father Willinger, at Allegheny City, last night and abstracted from the safe \$3,000 in money and a diamond mounted chalice valued at \$1,500.

Brigandage Rife.

ROME, Aug. 16.—Reports from various parts of the country indicate that brigandage is again rife. The government is adopting energetic measures for its suppression.

A \$30,000 Fire.

VINCENNES, Ind., Aug. 16.—An incendiary fire last night destroyed the Riverside Lumber mills near this city. Loss \$30,000, fully insured.

New President for Erie.

NEW YORK, Aug. 16.—John King has been tendered the presidency of the Erie railroad. It is said he will accept on conditions.

Yellow Fever in Cuba.

HAVANA, Aug. 16.—During the past week there were forty-four deaths from yellow fever in this city.

What of It?

KINGSTON, N. Y., Aug. 16.—President Arthur returned from Lake Mohawk this evening. A cordial welcome was given him.

An Authoress Dead.

WASHINGTON, Aug. 18.—Mary Clemmer, Mrs. Hudson, died at her residence in this city

tonight of hemorrhage of the brain. She had been top ill and feeble for several months to keep up her usual literary work.

The Cholera Increasing.

MARSEILLES, France, Aug. 18.—Four deaths from cholera here last night. At Toulon one death in the hospital and several in town. The epidemic is apparently reviving and the number of cases increasing.

A Hundred Cars a Day.

CHICAGO, Aug. 18.—A notable piece of work was done at the Pullman Car works today. One hundred cars were constructed and painted, all complete, within the regular working hours.

A Torrid Wave.

DOVER, N. H., Aug. 18.—A torrid wave today caused a suspension of outdoor work. The mercury stood at 100 degrees at 11 a. m. Several people were prostrated by the heat.

One of Garfield's Physicians Dead.

WASHINGTON, Aug. 18.—Dr. Woodward, U. S. army, one of the physicians who attended President Garfield in his last illness, died near Philadelphia today.

Again Defeated.

NEW YORK, Aug. 18.—The glove fight tonight between George Rooke and Bill English was won by Rooke, who won also first blood and two knock downs.

Death of a Valuable Mare.

OYSTER BAY, L. I., Aug. 18.—The mare Frankie, with a record of 2:23 and valued at \$5,000, dropped dead today while being driven by her owner.

Gone to Enter on His Duties.

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