SHOOTING AFFAIR IS DEEP MYSTERY

Prominent Man of Columbia, S. C., is Killed.

FRIEND WAS WITH HIM

BOTH HAD BEEN DRINKING AND MURDER IS SUSPECTED.

Columbia, S. C., April 13.—Captain John J. Griffin, commercial agent of the Norfolk & Western railroad, was shot to death this afternoon in the rooms of Major Barnard E. Evans, in this city. The arrest of Major Evans subsequently created a pronounced sensation.

The two were alone and the occupants of the adjoining apartments were at dinner. Major Evans summoned a physician, saying that a man was hurt in his rooms. Mr. Gibbs found Captain Griffin lying in a dying condition and speechless on Major Evans' bed. A forty-four calibre Colt's revolver bullet had entered just above the left nipple.

When Dr. Gibbs announced Griffin was dying he declared that Evans, who had been drinking heavily, became excited and exclaimed that Dr. Gibbs lied; that Dr. Gibbs, and not he himself, had killed Griffin. The physician, under pretext of replacing a broken instrument, managed to get out of the room, although it is alleged Evans declared that he should not do so.

Dr. Gibbs summoned the police and they were refused admission until Judge Ernest Gary, a cousin of Evans, arrived and demanded admission and submission to the officers.

Evans struck Judge Gary and was taken to jail in a state of hysteria, having declared Griffin had taken his own life.

In the room were evidences that one or both of the men had been drinking. Aside from this there is no reason why Griffin should have killed himself or that Evans should have shot him.

The dead man's face was bruised on both sides and there was an abrasion on the bridge of the nose. His cane, clotted with blood was several feet from where blood marks indicated that the fatal shot had taken effect. The right forearm of the dead man showed powder burns, but none was noticeable in the neighborhood of the wounds.

Major Evans is a son of Brigadier General Evans of the confederate army and is a brother of former Governor John G. Evans, who was adjutant general in 1898, and was himself in the Havana postoffice department at that time.

M'KINLEY WILL ARRIVE IN SALT LAKE JUNE 2

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at Pueblo and passing the next day through Junction City, Topeka, Lawrence, Baldwin and Ottawa, Kan., making brief stops at the points and arriving at Kansas City at about 5 o'clock in the evening.

Sunday, June 9, and the morning of June 10 will be spent in Kansas City. In the afternoon the party will go to St. Joseph and remain there for several hours, leaving at 9:30 p. m. for Chicago. On the way to Chicago the following morning brief stops will be made at Davenport and Moline, and the president will visit the arsenal at Rock Island.

Banquet at Chicago.

It is expected the train will reach Chicago about 3:30 p. m., and the president will probably attend a banquet there, leaving at night for Buffalo, where he is to visit the pan-American exposition Thursday, the 13th, will be spent at the exposition, and late in the afternoon the party will go to Niagara Falls, remaining there the following day, leaving Friday night at 10 o'clock and returning to Washington by way of the Delaware Water Gap and Philadelphia. The time set for reaching Washington via the Pennsylvania railroad is 5 p. m., Saturday, June 15.

The total distance traveled will be about 10,500 miles, crossing twenty-three states and territories and touching the Gulf of Mexico, the Pacific ocean and the great lakes. Twenty-seven railroads are embraced in the itinerary. Local programmes are arranged covering the cities at which extended stops are made.

A feature of the trip will be a substitution of drives for receptions, thus more fully accommodating the people that would be possible at a short reception. The reception committees will be received at the cities they represent, the various local committees having cordially co-operated in this respect, as well as in others, in an endeavor to makes the journey of the presirent and his party a most enjoyable and interesting one.

While the president may make short addresses at several of the largest cities and some of the colleges and universities, it is not at all likely he will make as many speeches as have been delivered in the course of previous trips.

General Butterfield Ill.

New York, April 13.—General Daniel Butterfield, one of the most distinguished surviving officers of the civil war, is lying dangerously ill at his home in this city. He is suffering from a recurrence of the illness which prostrated him in the summer of 1899. General Butterfield has been in Miami, Fla., for about two months, hoping to benefit from the climate. On his return last Sunday he was prostrated, and his physician, Dr. Frederick A. Castiel, found him attacked by paralytic symptoms.

Force 17,000 People Out of Work.

Fall River, Mass., April 13.—About 17,000 employees of the cotton mills in this city were notified today that there would be no work next week. The suspension will be the most general of any since the decision to curtail production was made. About twenty-five corporations, owning some forty mills, nearly the number in the syndicate agreement, will stop. This will decrease the production by 200,000 pieces and means a loss in wages to the operatives of about $100,000.

THE NOTABLE DEAD.

Indianapolis, April 13.—Ex-Lieutenant Governor Thomas Hanna died at his home in this city tonight of apoplexy.

Philadelphia, Pa., April 13.—Brevet Brigadier General J. C. Lynch, a veteran of the civil war, died suddenly today of apoplexy, aged 61.

Appointed by President.

Washington, April 13.—The following appointments by the president were announced today: War department: Charles E. Magoon, to be law officer, division of insular affairs. Interior department: W. E. Ward, to be register of the land office at Colby, Kan.

Klondike Miner Robbed.

San Francisco, April 13.—John Bond, a Klondike miner, reported to Captain Seymour that he had been robbed of about 104 ounces of gold dust, valued at between $1,400 and $1,500, which he carried in a canvas bag. Bond arrived from Seattle Friday morning. While taking the sights he was robbed.

To Cure a Cold in One Day
Take Laxative Bromo-Quinine Tablets. 25c.

LOST GOLD BARS ARE RECOVERED

Found by Steward on the Kaiser Wilhelm.

WERE IN SECOND CABIN

NERVE OF THE THIEVES HAD EVIDENTLY FAILED THEM.

Bremen, April 13.—The three gold bars stolen from the specie room of the North German Lloyd line steamer Kaiser Wilhelm der Grosse during the vessel's last trip from New York were discovered by a steward during the cleaning of the ship this morning near the second cabin.

The gold bars were discovered behind a cornice in the corridor outside of the second-class saloon by Steward Magers. The police have reopened their investigations.

New York, April 13.—Oelrichs & Co., agents for the North German Lloyd Steamship company, received a cablegram today fully confirming the report from Bremen of the recovery of the gold stolen from the specie room of the Kaiser Wilhelm der Grosse. The cablegram gives no details beyond the fact that the gold was discovered on the ship by a steward and had been turned over to the agents of the company. Herman Winter of Oelrichs & Co. said:

"Yes, we have found the gold, and now to get the thief or thieves. We will make a most searching investigation. It seems clear that whoever took the gold either lacked the opportunity to get it ashore or failed in courage. My advices give no information as to the circumstances of the discovery and do not indicate that anyone is suspected."

The National City bank, consignor of the stolen gold, was also notified today of its recovery. The finding of the gold on the ship creates the impression that some member of the crew was the thief, but the absence of details leaves the matter open.

NO MONEY FOR WINES.

Treasury Department Refuses to Pay One of Shafter's Bills.

Washington, April 13.—The comptroller of the treasury has reaffirmed a decision of his office disallowing a claim for $629 from Lieutenant Colonel J. W. Jacobs, deputy quartermaster general. The original decision of the comptroller on June 30, 1899, disallowed the amount, for the reason that it was "expended without authority of law for subsistence, wines and liquors furnished foreign military attaches, accompanying the army into the field." A rehearing was sought some time afterward, but denied. The case is now reopened, but the claim is again disallowed.

On June 30, 1898, General Shafter, who was then at Tampa, telegraphed the secretary of war that representatives of foreign governments had come to him with proper credentials, permitting them to accompany the army of the United States. General Shafter said that he desired to entertain these officers in the manner due their position, and for this purpose he requested that $2,000 of the contingent fund of the army be placed to the credit of his aide-de-camp, Lieutenant J. P. Miley. The secretary of war approved the request, and a warrant for $2,000 was sent to Colonel Jacobs, as chief quartermaster, for disbursement, the money being expended under the verbal direction of General Shafter.

The comptroller decided that the expenditure was entirely illegal, and in the reaffirmation of his decision, says: "There is no provision of law in any of the specific or general appropriations for the army which authorizes the military authorities to invite foreign attaches to be the guests of the government in time of war, and hence their fare and maintenance do not appear to be necessary, usual or appropriate to the objects for which the appropriation was made."

GOVERNOR HILL ON TRUSTS

Makes Speech Before Jefferson Club at Buffalo.

Buffalo, N. Y., April 13.—David B. Hill addressed the members of the Jefferson club and their guests at the Teck theatre tonight. His theme was "Thomas Jefferson." Referring to monopolies, he said:

"When billion-dollar corporations and combines are forming on every side, dazzling us with the boldness of their conception and boundless extent of their proposed operations, it is high time to consider whether some wholesale restrictions upon such corporate undertakings are not essential in the interest of the people.

"Jefferson's teachings might suggest a limitation upon the amount of the dividends which could be lawfully declared or upon the profits which could be legally accumulated by these tremendous business organizations. Or he might demand that the government, in justice to its overburdened taxpayers, should withdraw its tariff favors from the infant industries represented by these institutions, whose projectors are already reveling in wealth and are astonishing the world by the munificence of their private benefactions. We may at least be quite sure that he would not appoint to the high office of attorney general of the United States the man recommended by the friends and promoters of these very schemes whose official province it would be to prosecute all violators of the federal statutes passed to prevent the consummation of just such public wrongs."

West Point Board.

Washington, April 13.—The president has appointed the following board of visitors to the West Point military academy: Lieutenant General John M. Schofield, retired; Major General Daniel E. Sickles, retired; St. Clair McKelway, New York; Charles W. Eliot, Massachusetts; Benjamin Ide Wheeler, California; William H. Upman, Wisconsin; St. George R. Fitzhugh, Virginia.

All Well at St. Michael.

Washington, April 13.—General Greely, chief signal officer, has received by way of Seattle a dispatch from St. Michael, dated Feb. 13, saying that everybody was well in that part of Alaska. This message was carried by courier from St. Michaels to Fort Egbert, which accounted for the two months' delay.

Extra Dividend Declared.

New York, April 13.—The directors of the Boston & Montana Mining company have declared a quarterly dividend of $5 a share, and an extra dividend of $5 per share.

The Color of a State Flag Changed.

(Mail and Express.)

Albany.—Governor Odell today signed the Ellsworth bill, changing the color of the state flag from buff to blue.

In anticipation of the action of the governor, State Superintendent of Public Buildings Bender had a new flag prepared, and when the legislative session opened it was unfurled from the staff over the capitol.

Harvesting Machines for France.

(New York Letter.)

Five carloads of reapers, mowers and other harvesting machinery were shipped to Bordeaux, France, last week. South of Europe farmers are beginning to appreciate our machinery.

FAITHFUL TO HIS AFFLICTED WIFE

Chicago, April 13.—A pathetic chapter in the life of Colonel Francis E. Rigby, the pioneer real estate dealer, who died at the Grand Pacific hotel Thursday, was disclosed today when the provisions of his will were made known. It shows the enduring patience and faithfulness of Colonel Rigby to an afflicted wife through a period of nearly a quarter of a century, and that in his dying moments he thought of the invalid companion of his earlier years and bequeathed her half of his large estate.

Colonel Rigby married happily twenty-five years ago. Within a few months Mrs. Rigby developed a mental disorder that proved incurable. After taking every precaution to insure good care for his afflicted wife, Colonel Rigby took up his residence in hotels of the down-town district, which was his mode of life until his death.

While breakfasting at the Grand Pacific hotel the attack of heart failure which caused his death came upon him. In an unconscious condition he was removed to a private room, where, after application of stimulants, he rallied. Calling for paper, he wrote a will bequeathing one-half of his property to his wife and the other half to his niece, Miss Anne Rigby Fowler, who resides in Leeds, England. The value of Colonel Rigby's wealth is variously estimated from $500,00 to $2,000,000.

INDEMNITY CLAIMS FIXED.

What China Will Be Called Upon to Pay European Powers.

Berlin, April 13.—The correspondent of the Associated Press hears tonight from an authoritative source that the Chinese indemnities for war expenses, exclusive of claims of private individuals and missions, have been fixed as follows:

Russia, 360,000,000 marks (about $90,000,000); France, 260,000,000 marks (about $65,000,000); Germany, 240,000,000 marks (about $60,000,000); England, 90,000,000 marks (about $22,000,000.)

France will also present claims for the indemnity of the Italian mission.

HIS COSTLY MEAL OF EGGS.

What He Ate Would Have Brought Him $600 an Hour Later.

(Washington Evening Star.)

"Six hundred dollars' worth of eggs would seem to be a rather heavy breakfast for one man to eat," observed a well known scientist, "but I can certify that a man ate that amount of eggs, and that he told me after he had got away with them that they had not fully satisfied his hunger. Ten minutes after he had finished his meal he complained that the eggs did not seem to sit well in his stomach. It happened in this way:

"Several years since I was out in the Rocky mountains, in Colorado, hunting eggs for the Smithsonian institution. I was instructed to devote special attention to pheasant eggs, and to one variety in particular, the yellow pheasant, popularly called, which were then, as now, very scarce. The trip was on the whole rather successful, though I did not find many of the particular pheasant eggs referred to. One morning I found myself on one of the high mountains which surround the city of Georgetown, Colo. I had had my own breakfast in town and rode up the mountain on a burro, carrying on my search for pheasant eggs.

"About 10 o'clock I ran across a mine prospector, who was just finishing up his breakfast. After spending some time in conversation with him I noticed some pieces of egg shell on the ground. To my surprise and delight they were the shells of the pheasant eggs that I was so anxious to find. Not supposing that he was interested in my branch of science, I mentioned in a casual way that the shells were of the egg of a certain species of yellow pheasant that I was exceedingly anxious to find or secure. Then he told me that in his wandering up on the mountain that morning he had found a nest containing the eggs, and finding that they were fresh, he had eaten them, six in all.

"Then it was my turn to talk, and when I had told him that the eggs were very rare and that I would willingly pay $100 apiece for them, he looked disgusted and actually turned pale. He had been having rather a hard run of luck and felt very sorry, of course, that he had unaware partaken of such a high-priced breakfast. He thought he might be able to find another nest thereabouts and offered to furnish me six eggs of the same species for a sum considerably less than $600, which offer I accepted. We hunted together all that day and every day for over a week, but to no purpose. Three months later I made a similar find myself, but at a place 300 miles distant from there. The eggs I found are in the Smithsonian yet, and as I know are about the only eggs of that particular species in any collection in this country.

"A year ago I got a letter from the prospector. He is still in Colorado, but says he has never been able to eat an egg of any kind since."

TO BAR WOMEN FROM CHOIRS.

A New Rule on Singers Expected to Be Announced from Rome.

(Chicago Record-Herald.)

Washington, March 31.—Something of a furore is likely to follow the announcement from Rome that women in the future will not be allowed to sing in the choirs of Roman Catholic churches of the United States. It is reported that the congregation of rites now meeting in Rome is about to deliver a decree to this purpose. Nothing definite has been received by the apostolic legation at Washington, however.

Another change said to be contemplated is just as important. This refers to operatic music, so long in vogue, and which has proved a drawing card for non-Catholics, which is to be abolished and the simple Gregorian chant more generally substituted, together with the old-fashioned choral music of the earlier church.

The bishop of Cincinnati is the first bishop in this country to take this step of his own volition—a course which for the last dozen or so years has been approved by the holy see.

Followed by a large German backing, the bishop has already instituted the reform, and entirely reorganized the choirs of all the churches in his diocese. The women have been dismissed and operatic music is no longer used.

Already, even though the decree is not officially announced, there is considerable agitation among the women of the choirs of the leading Roman Catholic churches in the big American cities.

This Church Runs a Woodyard.

(Boston Post.)

Out of work, without money, no bread in the house and children going supperless to bed, were the sad facts staring a man in the face.

He appealed to the Rev. Dr. George S. Anderson, pastor of the Highland avenue Congregational church in Somerville. The parson heard his story. It touched his heart. Investigation proved the man's tale of woe to be true.

Then he conceived the idea of establishing a wood yard on a small scale. Several cords of wood were purchased and piled up in the big basement of the church. Men out of work and seeking employment were invited to come to the chopping block.

The plan proved a success. For every foot of scantling wood sawed the man with the saw received 20 cents. Two feet, or a quarter of a cord, sawed and split, making five sugar barrels full, netted the worker 50 cents. This was considered a fair day's work.

Four of these barrels of kindling are sold for $1. Members of the church buy them. This pays the first cost of the scantlings and the labor besides. No profit is made. The benefit of the deal goes to the man who works.

DODGE MAY MANAGE CONSOLIDATED LINE

Western's Manager Slated for High Position.

TRUMBULL AT THE HEAD

GENERAL OFFICES TO BE LOCATED AT DENVER.

Denver, April 13.—The Republican today says: Frank Trumbull, according to information from New York received in Denver yesterday, is to be the president of the consolidated Gould roads in Colorado. This consolidation will include the Denver & Rio Grande, Rio Grande Southern, Rio Grande Western, Colorado Midland, Colorado & Southern, Fort Worth & Denver City and Denver & Southwestern railroads. Gould is already in control of the Denver & Rio Grande, the Rio Grande Western and the Midland roads, and it is said that he has practically secured control of the Southwestern and that his control of the Colorado & Southern will be secured next month.

In this connection comes a rumor that Colonel D. C. Dodge, second vice president and general manager of the Rio Grande Western, will be Mr. Trumbull's right-hand man, and that E. T. Jeffery, president of the Denver & Rio Grande, will also have a prominent position in the consolidation. Mr. Trumbull is now president of the Colorado Southern, Colorado Midland and Fort Worth & Denver City railroads.

The consolidation of the Denver & Rio Grande and the Rio Grande Western is going steadily on. Colonel Dodge and Stephen Little, the latter comptroller of the Denver & Rio Grande, will arrive in Denver tonight from Salt Lake, where they have been inspecting the accounts and property of the Rio Grande Western.

It is said that the Colorado & Southern, Colorado Midland and Denver & Southwestern will be in another consolidation.

The absorption of the Rio Grande Western by the Denver & Rio Grande will include the Western's interest in the Colorado Midland, the Rio Grande Junction, the mines and all branches in Utah and all other interests now owned by the road. The Western Express company will be consolidated with the Denver & Rio Grande Express company.

It is said that the general offices of the proposed consolidated roads will be in Denver, with offices in New York.

THIS MORNING'S FIRE.

Blaze That Threatened the Utah National Bank.

The office of Taylor Bros.' Canadian land agency, in the rear of the Utah National bank, was the scene of a small fire this morning that threatened for a time to endanger the safety of the bank. The flames were soon extinguished and the damage was confined to the contents of the private box office in one corner of the main office.

The fire is supposed to have started from an electric wire. It was discovered by some young men, who happened to be passing the bank and saw the flames leaping over the glass inclosure of the office. When they discovered the fire the whole corner of the building was enveloped in flames and clouds of smoke were pouring out of the windows and doors of the bank, making it appear as though the whole place was on fire. The young men could not find a key, and Tom Varley ran to the fire station, getting there just before an alarm was turned in by an officer. The fire department quickly responded and entrance to the building was gained by forcing open the rear door of the bank. The chemical engine was put into use and the flames were soon out. The office was piled full of papers and books, the most of which were burned or damaged by water. The value of the papers was not known and the damage could not be accurately estimated, but it was placed in the neighborhood of $75 by Chief Devine.

PERSONAL MENTION.

N. S. Neilson of Mt. Pleasant is at the Cullen.

R. W. Rodgers of Bingham is at the White House.

James Duffy and family of Park City are at the Walker.

C. K. Hunt of Ogden put up at the Knutsford over night.

S. S. Smith of Provo came in last evening and went to the White House.

John Nebeker came down from Logan yesterday. He is at the White House.

K. O. Reid came to from Eureka, Nev., yesterday and registered at the Cullen.

Mrs. O. F. Davis, who has been seriously ill for some time, was reported as being improved yesterday.

J. E. Cosgriff, a banker of Rawlins, Wyo., was in town yesterday. Sickness kept him in his room at the Kenyon the greater part of the day.

R. D. Millet, the mining man, is home from Australia. He left here some months ago to visit his brother, whom he had not seen since parting from him in England forty-four years ago.

Curtis L. Knight's many friends will be pained to learn of the sudden death of his father, Captain C. L. Knight, which occurred in Hot Springs, Ark. Mr. Knight leaves for Hot Springs tonight.

HOTEL ARRIVALS.

The Kenyon.—J. E. Cosgriff, Rawlins; J. M. Moorhead, St. Louis; J. Swatlinger, Kansas City; W. S. Jessman, New York; C. P. Held, St. Louis; R. J. Doosan, Bath, N. Y.; A. W. Dowd, Sunnyside; Fred Hartshook, Kansas City; Miss Newcomb, Minneapolis; K. C. Johnston, St. Louis; H. I. Joseph, New York; W. B. Busch, Omaha; Robert Ryan, Miss J. Ryan, Chicago; Frank Nebeker, Logan; Jonas H. Brooks, Albany; C. P. Williams, L. B. Clough, Omaha; George L. Scott, Chicago; F. P. Stevens, Colorado Springs; Arthur Lee, Price; J. H. White, C. A. Woodall, Missoula; A. Tudhope and wife, Chicago; C. F. Bedell, Denver; John Loverty, New York; Dr. A. Corry, Australia; J. R. De Reiner, Denver; P. F. Herring, New Zealand.

White House.—W. Latham and wife, New York; W. Hood, A. W. Bullock, A. Harris, Bingham; W. Garratt and wife, Logan; W. W. Smith and wife, Pontiac, Mich.; Mrs. R. P. Bishop, Mrs. G. F. Sperry, Ludington, Mich.; R. W. Rodgers, A. R. Ballard, Bingham; B. R. Meek, Draper; Miss C. Callahan, Evanston, Wyo.; J. G. Kyner, Walcott; Mrs. A. L. Heaston, Miss Mona Heaston, Bingham; Miss Johnson, Eureka; John Nebeker, R. E. Green, Logan; Carl Madson, S. S. Smith, Provo; W. Cunningham, Park City; William Morrow, Murray; George Sawyer, Ogden.

Bride Couldn't Live on Candy Alone.

(New York Herald.)

Special Master in Chancery William A. Lewis of Jersey City has recommended that a decree of divorce be granted to Mrs. Frederick Thomas Rand, on the ground of desertion and non-support. Mrs. Rand, who is the daughter of Dr. George W. Wells of this city, declares that she cannot live on candy and flowers, and that these are the only things her husband bought for her.

Rand, who lives in East Orange, was the manager of the Medical Examiner, of which Dr. Wells is the owner. He was receiving a salary of $30 a week, and courted his employer's daughter. After he was secretly married to Miss Grantina Bates Wells his salary was reduced gradually to $9, and finally he was discharged. Then the bride revealed her secret and the action for divorce was begun.

MOUNTAIN STATES

AN ELECTRIC CAR JUMPS THE TRACK

Eleven Persons Are Injured at Cripple Creek.

ONE PASSENGER MAY DIE

MOTORMAN LOST COMPLETE CONTROL OF AIR BRAKE.

Cripple Creek, Colo., April 13.—An electrical car on the high line of the Cripple Creek District railway jumped the track and completely turned over at the terminal station, corner of Second and Myers avenues today, injuring the motorman and ten of the passengers. The most seriously injured are:

J. I. McClure, miner, serious concussion of spine, also internally injured; will probably die.

Mrs. W. C. T. Little, left hip badly sprained.

E. W. McKee, motorman, left wrist wrenched and badly bruised about the face and head.

Pat Carmody, serious injuries about the head and back and right leg broken.

Tom McCann, right leg and back badly injured.

Rolland Wills, cut on face and hands by broken glass.

Annie Rogers, bruises on head.

At the head of Poverty gulch, several blocks from town, the motorman partially lost control of the air brake. The car was running twenty miles an hour when it struck the curve, which is very sharp at the point where the wreck occurred.

There were twenty people on the car at the time of the accident.

MISSING MAN IS FOUND.

He Ran Away from Denver, Taking His Little Child.

San Francisco, April 13.—G. Emile Riveire, who disappeared from Denver on April 2, taking with him one of his children, a boy 2½ years old, has been located in this city, and the child has been found. It was placed by the father in the care of Mrs. A. Lage, who resides on Fell street, last Saturday. He paid for a week's care of the little one and yesterday announced his intention of taking it away today. The police, however, will interfere, if authority to do so is received from Denver.

Riviere gave his name as Wall, and said he was a bicycle rider, but letters found in a trunk which he left fully established his identity. He intimated that something might happen to him, and told Mrs. Lage that in a sealed envelope she would find an insurance policy on his life, an account of the baby's life and a will leaving her and the child all of his property. She is a widow with six children and a stranger to him.

WANTS RELEASE FROM BOND.

Senator Clark Brings Suit in the Courts at Butte.

Helena, Mont., April 13.—Counsel for United States Senator W. A. Clark, late this afternoon filed a petition in the supreme court, praying for an order releasing them from further responsibility as sureties on the bond of F. Augustus Heinz in the famous Pennsylvania case. Their aggregate liability on the bond, which was given to secure the Boston & Montana company, is $375,000.

The Clarks say that Heinz, by false representations as to the value of his assets, induced them to go on his bond. They will make a similar application on the same ground in the federal court Monday for an order releasing them from liability as sureties on other of Heinz's bonds. The liability of Senator Clark and his son on Heinz's bonds aggregates about $1,000,000.

MAY BE LONG STRIKE.

Anaconda Company Having Trouble With Its Men.

Butte, Mont., April 13.—A special to the Miner from Anaconda says: Six weeks ago sixty members of the Machinists' union, employed by the Anaconda Copper Mining company at this place, went on strike for a nine-hour day at 45 cents an hour. Today there are 600 men affected by the trouble, with indications pointing to a prolonged struggle. The Moulders' union has, under similar grievances, joined the strikers, and as a result the foundry department of the Anaconda company has been shut down.

Since the strikers' interview with President Scallon of the Anaconda mining properties, in which they were told that no concessions would be offered, the union men have assumed a more aggressive attitude, and as a consequence the machinists employed at the Washoe (new works) struck this morning. The machinists employed by the Butte, Anaconda & Pacific railway have made similar demands and submitted an ultimatum to Master Mechanic Harrity, demanding an answer within five hours. Three or four Butte mines have closed down as a result of the trouble.

No News of Avalanche.

Buena Vista, Colo., April 13.—No further tidings have reached here this morning concerning the avalanche reported yesterday on Italian mountain in Taylor's park, about forty miles west of this town. Several hundred miners are employed in that vicinity, and it is possible that some of them perished, but so far as known here yet there is no reason to suppose that the slide caused any great loss of life.

Denver Doctor Dead.

Denver, April 13.—Dr. William F. McClelland is dead at the age of 80 years. Before coming to Denver in 1862 his name had become known in Europe as well as America for his success in performing difficult operations. Here he was the first phyiscian to make a study of the climatic influences of the mountain region upon pulmonary diseases and wrote extensively of the benefits of Colorado's climate. To his writings was due largely the first fame of the state as a resort for the world. He amassed a fortune in real estate.

Story Is a Fake.

Aspen, Colo., April 13.—A courier, who was sent to Taylor park to investigate the story of a fatal snow and rockslide on Calian mountain, returned this evening and reports that the story is wholly without foundation.

CLARK FORCES READY FOR WAR

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promised them by the company, and if this is the case, the probabilities are the real battle will occur when payday approaches.

Mr. Whittemore declares there is no foundation for the statement that the men were armed, but it is a fact that one of the party displayed two big revolvers in the presence of The Herald reporter, and intimated that his companions were likewise prepared to protect themselves.

More men were sent out by the San Pedro, Los Angeles & Salt Lake last evening, and still more will leave today. Mr. Whittemore is selecting laborers whom he knows are "all right," and many teams and men are being hired in Lincoln county. It is evidently the intention to put as many men in the field as the Short Line.

An Alternative Route.

Since it has been learned that Lincoln county owns the right of way and grade below Uvada and has practically presented it to the Short Line, there has been some speculation as to what route will remain for the Clark road if the Short Line holds on to the property. It would be possible for the Clark people to parallel the Short Line down to Uvada, but they will avoid that if possible. The prospects are they will strike out towards Garfield Beach and turning south a short distance beyond there, as was the original plan, work due south as much as possible. Their line may pass between the Rio Grande Western and Short Line after leaving Nephi, taking in Scipio, Holden, Fillmore, Kanosh and the Indian Creek mining district, all this being territory as yet unpenetrated by railroads. From here they could go on into the iron region in Iron county and strike off west from Cedar City along the old survey of the Rio Grande Western, which crosses the Utah & Pacific near the state line. This would not be as short a route as the Short Line will have, but it is apparently about the only thing left for the San Pedro to do, providing they lose the fight for the grade in the end.

Boom for the Beach.

If all the present plans go through, there will be three transcontinental lines pasisng in close proximity to Garfield Beach, the three being the Short Line, San Pedro and Southern Pacific. The convenience to tourists of this arrangement is obvious. Coming into Salt Lake from southern California or San Francisco, they obtain a fine view of the lake, and doubtless would have the privilege of stopping off for a bath. One of the three companies will take in Saltair no doubt. It is an open secret that the Clark people are making "goo-goo eyes" at the big resort, or were, at least, before the sensational developments at Uvada demanded their attention.

Offer For the Grade.

(Special to The Herald.)

Pioche, Nev., April 13.—A meeting of the board of county commissioners is called for Monday, April 22, for the purpose of considering a communication received from the Utah & California Railway company—the Clark road. The board is requested to fix the amount for which the county will convey its title to the railroad grade. The county will sell its interest.

Return of Dr. and Mrs. Bascom.

Dr. and Mrs. F. S. Bascom returned from Europe this morning. They have been abroad since their marriage last April and made an extended tour of Spain and Italy, returning by way of Paris and London. They will be at home at their residence, 455 South West Temple street.

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can be made at the grounds before the tournament commences, when the handicaps will be announced. The following prizes will be offered: Fishing rod, shell case, hunting knife, safety hatchet, fly book and dozen flies. Some of the prizes were purchased by the club and others donated. The committee is still at work on the prize list and hopes to increase the number of prizes before the event comes off.

Gun Club Shoot.

(Special to The Herald.)

Ogden, April 13.—The Ogden Gun club is meeting with good success in preparing its prfogramme and prizes for the tournament to be given April 25.

There will be twelve events, mostly at ten, fifteen or twenty blue rocks. The tournament is open to all comers, excepting only the state championship contest which will be for the $100 cup, offered by Browning Bros., and will be for Utah shoots only.

New Rifle Club.

O. E. Wilson, the prime mover in the new rifle club, says another meeting will be held today to organize the club. He has secured the targets the past week, and has made arrangements whereby those wishing to join can secure rifles at a reduced price. The ground for the ranges has been secured and all that is needed is a little interest in the project by the followers of this sport to make the club a success.

Miscellaneous.

Y. M. C. A. CHAMPIONSHIP.

Contests Will Take Place Next Month.

The annual Y. M. C. A. all-around indoor athletic championship contests will be held next month, the entries closing on the 30th of this month. The contests will be held in the association gymnasium and will be held under the direction of the gymnasium committee and physical instructor. They are open only to members who have paid up their yearly dues and whose amateur standing is above question. It has been decided to give a gold medal to the member scoring the highest number of points in the contest, with a full year's membership to the second highest and a six months' extension of membership ticket to the third. In case there are more than ten entries for the events scheduled a preliminary contest will be held after the entries close, and those scoring first and second places in these preliminaries will be allowed to compete in the final events. Each contestant will be allowed three "tricks" on each piece of apparatus, but in all athletic events all will compete for the same result. No one will be allowed more than two trials at any trick. The final score will be made up by giving the winner of each trick or event five points; second, three, and third one, and the contestant securing the highest number of points will be declared the winner.

The following apparatus and events will constitute the programme: Horse, parallel bars, horizontal bars, flying rings, standing broad jump, running high jump, high dive, and standing hitch and kick.

Dawson to Have Sports.

Victoria, B. C., April 13.—Dawson sports are arranging a big carnival to take place there commencing July 1 and lasting a week. There will be horse races, trap shooting, and if it can be arranged a bout between Sharkey and Slavin. Charles Meadows is coming out to arrange the attractions. The prizes offered will be large enough to take men from the outside to the Klondike.

Decoration Day Race.

Interest in the coming Decoration day road race is rapidly increasing and it promises to be one of the largest ever held in the city. Active training has been commenced by a number of the riders and the course from here to Farmington will be lined with speed merchants today. The prize list is constantly growing and most of the prizes are worth riding for. Four high-grade racing wheels have already been offered by the dealers and more are expected. Besides these, a handsome silver cup valued at $30, a gold medal of equal value and a silver cigar box have been secured.

Broken Finger Ring Caused Death.

(New York World.)

A diamond ring caused the death of Peter Reilly of Greenpoint, once prominent in Democratic politics in Kings county, and a clerk under Register Haggerty. Mr. Reilly died in St. John's hospital, Long Island City, from blood poisoning.

Mr. Reilly, who was unmarried, lived with his sister. She said that on Monday night a week ago Reilly forced off his finger a diamond ring he had worn for years, and which, as his finger increased in size, had sunk into the flesh. In pulling the ring off it broke and slightly scratched the middle finger of the right hand. The next day the hand had turned blue and was swelling, but Reilly paid no attention to the matter until his sister insisted on calling in Dr. Burke.

Two days later the hand had swollen to large proportions and blood poisoning set in. An operation was performed, but the patient grew rapidly worse, and died on Monday night of last week.

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