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WEATHER FORECAST
UTAH—THE INDICATIONS
ARE THAT THE WEATHER
WILL BE LOCAL RAIN OR
SNOW AND COLDER TO-
NIGHT AND TOMORROW.
PRICE FIVE CENTS

AT LEAST 2,300 PERSONS HAVE BEEN EXTRICATED ALIVE FROM RUINS

Search for Others Will Continue So Long as There Is Any Possibility of Rescuing the Living—Earthquake Shocks Still Continue at Rate of Ten Each Hour—Fire Completes Destruction of City Hall

Rome, Jan. 7.—General Mazza, the commander at Messina, has sent the following despatch to Premier Giolitti:

"Today, as on preceding days, search is continuing among the debris for injured. Ten were found today. The probability of finding others is diminishing every hour, but the search is going on and will be continued until no one is found alive. The work of removing the dead for burial is progressing.

At least 2,300 persons have been extricated alive from the ruins. About 200 bodies have been buried with every precaution. Every facility has been given to the refugees to leave the city. I am convinced that their removal is necessary in the present condition of the city. I am providing for, besides sanitary service and subsistence, the resumption of essential services, such as railways and postal service. Railway communication with Palermo and maritime communication with Naples has been re-established. Railway employes have been sent to the Calabrian coast to re-establish the railways to Naples. The building of houses has begun and this will be pushed forward as rapidly as possible. The hygienic condition of the troops is excellent notwithstanding the hardships and the inclemency of the weather.

Missina, Jan. 7.—Earthquake shocks are still continuing here at the rate of about ten per hour. Fire also has again broken out, completing the destruction of the city hall and the records stored therein.

A party of men under the direction of Major Landis, the American military attaché at Rome, has been working for four days to extricate the bodies of A. S. Cooney and wife from the ruins of the American consulate. The apartments of the Cooneys has not yet been uncovered and many feet of wreckage still remain to be removed.

Bayard Cutting, Jr., Winthrop Chandler and Stuart K. Lupton, consular representatives, are making every effort to locate Americans supposed to have been in the earthquake zone at the time of the disaster, but so far without success. The authorities have determined to isolate Messina as the only means of preventing an outbreak of serious illness. The relief parties complain that the starving refugees require the most nutritious food and want more care.

The efforts in Messina today consist mostly of gathering up dead bodies and burying them in trenches between layers of quicklime. Out of respect to the prevailing religious feeling, it was determined not to burn the dead.

The work of relief is now well under way in Messina, but the smaller towns in the interior are being neglected. Ships arriving on the coast henceforth will be sent to the coast towns, and parties will go inland with supplies. The English have established a splendid relief camp in the hills behind San Giovanni.

A search of the ruins for survivors is still going on and yesterday, seven living persons were taken from the ruins. The majority of these now found alive are children and elderly persons, who evidently did not expend their energy in vain efforts to free themselves.

The policy of clearing Messina was inaugurated yesterday with the refusal of the authorities to furnish people with food unless they agreed to embark for other places. This will be done to discourage peasants coming down from the mountains to take advantage of the free distribution of rations.

CASHIER STOLE \$4,000

Young Woman Arrested on the Charge of Embezzlement

Kansas City, Jan. 7.—Miss Nellie O'Donnell, aged 30 years, a former cashier and bookkeeper for the Schwartzschild & Sulzberger Beef & Provision company, was arrested last night on a charge of embezzlement of \$4,000 while in the employ of the company. According to the police, Miss O'Donnell has made a complete confession. The embezzlement took place in July, 1908. A short time afterwards, fire destroyed the branch office of the company at which Miss O'Donnell was employed. Most of the company's books were burned. However, Miss O'Donnell's cash book was found only slightly damaged. An expert accountant, employed to investigate the firm's affairs, discovered the shortage. Miss O'Donnell asserts that she does not know why she took the money.

The responsibility for the burning of the company's branch, which was believed by the officials of the company to have been of incendiary origin, has never been placed. Miss O'Donnell denies any knowledge of it.

Frank O'Dowd, also a former bookkeeper for the company, was arrested shortly after Miss O'Donnell. The police assert that O'Dowd has signed a statement that, at various times, he had received sums of money from Miss O'Donnell amounting in all to \$500. With these funds in hand, O'Dowd resigned his position shortly after the fire and established himself in the cigar business in Kansas City, Kansas. Miss O'Donnell also left the company and became his clerk. In her confession, Miss O'Donnell says O'Dowd did not know that she had embezzled the money.

Miss O'Donnell entered the employ of the company ten years ago and had been promoted from office girl to the position of cashier.

CRITICISM OF THE ARMY AND ITS MANAGEMENT

\$10,400 FOR HORSEMANSHIP TESTS WIRELESS EXPENDITURE.

Congressmen Do Not Approve of the Manner in Which These Experiments Are Conducted.

Washington, Jan. 7.—Sharp criticism of the army and its management is being heard about the captiol. Some of the most pointed remarks have been published in the official record of the testimony taken before the house committee on military affairs, in connection with the army appropriation bill.

It developed that \$10,400 had been expended for mileage in connection with the horsemanship tests ordered by the President. This money, it was explained, was disbursed in order to assemble the officers on what was deemed a proper course, such as at Fort Ethan Allen in Vermont and Fort Myer in Virginia.

"That \$10,000 is a useless expenditure," declared Representative Anthony of Kansas. "Those tests could just as well be taken at the posts where the officers are stationed."

"Yes; or riding around a fair ground," suggested Representative Slayden of Texas.

Chairman Hull of Iowa, came to the

susceptible to diphtheria, by lowering our own resistance.

"The danger of any epidemic would largely come from the fact that the people being driven from their homes, would be gathered together in large numbers without the ordinary facilities for taking care of their waste products, or of procuring food and water. They would also be huddled together and come in much closer contact than under ordinary conditions."

NIGHT OF THE BIG WIND IN IRELAND

RECOLLECTIONS OF AN EVENT 70 YEARS AGO.

Chicago Irishmen Observe the Night by Story and Song—Thrilling Tales Are Told.

Chicago, Jan. 7.—"Nagh Geagh Muir Erin"—the night of the big wind in Ireland.

This historic event, which occurred 70 years ago, was celebrated by Irishmen the world over with story and song last night. In Chicago, as in other American cities, many an Irish family gathered around the hearthstone and listened to the thrilling tales related by the father or mother of the famous event.

Some of the narrators were too young at the time of the big wind to remember the event, but the story has been handed down from father to son, and, it is said, has lost nothing by the transmission.

VERDICT IS NOT GUILTY

Mrs. Beisel and Mrs. Erb Walk From Court House, Free

Media, Pa., Jan. 7.—Mrs. M. Florence Erb, wife of Captain J. Clayton Erb, who was well-known in political circles all over Pennsylvania and her sister, Mrs. Catherine Beisel, who were charged with the sensational murder of Captain Erb on the night of October 6, 1908, today walked from the Delaware county court house, free women.

After the jury had been out nearly eighteen hours it brought in a verdict of not guilty in the cases of each woman, both of whom had been charged separately and jointly with shooting the captain. Thus ends a trial that has held the interest of the people of the state for more than a week.

Almost up to the moment when the jury announced that it had agreed, the prospects for a unanimous decision of the twelve men was not bright. During the morning, the jury filed into court and asked for further instructions on the question of self defense, and while the spectators were still standing in the court room, discussing the instructions given the jury, word came from the jury room that the men had agreed.

The defendants were sent for at once, but there was a minute before they arrived. During this heart-breaking interval the defendants were jumping from their seats, striding up and down, sitting down again—hands in pockets, hands clasped behind their backs, they were more restless than any jungle animal in the cage of a city zoo.

J. Rohman Robinson, the assistant district attorney, was also very ill-at-ease.

Judge Johnson took his seat just as the jury was escorted into the room. There was absolute silence when the court clerk went through the usual

proceedings of asking whether the defendant and the foreman announced the verdict of not guilty, in broken sobs.

With a half-scream, the sisters fell into each other's arms and women wept as they looked at the pathetic scene.

In an instant, the women were surrounded by friends and their relatives and overwhelmed with congratulations.

Harry Beisel threw his arms around his wife and his sister-in-law, Mrs. Erb, and tears came to their eyes. This scene lasted several minutes. The jury was not polled, and after Judge Johnson had thanked them, Mrs. Erb hurried from her seat to Juror Dickinson, the foreman, and wrung his hand. Mrs. Beisel did likewise, as they went down the line of the twelve men. Tears stood in the eyes of most of them, and the thanks of the women were sobbed out in broken sobs.

"I was innocent and knew I would be acquitted," said Mrs. Erb after the jury had gone. "I was only fearful for my sister. I did not know what they might do to her for doing what she did to save my life."

Mrs. Beisel said:

"I thank God it is all over. No, I have not been confident of acquittal, for you never know what twelve men will do. I was sure of my sister's freedom, but not of my own, though I knew I was innocent of any crime."

TRYING ORDEAL OVER

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ATTEMPT MADE TO FIRE A BUILDING

JANITOR DISCOVERS THE PLOT NONE TOO SOON.

Lighted Candle Was Burning Its Way to a Mixture of Kerosene, Alcohol and Gasoline.

New York, Jan. 7.—If David Barry, the janitor of a six-story brick building at 335-337 Broadway had not remained up late last night it seems certain that the structure would have been destroyed by fire. As it was, returning home, Barry discovered on the fourth floor landing a lighted candle, inserted in a demijohn surrounded by rags and paper. In the jug was a mixture of kerosene, alcohol and gasoline. The candle had been burning about an hour.

The police were notified and when they arrived declared that the arrangement was undoubtedly a well-planned fire trap. The mixture in the jug was highly inflammable and an explosion would have followed had the candle been allowed to burn a few moments longer. Pieces of paper had been so adjusted about the neck of the jug that if the flame had been a little lower they would have been ignited. The building is occupied by a number of factories and business offices.

WIDOW IN GREEN SENDS A COMIC POSTAL

LATEST SCHEME IN THE LINE OF BLACKMAIL.

Wife of a Wealthy Business Man Receives a Suggestive Card Through the Mail.

Chicago, Jan. 7.—"I hope the new year will bring you as much happiness as you have brought me unhappiness."

This missive, written on the back of a comic postal card, the pictures of which represented a man lying prostrate on the floor of a room, while a woman was menacingly swinging a big rolling pin over his head, is the latest communication to be sent by the mysterious "widow in green" and her gang of alleged blackmailers who, it is claimed, "bied" wealthy guests of fashionable hotels out of thousands of dollars.

The card, which was dated from Chicago, was received by a wealthy business man of an Indiana city. His name is being withheld by the federal authorities. The postal was directed so that it fell into the hands of the victim's wife and daughter before it reached him.

He has announced that he will come here in a few days to assist in the prosecution.

CRIMINAL LAW AND CRIMINOLOGY CONFERENCE

Chicago, Jan. 7.—A conference on criminal law and criminology, national in its scope, is being planned for Chicago during the first week in June by prominent men.

Such questions as why the fear of punishment does restrain crime; why, when crime is considered as a disease, the law persistently deals with the criminal as a normal person, and the like, will be discussed.

Governor Deneen, attorneys, physicians, and the psychologists are taking an active interest in the conference and the "delinquents" are being chosen with the utmost care.

Beware of Malice.
Let naught be set down in malice.—Shakespeare.

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CHILDREN CURED BY BARE FEET AND LEGS

COLD WEATHER AIDS IN RESTORING HEALTH.

Two Cold-Proof Babies in Chicago Are Now Enjoying the Drop in Temperature.

Chicago, Jan. 7.—There are two cold-proof babies in Chicago who are enjoying a drop in temperature which has brought discomfort and suffering to the rest of the population. One is at a leading hotel, into which she was carried, minus shoes and stockings, by her father, Thomas M. Robertson of Houghton, Mich. Mr. Robertson said they were on their way to the south and that his baby daughter was being treated for a complication of diseases, a part of the remedy being bare legs and feet. He said the treatment was proving successful, and the healthy face of the sleeping child in his arms bore evidence that she was resting comfortably.

The other baby is a child of Thos. Fitzpatrick, a policeman. A year ago it was puny, and the parents thought they would not be able to raise it. On the advice of Health Commissioner Evans, the baby was given its feet. This has been kept up summer and winter, and the child is now one of the healthiest in this city.

MOVING-PICTURE MEN WIN IN NEW YORK

New York Jan. 7.—The moving-picture men won a victory over Mayor McClellan yesterday when Justice Blackmar of the supreme court in Brooklyn, granted the application of William Fox, president of the Moving Picture men's association for an injunction against putting into effect the mayor's recent wholesale revocation of moving picture licenses.

Chicago Close.

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Lard—Jan. \$9.47 1-2; May \$9.70a 9 7-2 1-2; July \$9.82 1-2.

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Rye—Cash 76; May 78.

Barley—Cash, 62a68 1-2.

Timothy—March \$4.05.

Clover—March \$9.55.

Kansas City Livestock.

Kansas City, Jan. 7.—Cattle—Receipts, 5,000; market strong to 10 cents higher; stockers and feeders \$3.25a7.25; bulls \$2.00a5.00; calves \$2.50a5.00; western steers \$4.00a6.00; western cows \$2.85a4.75.

Hogs—Receipts, 14,000; market steady to 5 cents lower. Bulk of sales \$5.50a5.95; heavy \$5.90a6.05; packers and butchers \$5.65a6.20; light \$5.30a5.80; pigs \$4.50a5.25.

Sheep—Receipts, 5,000; market strong; muttons \$4.25a5.50; lambs \$6.25a7.75; range wethers \$4.00a6.60; fed ewes \$3.00a5.00.

Sugar and Coffee.

New York, Jan. 7.—Sugar, raw—Steady; fair refining \$3.20; centrifugal 96 test \$3.70; molasses sugar \$2.95. Refined, steady; crushed, \$5.35; powdered \$4.75; granulated, \$4.65.

COFFEE—Steady; No. 7 Rio 7a7 1-8; No. 4 Santos 5 1-8a3-8.

Wool.

St. Louis, Jan. 7.—Wool, firm; territory and western mediums 17a21; fine mediums 15a17; fine 12a14.

Metal Market.

New York, Jan. 7.—Lead, quiet, \$4.17 1-2a4.22 1-2; copper, quiet, 14 1-2a 14 5-8. Silver, 51 1-2.

CLOSING QUOTATIONS OF WORLD'S MARKETS

MATERIAL ADVANCES IN THE STOCK MARKET

New York, Jan. 7.—The opening demand for stocks was sufficiently urgent today to cause material advances all through the list. Colorado & Southern was lifted 1-5-8, Minneapolis, St. Paul and Sault Ste Marie 2, Pennsylvania and Texas Pacific 1-4, Union Pacific, St. Paul, Colorado & Southern first preferred, Colorado Fuel, American Smelting 1-8 and Reading a point.

The general course of the market was strongly upward for a time, the buying of the low priced minor stocks, the principal feature. Some of the active trading stocks rose a point or more above yesterday's closing. Colorado & Southern jumped 4 3-8, Chicago & Alton, Wisconsin Central and Consolidated Gas 2, American Smelting 1-5-8, and National Lead 1 3-8. Northwestern declined 2, Chicago Great Western and the preferred "B" 1-2 and Illinois Central 1. Realizing sales wiped out a considerable part of the rise before the hour expired.

The break in the Chicago Great Western stocks was due to fears of the assessment to be levied in reorganization. The general list was affected until relieved by the strength shown by New York Central and Consolidated Gas. Chicago Great Western dropped three, the preferred "A" six and the preferred "B" 3-8.

Colorado & Southern rose an extreme 6 5-8, Minneapolis, St. Paul and Sault Ste Marie, 5; the preferred 4 1-4, Consolidated Gas 3 3-4, St. Paul 2 1-2, New York Central, Rock Island preferred 2, Union Pacific 1 5-8; Canadian Pacific 1 3-8, and a number of others a point or more.

Bonds were irregular.

NEW YORK STOCKS.

Amalgamated Copper, 83 3-8.
American Car and Foundry, 50.
American Locomotive, 58.
American Smelting, 89.
American Steel, pfd., 104 1-4.
American Sugar Refining, 128 3-4.
Anaconda Mining Co., 50.
Atchison Railway, 100 7-8.
Atchison Railway, pfd., 101 1-2.
Baltimore and Ohio, 111 3-8.
Brooklyn Rapid Transit, 71 1-8.
Canadian Pacific, 177.
Chesapeake and Ohio, 57 1-2.
Chicago & Northern Western, 179.
Chicago, Mill and St. Paul, 150 3-8.
Colorado Fuel and Iron, 45 1-4.
Colorado and Southern, 65.
Delaware and Hudson, 180.
Denver and Rio Grande, 39 1-2.
Denver and Rio Grande, pfd., 81 3-4.
Erie Railway, 38 5-8.
Great Northern, pfd., 146 5-8.
Great Northern Ore Co., 72.
Illinois Central, 148 1-2.
New York Central, 128.
Reading Railway, 141 1-8.
Rock Island Co., 25.
Rock Island Co., pfd., 61.
Southern Railway, 119 5-8.
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United States Steel, 53 1-2.
United States Steel, pfd., 113 1-8.
Wabash Railway, 19.
Western Union, 68 3-8.
Standard Oil company, 677.

Chicago Livestock.

Chicago, Jan. 7.—Cattle—Receipts, estimated 7,000; market steady. Heaves \$3.90a5.50; Texans \$3.80a4.50; westerns \$4.00a5.60; stockers and feeders \$2.80a4.85; cows and heifers \$1.75a5.10; calves \$7.50a9.50.

Hogs—Receipts, estimated 30,000; market steady. Light \$5.35a5.00; mixing \$5.65a5.20; head \$5.80a6.25; tough \$5.70a5.85; good to choice \$5.55a5.25; pigs \$4.50a5.50; bulk of sales \$5.80a6.10.

Sheep—Receipts, estimated 15,000; market steady; natives \$3.00a5.50; western \$3.00a5.60; yearlings \$4.75a7.00; lambs, native, \$4.75a8.00; western \$5.00a8.00.

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MYSTERY MAY BE SOLVED

Stickpin Found in Stove Is Said to Belong to Missing Carpenter

Detroit, Jan. 7.—With rumors and stories of all sorts floating about the countryside today, near Columbus township, where a dismembered body was found yesterday afternoon stuffed into the Methodist church, there is not one positive development toward solving the mystery which shrouds the crime.

Suspicion of the accuracy of the identity of the body as that of Rev. John H. Carmichael of Adair, developed today.

Another man is missing from the neighborhood, Gideon Browning, a carpenter, who lived near the minister. Only the trunk of the victim's body, part of the jaw-bone and the tibiae teeth are left to offer a possibility of identification. The identification as Rev. Carmichael was largely based on the fact that bloody clothing belonging to the minister and other possessions of his including his spectacles, were found in the church. But the sheriff said today that he did not consider this necessarily positive proof that it was the minister.

There had never been any trouble between Browning and the minister, so far as is known. Tuesday afternoon, Browning left a Grand Trunk train at the nearby village of Hickey and inquired the way to the Methodist church in Columbus township. He said to the two different men that he had an appointment there with a man. No reason is known why Rev. Carmichael should have gone to the church unless he had an appointment there.

Among the evidences of the crime taken from the stove, in which the murderer tried to incinerate his victim's body, is a stickpin, which the sheriff says has been identified as belonging to Browning.

Prosecuting Attorney Brown disagrees entirely with the theory that the murdered man may not be Rev. Carmichael and says he considers the identity clearly established.

In the investigation of the movements of Rev. Carmichael and Browning immediately before they disappeared, it has been discovered that Monday morning, Mr. Carmichael went to the home of Browning's sister and had a conversation with Browning. The latter's eleven-year-old nephew says that his uncle told him that Rev. Carmichael was going to get him a job where he would have nothing to do but "stand around and smoke cigars," and that the minister had given him a \$2 bill with which to go to Port Huron. Tuesday morning, before the minister left his home, on the drive from which he never returned, he had a conversation on the depot platform with Browning before the latter took the train for Port Huron. The minister afterwards returned home hitched up his horse and started on the drive. Before leaving home, he told Mrs. Carmichael he was going to Columbus township to see some parishioners about organizing a revival. He was later in the day seen in the neighborhood of the church.

BARNEY LEFT AN ESTATE OF MILLIONS

HEAD OF KNICKERBOCKER TRUST CO. WAS NOT PENNILESS.

New York, Jan. 7.—Charles T. Barney, who was president of the Knickerbocker Trust company during the bulk of 1907 and who died from a bullet wound in the abdomen presumably self-inflicted, left property valued at nearly \$9,500,000, according to the appraiser's report, which has just been filed, fixing the inheritance tax on the estate. Instead of his widow being left almost penniless, as had been reported on several occasions, he leaves \$2,000,000 in round numbers above all liabilities, all of which goes to Mrs. Barney.

The total taxable transfer, according to the appraiser's report is \$1,500,000, or a revenue to the state of \$18,000. Mr. Barney's liabilities, when he died, were supposed to aggregate \$7,500,000.

WOMAN IS ON TRIAL FOR MURDER IN NEWARK

Newark, N. J., Jan. 7.—The trial of Mrs. Josephine Amore, now in progress here, is the first time in fifteen years that a woman has been tried for murder in this, Essex county, New Jersey. Mrs. Amore was indicted on her own confession of having killed Michael Martello on August 5, last, because she threatened to take her life if she did not elope with him. She shot him as he climbed through the kitchen window.

DECAYING BODIES WILL NOT CAUSE DISEASE

NEW YORK PHYSICIAN TALKS OF MESSINA CONDITIONS.

Purifying Bodies Are Offensive But They Do Not Communicate Disease, According to Theory.

New York, Jan. 7.—Despite the great number of dead and the chaotic conditions at Messina as a result of the recent earthquake disaster, Dr. William H. Park, director of the research laboratories of the New York department of health, is of the opinion that there is no great danger of the outbreak of any pestilence there.

"The weather is cool," said Dr. Park, "and ordinary disease germs can't develop at such a temperature. Our present knowledge indicates that except when flesh is eaten no disease can develop from even putrifying bodies such as there are now at Messina. The offensive odors might predispose people to disease in the same way that sewer gas would make us