IN A WOMAN'S CAUSE.

Justice for Mrs. Maybrick the Aim of a New York Society.

PLEA FOR A NEW TRIAL.

It Is Sought to Have All the Evidence in the Case Reviewed.

RIGORS OF A LIFE IN JAIL.

Only Once Has the Mother of the Unfortunate Been Allowed to Embrace Her Child.

NEW YORK, N. Y., July 6.—Interest in the case of Mrs. Maybrick, the American woman imprisoned at Woking, seems to be taking on fresh life. The formation a few days ago of an International Woman's Society, to agitate the subject of a review of the case of the woman wearing out her days in penal servitude, is the latest development in the way of encouragement that is given the friends of Mrs. Maybrick and her mother, the Baroness de Roques. A reporter saw the latter the other day when she was in London on one of her visits to her daughter.

"I found Florrie in the hospital again," she said, "and, as an unusual privilege, I was permitted to sit beside and kiss her. As a rule, when I go to see her, we talk across a narrow corridor that is grated on either side. I cannot even touch her. After three long months of separation from her I am wild to do so. Sometimes it seems as if I would go away absolutely happy if I could only hold her in my arms for a single moment. She is my only child—all I have in the world."

Tears welled up in the clear blue eyes as she said:

"Now, I shall go back to Rouen and resume my sad, weary task of waiting. For six long years I have come to London for the quarterly visits, going back to France and to my empty home with an agonized heart."

The Baroness de Roques was asked if the children of Mrs. Maybrick were not in her care.

"No," was the reply, "nor has their mother seen them since the close of the trial. My daughter wishes them to think their wretched mother dead, and she was glad to know that their very name had been changed since her imprisonment. Never since the day on which her appalling sentence was pronounced has she permitted them to be brought to see her. 'My babies must not carry with them the vision of a mother in prison garb,' Florrie said; 'I can better bear the horror of an earthly separation from them than witness the surprise in their innocent eyes at the sight of this disgraceful dress and these miserable surroundings.'"

"But you have been kept informed of their whereabouts, have you not?"

"Certainly. I have not lost sight of them for a day," answered the Baroness. "My heart so hungers for them at times that I come to England and wander about the house where my little granddaughter is staying simply to catch a glimpse of her as she plays in the garden. The boy is away at school now. The former was less than 3 years old at the time the trial closed and the latter just 6. My daughter herself was not 26 then, having been born in Mobile, Ala., September 1, 1863."

The International Maybrick Society has for its president Dr. Helen Dinsmore; the treasurer is Mrs. Massingbred, president of the Great Pioneer Club of London, and Mabel Collins, the well-known writer, is secretary. The following is the text in full of the circular which the society has prepared and which within the next month will be scattered throughout both England and America:

"The Woman's International Maybrick Society makes an appeal for funds to prosecute an effort to bring the facts of the Maybrick case before the English people. They do not ask for her release, nor do they plead for clemency or mercy. They only ask that the case be reviewed, including all the old and new testimony. All subscriptions raised by clubs or independently may be sent to the headquarters of the society, 10 West Chapel street, Mayfair, London."

ALL ARE PATRIOTIC.

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as one can judge from the newspapers, has not realized the fact that the pro-Turkish party, the so-called old Turks whose patriotic obstinacy, racial pride and religious fervor rendered the last war with Russia inevitable, has now the upper hand at the Port. The present leader of this party is Hassan Pasha, Minister of Marine. His dismissal has been vainly demanded by the new Grand Vizier, who finds his plans thwarted at every turn by Hassan's influence. Hassan has, in truth, formed a European league, and nine-tenths of the palace officials are his creatures. Very cautiously, but none the less effectively, the Sultan has been given to understand that his loyal and faithful subjects are sick of seeing Turkey harried and bullied by Europeans, and that further concessions on his part may result in rebellion.

The so-called plot recently unearthed in Constantinople is a part of this game. The unfortunate Armenians had nothing to do with it. The plot, such as it was, was purely Turkish, and the chief conspirators were soft as Ulemanas. Good Turks have generally been driven to patriotic despair by the Sultan's complaisance toward meddling foreigners. That, anyhow, is the version industriously circulated and insiduously conveyed to the imperial ears, and material proof of the existence of the plot has been opportunely afforded by the arrest of over 100 conspirators, mostly young Turkish cadets at the military school, and the seizure of arms and ammunition, and even bombs, manufactured no one knows where.

Hassan is playing a bold game and the course of affairs in Macedonia will soon show whether he is likely to win. If the old Turks finally prevail the revolt in that province will be quenched in blood and Hassan, as the Grand Vizier, will have to answer to the remonstrances of horrified Europe. Therefore those who wish to have a clear understanding of the real situation from time to time should watch the personal fortunes of Hassan Pasha.

A variety of gloomy reports regarding the condition of the Cornell crew has been sent out from Henley in the past day or two. The best answer to these stories is the fact that the crew rowed over the course to-day in 7 min. and 4 sec., which was the best time made by any eight in practice. The Thames crew to-day consumed 7 min. 14 sec., and the Leander crew more than eight minutes. The latter crew will row first with Cornell, as the result of to-day's drawing of lots. It may be true that two or three of the Cornell boys are slightly overtrained, but they have been doing the finest work on the river all the week.

The Valkyrie's substantial victory in to-day's race somewhat revives the hopes of her friends. The southerly breeze in which the race was sailed furnished the best possible conditions for the new boat, and she really developed wonderful speed. It was not a Britannia day. English yachtsmen are already saying among themselves that the results of the American races depend entirely on the weather in which they are sailed.

Professor Ramsey will soon have some fresh facts of interest to announce regarding the new elements, argon and helium. He recently tested several chippings from meteorites and found both elements present in all of them. Adrian Diaconu of Hungary claimed to have made a remarkable discovery. According to a telegram from Vienna he has found in the remains of the old Roman camp of Bersovia at Bogesau, near Temesvar, what he and certain learned men of Bucharest regard as irrefutable evidence that the centurions of the fourth legion, who were stationed there at some time during the second century, were acquainted with the use of movable types. Such a discovery, if verified, will throw back the origin of the art of printing nearly thirteen centuries. It is already known that the Romans used stamps with which to impress upon bricks such inscriptions as "Leg. Vic, Six," but there has been no trace of the use of movable types.

The trial of the Irish fanatics who burned to death Bridget Cleary in order to exorcise a witch last winter was finished yesterday. This lurid story of superstition has been told at length in the Sun. The prisoners, of whom the woman's husband and father were the most prominent, and who include a herb doctor and three neighbors, were found guilty of manslaughter. The husband was sentenced to twenty years, the father to five years and the others ranging from three years to six months in prison.

Quite a romance is bound up in the dramatic version of "Trilby," which Beerbohm Tree will produce in the autumn. Du Maurier took as his model for little Billee the son of a cabinet-maker in Hampstead, who has since gone on the stage. When Tree heard of it he gave the youth an engagement to play the part for which he was sketched, thus insuring photographic accuracy, if nothing more. The distinguished artist who figures in the book as The Laird, though quite a remarkable actor in private life, was compelled to decline the handsome offer to appear on the boards. There is no truth in the rumor that Tree is moving heaven and earth to secure Mr. Whistler.

Smoking service is the latest novelty in the religious world. The following invitation has been widely circulated in Whitechapel: "If you want a smoke free come next Sunday afternoon at 3 o'clock to Christ Church Hall. A free cup of tea if you like. Tobacco gratis."

The state concert at Buckingham Palace last night was the most gorgeous affair, in point of the display of dress and jewels, that has been seen during this or any other season. Not less than 1500 persons attended. The blaze of diamonds and other precious stones was something beyond description. White satin was the favorite material and very much gray and mauve were worn with it. A certain beautiful Countess had the seams of her gown held down with diamond buttons and a handsome Marchioness had a sash fastened with a magnificent diamond sun. A foreign lady wore epaulettes of diamonds and emeralds upon diaphanous pink sleeves of pale-green satin and a gown which was powdered with rose petals, and on every leaf glimmered a diamond dewdrop. A German Baroness had a gown of pale mauve satin, the bodice of which had a deep frill falling from the shoulders and beaded with diamonds, a necklace or two of stones being utilized in that way. The splendid sapphires worn by one lady were as much admired as the fine rubies, now the costliest of jewels, that flashed on the shoulders and in the hair of another.

JOHN H. CHAMBERLAIN.

WHISKY TRUST PROPERTY.

There Is Now No Way in Which the Sale Can Be Stopped.

CHICAGO, ILL., July 6.—There is no way in which the sale of the whisky trust property can be stopped now. Judge Showalter in the United States court this afternoon again passed on several motions of counsel for Greenhut and Morris, deciding against them in every instance. The attorneys came fortified with great stacks of authorities, but the court did not wait to hear arguments. Every possible motion was made to gain a foothold in court for the two foes of the reorganization committee, but they were shut out, as they have been on other occasions, with the difference that their exclusion as parties of record this time will be final. Their only recourse lies in the Court of Appeals, to which Edwin Walker, representing Greenhut, will apply for a writ of mandamus to compel Judge Showalter to grant him an appeal. As the writ will not be returnable until the next term of court, which will be in October, even if it were decided in favor of the minority interests it would then be too late to prevent the transfer of property to the reorganization committee. The certificates of the organization, the American Spirits Distilling Company, are being engraved and will be ready in a few days.

ARE COMING WESTWARD.

Miss Helen Gould and Party Arrive at Kansas City.

KANSAS CITY, Mo., July 6.—Miss Helen Gould and party arrived in the city this morning in a special train over the Missouri Pacific from St. Louis. A stop of half an hour was made at the union depot, after which the train pulled out for Omaha. To-morrow the party will go to Grand Island, Nebr., and from there to Denver. The trip over the Missouri Pacific system is partly one of business and partly one of pleasure. The personnel of the party is: Miss Helen Gould, Frank Jay Gould, Miss Ida J. Casts and Miss Alice Northrop of Tarrytown, N. Y.; William Northrop of Yonkers, N. Y.; Mr. and Mrs. Frank K. Hain of New York, and General Manager W. B. Dodridge of the Missouri Pacific.

GASOLINE STOVES EXPLODE.

Five Persons Badly Burned and Two Will Die.

CHICAGO, ILL., July 6.—Two explosions of gasoline stoves occurred this afternoon in which five persons were badly burned, one and possibly two of whom may die. The first disaster took place at 415 Princeton in which three suffered injury, and the other at 441 West Chicago avenue, and this time a mother and daughter were severely scorched. The injured are: Mrs. W. C. Bartel, will die; W. C. Bartel, 9 months old; Miss Ora King, may die; Mrs. Mary McNamara, badly burned about body; Miss Anna McNamara, burned about the face and arms.

SOFT SNAPS STOPPED.

Details for Recruiting Officers in the Army.

RULES ARE ALL REVISED.

Hereafter Merit Will Cut More Figure Than Will the Usual "Pull."

AN END PUT TO FAVORITISM.

All Commissioned Men Will in the Future Do Their Share of Field Work.

WASHINGTON, D. C., July 6.—The War Department has prepared an order, which will soon be issued, revising and altering regulations with reference to details of recruiting officers at great centers, the changes having been effected with a view to putting an end to favoritism, which, it is stated, has been shown in previous years in making selection of officers for this desirable duty.

For years the recruiting service has been constituted for that class of officers who seek "soft places," and who prefer this kind of work to that strictly of a military character.

There had been exceptions, but in the majority of cases assignments of officers have been made chiefly because the officers have desired a detail to some locality, with no particular reference to efficiency for performing recruiting service.

The work, if properly performed, is of the utmost importance to the army, as upon the careful scrutiny and examination of applicants for admission depends the material which now compose the National soldiery.

Some stations have been diligent and have succeeded in securing excellent men for the army, while others, it is stated, have been careless, the result being that recruits have been dismissed shortly after their enrollment, because of some oversight on the part of recruiting officers.

In larger cities such as New York, Philadelphia or San Francisco, the duties of these officers are not easy if proper attention is given to them. Generally there are applicants every day, but on an average not one man in ten is registered and admitted.

The experience of the War Department shows that the best class of men for the army are from the country districts and not from towns and cities. The reason for this is that the class from the country is willing to accept small pay and the arduous duties of a private, is generally accustomed to living on small salaries, and is inured to hardships and self-abnegation.

There are comparatively few men, however, from the country who will give up a comfortable berth for the life of a soldier, whereas cities are filled with classes which, having failed at every other branch of industry, are anxious to enter the army, even with its disadvantages of small pay and loss of liberty.

Secretary Lamont's order will caution commanding officers against selecting officers because of their desire to have "gilt-edge duties."

Those officers who have seen long field service and have not tasted the "sweets" of life in large cities must be given preference, if their qualifications for the work are not in doubt.

The same policy will be pursued in so far as the rule applies to regiments on the frontier, and those officers who have been long away from civilization, as interpreted these days, will be selected for the duties over other officers who have more influence but are less competent for the work.

There are now vacancies in seven regiments of cavalry and thirteen of infantry, for which selections from recruiting officers will be made. Department commanders will decide on the officers best equipped for the duties and submit the names for the action of the department. If there is no objection to assignments found by the Secretary the details will then be made.

EDUCATORS IN SESSION.

Topics Discussed Before the American Council at Denver.

Dr. McMurray Explains the Influence of the Doctrine of Herbart.

DENVER, COLO., July 6.—There was a largely increased attendance over yesterday at the opening of the National Educational Council in the Supreme Court chamber this morning. About twenty-five additional members of the council arrived last night, making nearly forty of the membership of sixty now in Denver. Many of the delegates to the educational association, in addition to a number of Colorado educators and visitors, were among the audience when President Rounds called the meeting to order. The utmost interest was manifested in the proceedings and the discussions were unusually instructive and full of interest.

The afternoon session opened with a "round-table" consideration of the "Influence of Herbart's doctrine on the course of study in the common schools." The discussion was led by Dr. Charles A. McMurray of Norman, Ill., who explained the theory of Herbartianism, responding to numerous questions. Dr. McMurray explained that Herbartianism is the doctrine taught by the German philosopher fifty years ago of enriching the course of study in the elementary school by laying emphasis upon the subject matter to be taught, rather than upon the mere forms, as has been usual in the past. The Herbartians believe that the school must be carefully adjusted to the capacity and interests of children and that all teaching should have an ethical or character-building aim.

President Rounds announced the committees of the session as follows:

New members—H. S. Tarbell, Rhode Island; Mary E. Nicholson, Indiana; James H. Baker, Colorado; Earl Barnes, California; Z. Richards, District of Columbia.

Nominations—F. Louis Soldan, Missouri; C. B. Gilbert, Minnesota; L. H. Jones, Ohio.

Auditing—H. H. Seerley, Iowa; A. R. Taylor, Kansas; Joseph Baldwin, Texas.

At 6 o'clock this evening a special train of electric-cars took the members of the Council of Education to University Park, where a reception was given them at the home of Bishop H. W. Warren.

It is estimated at midnight that 5000 teachers are in the city.

Shortage in County Funds.

CHEYENNE, WYO., July 6.—The State Examiner's explanation of the accounts of Frank Lusk, the retiring treasurer of Converse County, reveals a shortgage of $5800 in the county funds. Lusk's bondsmen will be sued for the shortage. Lusk claims he had an agreement with the County Commissioners by which he was entitled to retain the fines and penalties for all delinquent taxes collected by him and that the apparent shortage represents these items.

TROOPS ORDERED OUT.

Starving Strikers Causing Trouble in West Virginia Mines.

HUNTINGTON, W. VA., July 6.—All the companies of the Second Regiment have been ordered to be ready to proceed to the Elkhorn country. All the talk in this city is the trouble in the Elkhorn mining region and the action of the military authorities in calling out the Second Regiment, composed of nine companies. The Governor has had a representative at Elkhorn for days watching the condition of affairs.

Recently the men and their families, who have been on a strike for two months, have been in an almost starving condition. They were evicted in many instances from the houses they occupied. They have not committed any damage as yet, but the manner in which they gathered and their conversation indicated trouble, and the authorities were called upon. The Norfolk and Western Railroad has taken precautions to protect all its property. It will require four hours for all the companies in the Second Regiment to assemble.

The entire Second Regiment of State militia is now assembled at the different armories in the western part of the State, and is ready to proceed to the scene of the trouble. Reports this morning said that matters were quiet, but an outbreak is liable at any minute.

THEY PRETEND TO WEEP.

Suspected Murderers of Seljan See the Body of the Murdered Man.

The Suicide Theory Incorporated in the Verdict of the Omaha Coroner's Jury.

OMAHA, NEBR., July 6.—To-day was occupied with the Coroner's inquest on the Seljan case. The prisoners were brought to the Morgue to see the body and were greatly affected, Buckovitz pretending to weep. The witnesses told the story of the finding of the body, and an autopsy was performed on it. One of the lungs was filled with air, which proves that death resulted before the body reached the water.

Dr. J. E. Summers Jr. testified that the cut in the throat was such that the deceased could not have lived more than nine minutes. The Coroner's verdict was that death came from the hand of Seljan or some unknown person. The suicide theory has been advanced by friends of the prisoners, and it obtained a recognition in the jury report, although this was a surprise to the spectators.

There was some talk of lynching to-night, and the police are much wrought up over the affair. The fact that Buckovitz admits that he shaved Seljan Tuesday, and that his knife, memorandum-book and hat were found in the dead man's room by the police, and also that Seljan had loaned Buckovitz and Urban money with which to pay their board bills, and also advanced money to settle a judgment obtained against them in Justice Long's court, impresses Chief of Police White with the belief that he has secured a strong circumstantial chain of evidence against the suspects.

Complaints charging at least four of the prisoners (the men) with murder were filed at the inquest.

INCREASED TAX ON BEER.

One Means That May Be Employed to Raise Treasury Receipts.

Consumers of Whisky, However, Will Escape the Threatened Advance in Duties.

NEW YORK, N. Y., July 6.—A special dispatch from Washington says:

Since the official promulgation of the public debt statement showing a deficit of $45,000,000 for the fiscal year just closed the treasury officials have been trying to figure out some practical means of meeting the deficiency in the future. Commissioner of Internal Revenue Miller says that there has been considerable speculation on the subject of increasing the tax on beer, whisky and tobacco, but up to the present time he has not talked with Secretary Carlisle on that subject, and he will not undertake to submit any recommendations bearing on that question in his forthcoming annual report. In the latter document Mr. Miller says he will confine his remarks to the official returns as shown by the figures submitted by the Collectors of Internal Revenue for the several districts, without any comment upon the proposition to increase the revenue.

After the official data from the various collection districts have been compiled the Commissioner will have a conference with Secretary Carlisle on the subject of the best means of increasing the revenues. The Commissioner is inclined to favor an increase in the tax on beer, but he does not believe it would be wise to place an additional tax on whisky. The latter, he says, pays as much as it can without placing a premium on illicit distilling. The present tax on whisky is such that it can be collected with greater profit to the Government than would be the result from a higher rate of taxation. There is, of course, considerable illicit distilling indulged in under the present system, but in the opinion of Commissioner Miller, an increase in the tax on whisky would provoke additional violation of the revenue laws, and at the same time cause heavy additional expenses for the detection of the same.

His annual report will not be prepared until late in the coming fall, and in the mean time conditions, he thinks, may have changed so that no increase in the revenues may be required.

BURIED BY A CAVE-IN.

Five Men Killed and Fifteen Wounded in a Mine Disaster.

ST. LOUIS, Mo., July 6.—A special to the Chronicle from Toluca, Mexico, says that a horrible accident occurred at the Calvario stone-quarry yesterday. A large force of men was getting out stone when the earth caved in, completely burying them. Five men were killed and fifteen seriously wounded.

John Buckley Found.

ST. LOUIS, Mo., July 6.—John Buckley, the son and heir of Kate Welch, recently found in an insane asylum at Reno, Nev., and who has a deposit in the Hibernia Bank of San Francisco, has been found in this city. He says he has not seen his mother since he was a child, but for thirteen years he has been searching for her.

ON EASTERN TRACKS.

Only One Favorite Lands First at Brighton Beach.

JUDGE MORROW INJURED.

The Famous Handicap Horse Has Started in His Last Race.

A SURPRISE AT MILWAUKEE.

Pisa, a 20 to 1 Shot, Wins the Six Furlongs—Fouls on a Kansas City Track.

BRIGHTON BEACH RACETRACK, N. Y., July 6.—Notwithstanding threatening weather to-day the crowd at the races this afternoon was very large. The track was deep with mud, consequently the card was cut to pieces. Only one favorite, Wernberg, a 7 to 5 shot, passed under the wire a winner.

There were two handicaps down for decision—the Brighton handicap, value $1200, and the Pegasus handicap, a steeplechase for four-year-olds and upward. In the former Lucky Dog, who was at odds of 5 to 2, cut out the pace to the stretch, when Walker apparently made no further effort and permitted his stable companion, Lovdal, at a longer price, to win by three parts of a length. He finished a length in front of Redskin.

In the race for the Pegasus handicap The Peer was posted favorite, but St. Anthony, who was second choice in the betting, won with plenty to spare. When the going was very fast in this race Judge Morrow, The Peer and Dwight fell, and all were more or less injured. Percy, however, immediately remounted The Peer and finished fourth.

Judge Morrow, the great handicap horse, is so badly broken down that it is thought he will never race again.

One mile, Gold Dollar won, Stone Nellie second. Time, 1:50½. Only two starters.

Five furlongs, Defender won, Yankee-Doodle second, Casette third. Time, 1:05.

Three-fourths of a mile, Wernberg won, Declare second, Sandowne third. Time, 1:18½.

Brighton handicap, one and a sixteenth miles, Lovdal won, Lucky Dog second, Red Skin third. Time, 1:52½.

One mile, Little Matt won, Marshal second, Chiswick third. Time, 1:48.

Pegasus handicap, steeplechase, short course, St. Anthony won, Hiawasse second, King John third. Time, 3:25.

MILWAUKEE, WIS., July 6.—The greatest surprise of to-day's races was the second race, when Pisa, 20 to 1, beat the two favorites, Jennie June and The Rook.

Five furlongs, Fay Belle won, Hester second, Sixty third. Time, 1:01¼.

Six furlongs, Pisa won, The Rook second, Teeta May third. Time, 1:14½.

Six furlongs, Bertha B won, Ethel W second, Soon Over third. Time, 1:15¾.

One mile, Aunt Lida won, Evanatur second, Stony P third. Time, 1:41.

Seven-eighths of a mile, Dago won, Warren Leland second, Ragner third. Time, 1:28½.

CINCINNATI, OHIO, July 6.—Fully 4000 people were at the Oakley races to-day. The day was clear and hot and the track fast. The feature was the six furlong race, won by O'Connel, who won galloping from Cæsarian and Pop Gray in the fast time of 1:13.

Five furlongs, Sir Play won, Royal Choice second, Lillian E third. Time, 1:01½.

Six furlongs, O'Connel won, Cæsarian second, Pop Gray third. Time, 1:13.

Selling, four furlongs, La Wanda won, Hallie Gay second, Bonnie Ouise third. Time, :49.

Los Anteville stakes, value to winner $1500, one mile, Paul Pry won, Seva second, Blue and Gray third. Time, 1:43.

One and a sixteenth miles, Pepper won, Tobin second, Victorious third. Time, 1:47¾.

Selling, seven furlongs, Candor won, Aimee Goodwin second, Dr. Reed third. Time, 1:28.

KANSAS CITY, Mo., July 7.—There was plenty of excitement at the local track when Fonshway was disqualified for fouling Billie Sunderland, who in turn was forced over against Cyantha on the rail and shut the mare out. Cyantha would have won the purse but for the foul.

Six furlongs, Glen Luck won, Willie Z second, Poverty third. Time, 1:24.

Six furlongs, Pillsboro won, Lionell second, Collector third. Time, 1:23.

Four and a half furlongs, Little Nell won, Kansas Girl second, Gray Baffle third. Time, 1:01½.

One and a quarter miles, Fonshway won, Billie Sunderland second, Cyantha third. Time, 2:22½. Fonshway was disqualified for fouling Lonsdale.

Four and a half furlongs, Gus Strauss won, Gateway second, Icillus third. Time, 1:18½.

Six furlongs, Craft won, One Dime second, Joe Woolman third. Time, 1:22½.

LOSS OF THE LADY LEE.

It Is Now Supposed That a Score of Passengers Were Drowned.

After Striking a Snag an Ineffectual Attempt Was Made to Reach a Sand Bar.

MEMPHIS, TENN., July 6.—The steamer Lady Lee, which left Memphis at 5 o'clock Friday night, struck a reef off Island No. 60 at 8 P. M., and sank within three minutes. A score of passengers are supposed to have been drowned. Seven dead have been recovered.

Two of the missing were members of the crew; the others were passengers. The boat went down where the Sultana sank in 1865, carrying 1800 out of the 2200 Union soldiers on board to watery graves.

The Lady Lee belonged to the Lee line, owned by Captain "Jim" Lee and his sons. She was bound for Osceola, Ark., with a large cargo of freight, a fair list of cabin passengers and fifty deck passengers. She landed at Island 40 and discharged freight and then backed down to get into the main channel.

When 100 yards from the landing the wheel struck a sunken stump which tore a hole in the hull and displaced her timbers on the boiler deck. The water rushed in. Engineer Graves signaled Pilot Owens that the boat would sink.

The west side of the river offering no place to run the steamer ashore the pilot concluded to make a dash for the Tennessee sand bar on the east shore. He called for a full head of steam and the boat shot forward for the shoal water. Under her the water was then seventy feet deep.

Captain Cooper ordered the passengers to get on top of the hurricane roof. Some one yelled: "We are going to the bottom!" and a scene of wild confusion followed. There were a dozen ladies aboard. Many of them fainted, and these were seized by the men and carried aloft.

Captain Cooper shouted to them not to jump overboard, but to trust to the boat reaching the bar.

Engineer Graves was standing in water up to his waist. The furnaces filled, and every instant he expected an explosion. But he stood to his post, and in response to the pilot's calls threw on all available steam.

When within 100 yards of the bar the water had filled the hull of the Lady Lee and she careened over almost on her side. Half of the panic-stricken passengers jumped overboard, and the women would have followed but for the stern commands of the officers. There was a stampede among the deck passengers, and two-thirds of these leaped into the water.

The engineer was almost entirely submerged, but there was steam left and he remained at his post. The boat righted herself for a moment and lunged forward fifty feet further, and there sank so low that the still revolving wheel was entirely under water and ceased to propel the boat.

The engineer started above, but before he could reach the cabin deck the boat had settled in fifteen feet of water, leaving the hurricane roof above the surface. Those who remained on it were taken off in skiffs.

Twenty-five passengers, all men, who had jumped into the water, were also saved in skiffs, but a score, it is feared, were drowned.

THEY LIKE "THE CALL."

California Marksmen Pleased With the Reports Published.

For One Day the Eastern Crackajacks Have Things All Their Own Way.

NEW YORK, N. Y., July 6.—The California boys, with the exception of A. H. Pape, Louis Bendel, F. O. Young and Pop Ehrenpfort, were absent from the ranges at Glendale Park to-day, having accepted the invitation of the Winchester Arms Company to visit their factories at New Haven and incidentally have a good time.

All the marksmen to-day were discussing George Helm's big feat on the ring target yesterday, when he scored 75 out of a possible 75, equaling his own previous record made last year, when he took the world's championship from David Miller of Hoboken, N. J., who held it for fourteen years with a score of 74 out of 75. The Eastern cracks held sway to-day, and Gus Zimmerman made the remarkable score of 49 out of 50 on the American standard target, and a Brooklynite, William Vorbach, topped F. P. Schuster's previous record for this tournament of 71 on the honor target Columbia. Vorbach made 72.

The shooting has been extended on the honor targets, which were to have closed to-day, until Monday evening, when all shooting will stop. The men who did not go to New Haven did some fair shooting. Pape made 70 on the ring, Young scored 69 and Pop Ehrenpfort 61. Bendel was the busiest of the four, scoring 57 on the Columbia, 44 on the standard and 80 on the man.

In conversation with The United Press representative and some others to-day A. H. Pape, who is regarded by the Eastern sharpshooters as a wonder in the sharpshooting line, spoke very highly of the San Francisco CALL, stating that he always depended on that paper for reports of shooting, and that while its great specialties were art and literature, the shooting department was invariably reliable in its information and could always be depended on to get the names of the shooters correct; a feature which he, in common with the rest of the boys, complained was absent from the other papers.

FOR POISONING HIS WIFE.

Arrest of a Chicago Barber for a Foul Crime.

CHICAGO, ILL., July 6.—A warrant was to-night sworn out for Charles J. Uhl, charging him with poisoning his wife. Mrs. Uhl died on June 23, and while there has as yet been no post mortem examination, the police think they have incriminating evidence against the husband. Mrs. Uhl was dead when Dr. Carr reached the house on the morning of June 23, having been summoned by Mr. Uhl, but he issued a death certificate, assigning heart failure as the cause. The eldest of the two children, who were sleeping in the room where Mrs. Uhl died, says that her father gave her mother medicine before she died which made her very sick. Uhl is a barber and a spiritualist. It is said he predicted that his wife would be in another world before July, and took out a $2500 insurance policy on her life. Uhl has made contradictory statements about his wife's death.

PERISHED IN THE FLAMES.

A Woman Buried Beneath the Walls of a Burning Building.

OSWEGO, N. Y., July 6.—A fire this morning destroyed the general store of Wallace & Sons and several other buildings. Loss, $153,000; insurance, $80,000. Mrs. Isaac Bond was burned to death in the fire. She got out of the building all right, but was seen to turn back, presumably for some belongings. Before she got upstairs a loud explosion was heard and the roof fell in.

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