

DEATH IN A CORNADO.

A Terrific Gale Sweeps the North Atlantic Coast.

MANY BUILDINGS RAZED.

Three Persons Killed and a Number Injured in a New Jersey Town.

CROPS TOTALLY DESTROYED.

Hall Accompanies the Wind and Levels the Growing Grain and Tobacco.

CHERRY HILL, N. J., July 13.—A tornado swept over this place at 3:30 o'clock this afternoon, and besides robbing twenty-five families of their homes, killed three persons outright. The dead are: Conder Friedman, proprietor of the Cherry Hill Hotel; a Hungarian named Anton, in the employ of August Mund; and the eight-months old son of William Ahren. Edgar Chinnock, while attempting to release his horses from a barn, was caught in the ruins and his head badly crushed.

FRESNO'S ELECTRIC PLANT

Contracts Let for Supplying All the Necessary Material. Power Will Be Ready for Delivery by the Beginning of the New Year.

FRESNO, CAL., July 13.—The San Joaquin Electric Company has let contracts for supplying electric machinery, wire, insulators, water-wheel plant, etc., and work is being pushed.

A mile of the big ditch carrying the water from the north fork of the San Joaquin River to the great reservoir is now completed, and work on the reservoir is well under way.

Machinery to generate one-fourth of the power will be put in as soon as possible, at a cost of about \$200,000. The total power that can be generated is about 800 horsepower. The company has decided to build a sub-station in this city, and this will be the distributing point for the mills, factories, car lines, etc., and for the vineyards within a radius of eight miles.

The ditch and reservoir will be completed by the middle of October, and it is expected that by the beginning of next year the power will be delivered in Fresno. Should more than 800 horsepower be required other wheels can be put in. There is practically no limit to the power that can be generated in the mountains.

CHARLES BROWN SENTENCED. His Check Attached for the Payment of the Fine Imposed.

FRESNO, CAL., July 13.—Charles Brown, who attempted to shoot Harry Thuston last winter, was today sentenced by Judge Carter to one year's imprisonment and to pay a fine of \$750. When Brown was held at his preliminary examination he gave a certified check for \$1000 as bail.

FATHER YAGER ILL. He Was Prominent as a Peacemaker During Pioneer Days.

FRESNO, CAL., July 13.—At a late hour to-night Father Cornelius Yager, who, for a day and a half has been lying at the point of death in this city, was still alive.

During the fifties he was known in every mining camp in the State, and was universally honored and beloved. He was especially prominent during the Lodi mining excitement, and was the one man who was able to prevent a collision between the lawless miners of California and those of Nevada.

CHICO, CAL., July 13.—An election will be called next month for the voters of Chico to decide on the proposition of bonding the city for from \$70,000 to \$100,000 for sewerage.

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REDDING, CAL., July 13.—It begins to look as if the robber who held up the Bieber Redding stage last Sunday night has made his escape. Sheriff Houston and Constable Campbell returned to this city from the scene of the hold-up last night. They did not get away as much as a clue to the robber, and the fact that he so successfully eluded the officers makes it quite apparent to them that it was Brady, the bandit.

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EARTH'S GIANT FORCES

Again Playing Havoc Around San Miguel Island.

CASTLE ROCK CHANGED.

A Volcanic Upheaval Causes a Portion of It to Disappear.

REPORTS LIKE ARTILLERY.

Heard by the Residents of the Island—A New Reef Brought Into Being.

SANTA BARBARA, CAL., July 13.—Subterranean forces are again playing havoc around San Miguel. This time no change has taken place in the island itself, so far as is known, but a terrific outburst has occurred deep in the bowels of the earth at the base of that rocky little islet put down on the coast survey maps as Castle Rock, but locally known as Flea Island.



FLEA ISLAND AS IT APPEARED BEFORE THE RECENT SUBMARINE EXPLOSION.

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On seeing the blaze coming into his room McGee evidently became frightened and must have lost his head, for there are evidences that he tried to jump out of the front window. Finding this impossible he grabbed a bundle of bedclothes and started downstairs. A step or two from the top he must have tripped in the bedding. At any rate, he fell headfirst to the foot of the stairway and crushed his skull against the wall.

McGee's injury was dressed and he talked a little. It was thought he might recover, but about 6 this morning he died. Coroner Trull held an inquest to-night. The deceased comes from Williams, Colusa county, and had been working in the navy-yard. He owned property in Williams. He was 55 years old.

PROMPT COLLECTION OF A LARGE PROPORTION OF THEM DURING JUNE.

SAN DIEGO, CAL., July 13.—An unprecedented record of City taxes collected during June is made by Tax Collector Dowell. Out of a total of \$138,918.92 due he received that month \$101,768.68, or about two-thirds of the total which would not be due until November.

IMPROVED POSTAL SERVICE.

TWO DELIVERIES AND FOUR COLLECTIONS DAILY IN SAN DIEGO.

SAN DIEGO, CAL., July 13.—Postmaster Dege today inaugurated an improvement in the postal service so as to make two full daily deliveries throughout the city and four collections in the business center.

The first transfer of employees under the civil service rules takes place on the 15th, when a carrier from the Milwaukee office, whose family is compelled to live here for health, takes the place of a young man who has gone to fill his place at Milwaukee.

AN ISLAND FOR AN OUTING CLUB.

SAN DIEGO, CAL., July 13.—The outing club just formed is negotiating for the lease of the twenty-acre wooded island in Cuyamaca Lake on the town of Yuma Mountain. It is a day's drive from here. The plan is to connect with the main shore by a suspension bridge.

FATALLY BEATEN NEAR VENTURA.

VENTURA, CAL., July 13.—A Chinaman was brought in to-night from Santa Paula, some 200 miles from here, badly cut and bruised, his teeth knocked out and a rib broken. He claimed he was attacked by five white boys. He will probably die.

ACQUITTED ON MURDER.

VENTURA, CAL., July 13.—Philomena Ochoa was acquitted to-day of the charge of having murdered Teresa Torres, a rib being out for four minutes. The murder was committed May 18.

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