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EDITORIAL COMMENT.

OUR CONGRESSMAN'S GOOD WORK.

The Honorable George A. Bartlett, our congressman and fellow townsman, is to be congratulated for his bringing to a successful issue the Bureau of Mines bill in the House. Mr. Bartlett is chairman of the mines and mining committee in the House, and as such was responsible for the drafting and introduction of the bill. It has long been the desire of the men of the mineral producing States to have representation in the cabinet, and the new bureau, while under the direction of the Secretary of the Interior, is a step in the right direction.

The interests of Nevada have a good champion in Mr. Bartlett.

STOP THE DEVILTRY.

Last night's blaze strengthened the belief of many, that the fires which have occurred within the past two weeks have been of an incendiary origin. What the purpose is can only be guessed at. Citizens are pretty generally wrought up over the matter and it may lead to the organization of a vigilance committee to co-operate with the police to put a stop to this sort of devilish work. Short shrift should be made of the fiends if caught in the act.

The Louisville Courier-Journal says that the Congressional Record is "yellow" in that it prints as much fiction as any publication in the world, for it is filled with speeches that were never delivered, but that are placed in it under the "leave to print" rule. But with the Honorable Joseph Cannon wielding the gavel and John Sharp Williams at the head of an active filibuster, how else can the earnest congressman get his thoughts before the country?

Gold is flowing out of the country at a great rate and nobody is worried about its flow, but there are some who are beginning to wonder whether the United States experienced a currency famine a few months ago or whether they dreamed there was one.—S. F. Chronicle.

AMERICAN WOMAN IN ASSASSIN'S PLOT

CONSTANTINOPLE, May 21.—The recent discovery of a plot to assassinate the Sultan Abdul Hamid has greatly agitated the sublime Porte. Much mystery surrounds the personality of Miss Mary Jameson, an American woman, who is in prison charged with high treason.

More than seventy-five persons are in prison, all supposed to have participated in the plot to blow up Yildiz Kiosk and other institutions on an appointed day. Most of them are foreigners, of at least all of them carry French, Russian, Bulgarian or American passports. Five of them are women—one French, two Bulgarian and two Americans.

Just who "Miss Jameson" is, no one knows. She has a passport, speaks English, claims to be a naturalized American citizen, but Minister Leishman has not appeared in her behalf. Leishman says he never heard of her till she was arrested and his interference would be an embarrassment to the Porte. The people in the Levant look upon Leishman as a timid man and inclined to flatter the Turkish authorities to the discredit of American prestige in the Orient.

NATURALLY CURIOUS.

He—But why did you lead me on to propose if you had no intention of accepting me?

She—Oh, Clara told me how funny you looked when you proposed to her and I wanted to see for myself.—Chicago News.

A SAFEGUARD.

A farmer who took much pride in the looks of his fattening pigs once purchased a pair from a neighbor. Upon delivery at the age of 8 weeks they seemed to him rather small.

Eying them dubiously, he remarked, dryly, "Guess I had better keep the cat shut up for a few days."—Youth's Companion.

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MASS MEETING IS DISCUSSED

MANY OF THE DEPOSITORS WOULD LIKE TO KNOW THINGS.

There is much talk regarding the holding of a mass meeting of the depositors of the State Bank and Trust Company and the appointing of a committee to confer with Receiver Frank L. Wildes, says the Carson City News, in regard to certain conditions and to ascertain just what securities the bank now holds. The matter has not yet come to a focus but it will likely do so within a short time.

There is much that the depositors of the bank are entitled to and no doubt Mr. Wildes, as receiver, will willingly give them all the desired information. Then, too, such a committee, known to represent the people whose interests are at stake, would have considerable weight as to the policy adopted by the receiver in handling the affairs of the institution.

DESPONDENT MAN COMMITS SUICIDE

RAWHIDE, Nev., May 21.—H. D. Cochran, aged 35, committed suicide today shortly after noon at his home on Balloon avenue, by firing a bullet through his brain. Pointing a pistol toward the center of his head, just above the right ear, he pulled the trigger once without the cartridge exploding. His determination to end his life was shown by the fact that he pulled the second time, the leaden pellet penetrating the skull and passing clear through the head.

Cochran came here a few days ago from Rush, Arkansas. He was a resident of Washington, D. C., where he is well connected. He was a mining man of considerable note, and just previous to his trip to Rawhide was in charge of the Beulah mine at Rush. He went on a debauch upon his arrival, and became despondent after spending all the money he had with him. In his clothes were found several exceptionally flattering letters of recommendation from prominent people of the capital city.

SON KILLS TO PREVENT WEDDING

NEW YORK, May 21.—A family estrangement which had driven one of the members to insanity ended today in the murder of Geo. E. Sterry, a millionaire drug importer, by his son, George E. Sterry Jr., and the suicide of the latter. The elder Sterry was shot down at the Pine street office of Weaver & Sterry, Ltd., where he had been closeted for a few moments with the murderer. The son immediately afterward shot himself and both men were dead when others of the firm hurried into the room.

The determination of the father to remarry led to the tragedy. A letter left by the son made plain that his acts were deliberate and the product of a deranged mind.

The elder Sterry was 72 years of age and in addition to his drug interests was president of the Bloomfield Mills Company and a director in the Spring Coal Company. He was socially very prominent and active in religious affairs.

BOYS CONFESS TO BEING THIEVES

Archie Higgins and Emmet Lydon, two boys, were in Judge Brissell's court yesterday morning charged with stealing a rifle and a piece of bacon from a prospector. Both boys have been arrested several times lately and have confessed to committing a number of robberies in this vicinity. They readily confessed to the taking of the rifle and food of the prospector, and the court decided that a six months' sentence in the county jail would teach the young culprits a lesson.

PUZZLE: WHAT STYLE?

"Has she adopted a new fad? She carries her head tilted to one side now."

"That's no fad. It's a habit she has fallen into in consequence of having to go through so many narrow doorways with that new spring hat of hers."—Chicago Tribune.

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