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NEWS OF THE WEEK

LATEST NEWS OF THE WORLD
TERSELY TOLD.

NORTH, EAST, SOUTH AND WEST

Notes From Foreign Lands, Through
out the Nation and Particularly
the Great Southwest.

Forty pictures from the collection of Charles T. Yerkes sold at Mendelssohn hall, New York, brought \$162,225. They were sold before the largest crowd that has attended a sale of pictures in that city since the auction of the Matheson collection.

At Keo, Ark., Frank Pride, 50 years old, and Laura Mitchell, 40, both negroes, were seized by a mob of negroes, wrestled from the custody of Constable Mallory and shot to death. The lynchers then dispersed and none of them were arrested.

Governor Campbell has ordered a detachment of state rangers to Centerville, Tex., to prevent further disorder growing out of the killing of Frank Bate, Sr., the wounding and attempted lynching of his son, Dolly Bates, and the fatal wounding of Deputy Sheriff J. S. St. John.

That the sudden shrinkage of cotton prices cost James A. Patten \$500,000 is reported by Chicago exchange members, a few of whom figured in the crash in a much less spectacular degree.

The Pittsburg graft investigating grand jury returned a presentment ordering the indictments of Frank H. Heffstot, a prominent steel manufacturer and banker on two charges of conspiracy and bribery.

In New York Mrs. Alice V. McAloon has obtained a final decree of divorce from William A. McAloon, who is known on the stage as "Andrew Mack." An interlocutory decree was granted in December last.

The military court of inquiry, which during the last year has been investigating the shooting up of Brownsville, Tex., finds the evidence clearly sustains the charge that the shooting was done by soldiers of the Twenty-fifth Infantry, a negro regiment.

Chas. Beniche, 80 years old, the last surviving chief of the Chippewa Indians, was killed by a South Shore passenger train between Baraga, Mich. and the reservation. He was on his way home from Baraga, where he had been celebrating the election.

William McGuinness, a 45-year-old Democratic ward leader, choked to death in a Brooklyn restaurant while trying to swallow a large bite out of a ham sandwich.

Hood A. Alexander, superintendent for the Philadelphia street railway, was shot and probably fatally wounded today by Harold Lane, 28, a striking trolley man.

After lying in ambush all night at the home of Jesse Anderson, alleged leader of the band of night riders that murdered 12-year-old Charles Carroll and whipped Mrs. Carroll and her other children, Sheriff Vincent and a posse arrested Anderson near Brownsville, Ky.

At Hartford, Conn., while trying out his new aeroplane, Hiram Ferry Maxim, Jr., inventor of the noiseless gun, was thrown from his seat, when the plane was about 30 feet in the air and, besides sustaining a broken ankle, suffered various injuries to his thighs and hips.

The Sugar Trust—The American Sugar Refining company—must produce its books in the government's suit against it, according to a ruling made by Judge Lacombe, in the circuit court in New York City.

William Jennings Bryan, writing from Buenos Ayres to Chairman Norman E. Mack, National Democratic committeeman, urges that no demonstration of any sort be made on his arrival in New York. "Anything of that sort would be misconstrued and misinterpreted," is the language of Bryan.

With a roar that could be heard for miles, the powder mill of the E. I. Dupont Company at Jermyn, Pa., blew up Thursday. Elias Cobb and Will Arthur, employes, were blown to atoms. Alfred Moon, who was in the mill when the explosion occurred, escaped with slight injuries.

In an explosion in mine No. 2 of the Great Western Coal and Coke Co. at Wilburton, Ok., Thursday, six men were killed.

Eight years in the New Jersey state prison was the sentence imposed by Judge Blair in Jersey City upon Emil Karl von Mueller, the "marrying count," who was convicted of bigamy.

Mrs. Eliza Shafer and her four children are in jail at Berryville, Ark., charged with the murder of Mrs. Shafer's husband near Blue Springs. It is charged that one of the boys took Shafer's revolver from underneath his pillow while he slept and killed him.

Frank Johnson, an aviator, narrowly escaped drowning when his Curtiss biplane plunged into San Francisco bay, a mile from shore, off Alameda, Cal. His wife and his mother fainted when he fell from a height of 80 feet, and were not revived until after he had been rescued.

Paint Lick Lady Writes Thanks

For the Great Benefit That Cardui, the Woman's Tonic, Was to Her When Sick

Paint Lick, Ky.—"I suffered so much from womanly trouble," writes Mrs. Mary Freeman, of Paint Lick, Ky., "before I commenced to take Cardui. "I was so weak from it, that I was down on my back nearly all the time. "I have taken three bottles of Cardui and it has done me more good than any medicine I ever took in my life. "I can't possibly praise it too highly, it has done so much for me and I will do all I can to help you for I think it is the only medicine on earth that will cure female troubles."

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N. B.—Write to Ladies' Advisory Dept., Chattanooga Medicine Co., Chattanooga, Tenn., for Special Instructions, and 64-page book, "Home Treatment for Women," sent in plain wrapper, on request.

WHAT DID HE MEAN?



Landlady—I had to pay 25 cents a pound for this steak.
Star Boarder—That's tough.

IN HOSPITAL FOR NINE MONTHS.

Awful Tale of Suffering From Kidney Trouble.

Alfred J. O'Brien, Second St., Sterling, Colo., says: "I was in the Baltimore Marine Hospital for nine months. I had a dull pain in the small of my back that completely wore me out. The urine was in a terrible state, and some days I would pass half a gallon of blood. I left the hospital because they wanted to operate on me. I went to St. Joseph's Hospital at Omaha and put in three months there without any gain. I was pretty well discouraged when I was advised to use Doan's Kidney Pills. I did so and by the time I had taken one box, the pain in the back left me. I kept right on and a perfect cure was the result."

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In Demand.
An infant in a Pullman car set up a loud wail, and would not be comforted," narrates a high railroad official, "and I came forward and told the young mother that I had helped to raise five, and that I thought I could secure a quietus. I put the little tum across my knees, and with a gentle joggling achieved beautiful results."

"Instead of giving me the credit I deserved some drummers in the car showed stern disapproval of my 'butting in.'
"At two a. m. the baby woke up and staid awake, and kept every one else in the car awake. Finally a gruff voice asked:
"Where's that fool that put it to sleep this afternoon, I wonder?"

Absolute Equality.
The Woman—The tax office is one which I simply love to go to.
The Man—Very few people do. Why do you like it?

The Woman—Because it is absolutely the only place where no discrimination is made against me because I am a woman. They let me there pay just as much as if I were a man.

Studies in Still Life.
"I want a few colored illustrations of beets and tomatoes."
"Life size," inquired the artist.
"Catalogue size," replied the seedsman, with a significant smile.—Louisville Courier-Journal.

For Headache Try Hicks' Capodina.
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Of course, women are a trifle vain, but did you ever see a man pass up an opportunity to look in a mirror?

ALL OVER LOUISIANA

AMITE CITY PLANTER WILL TRY BIG ORANGE ORCHARD.

Artesian Well Flowing at a Warm Temperature xpected to Baffle Frost.

Amite City.—S. E. Hostetter of this place is preparing to put out a large orange orchard.

On the Hostetter plantation there is an artesian well which flows at a temperature of 74 degrees, and it is planned to have the water from this well baffle the frost. The orange trees will be planted upon little "islands" in a large lake of this tepid water, and Mr. Hostetter is assured by experience in a small way that the plan will succeed.

The sixty-five acres of land which Mr. Hostetter has in cultivation is irrigated by the artesian well. This spring he will sell \$5,000 worth of lettuce, as well as hundreds of dollars' worth of several varieties of vegetables.

BOX FACTORY PROMISED.

Packing Company May Erect Plant at Baton Rouge.

Baton Rouge.—According to report now current in the capital city, the Swift Packing Company, which sent a representative here about four or more years ago to buy property for a large box factory, is again looking to Baton Rouge with the idea of putting the former plans into commission. The Swift company wanted to purchase the Baton Rouge sugar refinery land north of the city, but it was bid in by the present owners. The representative of the packing concern then left the city, but there have been numerous rumors that the original intention would be carried out, and now information is positively received that they are looking over what is considered the finest site for manufacturing purposes in the city, and while no deal has been closed, are probabilities are that before many days the purchase will be made and the enterprise, with its accompanying heavy payroll will be an assured fact for Baton Rouge.

CHECKS FOUND IN OLD TREE.

Officers Believe Goods Were Stolen from Passenger on Train.

Lafayette.—Sheriff Lacoste has in his possession a valise, a quantity of clothing, and a number of checks made payable to B. Katz, dated Beaumont, Texas, and aggregating \$900. The articles were found by a deputy near the catholic church in this city, and the officers are puzzled over the strange find. The grip was marked E. J. Geiger, but there was no other means of identification. The checks were hidden in a tree near where the grip was found, and the officers believe the property was stolen from someone on the train and then discarded.

COUPLE MARRIED ON TRAIN.

Runaways Wired Friend to Secure Services of Justice.

Portland.—With one of the passengers on Iron Mountain passenger train No. 10 as witness, E. W. Arnold, 29 years old, of Monroe, La., and Miss Anna Broadnax, 18 years old, of Bonita, La., were married at 12:35 o'clock last Thursday by Squire B. B. Staton as the train was pulling out of the yards at Wilnot. The couple stood in the aisle of the train and the 'squire and witness clung to the seats as the ceremony was performed.

It was a runaway marriage, as the parents of Miss Broadnax objected. Arnold, who feared pursuit from the father of his bride, wired a friend at Wilnot to get a justice of the peace or minister aboard the train as it passed through the town. The friend induced Squire Staton, who has a reputation as a "marrying judge," to perform the ceremony.

Mrs. Arnold told the passengers that she was 18 years old, but as she stood, clad in a gingham gown, scarcely reaching to her ankles, she did not appear more than 15 years old. It is said that her parents objected on account of her youthfulness.

Delegates to Panama Meeting.

Follock.—This city is represented at the meeting in New Orleans to arrange for the Panama Exposition, by Dr. Willet, Dr. F. O. Maxwell, Geo. A. Foster, B. F. Lewis, H. P. Gray, J. F. Ball, Lee Honeycutt, George W. Christian, Wiley Johnson, James H. Walker, W. P. Guyes, W. B. Smyie and J. N. Warner.

Letters from Gov. Sanders urging a large attendance of delegates at New Orleans to impress the Crescent City with the importance of holding the jubilee convention as planned were received here, and the sentiment in favor of holding the convention in New Orleans is practically a unit here.

New Rice Market Suggested.

Crowley.—Manager Gaydan of the Rice Association of America is personally overseeing the installation of a rice exhibit in the New Orleans board of trade building to remain in place during the Shriners' convention in the Crescent City.

Mr. Gueydan is investigating the possibility of shipping rice to Norway, Sweden and Denmark. The rate for shipment to all the ports of the countries named is the same as the rate to Havana.

NOT LOOKING FOR TROUBLE

Young Man Unnecessarily Alarmed Over Question Put to Him by Old Gentleman.

A quiet, bashful sort of a young fellow was making a call on a Capitol hill girl one evening not so very long ago, when her father came into the parlor with his watch in his hand. It was about half past nine o'clock. At the moment the young man was standing on a chair, straightening a picture over the piano. The girl had asked him to fix it. As he turned the old gentleman, a gruff, stout fellow, said:

"Young man, do you know what time it is?"

The bashful youth got off the chair nervously. "Yes, sir," he replied. "I was just going."

He went into the hall without any delay and took his hat and coat. The girl's father followed him. As the caller reached for the doorknob the old gentleman again asked him if he knew what time it was.

"Yes, sir," was the youth's reply. "Good-night!" And he left without waiting to put his coat on.

After the door had closed the old gentleman turned to the girl.

"What's the matter with that fellow?" he asked. "My watch ran down this afternoon and I wanted him to tell me the time so that I could set it." —Denver Post.

Money and expense are not essential to artistic homes and attractive rooms. One dollar and fifty cents' worth of material will completely transform a crude, inartistic room into a graceful, dainty apartment.

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The new materials and labor-saving machines are most welcome to us all—and every thoughtful woman, every woman who cares for her home, is quick to utilize them.

THOUGHT SO LITTLE.



Cholly Chumpleigh—I'm not afraid, don'tcherknow, to say what I think.

Miss Cutting Hintz—You may not be afraid—but you ought to be ashamed.

Murphy.

The prisoner at the bar was of swarthy complexion and was charged with peddling without a license.

"What is your name?" asked the magistrate.

"He says his name is Murphy," repeated the policeman on the bridge.

"An Irishman peddling bananas, eh? What part of Ireland do you come from?"

"He says he was born in Italy," again repeated the bridge policeman.

"Umph! The Murphys are numerous, but I didn't think they had spread to Italy," said the judge as he made the fine \$1 and asked the man to spell his name.

The prisoner wrote on a piece of paper "Giuseppe Muerfee." —New York Sun.

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Silence.
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