HENRY S. IVES IN COURT.

HEARING OF THIS CELEBRATED RAILROAD CASE.

What the Napoleon of Wall Street is Charged With by the President of the Cincinnati, Hamilton & Dayton Railroad—The Judge Reserves Decision.

NEW YORK, Dec. 16.—Henry S. Ives appeared at the Tombs police court to-day with an array of prominent counsel to answer the charge of President Dexter, of the Cincinnati, Hamilton & Dayton railroad. The interests of the latter were looked after by Lawyer Cass.

The proceedings opened with the reading of the complaint on which the warrant for the arrest of Ives was granted. The complaint charges Ives with having appropriated to his own use the proceeds of a sight draft for $100,000, drawn June 3, 1887, by the First National bank of Cincinnati on the Western National bank of this city. Mr. Dexter charges that the draft was in part payment of $889,000 by the Cincinnati, Hamilton & Dayton for 5,000 shares of Terre Haute, Vandalia & Minneapolis railroad, and should have been handed to A. R. McKeen, president of the corporation. It was also charged that instead of doing this Ives had it deposited with the American Exchange bank to the individual credit of H. S. Ives & Company, and that it was afterwards paid by the Western National bank. President Dexter, the complainant, was the first witness called.

Hardly had Mr. Dexter began his testimony when a deluge of objections were interposed by Mr. Ives' lawyers. After a long wrangle, Mr. Johnson on the part of Ives, said: "We admit the receipt of this money by Henry S. Ives, trustee, and that it was deposited to his credit in the bank. We court investigation so far as this case is concerned. We will even admit that the money was never passed into the credit of the general account of the Cincinnati, Hamilton & Dayton company. We will show, however, that Mr. Ives legally held this money as trustee and vice president of the Cincinnati, Hamilton & Dayton railway, and that it was properly passed to the credit of Henry S. Ives, trustee, on the books."

A call for the books of the Cincinnati, Hamilton & Dayton was made by one of Mr. Ives' lawyers. Mr. Cass, for the plaintiff, retorted that all the books of the company would be forthcoming if Mr. Ives would produce the others. Mr. Dexter said he was not satisfied with the admissions made by Mr. Ives. He wanted them broader. Piles of books were brought in and another legal wrangle ensued. Judge Kilbreth cautioned the lawyers that they were straying away from the case. Mr. Cass for President Dexter then said: "Your honor, we claim that not one cent of this $100,000 was ever paid over by Mr. Ives to the company's credit. We claim that the $100,000 was an over-payment by Mr. Dexter. He paid $100,000 more than he intended to pay.

Mr. Dexter and his attorney struggled for a long time to get in some testimony but the objections were too numerous, and finally Mr. Johnson, of Ives' counsel, took witness in hand. He severely cross-examined Mr. Dexter. The latter admitted that he was not an officer or even a stockholder of the company at that time and only knew of the matter of the draft from the books and files of the company. He also admitted that he had commenced this criminal proceeding without authority from the directors of the road and that he had secured Mr. Cass as the attorney because Mr. Ives had other criminal matters of his own against Mr. Ives. The witness acknowledged that he had threatened criminal proceedings against Ives some time ago. Ives interfered in the matter of the loan of Irving A. Ewan, of Boston, although it was a private business transaction of Mr. Ives and Ives had threatened to enjoin the witness from purchasing the securities in that loan."

After further testimony Judge Kilbreth took the papers and reserved his decision.

DESTROYED BY FIRE.

Lincoln Wigwam, in Toledo, Burned. Other Serious Fire Losses.

TOLEDO, O., Dec. 16.—Fire last night destroyed the building known as "Lincoln Wigwam," on Summit street, and occupied by Fiske & Fiske, laundry; Deveaux's restaurant, Allen & Parkhurt, wall paper, and Atkins' tobacco factory. Loss $10,000; insurance unknown. The building was erected in 1860, soon after the nomination of Abraham Lincoln in Chicago, named in honor of the wigwam built especially for that memorable convention, and was used as the headquarters of the "wide awake" Republican club.

A Texas Blaze.

ALEXANDER, Tex., Dec. 16.—A fire started at midnight Tuesday night in the business portion of Sherman, and before the flames could be controlled the following business men were burned out: J. D. St. Clair, E. & D. Bateman, P. R. Keiyser and S. W. Burrows. The total loss, $30,000, with insurance of $6,500. The postoffice with all its contents was destroyed.

A Village on Fire.

KANSAS CITY, Mo., Dec. 16.—News has been received here that Lee's Summit, a thriving little town, twenty miles east of here, was in flames. By the time the report reached here half the place had been destroyed, and assistance was asked for. An engine was dispatched immediately.

A $30,000 Loss.

PORTLAND, Me., Dec. 16.—The Eastern Forge company's works at East Deering, were burned this morning. The company were making car axles and had orders ahead for all winter. The loss estimated at $30,000; insurance not ascertained.

Iron Foundry Burning.

HALIFAX, N. S., Dec. 16.—W. S. Symonds & Company's iron foundry in Dartmouth is in flames. The loss will be heavy.

A Relative of Cleveland Ill.

BALTIMORE, Dec. 16.—Mrs. Francis Hall Folsom is dangerously ill with typhoid fever at the residence of her stepdaughter in this city, and cannot recover. Mr. Folsom is in Beaufort, S. C., where he is employed at a large chemical works. It is claimed that he is a cousin of Mrs. Grover Cleveland, their fathers having been brothers.

New Labor Paper.

NEW YORK, Dec. 16.—The Eagle, a labor paper, is to be started in this city as soon as $[illegible],000 subscribers have been obtained. The promoters are Socialists, including Messrs. [illegible]evitch, Block and Bardolis.

MIRACULOUS ESCAPE.

A Keg of Powder Mysteriously Explodes in a Boy's Arms.

CINCINNATI, Dec. 16.—Workmen under Springmeier & Company, the contractors, have been engaged in blasting the roadway at the intersection of Clifton avenue and Riddle road, Corryville. The men had finished preparing a blast about 2 o'clock yesterday afternoon, and one of the hands, Victor Simes, sixteen years old, was given the keg of powder to take to a small frame shed near by, in which are kept the tools and material. Simes took the uncovered keg in his arms and started off. In a few seconds there was a loud report.

The workmen looked in the direction and saw a cloud of smoke rising. Simes was lying on the ground, where he had been violently thrown. They ran to his assistance, and found the boy had been fearfully burned about the face, arms and chest. He was taken to his home, corner of Clifton avenue and Calhoun street. The physician who was called pronounced Simes' injuries very serious, and possibly would result fatally.

There is considerable mystery as to the cause of the explosion. Some of the workmen are of the opinion that Simes was smoking a pipe at the time, and the ashes dropped into the uncovered keg, exploding the coarse blasting powder. The keg had been recently opened, and was nearly full. It is a miracle that the boy was not blown to pieces. Simes denies that he was smoking at the time, nor can he give any explanation of the explosion. The report was heard for some distance around and created great excitement.

Centennial Banquet.

CINCINNATI, Dec. 16.—Grand hotel was the scene of a merry and enthusiastic gathering last evening. Two hundred guests sat down to a banquet tendered the honorary commissioners of the centennial exposition. The viands and wine were of the choicest. Levi C. Goodale was toast master. Mayor Smith eloquently welcomed the "Strangers Within Our Gates." Other toasts and responses were: "Our Exposition," responded to by President Allison; "Ohio Valley Possibilities," by John C. Covert," Cleveland Leader; "Our Guests," by Lieutenant Governor Bryan, of Kentucky; "Lovely Women," by Governor Buckner. Governor Wilson, of West Virginia; J. G. Shanklin, of Evansville, Col. Parker, of Iowa; O. A. Snedeker, of Illinois, and Judge Burton, of Missouri, all made clever little speeches.

POINTED PARAGRAPHS.

Topics of the Times Given in a Terse and Spicy Manner.

James G. Blaine visited President Sadi-Carnot yesterday.

Grand Lodge of Elks in New York elected H. E. Leach exalted grand ruler.

At Grove City, Pa., 1,100 coal miners went out on a strike for the Columbus scales.

Joseph Pulitzer, of the New York World, is nearly blind from overwork, and is undergoing six weeks' treatment in a dark room.

At the Federation of Labor convention in Baltimore H. M. Ogden, of Cincinnati, offered a resolution condemning the Knights of Labor boycott against the New York Sun.

Keely motor stockholders at Philadelphia resolved that the motor enigma is almost solved, and decided "to wait in high hopes." It was their first meeting since 1883.

James Bunce, of Brown Hill, Pa., quarreled with his lady love, Lydia Peterson, and fatally shot himself in her presence. Lydia seized a butcher knife to follow him to the incandescent realms, but were prevented by lover No. 2.

James Gordon Bennett, of the New York Herald, has been sued for $500,000 damages for alleged libelous publications, by the Tortolita Gold and Silver Mining company. The president of the company has also brought an individual suit for $250,000 more.

Representative Crain, of Texas, will introduce a bill to make the term of congress begin January 1 and terminate December 31 two years afterward; also to have congress meet two months after the election of representatives, instead of waiting thirteen months.

"Vibrating Sympathy."

PHILADELPHIA, Dec. 16.—Keely motor stockholders are indignant because Keely, as admitted in his statement yesterday, has been accepting and using their money for some time, although he had given up his experiments with "Etheric's force" as useless. They think he ought to have notified them of his change of base. His new "discovery" he terms "vibrating sympathy." He proposes that the stockholders form a new company to develop it.

Bricklayers Strike.

KANSAS CITY, Mo., Dec. 16.—The bricklayers, to the number of seventy-five, working on the American National bank, the board of trade building and the Midland hotel struck yesterday. The Bricklayers' union called the men out. The reason assigned is the employment of non-union men by contractors.

The Fire Believed to be Out.

MARQUETTE, Mich., Dec. 16.—The generating of gas for extinguishing the mine fire at Calumet and Hecla was stopped last night. It is believed by mine officials that the fire is out. As soon as practicable the mine will be opened and its condition ascertained. The presence of gas in the mine renders it impossible to do so now.

Effect of a Storm.

LOS ANGELES, Cal., Dec. 16.—A new town, ten miles north of here, called Crescent, was struck by a heavy wind storm esterday. Much damage was done and a hotel with sixteen inmates was blown down, killing Mrs. Clementia Arnold and her ten-year-old daughter. The others were badly injured.

Effected With Brain Trouble.

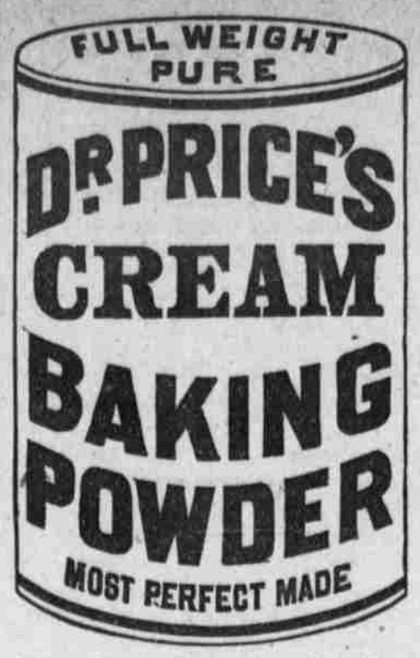
NEW YORK, Dec. 16.—The Herald states that Tony Hart, the comedian, shows signs of paresis, the species of brain decay which killed John McCullough, and is killing Bartley Campbell. Mr. Hart has not appeared on the stage for some time.

Looking After the Fish.

CITY OF MEXICO, Dec. 16.—The United States fish commission car No. 2 has arrived here, bringing 5,000 carp and goldfish as a gift to the Mexican government.

The Weather.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 16. — Indications—Colder, fair weather, except light snows along the lake, fresh to brisk northwesterly winds, diminishing in force.



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