

WILD WINDS

Traveled 300 Miles, Killing 20 Persons.

IN THREE STATES.

Portions of Four Towns Were Devastated, the Loss to Property Exceeding \$500,000.

New Orleans, April 6.—A score of persons were killed Friday by a tornado which swept for 300 miles across portions of Louisiana, Mississippi and Alabama. Parts of four towns were devastated, with damage exceeding \$500,000. The wind damaged houses, crops and telegraph wires throughout its course.

The tornado began at Alexandria, La., soon after 1 o'clock in the morning, killing four persons there, probably fatally injuring three and seriously injuring 13 others. Soon after daylight it neared the Mississippi river, killing five persons at Jackson, La., while at Bayou Sara, La., at least half a dozen others were reported killed. There was one fatal injury at Jackson.

The tornado next appeared at Carson, Miss., where great property damage was done, and disappeared about noon near Selma, Ala., where the inhabitants saw whirling clouds rise into the air as they crossed the river. A negro was reported killed near Selma.

Alexandria, a town of about 16,000 inhabitants, had a fearful experience. When the tornado struck, the electric lights went out, the cracking of falling buildings could be heard above the noise of the wind and vivid lightning flashes showed such sights as an empty Iron Mountain passenger train rolling over and over. Immediately after the wind spent its violence a heavy hail storm added to the general discomfort. The main portion of Alexandria escaped the worst of the tornado, which cut a path through the northern part of town, a residence quarter. A score of homes were demolished, 50 were damaged and altogether about 100 buildings were wrecked, including several business houses.

The Iron Mountain road lost its roundhouse. A freak of the wind drove a small section of a house into an empty passenger coach, wedging these two bodies almost inextricably together. In the woods about the town the tornado cut down trees and small cabins in a narrow line about nine miles long. Several houses were blown down at Pineville.

At Jackson, La., the insane asylum was wrecked with a loss of \$200,000. In addition to three female inmates many others were injured. Mrs. Zach Leas' residence was blown down and her daughter was seriously hurt. Two negroes were killed on a nearby plantation, while reports from the surrounding country indicate that there was probably more loss of life among negroes, whose flimsy cabins tumbled on the heads of the occupants.

At Bayou Sara several passengers on the steamer Betsy Ann had a thrilling escape. The Betsy Ann was wrecked. While breaking timbers from the steamer and from the shore flew through the air the crew got all the passengers safely ashore.

From Carson the storm crossed the state line into Alabama, where it began to lose much of its power.

Steamer Burned to Water's Edge.
Dobbs Ferry, N. Y., April 6.—The steamer City of Troy, bound up the Hudson river, was burned to the water's edge here last night. All the passengers, some 65 in number, were landed safely. The steamer was completely destroyed with its cargo of freight and 13 horses. Edwin Gould's dock, to which the City of Troy tied up when it was found impossible to control the flames, was also burned.

Shot Two People and Suicided.
Chicago, April 6.—Adam C. Rhein, 50 years of age, residing at 3725 Lowe avenue, on Friday shot and fatally wounded his father-in-law, William Rommel, and his mother-in-law, Mrs. Minnie Rommel, and then killed himself by firing a bullet into his brain. On Thursday Rhein and his wife quarreled and she left him, going to the home of her parents.

Indicted for Alleged Conspiracy.
Baltimore, April 6.—Walter A. Mason, formerly of this city, and now a national bank examiner and Ollie Bryan, formerly city solicitor and more recently president of the United Surety Co., were on Friday indicted by the grand jury on the charge of conspiring to defraud the Munich Rein assurance Co. of \$49,950 in March, 1906.

Indicted for Big Embezzlement.
Dayton, O., April 6.—The grand jury here on Friday indicted George Smart, ex-secretary of the Dayton Gas Co., for the alleged embezzlement of \$331,000. Smart is supposed to be in Mexico.

Lockout Will Soon Cease.
Goldfield, Nev., April 6.—That the mines of Goldfield will be running full blast within a week seems assured. The Industrial Workers of the World held a meeting Thursday night which was attended by the miners and a motion was carried by a large majority to permit the miners to withdraw from the Industrial Workers of the World. By this action the miners become a separate organization, retaining the Western Federation of Miners charter, and accede to the demands of the mine owners. This will end the lockout.

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A WALL STREET COXEYS ARMY.



NEWS CUT FINE.

Gov. Stuart has signed the bill making the maximum rate of fare on railroads in Pennsylvania two cents a mile.

The senate committee on military affairs which is making an investigation of the Brownsville affair has taken a recess until May 14.

Sixty families were made homeless, 500 persons were thrown out of employment and property valued at \$60,000 was destroyed by a fire at Brooklyn, N. Y.

Edward C. Houseman, widely known as a successful racer on the national bicycle circuit and afterwards a promoter of motor paced races, is dead at New Haven, Conn.

Sofa cushions 16 inches square sold for \$170 each at the first session of the Stanford White sale in New York City, and this was a fair index of one of the most remarkable auctions in recent years.

Jerome Changes His Mind.
New York, April 6.—The trial of Harry K. Thaw will proceed on Monday when Delphin M. Delmas, leading counsel for the defense, will begin his summing up address to the jury. District Attorney Jerome decided Friday not to apply to the appellate division of the supreme court for a writ of mandamus to halt the trial. He reached this decision after a consultation with eminent counsel. Mr. Jerome may argue briefly on Monday against the continuation of the report of the inquest, which declared Thaw to be sane, but he is aware that Justice Fitzgerald's disposition is to confirm the report.

Canucks Will Buy 450 Bison.
Denver, April 6.—Howard Eaton, of Wolf, Mont., announced Friday that the herd of 450 bison owned by Michael Pablow, now at Flathead reservation, 35 miles west of Missoula, Mont., is about to pass into possession of the Canadian government, to which Pablow has given an option for the purchase of the animals. Some time ago Eaton procured an option on the herd at \$300 a head and presented it to the United States government. President Roosevelt was desirous of preserving to the United States the herd, comprising half of all the bison surviving in this country, but no appropriation was made for the purpose.

Deposed from the Priesthood.
Boston, April 6.—Rev. Gustav Tuckerman, of this city, and formerly of New York and St. Louis, has been deposed from the priesthood of the Episcopal church by Right Rev. David H. Greer, bishop conductor of New York, with which diocese Rev. Tuckerman has been canonically connected. Mr. Tuckerman's relations with the Episcopal church were severed because he could no longer accept the doctrine of the Holy Trinity and the virgin birth, and he is now a minister of the Unitarian denomination.

Detwiler Wants to Surrender.
San Francisco, April 6.—Special Agent Burns on Friday received a telegram from his son, Raymond, at Toledo, saying that George Detwiler would at once confer with the attorneys of his brother, A. K. Detwiler, indicted for bribery, and endeavor to arrange for the guarantee of the bail bonds of \$120,000 required, so that his brother could surrender. A. K. Detwiler is under indictment by the San Francisco grand jury on 13 charges of bribery in connection with the Home Telephone Co.

Indicted for Embezzlement.
Charleston, W. Va., April 6.—Col. S. Hutson, assistant adjutant general of the West Virginia national guard, was indicted by the grand jury Friday, charged with misappropriating \$800 of the state's funds. It is said the pecuniations cover eight years and may reach \$30,000. Col. Hutson has held the office of assistant adjutant general since 1899, during three state administrations. He was arrested last night and later released in bonds of \$15,000.

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Bequeathed \$100,000 to Yale.
New York, April 6.—Among the bequests made in the will of William C. Eggleston, of New York, who died March 25, and which was filed for probate Friday, is one of \$100,000 to Yale university to establish a fund the income of which is to be used for the purchase of standard works and rare editions for the library of the university.

SIX MILLIONS

Given to Carnegie Institute by Its Founder.

AS AN ENDOWMENT

Mr. Carnegie Also Establishes a Pension Fund for Those Connected with the Institution.

Pittsburg, April 6.—W. N. Frew, of the board of trustees of the Carnegie institute, on Friday made public a letter he had received from Andrew Carnegie, in New York, announcing that Mr. Carnegie had made an endowment of \$6,000,000 to the institute. This gift is in addition to the \$4,000,000 given by Mr. Carnegie some time ago.

The previous endowment provided \$2,000,000 for the department of fine arts and museum and a like sum for the Carnegie schools of technology. The endowment yesterday provides \$4,000,000 for these three departments; \$1,000,000 for the purpose of erecting additions to the technical schools and \$1,000,000 to be used for the schools as an endowment fund when completed.

Mr. Carnegie also establishes a pension fund for the benefit of those connected with the institute, which after the death of the recipient is to be continued to the widow in all cases where needed.

The gift Friday consists of \$5,000,000 of United States Steel Corporation 5 per cent. bonds and \$1,000,000 in cash.

The Defense Rests.
New York, April 6.—The defense in the case of the Memphis Trotting association against Elmer E. Smathers for the possession of the gold cup won by Smathers' horse Major Delmar from C. K. G. Billings' horse Lou Dillon at Memphis, October 18, 1904, rested Friday and the trial of the case was continued to Monday. Both Mr. Smathers and Mr. Billings were on the stand. Mr. Smathers stated that the story that he had made offers for the drugging of Lou Dillon were untrue.

The Hearing Is Ended.
Washington, April 6.—After two days of argument the inter-state commerce commission on Friday concluded its hearing in the investigation of the transactions of E. H. Harriman in Southern Pacific and Chicago & Alton securities and took the case under advisement. There were three addresses Friday, one by Attorney John G. Milburn in defense of Mr. Harriman's course, and one each by Attorneys C. A. Severance and Frank C. Kellogg in criticism of it.

Pittsburg Brewery Workers Struck.
Pittsburg, April 6.—Pittsburg is threatened with a beer famine as the result of the strike Friday of 1,500 workers employed by 24 breweries in this city. The Pittsburg Brewing Co., and the Independent Brews in the city of the largest breweries in the city, are completely tied up. Meetings of the Western Pennsylvania Brewers' association are being held to decide whether open shop will be declared.

Wrote Threatening Letters.
New York, April 6.—Mercos Flores, who came here from San Antonio, Tex., was arrested here Friday on a charge of writing letters to the United States pension department threatening to "deal with President Roosevelt" unless action was taken on a certain pension application. After an examination before a magistrate, Flores was committed to Bellevue for examination as to his sanity.

Whipping Post Again in Use.
Baltimore, April 6.—The whipping post was called into use at the city jail here Friday for the first time in 20 years. Saylor Brooks, colored, was given nine lashes on his bare back with a cat-o-nine tails, in connection with a two months' jail sentence for wife-beating.

McGovern Leaves Sanitarium.
New York, April 6.—Sam H. Harris, Terry McGovern's former manager, and Friday that, although McGovern had left the sanitarium at Stamford, Conn., a cottage has been engaged for him in that city and he will visit the sanitarium daily. He will be subject to no restraint.

A Mine Abazes.
Lead, S. D., April 6.—All men have been withdrawn from the underground workings in the Homestake mine in consequence of the presence of gas caused by a fire which has been burning in the mine for nine days. There has been no loss of life, but many men have been overcome by gas.

K. C. Wants National Convention.
Kansas City, Mo., April 6.—The Tiger Republican club has appointed a committee to raise \$100,000 to bring the republican national convention of 1908 to Kansas City.

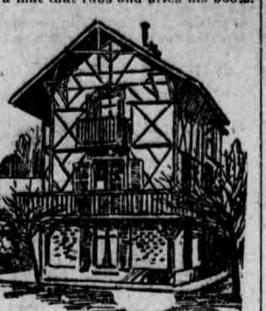
Stolen Plunder Is Recovered.
Ashtabula, O., April 6.—Max Diamond, keeper of a junk shop, was arrested Friday on a charge of receiving stolen property, and the police say they believe they have broken up a school for teaching boys to steal. Five boys who were arrested confessed to the police that they stole about \$500 worth of electrical supplies from the Lake Shore depot. They took the police to Diamond's junk shop and part of the stolen plunder was recovered.

Pardoned a Life Prisoner.
Columbus, O., April 6.—Because Joseph Scott, a life prisoner in the penitentiary from Jefferson county, is in imminent danger of death from tuberculosis, Gov. Harris pardoned him Friday on request of the penitentiary physician. Scott was received in 1903 for murder.

SILENCE AND MYSTERY THERE.

Remarkable French Villa, Where Electricity Has Replaced Servants.

London.—The house of mystery and silence, or, to give it its official title, La Villa Ferla Electra, is situated at Troyes and is owned by Mr. Georgia Knap. All the work usually done by servants, and much that is usually left undone, is performed by electric contrivance. The visitor to the villa finds that, when he rings, the door opens by itself, while a voice proceeding from a hidden gramophone tells him to allow the door to close. Once inside the visitor is confronted by a mat that rubs and dries his boots.



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Press a button near the bed in your bedroom and a hot water bottle is heated—an arrangement that would suit Toddlers. In the morning, curtains fly apart and shutters open in response to the pushing of a button; breakfast, papers and letters arrive at the table in the same mysterious way. An electric lift brings electrically cooked food through the center of the dining table. In the laundry electric washing machines do the washing. Everything in the house, indeed, is run by electricity, and there are even electric alarms for use against those who would break in and steal.

TRUSTEE OF SAGE FUND.

Daniel Coit Gilman One of America's Leading Educators.

Daniel Coit Gilman, who, as trustee of the \$10,000,000 "Sage Foundation," will wield a powerful influence in the work of curing social evils in the poverty stricken districts in our large cities, succeeded Carl Schurz as head of the National Civil Service Reform league. He is one of the foremost educators in America.

He was the president of the great University of California. He had previously spent two years as attaché of the American legation in St. Petersburg and several years as professor at Yale. When the Johns Hopkins university was founded in Baltimore Prof. Gilman was called to preside over its destinies. He soon brought the institution into the front rank of American



DANIEL COIT GILMAN. (Famous Educator Will Help to Distribute Big Sage Gift.)

seats of learning. Prof. Gilman was the first president of the Carnegie institute and has served on many important educational and charitable boards.

Elephants' Dramatic Revenge.
The following tragic story of the death of Pargana Barabhabum, khera of Dalma, is related in the Bombay paper, Maubhum.

"Pargana Barabhabum went to his paddy field, and found a herd of elephants destroying his crop. His rage rose, he shot arrows from behind a tree, and he killed a young elephant. Then the greatness of his crime fell on the mind of Pargana Barabhabum, and he fled to his cottage for refuge. But the elephant's father and mother were stricken with rage, and they and their fellows charged the cottage and razed it to the ground. Pargana Barabhabum was wily, and he climbed a tree to the topmost bough. The elephants surrounded it and roared, but they could not reach Pargana Barabhabum. But their sagacity was great, and with their own trunks they brought water from the bund, and they watered the ground at the foot of the tree. When they had watered well and the earth was soft, they uprooted the tree. Then they avenged the death of their young by trampling the life out of Pargana Barabhabum."

Too Much Prosperity.
Senator Hale in a St. Patrick's day address at Ellsworth said of the national prosperity: "Two tramps were conversing over a pal of hot ale. 'These is terrible times,' said the first, as he sat down the smoking pal and wiped his mustache. 'They certainly is,' the other answered. 'A feller can't ask for work nowadays 'bout bein' offered it.'"

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Queer Assortment of Married Couples in Hungary.

After being employed for 40 years as valet to the male companion of his own wife, a man named Ruzicka, once wealthy, but now penniless and imbecile, has been received into the municipal workhouse of the town of Agram, in Hungary. Ruzicka, left an orphan with a good deal of property, married in 1863 Camilla Ostvic, a professional singer. Returning from the church, the bride introduced her husband to Dr. Theodor Sparcek, a lawyer. Sparcek brushed the bridegroom aside and walked on ahead, enjoying a tete-a-tete with the bride. In a little while he turned to the bridegroom and informed him that he (Dr. Sparcek) and the bride were going on a honeymoon trip. The rightful husband might come, too, if he acted as valet. The husband's poor wits seem to have been scattered forever by the announcement. He was helpless, and accompanied his wife on her elopement. In this manner all three lived uneventfully until 1885, when the woman died. Dr. Sparcek then lost no time in finding a new "wife," but seemed disinclined to marry himself. Under threats of dismissal from his valedship, the imbecile was obliged to go through the marriage ceremony for the second time. Another 21 years passed quietly, when suspicion was aroused by Sparcek selling Ruzicka's properties. The guilty lawyer then fled with the second Mme. Ruzicka, leaving his unfortunate "valet" absolutely penniless.

Rapid Larceny.
A New Orleans paper has the following: "The young man who came into this office yesterday, sat down on a box, and immediately afterward jumped up with an unearthly yell and fled from the office, is requested to bring back four brass-headed tacks that were standing on the box when he took his seat. No questions will be asked."

Shopping Cure for Melancholia.
There is nothing finer for the temper than a new hat, no balm for hurt feelings like a fresh gewgaw; ordering new frocks takes a woman out of her self, and melancholia may be swiftly relieved by a good dose of "dainties" in the form of lingerie. Cut a woman off her shopping, and the result may be disastrous.—London World.

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