

A Maryland Wonder.
Upper Cross Roads, Md., June 16th.—Never in the history of medicine in this state has anything created such a sensation by its marvelous cures of the most extreme cases as Dodd's Kidney Pills.

This wonderful medicine seems to know no limit in its wonder working power. Long-standing cases that have defied the most expert medical treatment seem to yield easily to this new conqueror of disease.

Hundreds have testified to the virtue of Dodd's Kidney Pills. They tell of severe cases of Rheumatism, Lumbago, Backache, Female Trouble, Nervous Disorders and even Dropsy, Diabetes and Bright's Disease cured by this medicine.

Among those who have been benefited may be mentioned Mrs. John Cooney of this place.

Mrs. Cooney says:
"I believe Dodd's Kidney Pills the best remedy ever known for Kidney Trouble and weak back."
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"I will always praise them highly, for I know that they are good."
"Mrs. Cooney is only one of many who say of Dodd's Kidney Pills:
"The most wonderful remedy we ever heard of."

Why He Did It.
"I want you to realize, sir," said the police magistrate, as he soaked the brutal husband for 200 plunks and costs, "that wife-beating is an expensive pastime."
"But, your honor," whined the miserable wretch, "I didn't do this medicine. I did it as a duty."—Chicago Daily News.

New Creamery Cash System Successful.
R. E. Cobb, St. Paul, Minn., reports that he will pay farmers owning hand separators in Minnesota, Dakota and Wisconsin from 8c to 5c more per pound of butter fat in cream than they can get by making butter or hauling to small creameries. Dairy men should write for particulars at once. He is also an extensive cash buyer of butter, eggs and poultry; will mail prices upon request.

Bjorkson—"Will you lend me your lawn mower?" Bjorkson—"Yes, if you'll cut my grass to pay for the use of it."—Somerville Journal.

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An apt quotation is as good as an original remark.—Chicago Journal.

Do not believe Piso's Cure for Consumption has an equal for coughs and colds.—J. F. Boyer, Trinity Springs, Ind., Feb. 15, 1900.

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WHOLE TOWN WIPED OUT.

Hundreds of People Are Reported Drowned by Great Flood at Heppner, Oregon.

BODIES OF 300 VICTIMS RECOVERED.

Many Houses Wrecked and Damage Estimated at \$1,000,000—Scores of Persons Still Unaccounted For—Cloudbursts Cause Damage at Other Places.

Portland, Ore., June 16.—The most appalling disaster in the history of this state occurred Sunday evening about six o'clock, when the town of Heppner was almost entirely destroyed by a cloudburst and probably 500 people drowned. Heppner is the county seat of Morrow county, and has about 1,250 inhabitants. The most reliable reports state that the loss of life at Heppner will be at least 500, though the number of dead is probably larger. All the telegraph and telephone lines are down and no accurate information can be secured.

Bodies Recovered.
A report from Ione, 17 miles from Heppner, states that 300 bodies have been recovered. A messenger who arrived at Ione states that a wall of water 20 feet high rushed down into the gulch in which Heppner is situated and carried everything before it. The flood came with such suddenness that the inhabitants were unable to seek places of safety and were carried down to death by the awful rush of water. Almost the entire residence portion of the town was wiped out, but some of the business part, which is on higher ground, escaped.

Dashed Against Rocks.
Huge boulders weighing a ton and more carried down by the current and many people killed by being dashed against the rocky bluff. Early in the afternoon a thunder storm occurred, covering a wide region of country, and later a heavy rainstorm set in, many of the small streams overflowing their banks in a considerably short time. Bridges were swept away like straws, and the darkness of the night soon made the situation more appalling.

Work of Relief.
As soon as possible after the terrible flood subsided the work of relief was commenced by the citizens of the town. Dozens of bodies were found lodged along the bends of the stream, and several places they were piled over one another. Up to Monday afternoon 200 bodies had been recovered almost within the city limits. The buildings which were not carried away were moved from their foundations or toppled over. Hundreds of horses, cattle, sheep and hogs that had gone into the creek bottoms for water perished.

At Other Points.
Fifteen buildings in the town of Lexington, nine miles below Heppner on Willow creek, were washed away, but with no loss of life, the inhabitants having time to save themselves from the surging torrent.

At Ione considerable damage was done to buildings, though no loss of life is reported from there.
Death List Grows.
The Dalles, Ore., June 17.—A telephone message from Ione states that the latest find in the ruins of Heppner indicates that the loss of life will be much greater than at first supposed. The casualty list will foot up 500, and many of the bodies will never be recovered. The property loss by destruction of buildings alone will aggregate probably \$1,000,000. This is regarded as a conservative estimate. One hundred and fifty of the best residences were swept from the earth. The debris is piled along the railroad track to the height of freight cars. The relief work is progressing at a satisfactory pace.

The Worst Over.
St. Louis, June 16.—The river has so far receded that several of the eastern roads that have been cut off from St. Louis since Monday last are now entering union station, and it is expected that the others will also be enabled to do so, either over their own tracks or the rails of competitors in a few days.
Arthur Gibbs, aged 18, and Annie Reardon, 15 years old, were drowned Monday near the McCausland opera house, East St. Louis, by falling from a raft on which they were playing. Their bodies were recovered, making the known dead from drowning in East St. Louis since the flood began number 11.

Killed Himself.
La Crosse, Wis., June 16.—William E. Tippetts, charged with the murder of Ira Shrike, about six weeks ago, and released on \$5,000 bail, shot the top of his head off with a shotgun. Tippetts was bound over to the circuit court under the charge of murder, and his trial was to have been held in September.

Murdered by Stepdughter.
Sneedville, Tenn., June 13.—Lewis Bolin, aged 60, was murdered Thursday night by his 13-year-old stepdaughter, who sank the blade of an ax deep into his skull. Bolin was chastising a stepson when the boy called to his sister for help.

Succeeds Judge Caldwell.
Washington, June 13.—William C. Hook, of Leavenworth, Kan., has been selected to succeed Judge Caldwell, who recently resigned the circuit judgeship of the Eighth district. Judge Hook is at present a district judge.

Heavy Coal Shipments.
Pittsburg, Pa., June 17.—The coal shipments to the south Tuesday aggregated 3,300,000 bushels.

ROUND ABOUT THE STATE.

Chas. Radtke was badly injured by falling from a handcar, which jumped the track at Rochester.

John Olsen, 165 Jackson street, West St. Paul, was drowned in Lake Vadnais, five miles north of St. Paul.
The Black Duck waterworks, costing \$7,000, has been completed. Black Duck now has excellent fire protection.

The Faribault Commercial club is devising means to induce farmers to raise sugar beets in order to get a factory.

The 6-year-old daughter of John Wayda, a farmer of Holdingford, was crushed under a falling tree and died in ten hours.

George Randall, a brakeman on the Minneapolis & St. Louis railroad, was killed in a railroad accident at Eden Prairie, Hennepin county.

The sixth biennial convention of the Catholic Order of Foresters for the jurisdiction of Minnesota opened a three days' session at St. Cloud.

James Robiskie, a well digger at Glencoe was buried eighteen feet deep in an old well that caved in. Men worked seven hours to recover his body.

Coal has been found near Duluth in sufficient quantities to warrant business men to form a company to mine it, and accordingly the Willow River Coal company filed articles of incorporation, with a capital stock of \$100,000.

Judge Buckham, of Owatonna, has denied the petition for a change of venue in the Krier murder case, giving the waste of time necessitated by such a course as his chief reason.

The state dairy and food commission is conducting an investigation into the cheese factories of the state and announces that so far they have been found to be generally in excellent condition.

A span of horses, harness and carriage were stolen from the barn of C. E. Johnson, five miles southeast of Grand Meadows. Officers are in pursuit of the thieves.

F. F. La Rowe, assistant general agent for the American Express company in St. Paul, has been appointed general agent for the company in Sioux city.

R. R. Hudson, a Superior plumber, has filed papers in a suit against L. H. Bunker, president of the Duluth plumbers' union, charging him with slander, and demanding \$1,000 damages. The complainant alleges that Bunker attempted to injure him in a business way by reflecting upon his unionism.

James Mannarino, the nineteen year old Italian who was recently sentenced to serve four years at Stillwater for shooting Policeman Joseph Pugliesa in St. Paul, assumed the entire burden of the shooting, and testified that none of the other four Italians accused of being implicated in the deed fired a shot at the policeman.

While her husband Martin Lacoursiere, of 940 Garfield avenue, Duluth, was out at a nearby grocery store on an errand, his wife Lena hung herself with a clothesline in a back room of their home. Ill health was the cause.

Forest D. Varnum, inspector of electric wires for the city of St. Paul, was appointed by Governor Van Sant as a member of the state board of electrical examiners, to succeed C. L. Pillsbury, resigned.

The sixty-five members of the graduating class of the law school of the state university took oath before the supreme court and were admitted to practice in Minnesota.

Three mammoth new steel elevators with a storage capacity of approximately 3,500,000 bushels of wheat and estimated to cost \$750,000, are to be built in Duluth within the next year.

Almost every member of the graduating class of the Winona normal school who received diplomas at the commencement exercises has secured a school for next year. The exercises proper were held in the opera-house at Winona when Senator Moses E. Clapp delivered a powerful address to the class, and Governor Van Sant presented the members, seventy-four in number, with their diplomas.

Simon Erickson, a popular young farmer of Hanley Falls, recently employed as an engineer in Granite Falls, became intoxicated and fell asleep on the track of the Minneapolis & St. Louis. When the midnight passenger came along it cut him to pieces.

The lack of harmony that has been in existence for over a year at the agricultural college has resulted in the enforced resignation of four members of the faculty. They are Prof. F. D. Tucker, principal; Mrs. Virginia Meredith, preceptress of the girls' department; Mr. Mahood, physical instructor, and Mrs. Mayhood, instructor in algebra.

A sensational attempt on the life of C. B. Johnson, North-Western railway agent at Owatonna was made by a man named Frederick Dietz. The attack was made in broad daylight with a long dirk-shaped knife. The man was overpowered before he could inflict serious injuries upon Mr. Johnson, and was placed under arrest. Later he was arraigned before the probate judge and sent to the insane hospital at Rochester.

The Pastime Club of Winona has completed its large houseboat, the Gopher, in which it is proposed to go the world's fair next year with the launch Pastime as a propelling power.
Scotty Stewart fell between the cars of a moving train at Warroad and had both legs cut off at the hip, dying in three hours.

Frank Clements fell between the cars at Warroad and had both legs severed at the knee. He is in a critical condition.

The State Buttermakers' association held its annual picnic in Lake Crystal and several hundred people were in attendance. Members of the state dairy commission attended and addresses were made by A. W. Trow and E. K. Stater. C. D. White and Sam Haugbald acted as judges in the butter scoring contest.

FIVE MORE TRUE BILLS.

Grand Jury Reported to Have Several New Indictments in Postal Investigation Case.

CHARGE IS CONSPIRACY TO DEFRAUD.

Machen, the Groff Brothers and Mr. and Mrs. Lorenz, of Toledo, Said to Be Parties Involved—Prominent Camden, N. J., Postmaster Charged with Defalcation.

Washington, June 19.—The federal grand jury which has been investigating postal affairs probably will bring in five indictments soon against persons involved. Assistant District Attorney Taggart, who has the cases in charge for the government, was at his office earlier than usual Thursday morning and was busily engaged in going over the indictments. He denied himself to all callers.

Although every effort has been made to keep the public in ignorance of the action to be taken until the papers were ready for presentation by the grand jury, it is learned on unquestioned authority that the jury has voted to return indictments against August W. Machen, Diller B. Groff, Samuel A. Groff, George E. Lorenz and Mrs. Lorenz, the two latter being residents of Toledo, Ohio. The specific charge, it is understood, will be conspiracy to defraud the government.

Sensational Feature of Case.
The fact that new indictments would be returned against Machen and the Groff brothers has been talked of for some time around the courthouse but it was not expected that action would be taken so soon. The sensational feature of the proceedings is the connection of Mrs. Lorenz's name with the transactions which led to the arrest of Machen and the Groffs. At the time of the arrests stories were in circulation that there was a go-between, but the information at hand then was not conclusive enough to establish the identity of this particular party.

Whether or not Mrs. Lorenz acted in this capacity is not known, but it has been suggested that this go-between was a woman.

Later in the day it was announced that the indictments would be returned either Friday or probably not until Monday. The grand jury is continuing its investigation of post office affairs.

New Superintendent Appointed.
The postmaster general Thursday designated Edward F. Kimball, the chief clerk of the money order system, to act temporarily as superintendent, to succeed James T. Metcalf, who was removed on the charge of indiscretion in contract matters.

Missing Postmaster Located.
Camden, N. J., June 19.—Louis T. De Rouse, postmaster of this city, and twice speaker of the New Jersey house of assembly, who disappeared Wednesday, has been located at Baltimore. He is said to be on the verge of a physical and mental collapse, and is under the care of a physician. His whereabouts were learned through a telephone message from Baltimore to J. Hampton Moore, city treasurer of Philadelphia. Mr. Moore notified Congressman Loudenslager, of Camden, who, with Isaac Moffitt, collector of customs, and W. J. Browning, clerk of the New Jersey house of the legislature, left for Baltimore.

Former Judge Pancoast and H. H. Voorhees, Mr. De Rouse's bondsmen, are authority for the statement that the postal inspectors have found a shortage of \$2,000 in the accounts of the postmaster. Judge Pancoast said Thursday that he had been informed that the postmaster was leading a double life.

Mind Said to Be Affected.
Baltimore, Md., June 19.—Louis T. De Rouse, postmaster of Camden, N. J., who disappeared Wednesday from that city is in this city at the home of W. H. Swindell, a relative. De Rouse was seen by a reporter to whom he appeared to be in a dazed condition. To all questions he simply answered: "Yes," being apparently unable to give an account of himself. The members of the Swindell family say that his mind is evidently affected and that they know nothing as to his motive for coming here.

Building Collapses.
St. Paul, Minn., June 19.—The second and third floors of the eastern half of the Skidmore block, southeast corner of Fifth and Minnesota streets, occupied by the F. G. Leslie Paper company, collapsed under heavy pressure at 1:30 o'clock Thursday morning, causing a loss of about \$8,000. If the accident had happened at another time of the day several casualties would have been inevitable.

A Peculiar Disease.
New York, June 19.—A man suffering from gout in his nose has been a patient at Bellevue. He is Charles Scharff, a janitor. His nose has become greatly enlarged. The doctors were completely at sea for a diagnosis until they discovered gout in several joints of his limbs. It is the first case of the kind on record at the hospital.

To Honor French President.
London, June 19.—The review of troops at Aldershot, which was to be held by King Edward on June 22, and the unexpected postponement of which caused some alarm regarding the king's health, has been fixed to take place July 8 in honor of President Loubet, who will then be on his visit to England.

GRATEFUL, HAPPY WOMEN



Miss Muriel Armitage.

Thank Pe-ru-na for Their Recovery After Years of Suffering.

Miss Muriel Armitage, 86 Greenwood Ave., Detroit, Mich., District Organizer of the Royal Templars of Temperance, in a recent letter, says:

"I think that a woman naturally shrinks from making her troubles public, but restored health has meant so much to me that I feel for the sake of other suffering women it is my duty to tell what Peruna has done for me.

"I suffered for five years with uterine irregularities, which brought on hysteria and made me a physical wreck. I tried doctors from the different schools of medicine, but without any perceptible change in my condition. In my despair I called on an old nurse, who advised me to try Peruna, and promised good results if I would persist and take it regularly. I thought this was the least I could do and procured a bottle. I knew as soon as I began taking it that it was affecting me differently from anything I had used before, and so I kept on taking it. I kept this up for six months, and steadily gained strength and health, and when I had used fifteen bottles I considered myself entirely cured. I am a grateful, happy woman to-day."
—Miss Muriel Armitage.

Female Weakness is Pelvic Catarrh.

Always Half Sick are the Women Who Have Pelvic Catarrh.

Catarrh of any organ, if allowed to progress, will affect the whole body. Catarrh without nervousness is very rare, but pelvic catarrh and nervousness go hand in hand.

What is so distressing a sight as a poor half-sick, nervous woman, suffering from the many almost unbearable symptoms of pelvic catarrh? She does not consider herself ill enough to go to bed, but she is far from being able to do her work without the greatest exhaustion.

A Good Thing.
Every issue of The Four-Track News makes it easier for ticket agents and ticket sellers to secure passengers for distant parts of the country, for the reason that every article and every illustration in The Four-Track News is an inducement for readers to travel and see what a marvelous variety of scenery and climate our own country possesses. The other these facts are impressed upon the average person, the more certain he or she is to have a desire to travel. There fore, The Four-Track News is not only in the interest of all the transportation lines and hotels, it also bears out the legend of its title page of "An Illustrated Magazine of Travel and Education."—From the Buffalo Commercial.

Neighborly Calls.
Mrs. O'Rafferty—Ah, yes on calling terms with Mrs. McNulty?
Mrs. Mulligan—That's what O'm. She called me no loidy an O'i called her a loir.—Chicago Daily News.

The Santa Fe passenger department has about ready for distribution two pamphlets descriptive of a part of our country which twenty years ago was supposed to be fit only for cattle grazing. One is entitled "The Panhandle of Texas," the other "Fruit Growing in Pecos Valley of New Mexico." The first shows that the Panhandle region is the ideal place for the man who wishes to combine small farming with stock-raising. The second presents facts to prove that the Pecos Valley is one of the finest fruit sections in the United States.

She—"My parrot says some awfully clever things." He—"And who taught it to talk?" She—"Oh, I did."—London Tit-Bits.

Low Summer Tourist Rates
Via Chicago "Great Western" Railway. Round trips to Colorado, Utah, Black Hills, New Mexico and Texas points. Tickets on sale daily June 1st to Sept. 30th. Good to return Oct. 31st. For further information apply to any Great Western agent, or J. P. Elmer, G. P. A., Chicago, Ill.

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DOAN'S KIDNEY PILLS.
DUNSFIELD, IOWA.—"It was called rheumatism. I could get no relief from the doctors. I began to improve on taking Doan's sample and got two boxes at our druggist, and, although 68 years of age, I am almost a new man. I was troubled a good deal with my water—had to go up four and five times a night. That trouble is over with and once more I can rest the night through. My backache is all gone, and I thank you ever so much for the wonderful medicine, Doan's Kidney Pills."
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