

CHRISTMAS CRIME AND CASUALTY

Carelessness and Cussedness Cause a Number of Americans to End Their Celebration in Hospital, Heaven or—Elsewhere.

Two Young Desperadoes Shot to Death for Trying to Run the Village of Hinkley Without the Proper Authority.

A Clerk in a Drug Store at Madison, S. D., Slugged by Two Robbers and the Place Rifled of Three Thousand Dollars.

The Postmaster of Carrollton, Miss., Parades the Town With a Winchester, and Is Killed by an Indignant Citizen.

End of the Famous Trial of Isaac B. Sawtelle, of New Hampshire, in His Conviction of Murder in the First Degree.

In a Quarrel on a Northern Pacific Coach a One-Armed Train Boy is Mortally Wounded by a Passenger.

An Indiana Girl Becomes Insane and Dies Over a Charge That Her Father Committed a Murder Twenty Years Ago.

Special to the Globe. HINKLEY, Minn., Dec. 25.—Three desperadoes came to this town to-day and, after loading up with bad whisky, attempted to run it without asking the authorities. They were the three Kane boys, who came to the village from one of the lumber camps. Marshal Booth denounced their style of terrorizing citizens without cause, and when he found argument was useless, placed the trio under arrest. Two of them resisted, and sought to pound the officer into submission. In sheer self-defense the marshal drew his revolver and fired upon the men. The first shot struck one of them in the head and killed him instantly. A second ball struck the other in the head, and after a few hours, he also died. The third was then taken to the hospital where he lies, and is expected to die. The bodies lie in the hospital awaiting the coroner's inquest. Marshal Booth gave himself up to Sheriff McLaughlin.

SHRUGGED THE CLERK And Robbed the Store of About \$3,000.

Special to the Globe. MADISON, S. D., Dec. 25.—Shortly after 12 o'clock this morning, just as William Bartlett was closing his drug store, two strangers entered. One said he wanted to buy an album for a Christmas present, and the other was looking at the stock the other quickly bolted the front door. A selection was made, and while Bartlett was wrapping it up the man, who had been looking at the album, knocked him down and rendering him insensible. The two then hastily fled the store, which was left in the hands of the clerk. The store was valued at \$3,000, the proceeds of Bartlett's holiday trade, and some collections that he had made, and decamped. Bartlett did not regain consciousness for some time, and when he gave the alarm no trace of the robbers could be found. They evidently had planned the affair carefully, with a knowledge of the amount of the store's stock, and the location of the safe. To-night a message from Winifred brought information that two men answering their description had been captured.

SHOT THE POSTMASTER. A Thrilling Tragedy in the Village of Carrollton, Miss.

CARROLLTON, Miss., Dec. 25.—A fatal tragedy occurred on the principal business street in this town to-day at 12 o'clock noon, in which John Matthews, the postmaster, was killed. He was a wealthy and prominent young druggist here. Matthews was coming down the street toward the drug store of McBride & Co., armed with a Winchester rifle, when McBride stepped toward him and fired the fatal shot, while Matthews had his gun pointed at the store. The cause of the difficulty is about as follows: Last night Matthews had his store in Winchester rifle, with a large pistol on him, whooping, hallooing, and cursing at the town generally, and threatening to kill young McBride in particular. He paraded the streets several hours this way until he was placed under arrest by Matthews, who returned to his store. He also kept the postoffice, and holding his gun in his hands, stood in his door and began crying out his goods at auction and cursing every one who came within his hearing. After a few minutes he came down the street toward the drug store of McBride & Co., where he was killed, the first shot by McBride killing him instantly. Matthews is the youngest son of John Prentiss Matthews, who was killed at Fort Lytle in 1864, and is a brother of M. and S. Matthews, the latter of whom is now United States marshal for the Southern district of Mississippi. He has rendered himself very odious to the people of this community, while he has been here as the cartage postmaster of the present administration. He has been the cause of the officers here almost every week on various charges of drunkenness, profanity, carrying concealed weapons, assaults and battery and other offenses. He took possession of a passenger train on the Georgia Pacific railroad while drunk, and caused the train to stop at the depot, and then proceeded to assault and beat the porter and conductor, and to beat the passengers, for which he is now under indictment in the courts of Webster and this (Carroll) county. His administration of the postoffice here has been miserable in the extreme, and public sentiment is highly inflamed against him. McBride is a very peaceful and quiet young man, industrious and successful in business, and is in his favor, because he was goaded into the difficulty by Matthews' conduct. Both the sheriff and mayor had remonstrated with Matthews this morning, but to no effect.

not take it was to return it and get his money back, but he never returned it. He said that he used it, and that the reason he did not return it was that he got his money back. As to where Hiram was killed, no pistol shots were heard near the grave, and he is not killed where the pistol was fired, and the report of the pistol heard? If these things were not true, it is a mystery, and discharged them. They would have you think that Hiram went over there to accommodate Isaac, and got out of the carriage and stood up to have him kill him.

They say he was killed in a struggle. Do you believe he was wounded? He drove five miles on that lonely road with that man and then got out and had a fight in which he was killed? There was an appearance of the body having been dragged thirty feet from the carriage and put into his new-made grave. The sleeve button like Isaac's shows Isaac at the grave, and the tell-tale story of his shoes and rubbers shows the very color of the mud in the grave. The argument was finished at 2:15, and most of these facts before you. Of most of these facts there can be no doubt. The evidence is clear, and the jury's verdict is a verdict of guilty. The jury returned a verdict of guilty, and the public and every law-abiding citizen will be satisfied. The argument was finished at 2:15, and after a recess of ten minutes Judge Doe charged the jury. He defined the law on the case in a very clear manner. The first count is a clear charge that Hiram was killed in New Hampshire, it is necessary to establish the fact that he was on the side of the line the murder was committed. If the jury believes that he was on the side of the line, they must find him guilty on the second count, then it is necessary to establish the fact that Isaac had an accomplice in Rochester, N. H. The chief justice further stated that the murder had been committed in the first degree, while he was not aware of any evidence of any other murder. In this case there was no evidence of any other murder, and he here to try the case, but to see that it was fairly tried by the jury, who had to decide the simple question of whether or not the murder was committed in New Hampshire. The jury returned a verdict of guilty, and the public and every law-abiding citizen will be satisfied.

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A New York Liveryman Shoots a Man Who Attacks Him.

NEW YORK, Dec. 25.—At 12:15 o'clock this afternoon an altercation took place in the livery stable No. 121 West Forty-fifth street, during which Michael Galivan, a liveryman, shot and killed James Cummings, twenty-seven years old, of Eighth avenue and Forty-ninth street. Cummings was shot in the left eye. Galivan also shot Edward Hurley, a liveryman, in the left eye. Hurley was removed to the Roosevelt hospital. Galivan was arrested. He was charged with the murder of Cummings, and with the murder of Hurley. He was held in lieu of \$10,000.

DRUGGED, ROBBED, BURNED.

MURDER FOR MONEY FOLLOWED BY ARSON. HOLDEN, Mo., Dec. 25.—The house of Samuel Malone, on West Fifth street, burned to the ground this morning. As the fire spread, the house fell out, and by the light of the fire they saw Mr. Malone and John Hicks, his brother-in-law, who were in the house. They were seen to get out of the house, and were seen to get into a carriage. They were seen to get into a carriage, and were seen to get into a carriage. They were seen to get into a carriage, and were seen to get into a carriage.

WOUNDED A GIRL In Attempting to Kill a Disturbing Serenader.

LEBANON, Pa., Dec. 25.—Clinton B. Hurst, of South Lebanon township, and Lizzie Cassel, of North Lebanon township, were married. Their friends decided to give them a serenader. A young man, also a friend of the couple, disapproved of the proposed serenader, and he was seen to get into a carriage. They were seen to get into a carriage, and were seen to get into a carriage. They were seen to get into a carriage, and were seen to get into a carriage.

Shot Behind the Ear.

DICKINSON, N. D., Dec. 25.—D. A. Shannon, the one-armed newsboy who runs between Dickinson and Helena, was shot by Lewis C. Buss this afternoon on the Northern Pacific train while in transit west between Andrews and Little Missouri, Billings county. The ball entered the brain back of the left ear. Buss, who is from Sac City, Ia., on his way to Seattle, jumped off the train and ran as soon as the act was committed. The train stopped, and the passengers took up the chase, and Buss was captured. He was shot in the head, and he died. He was shot in the head, and he died. He was shot in the head, and he died.

WRECKED HER MIND. A Girl Crazy by a Charge Against Her Father.

COLUMBUS, Ind., Dec. 25.—Strange circumstances developed last night regarding the sudden insanity and death of Miss Bertina Buss, a handsome school teacher, who is twenty years old. Her father, Mrs. Park, has divulged the secret confided to her by the daughter on the day when the symptoms of the latter's disturbed mental condition were first noticed. It appears that the girl's mind had been wrecked by the act of some unknown person connecting the name of her father in a criminal way with what is known as the "Park massacre." On the morning referred to, when the teacher entered her schoolroom, she discovered upon the blackboard, written in a bold hand, a sentence charging Marlon Park, her father, with the murder of his parents and relatives, a crime committed twenty years ago. She hurriedly erased the cruel charge, but it bore so heavily on her mind that, soon caused her derangement and death.

morning J. E. Brady, a fireman employed by the Cotton Compress association, applied to C. J. Colcott, a private watchman on the wharf, to arrest a man in the street who had been offensive to him. Colcott refused, saying he had no authority to arrest the man. Brady then shot, but returned just as Colcott was eating his dinner, which had been brought him by his wife and two little children. In their presence, he pulled a revolver and shot Colcott through the head, killing him instantly. Colcott was arrested, and it was with difficulty that the police prevented the crowd from lynching him.

HIT CITY WITH AN AXE. JERSEY CITY, N. J., Dec. 25.—Margie Murphy and Edward McDermott got into a row at a party given by a friend in Morgan street to-day, and Miss Murphy, who is only fifteen years old, hit McDermott on the head with an axe, crushing in his skull. The girl was arrested and McDermott was sent to the city hospital.

MURDERED IN A BROTHEL. BRADFORD, Pa., Dec. 25.—An express messenger named Vosburg was murdered last night during a drunken row in a house of ill-fame on Newell avenue. The police have been working all day to find the murderer. A prominent young man named Charles Daniels and Michael Behan for compensation of \$10,000, were arrested and charged with the murder. They were held in lieu of \$10,000.

FATALLY WOUNDED. LOUISVILLE, Ky., Dec. 25.—At a Christmas entertainment at a church at Nabb's station, near Jeffersonville, last night, Joseph Fattinger and Bud Robinson were probably fatally wounded. The fight sprang up in the rear of the room while the programme of the Sunday school was being carried out.

FATALLY WOUNDED. DES MOINES, Ia., Dec. 25.—In a free-for-all fight at a festive and dance by the society of Druids at 2 o'clock this morning, Assistant City Engineer B. Schreiner was probably fatally shot by James Densley, an employe of the electric light company. The latter was arrested.

SUICIDED ON CHRISTMAS. NEW YORK, Dec. 25.—A man who is supposed to be Henry Erust, committed suicide in Union square to-night by shooting himself. He died within thirty minutes at the New York hospital. From papers found in his possession he was at one time in the Prussian infantry.

TOO MUCH RED LIQUOR. LITTLE ROCK, Ark., Dec. 25.—A special to the Gazette from Monticello, Ark., reports the killing to-day of Town Marshal Jeff D. Haynes, by George Wells, a carpenter. This tragedy is attributed to the abundance of red liquor under Wells' vest.

PUNCTURED BY A BOY. CHARLESTON, W. Va., Dec. 25.—This afternoon Dick Gardner, who keeps a saloon near Malden, was shot by Gus Stept, a negro boy. The boy was fighting with one of Gardner's sons, and attempted to separate them. He was shot in the abdomen and cannot recover.

ONE TIGHT LESS. LEXINGTON, Ky., Dec. 25.—In a drunken row at Chilesburg, this county, this morning, a tough named James Danforth, from Jack's Creek, was killed. Two or three others were injured during the fusillade of over a hundred shots.

DIED FROM A BLOW. CHARLESTON, W. Va., Dec. 25.—Last night Rufus Penn and John Duly, both colored, who were on a party, quarreled. Penn knocked Duly down, from the effects of which Duly died to-night. Penn was arrested.

THROUGH THE HEAD. ELGIN, Kas., Nov. 25.—The city marshal to-day attempted to arrest John Davis, a noted tough. Davis resisted and attacked the officer, who drew his revolver and shot Davis through the head, killing him instantly.

BY A STRAY BULLET. JACK, Miss., Dec. 25.—Nick Jones, colored, was instantly killed last night, it is believed by a stray bullet, as there was a good deal of indiscriminate firing of pistols.

THROUGH THE FOREHEAD. HOUSTON, Tex., Dec. 25.—This morning Alexander Brown was found dead on a sidewalk, with a bullet through the head. No clue has been shot through the head. No clue.

MURDERED HIS WIFE. BATON ROUGE, La., Dec. 25.—William Johnson, colored, had a dispute with his wife and shot her dead. The murderer escaped.

ARRIVED IN DISTRESS. THE STEAMER LISCARD PUTS BACK TO BOSTON. BOSTON, Dec. 25.—The steamer Liscard of London, Capt. Campbell, from New York, for Lisbon, with 90,000 bushels of wheat, put in here last night in distress, with engines broken down, lifeboats gone, decks swept and twenty-one inches of water in her hold, and other things damaged. The vessel sailed from New York Dec. 15, and was 700 miles from port when she was obliged to head for Boston. The first two days out were uneventful, but on the third day a succession of heavy gales with high seas, on the 20th she lay nearly four hours in the trough of the sea entirely unmanageable and almost submerged. Next morning the storm broke and she was able to proceed to Boston. The Liscard is anchored in the lower harbor, but will be docked at East Boston tomorrow, when a survey will be made and the cargo probably discharged. Repairs will then be made at once.

TWO AN ARBOR STUDENTS MEET DEATH BY DROWNING. ANN ARBOR, Mich., Dec. 25.—The sad drowning of two students made a gloomy Christmas for the students who remained at college during the holidays. Last night about 7 o'clock Frank E. Dickinson and Minnie Brundage left for the mill pond to skate, telling their friends they would return about 10 o'clock. They did not return, however, and at 11 o'clock their bodies were recovered. The searchers found a hole in the ice near the mill pond. The bodies were recovered and taken to the morgue.

BLAZE IN THE UNION CLUB. NEW YORK, Dec. 25.—Fire this afternoon in the Union club, Fifth avenue, did \$10,000 damage. There was considerable excitement among the club members, but nothing serious happened beyond ruining the dining room by the water. The fire started in the kitchen, and spread to the dining room. The fire was extinguished by the fire department. The damage was estimated at \$10,000. The fire started in the kitchen, and spread to the dining room. The fire was extinguished by the fire department. The damage was estimated at \$10,000.

MUSICAL INSTRUMENTS BURNED. REDBANK, Neb., Dec. 25.—The piano and organ store of Peck & Curtis was damaged to the extent of \$15,000 by fire last night. The insurance is \$3,000.

CUTTING OFF AGENTS. SPECIAL TO THE GLOBE. FARGO, N. D., Dec. 25.—Agents of machine houses in Fargo have received instructions that their services will not be needed after Jan. 1. This is the outcome of the recent formation of the American Harvesting Machine company at Chicago. About one hundred and twenty-five men will be thrown out of work in this city. Added to this is a rumor that the North Dakota headquarters of the new company will be located at Grand Forks and St. Cloud, Minn.

TO HIDE BY ELECTRICITY. SPECIAL TO THE GLOBE. FARGO, N. D., Dec. 25.—The directors of the Fargo Electric Street Railway company met to-day and decided to call a meeting of the stockholders Jan. 30 for closing details looking to the construction of an electric street railway connecting this city and Moorhead, Minn. President W. B. Meers, of the National Bank of North Dakota, pledged his willingness to place the road in operation, and it is probable work will begin on the road in the spring.

MASONIC TEMPLE DESTROYED. BALTIMORE, Dec. 25.—Christmas day of the year 1890 would have been comparatively uneventful day in Baltimore had it not been for the burning of the Masonic temple. Nearly all of the residents of the grand lodge since its organization were destroyed. The fire broke out in the files of the theater on the second and third floors, which is occupied by the Masonic lodge. The scene was flared up until the curtain, swung out like a balloon by the heat, flew up. The fire building, which cost \$450,000, was entirely gutted. The loss will be very heavy.

THE ENVOYS ARRIVE

Messrs. O'Brien and Gill Arrive Enthusiastically Greeted at Boulogne.

They Express Joy at the Result of the North Killenny Election.

Editor Byrne Tries to Arrange a Conference Between the Factions.

Parnell Attempts to Explain the Signal Defect of Mr. Scully.

PARIS, Dec. 25.—A tug having on board Messrs. McCarthy, Sexton and Condon, Father Humphreys and M. Raffalovich and his wife, the parents of Mrs. William O'Brien, met the Odessa outside the harbor. The party gave Messrs. O'Brien and Gill a most enthusiastic welcome. During the return trip of the tug to the steamship pier, Mr. O'Brien held an animated conversation with his political friends. When interviewed by the reporters he refused to express his opinion on the present situation in Ireland. He said he required time to inform himself of the events which had taken place since he and his companions left Ireland on their mission to the United States. Mr. O'Brien started from Boulogne for this city this evening. Mr. Sexton and the others will return to England. They said they were overjoyed at the result of the recent election held in North Killenny.

ALMOST BLED TO DEATH. PITTSBURGH, Pa., Dec. 25.—This afternoon a Pleasant Valley electric car and Penn avenue cable car met with a crash on the corner of Seventh and Second streets. Both cars were thrown to one side, and being completely filled with passengers, the result was several being bruised in the rush to the open doors. Alexander Robinson, a colored man, was dangerously cut about the face and temple and needed a few stitches. At present he is delirious. Both cars were badly wrecked, and travel delayed for three hours.

TRAIN ORDERS MISUNDERSTOOD. MARSHALLTOWN, Ia., Dec. 25.—A head-on collision occurred on the Iowa central last night, near Grinnell, between a passenger train and a freight train on the Grinnell and Montezuma branch. One engine leaped squarely on the other, and both were badly wrecked. Six passengers were injured, but not fatally. One of the engines was seriously hurt internally by jumping on the other. The names of the injured are not obtainable at present. Misunderstanding of train orders is the alleged cause of the accident.

HOW IT ALL HAPPENED. PARNELL UNDERTAKES TO TELL A NEWS GATHERER.

DUBLIN, Dec. 25.—In an interview to-day before his departure from this city, Mr. Parnell said: "Being aware of the conditions we had to fight in Kilkenny, I knew that the carrying of the seat was almost impossible. I never expected to win." "But the majority," said the reporter, "was even greater than the most confident of your opponents hoped for. You must have used some unfair tactics against Mr. Scully." "Yes," said Mr. Parnell, "the conduct of the press is almost unparalleled. The pressure brought to bear upon the masses of the people, who would have voted for us, had they been left to exercise their own judgment, was intimidation, was undreamt of. Was it kind for a priest to hold over his flock the threat of a castle? It was a serious matter, certainly. Interference with the liberty of an elector cannot be tolerated. This is not all. Cases occurred yesterday of persons being threatened with threats of personal violence were used. Had another Sunday been devoted to the election, it is probable that our votes would have been diminished. It is a remarkable fact, but it is true, that in the districts where the majority was not obtained by the priests we polled 90 per cent of the votes. I wished to penetrate the secret of the worst for us." "The Southern division has been better. The priests led by Mr. Scully, many of the polls like sheep. In many cases they could not coerce the people, they prevented their voting. If a petition were lodged it could be backed up with such evidence to prove undue influence as to make a result in our favor certain. There was no serious purpose in leaving Kingsdown to to-night's mail. I may be detained in London for a few days on my return from Paris. I shall take a few days' rest. I intend to resume the campaign in Ireland early in the year, opening at Limerick. From there I go to Ennis, Waterford and other centers." Mr. Parnell went aboard the mail boat at Kingsdown at 7:30 o'clock this evening. There was no demonstration at his departure.

NINE THOUSAND LURE. THE SCOTCH STRIKE ASSUMING LARGE PROPORTIONS.

GLASGOW, Dec. 25.—It is now estimated that about 9,000 men are out on strike on the various railways in Scotland. Traffic on the North British railway has almost ceased. The company will suspend the operations of its steamers on Loch Lomond and the Clyde in order to obtain employees to work on the railways. Two engineers who refused to quit work were pelted with stones by a number of strikers near Glasgow, and were seriously injured. Many minor assaults by strikers are reported. The gas supply at Perth is threatened with exhaustion owing to the inability of the companies to obtain coal.

STRIKE AT HULL. LONDON, Dec. 25.—One thousand railway men at Hull have struck for an increase in wages and shorter hours.