THREE IN THE RACE

CHAMPIONSHIP ASPIRANTS NARROWED DOWN TO MINNESOTA, WISCONSIN AND MICHIGAN

CHANCES FAVOR ANN ARBOR

Gophers Have More Arduous Schedule Than Wisconsin, but Williams' Proteges Feel Hopeful —Indians Feel Strong.

The football games of Saturday proved nothing conclusively new. They eliminated Iowa and Illinois as factors in the Western championship, leaving Michigan, Wisconsin and Minnesota still the three disputants for supremacy. Of the three, Minnesota alone played a team in its own class. Neither Northwestern nor Illinois showed up strong, but the winning of the purple was a surprise. When Nebraska meets Wisconsin next week it may be possible to get a clearer idea of the relative strength of the teams.

Iowa plays Illinois and Michigan, and Chicago plays Michigan and Wisconsin in succession, and these games will offer some basis on which to compare the work of the teams in the West.

The general feeling just at present is undeniably that Wisconsin is stronger than Minnesota, and that Michigan has a better team than either. If the Minnesota-Wisconsin game were played today all the odds would favor the Badgers. But the crucial test is three weeks away yet, and three weeks will work wonders for a heavy team. No loyal Minnesotan will doubt Dr. Williams' ability to bring the team into shape to play Phil King's outfit to a standstill. Minnesota's defense is superior to Wisconsin's, all things considered.

As last year left the question of superiority debated by Iowa and Minnesota, so this year Michigna will dispute it with either Minnesota or Wisconsin. A post-season game is out of the question. Minnesota has a harder schedule this year than Wisconsin. To end up with three games in ten days, all away from home, is no easy task. Wisconsin, Illinois and Northwestern make a hard trio to tackle, under the circumstances.

Minnesota seems detined this year to crush the hopes of many aspirants for honor. Every team that comes up here seems to have the "hunch" for victory.

Listen to this special from Kirksville, Mo.:

Indians Feel Strong.

The Haskell Indians are figuring on having a record at the end of the football season that will entitle them to put in a claim for the Western championship. Supt. Pearis, of the Indian institute at Lawrence, Kan., and Coach Ellick, of the Michigan university team of 1898, who has the Indians in hand this year, figured it out this way to a Wisconsin correspondent. They expect to win the Minnesota game Nov. 2. If they do that trick and the Gophers beat Wisconsin they will claim an undisputed right to the Western championship. In the event of Wisconsin defeating Minnesota they figure that the Badgers will have to run up a higher score against them than the one they expect to beat the Gophers by. If Wisconsin does win out against the Gophers and the Indians get their Minnesota game they will lay claim to being in the same class with Wisconsin. In last Saturday's game between the Indians and the Osteopaths here the redmen showed great form and the power to play fast and clever football. Capt. Archiquette, who, by the way, is a Wisconsin Indian, being an Oneida, displayed fine generalship and kept his men playing snappy ball all the time. The team scored 36 points on the Osteopaths, who, however, gained the distinction of scoring the first touchdown that has been made against the Indians this season. Bain and Red Water, of the Haskell team, are ex-Carlisle men, and are hosts in themselves in a game. They made the greatest gains against the Osteopaths. The Indians' line will average 186 pounds. It is needless to say that they are hoping for Madison's defeat by Minnesota, especially if they will be able to make good against the Gophers.

MAKES NEW RECORD.

Albert Champion Lowers Mark for Motor Bicycle.

NEW YORK, Oct. 27.—At the Vailsburg, N. J., bicycle track today Albert Champion, on a motor bicycle, made a mile in 1:12 2-5, breaking the world's record for this sort of a machine.

Champion made the old record of 1:15 about three weeks ago. He will again try to lower the record next Wednesday at the Empire City track.

Frank Kramer, the sprinting champion, rode his first race behind motor pace and defeated Monroe in two straight heats. Krebs and Freeman also indulged in a match race. Freeman captured the first heat, but the Newark man won the next two. Summary:

Motor paced match race, best two in three heats—Frank Kramer, East Orange, vs. "Bennie" Monroe, Memphis. First heat, one mile, won by Kramer; time, 1:33. Second heat and race, two miles, won by Kramer in 3:11.

Professional match race—R. P. Freeman, Portland, vs. Floyd Krebs, Newark, half-mile heats. First heat, won by Freeman; time, 2:44 1-5. Second heat, won by Krebs; time, 2:30. Third heat and race, won by Krebs; time, 2:34 1-5.

NECK BROKEN DURING GAME.

Sigrist, Ohio "U's" Center Rush Will Probably Die.

COLUMBUS, Ohio, Oct. 27.—John Sigrist, center rush of the Ohio state university football team, is at one of the city hospitals with a broken neck. Sigrist was injured in the game Saturday with Western Reserve. An x-ray examination today showed the third cervical vertebrae was fractured. An operation will be performed, but there is little hope that it will avail. Sigrist's body is paralyzed from the shoulders down.

Lakeside Entries.

CHICAGO, Oct. 27.—Monday's Lakeside entries:

First race, three-fourths of a mile, selling—Sam Lazarus Esq, 101; Helen Paxton, Emma C L, Boomerack, 98; Lady Contrary, 105; Precursor, 106; Baugh Naugh Gene, Cora Havill II, Maud Hagins, Hop Scotch, 103; Kohnwreath, 97; Harry Herendeen, Mountebank, 109; Henry of Franstamar, 107; B G Fox, 110; Rival Dare, 111; Emma R, 100; Little Lois, 93.

Second race, five-eighths of a mile—All About, 95; Nellie Waddell, Julia Junkin, Merriment, 103; Rag Tag, 98.

Third race, eleven-sixteenths of a mile—Santa Teresa, 83; Money Muss, Burnie Bunton, 107; Maggie Davis, 109; Lou Woods, 86; Boney Boy, 102.

Fourth race, mile and a sixteenth, handicap—The Conqueror II, Vulcain, 106; Cambrian, 111; Odnor, W J Deboe, 97; Haviland, Rolling Boer, Gonfalon, 104; Omdurman, 93; Crosby, Benckart, 90; Orontas, 103; Federal, St Marcos, 112.

Fifth race, seven-eighths of a mile—If You Dare, Audie, 93; Constellation, Ben Battle, Lennep, 99; Federal, Tom Kingsley, 104.

Sixth race, mile and one-eighth, selling—Zack Phelps, 91; El Ghor, 100; Sarilla, Fantasy, 101; Fox Bard, Miss Liza, King Bermuda, 92; Valdez, 104; Crosby, 97; C B Campbell, 102; Lindel Ella, 99.

Cresceus Arrives Today.

Cresceus, the king of the trotting turf, will arrive in Minneapolis this morning, having been shipped from Kansas City in care of the Adams Express company yesterday.

Thursday he will appear at the Minnehaha driving park, and will attempt to lower the record of 2:02½ which stands to his credit.

Dr. Monical Sold for $5,000.

LEXINGTON, Ky., Oct. 27.—The Gambola-Wilkes gelding, Dr. Monical, has arrived here, the property of C. K. Billings, of Chicago. After he had been loaded at Memphis last night, Mr. Billings' offer of $5,000 was accepted by W. F. and J. O. McAllister, of this city.

To accommodate those who are partial to the use of atomizers in applying liquids into the nasal passages for catarrhal troubles, we prepare Cream Balm in liquid form, known as Ely's Liquid Cream Balm. Price including the spraying tube is 75 cts. Druggists or by mail. The liquid embodies the medicinal properties of the solid preparation.

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Messrs. Ely Bros.—I suffered from a severe cold in the head. I could not breathe through my nostrils and was about dead from want of sleep. I used your Cream Balm and woke up with a clear head. I would not take five dollars for my bottle of Cream Balm if I could not get another. S. K. LANSDALE.

ONE DAY MORE

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execution. He was one of the alienists who examined Czolgosz in Buffalo and pronounced the prisoner sane. He has been very anxious to take away with him from the autopsy the assassin's brain for the purpose of microscopical examination. A few days ago Dr. McDonald had a talk with Supt. Collins and asked him to allow him, after the autopsy, to take the brain to New York city for examination. Mr. Collins said to him:

No Sensationalism Allowed.

"Doctor, I have planned to make this execution an example of mystery that will forestall any attempt at sensationalism. I cannot allow anything to go away from the prison that will in any way continue this man's identity for notoriety. You may stay at the prison for a week, if you will, and examine any portion of the anatomy you please, but my present plan is not to allow any portion of the man, his clothing, or even the letters he received to leave this place."

Dr. McDonald replied: "I would like to have taken the brain away, but I am frank to say that you are absolutely right in the matter. If I decide to make any examination I will do it at the prison."

The plan of Supt. Collins is heartily acquiesced in by Warden Mead, and it is said that an unappealed law has been found that will allow the warden to refuse any unauthorized appeal for the assassin's remains, even from his relatives, and will give him the privilege of disposing of them. In that event, within two hours after the execution, unless Dr. McDonald cares to make an analysis of the brain, Czolgosz's body, clothes, letters and everything reminiscent of him in the prison, will be disposed of; the body of the assassin will be buried in quick lime, and the clothes, letters and packages will be consumed by fire. This is not all. Warden Mead, with Supt. Collins' approval, has decided that for the thirty hours preceding the execution of Czolgosz not one word of his condition or actions shall be given out from the prison. In other words, the man, beginning from midnight, is practically dead so far as the public is concerned.

When his death is accomplished, Warden Mead will give out a statement concerning the prisoner's last hours, including any confession he may make. The result of the autopsy will be given out by the warden.

At the autopsy on Tuesday, Dr. Carlos F. McDonald, of New York, and Physician Phyn Gerin, will be the attending physicians, and the priests, if any are required by Czolgosz, will be the two Polish ones that have heretofore visited him.

State Comptroller Erastus Enright, of Buffalo, has been asked to be foreman of the official jury, and will be here. The rest of the jury of twelve men is made up of prominent individuals, including some other state officials.

Gov. Odell has sent word that he particularly desires that this execution be conducted with as little display of notoriety as possible.

The prison officials rather anticipate a visit from the aged father of the assassin tomorrow. Waldeck Bandowsky, brother-in-law of the assassin, called at the prison today, but was denied admission. Warden Mead, who is ill, was in bed, and the chief keeper would not take the responsibility of admitting him. He will very likely call again tomorrow. It is possible not one of the Polish priests will visit Czolgosz tomorrow, but there is some question about the final reconciliation of the prisoner with the church in which he was baptized. He maintains the stolidity and indifference which have marked his conduct since his arrest.

FINAL MESSAGE SENT.

Czolgosz's Father Forwards Tender Farewell to His Son.

CLEVELAND, O., Oct. 27.—The Associated press is made the medium of the last message from the father of Leon Czolgosz, the condemned assassion who will pay the penalty for his terrible crime in Auburn prison next Tuesday morning. In an interview this afternoon the elder Czolgosz was asked what he had to say finally to his unfortunate son.

The old man's eyes filled with tears as he replied deliberately:

"Tell Leon that I hope that he may rest in peace, that he will become reconciled to God and will meet his end bravely. Tell him that as much as I and all our family regret his most unhappy plight that we can do nothing to interfere, that he alone is responsible for his unfortunate position and that he must meet his punishment as a consequence."

Further conversation elicited the information that the purpose of the visit of Waldeck Czolgosz to Auburn is to arrange for the disposition of the body after the law's mandate has been carried out. Up to this afternoon no communication had been received by the elder Czolgosz from Waldeck and this is taken to mean that the father's presence is not desired at the death scene.

Disposition of the Body.

The entire arrangement of the after part of the law's course are in Waldeck's hands and what steps he will take is a matter of uncertainty. The expense of conveying the body from Auburn to Cleveland is one of the considerations that causes hesitancy in the announcement of definite final arrangements. Paul Czolgosz, the father, stated that there was some fear of mutilation or other undesirable occurrence at some time or other if the body should be brought to Cleveland immediately after the electrocution. This fear has led to the consideration of cremating the body at Buffalo or some other city where a crematory is available.

Some anonymous communications to the Czolgosz family have mentioned the fact that the body might be valuable as a scientific object of medical people and would bring a good sum of money but further than mere hints no definite offer has been made. It was stated that such an offer would be distasteful to the family of the assassin and would not be considered. Fear that the body might be stolen if buried in the usual manner is also a reason for cremation being favored.

All post mortem arrangements are in the hands of Waldeck Czolgosz and whatever he does the family here will acquiesce in.

MOTHER AND SON POISONED.

Domestic Tragedy at South Bend, Ind.—Another Son Suspected.

SOUTH BEND, Ind., Oct. 27.—Lying unconscious in their home in this city, Mrs. Rebeccah Webb and her son Charles were found by neighbors today evidently suffering from slow corrosive poisoning. The young man died tonight, the mother cannot live, and his brother, U. G. Webb, who, it is alleged, was ordered from home several days ago, is under arrest. His sister Cora, aged twenty, who had been in the house with the victims, who had been sick since Friday noon, is under police surveillance. She says her mother and brother became very sick after eating dinner Friday, and claims she was also taken ill and was unable to rise until this morning, when she tried to arouse the unconscious sufferers, and failing, laid down and slept until awakened by neighbors.

ROW AT LEXINGTON

POLE MARKING THREE-EIGHTHS MARK MOVED BY CLEVER SWINDLERS

INVESTIGATION IS ORDERED

Supposed Scheme Was to Deceive Owners of Yearlings and Intending Purchasers — Discovered by Trainers.

LEXINGTON, Ky., Oct. 27.—The following is a portion of a call tonight issued by the local breeders:

"All those interestetd in the breeding, training or racing of thoroughbred horses are requested to meet at the Phoenix hotel in this city Thursday noon, for the purpose of taking such action as may be necessary to determine the truth of reports that a pole, supposed to mark three-eighths of a mile from the wire at the Kentucky Association race track, was moved, and if the reports be found correct to take such action as may be necessary to expose and punish the person or persons guilty of moving it."

The call is signed by H. A. Engman, Tevis Wilkerson, Milton Young, T. C. McDowell, P. H. Johnson, J. C. Rogers, G. D. Wilson, B. G. Thomas, F. A. Dangerfield, T J. Carson, O. H. Chenault, Ed Kane, Charles McMeekin, H. P. Headley, S. C. Lyne, W. S. Barnes, E. F. Clay and Campbell Scott.

Few incidents in recent years have created as great a sensation among horsemen as the suspicion, first given utterance last Thursday, investigated on Friday and proven on Saturday, that one of the poles marking the distance at the race track had, on Wednesday night, been moved so as to make the pole marking three-eighths of a mile from the timers' stand forty-five feet less than the supposed distance, and then moved back again Thursday night.

Had it been that only the usual workouts were given it would have made no further difference than that several men who on Thursday thought they had phenomenal yearlings would have found out the mistake later. There was, however, a gentleman from New York, Mr. Hill, the representative of Clarence Mackay, who was there on Thursday, who timed a yearling he had been invited here to see make the short three-eighths in 36½ seconds. He returned with an option on the colt, said to be $8,000. Trainers at the track made the discovery as to the change in the position of the pole. While suspicion does not rest on any definite person, a popular demand for an investigation led to this call for a meeting of breeders on Tuesday.

WEYLER NO DICTATOR

FORMER GOVERNOR GENERAL OF CUBA DEFINES HIS ATTITUDE.

MADRID, Oct 27.—During yesterday's sitting of the Spanish chamber of deputies, which proved sensational Senor Romeroy Robeldo cleverly led the minister of war, Gen. Weyler, to define his attitude and intentions.

Gen. Weyler declared that while the war in Cuba lasted his views were totally distinct from those of the Liberal party, but when the war was at end the motive of the Liberals was to evade disaster and he saw nothing to prevent his allying himself with a Liberal government.

"I always faithfully observed discipline," he continued, "and he who talks of dictatorship is the enemy of discipline. Our recent maneuvers have proved that good feeling exists between the people and the army. As for dictatorship no one thinks of such a thing. Dictators are the offspring of circumstances.

"For myself, I may say this. I have never thought of being one, nor do I now. Nevertheless if my aid were asked at a moment of gravity I do not know how I should decide between my political and military duties; but I should always incline toward the latter."

Loud and prolonged uproar interrupted the minister of war and several of his ministerial colleagues were unable to restrain expressions of surprise at his words.

"I am a politician and a Liberal," he resumed, "but before all I am a soldier, and if it should become necessary, I will defend our institutions and parliament."

Senor Romero rejoined: "I take note of the declarations of the minister of war on the subject of a dictatorship."

Gen. Weyler's speech largely occupies public attention in view of the possibility that he may become premier if Senor Sagasta, whose health is indifferent, should find it necessary to retire. El Imparcial remarks that "a dark cloud enshrouds Gen. Weyler since the debate."

ENDEAVORERS ADJOURN

TWO THOUSAND DELEGATES AT THE OMAHA CONVENTION.

OMAHA, Neb., Oct. 27.—The state convention of the Young People's Society of Christian Endeavor came to a close tonight with gatherings in three of the largest churches of the city. Dr. Francis E. Clark, D. D., father of Christian Endeavor, addressed all of the meetings, which were also addressed by Rev. B. B. Tyler, D. D., of Denver, Col., and several well known local ministers. The convention has been the largest in the history of the state, there being nearly 2,000 present, including several prominent national workers in the Christian Endeavor movement.

MINERS STILL ENTOMBED

RESCUE PARTY AT BINGHAM, UTAH, ENCOUNTERS DIFFICULTIES.

SALT LAKE CITY, Utah, Oct. 27.—A telephone message from Bingham, Utah, tonight states that up to 10 p. m., rescuing parties had failed to reach Charles Nutting and William Anderson, the miners entombed by a cave in in the Highland Boy mine Friday night. It is not known whether the imprisoned men are dead or alive, their signals having ceased after midnight last night. Great difficulty is being encountered in reaching the place where the men are located. The walls of the tunnel are constantly crumbling, not only impeding the work of rescue but also endangering the lives of the miners who are endeavoring to save their entombed comrades.

FELL UNDER TRAIN.

Frank Taquette Has Both His Legs Cut Off.

Special to the Globe.

DULUTH, Minn., Oct. 27.—Frank Taquette, the fourteen year old son of Mrs. Mary Taquette, of Hermantown, fell under the wheels of the Missaba freight train this afternoon and had both his legs severed. His recovery is doubtful.

John Anzinsky, a five year old child, fell into the lake this evening off the Lake avenue slip, but was noticed by John Lynch, a tug man, who jumped in and rescued the boy.

Linemen on the Zenith Telephone company will strike tomorrow morning, the company having announced its intention of not acceding to their demands for an eight hour day. Manager Kreitzer says the company is willing to pay for nine hours, but refuses to be dictated to by the men.

NO NEWS OF MISS STONE

STATE AUTHORITIES WORKING TO SAVE KIDNAPED MISSIONARY.

WASHINGTON, Oct. 27.—The state department officials had no news to give out today regarding Miss Ellen M. Stone, the American missionary now in the hands of the Bulgarian brigands. They are continuing unceasingly in their efforts to obtain her release, and again today messages were sent to Consul General Dickinson, now at Sofia, and to Spencer Eddy, the charge at Constantinople, urging immediate efforts for the establishment of communication between the missionaries and the captors of Miss Stone. The officials continue hopeful of ultimately securing her release.

PLAN EXTENSION WORK

WEEKLY LECTURES UNDER AUSPICES OF CHICAGO UNIVERSITY.

CHICAGO, Oct. 27.—The University of Chicago will undertake a new system of university extension work during the coming winter, and the directors of the department hope to extend weekly lectures eventually to every city in the Mississippi valley. The work will be conducted by the university lecture association.

Arrangements have been made for a definite series of courses to be given under the auspices of the University of Chicago at Pittsburg, Toledo, Cincinnati, Minneapolis, Milwaukee and St. Paul. On the success that attends the work in these centers will depend the plans for further enlargements of the work. Every city of over 1,000 people within 500 miles of Chicago is to be embraced in the system.

RECORDS ARE COMPLETED

GEN. AINSWORTH REVIEWS WORK OF PENSION DEPARTMENT.

WASHINGTON, Oct. 27.—Brig. Gen. Fred C. Ainsworth, chief of the record and pension office in his annual report to the secretary of war shows that 181,928 cases were received and disposed of during the fiscal year. His office relates mainly to records of officers and soldiers kept for the army and pension office. It also deals with medals of honor, as the record of soldiers receiving medals are furnished the proper officers through Gen. Ainsworth's bureau. He reviews at some length the subject of medals of honor, and the laws under which they are granted.

Gen. Ainsworth says that the fiscal year has witnessed the practical completion of the work, so many years in progress, of the publication of the official records of the Union and Confederate armies during the Civil war. They make a total of 125,730 pages of text.

CHARLES A. GRANT DEAD.

Was a Pioneer Resident of Stillwater and Highly Respected.

Special to the Globe.

STILLWATER, Minn., Oct. 27.—Charles A Grant, a well known and respected resident of Stillwater, died early yesterday morning of heart disease, after an illness of many months. Deceased was sixty-two years of age, a member of St. John's lodge, A. F. and A. M., and was for many years connected with the circulation departmenet of the Stillwater Gazeete. He is survived by a widow and one son.

The last baseball game of the season was played yesterday between the Joseph Wolf company team and the Independents, of South Stillwater, the former winning by a score eof 16 to 5.

Latest Ticks of the Telegraph.

Japan Issues Bonds.

YOKOHAMA, Oct. 27.—The Japanese treasury announces the issue of bonds to the amount of 16,500,000 yen. Of this sum 8,000,000 yen will be devoted to the redemption of other bonds, while the remainder will be used in defraying the cost of the Chinese expedition.

Bank of Spain Holdings.

MADRID, Oct. 27.—The report of the Bank of Spain for the week ended yesterday shows the following changes: Gold in hand, increase, 6,000 pesetas; silver in hand, increase, 1,568,000 pesetas; notes in circulation, decrease, 1,663,000 pesetas.

Heavy Registration at Cleveland.

CINCINNATI, Ohio, Oct. 27.—The registration of voters in Ohio for the election one week from next Tuesday closed at 9 p. m. last night. The total registration of Cincinnati was 76,602, the largest ever recorded except for the presidential election last year, when it reached 82,322.

Cuban Customs Receipts.

WASHINGTON, Oct. 27.—A comparative statement issued today by the division of insular affairs of the war department shows that the total receipts from customs sources in Cuba for the first nine months of 1901 were $11,584,837; for the same period of 1900, $11,328,742, and for 1899, $10,797,407.

Looking for "Topeka Joe."

TOLEDO, Ohio, Oct. 27.—J. B. Evans, better known as "Topeka Joe," the famous postoffice robber, who recently escaped from jail here, has been located in the woods near Sarnia, Can., and a posse of men is on his track. There is a heavy reward for his capture.

New Breed of Cattle.

CARBONDALE, Ill., Oct. 27.—Warren Gammon, of Des Moines, Iowa, noted as a breeder of registered cattle, has secured eleven of the seventeen known muley Hereford cattle in the United States for the purpose of establishing a distinct new breed of cattle known as the Polled Herefords. Mr. Gammon has the only two registered muley Hereford bulls in the world.

Chinese Revolution Predicted.

CHICAGO, Oct. 27.—Regeneration of the Chinese people and the overthrow of the Chinese government were predicted by Rt. Rev. F. R. Graves, missionary bishop of Shanghai, in a sermon today at Grace Episcopal church. According to the prelate the recent outbreaks in China are but signs of a coming revolution. The Chinese people, he said, were becoming eager for reform, and the new generation would revolt in order to learn of the customs and habits of other people.

Must Appear in Court.

ST. PETERSBURG, Oct. 27.—Former Lieut. Maximoff, of the Russian guards, has been cited to appear before the civil courts to answer for his participation in the duel last summer at Wittgenstein with Prince Alexander Sayn-Wittgenstein-Berleburg, which resulted fatally for the prince. Ex-officers of the Russian army are not permitted to engage in duels and cannot plead privilege.

Will Open Railway.

ST. PETERSBURG, Oct. 27.—According to a dispatch to the Novoe Vremya from Vladivostock, the Russian general, Grodekoff, accompanied by the Russian assistant minister of finance, M. Romaneff, will soon open the Manchurian-Siberian railway.

Destroyed by Fire.

LONDON, Oct. 28.—"The town of Bobruisk, in the government of Minsk, has been destroyed by fire," says a dispatch to the Daily Mail from St. Petersburg, "and several lives have been lost."

Eaten by Wolves.

VIENNA, Oct. 27.—Twenty-three persons have been eaten by wolves, says the Neues Wiener Journal, while working in the fields near Witebsk, Poland.

Boers Are Shot.

LONDON, Oct. 28.—The South African mail brings news that several Boers who were capturede wearing khaki uniforms were court-martialed and shot. It seemed also that Commandant Theren crossed the Cape Colony line west of Tous River station Sept. 23.

Delegates See Buffalo.

BUFFALO, N. Y., Oct. 27.—The members of the committee of business men of Porto Rico who are making a tour of the principal cities of the East and middle West were given the freedom of the city and the fair and spent the greater part of the day at the grounds. The representatives of the Buffalo Business Men's association acted as an escort. Tomorrow the Porto Ricans will visit Niagara Falls. The party leave for Detroit tomorrow night.

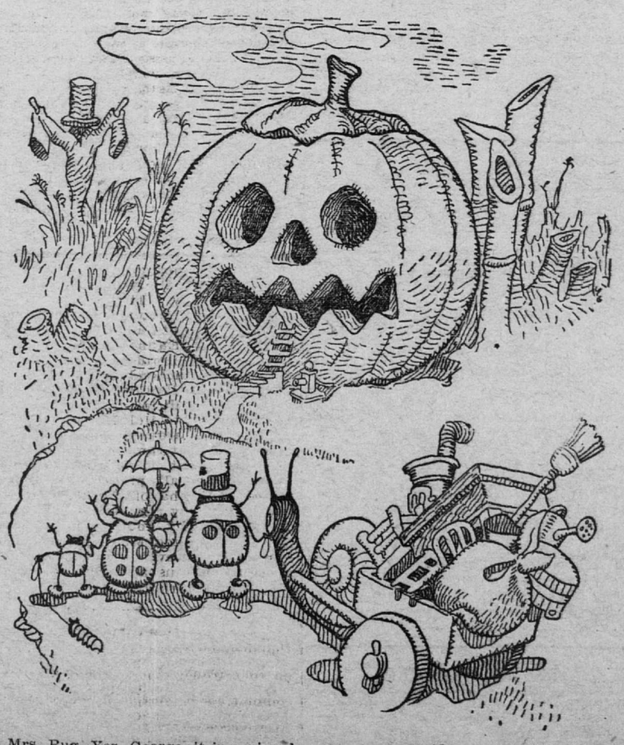
Russia and China Agree.

LONDON, Oct. 28.—"It is officially announced in St. Petersburg," says a special dispatch from the Russian capital, "that Russia and China have concluded an agreement as to Manchuria."

Speech Excites Comment.

WASHINGTON, Oct. 27.—The speech of Gen. Rafaele Reyes, one of the delegates to the Pan-American congress, at a banquet yesterday in honor of the delegates, has created considerable comment in diplomatic and other circles. While considered inopportune by some, yet it is not believed that the remarks of Gen. Reyes will cause any embarrassmenet, nor do they call for any notice from the officials of this government.

BUG HOUSE HUNTING IN JACK LANTERN SEASON.



Mrs. Bug—Yes, George, it is a nice, large, roomy residence, but I hardly like the peculiar arrangement of the door and windows.

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HORRORS OF PEKIN SIEGE

REV. DR. AMENT SPEAKS TO CONGREGATION AT LINCOLN.

LINCOLN, Neb., Oct. 27.—Rev. A. S. Ament tonight at the Vine Street Congregational church recounted before a large and intensely interested audience the siege of Pekin, during which he was a prisoner, together with his version of the Boxer uprising. The Boxer movement originally, he believed, was harmless, but its outlawry began when the leaders realized that they had the tacit approval of the empress dowager, described as one of the wickedest of women, to commit deeds of bloodshed. The enmity of the empress dowager toward missionaries and foreigners in general, Dr. Ament admitted, was perhaps natural because they had taken slices of her territory. Nothing, however, excused this unnatural woman for the murder of her own government ministers and innocent natives, which the speaker said she countenanced and even demanded.

Dr. Ament said he would return to China.

CHILDREN LOSE ESTATE

WHITE MAN'S MARRIAGE TO NEGRESS DECLARED ILLEGAL.

CHARLESTOWN, S. C., Oct. 27.—The court of common pleas in Florence county, this state, has decided that a marriage contracted in this state between a white man and a negro woman in 1867 was invalid, and that the children born of such marriage do not inherit from an estate left to the lawful grandchildren of the testatrix.

It was shown that in 1865 the South Carolina legislature passed an act prohibiting the intermarriage of white and colored persons and reiterated it in the act of 1866. Under the code of 1872 these two acts were repealed by the Republican state government. Under the present state constitution intermarriage between white and colored persons is prohibited. The real estate in dispute is said to be valuable and the loss will be heavy to the mulatto claimants.

FOREST FIRE RAGING.

Much Timber Burned Up in Colorado —No Fatalities.

COLORADO SPRINGS, Col., Oct. 27.—A big forest fire is raging on the mountain range in the vicinity of Garfield mountain, directly south of Pike's peak. The fire started this afternoon from an unknown cause, and driven by a high wind spread over a big area. The blaze is easily discernible from this city. So far as can be learned there are no houses in danger, but much damage will be done to timber.

BIG GUSHER FOUND.

Lucky Find Made Near Kemmerer, Wyo.

CHEYENNE, Wyo., Oct. 27.—There is great excitement over the discovery of a gusher in the Fossil oil fields near Kemmerer. Oil was found at a depth of 132 feet, of which there was a steady flow. The oil is said to be of a high grade, and oil properties are being held high. A dozen wells are being started in the district.

No Need of Prayer.

New York Weekly.

Deacon Ebony—I hab not seen you at oath revival meetin's, Mistah Black.

Mistah Black—Wot foh I want ob revival meetin's?

"Don't you ebber pray?"

"No; I carry a rabbit's foot."

OFFICIAL PROCEEDINGS.

Board of Fire Commissioners.

St. Paul, Minn., Oct. 23rd, 1901.

Special meeting of the Board was held this day at 8 p. m.

Present—Commissioners Clarkin, Freeman, Schweizer and President Warner.

Absent—Commissioner Tostevin.

The object of the meeting, as stated by the President, was for the purpose of making arrangements for a meeting with the Charter Commission with reference to the removal of the charter limitation of $215,000 for Fire Department.

In a letter addressed to President Warner, Assistant City Attorney F. H. Griggs called attention to the fact that the annual budget for 1902 will be taken up at Conference Committee meeting to be held on Nov. 2d, and suggests that the Board have prepared statement showing condition of the Department under present limitations, and its needs in detailed form. The matter then could be carried into the City Council and by that means brought in a favorable manner before the Charter Commission.

On motion the President was empowered to communicate with the President of the Charter Commission asking that a meeting of said Commission be called at an early date so that this Board can lay the matter of proposed amendment to the City Charter asking for a more liberal allowance for the Fire Department.

On motion the Chief Engineer was instructed to prepare a report to be submitted at special meeting of the Board to be held on Friday evening, the 25th inst., showing the number and character of all pieces of apparatus and the age of service of each; also his recommendations in detail as to what additions and improvements are needed in the equipment of the Department. The Secretary was directed to prepare statement showing salaries of all members of the Department at this time, and salaries paid previous to reduction in 1896 and at any other time when a general reduction was made.

A communication from F. H. Griggs, Assistant Corporation Attorney, was read, in which he stated that he had arranged with Messrs. Howe, Taylor & Mitchell, attorneys for Hart N. Cook, Arthur Martin and Thomas Carey, claimants for arrearages of salary due them as members of the Fire Department, a settlement in full for the sum of $5,968.19, and asking the Board to approve of the stipulation. On motion of Commissioner Schweizer, the Secretary was instructed to communicate with the Corporation Attorney and notify that officer that the Board of Fire Commissioners had not at any time requested him to make a settlement on its behalf; that the matter is beyond the jurisdiction of this Board, and they must at this time refuse to enter into any settlement of this case.

On motion, the Board adjourned to meet on Friday evening, Nov. 25th.

REUBEN WARNER JR., President.

WM. O'GORMAN, Secretary.

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OFFICIAL PROCEEDINGS.

Board of Fire Commissioners.

St. Paul, Minn., Oct. 25th, 1901.

Adjourned meeting of the Board was held this day at 8 p. m.

Present — Commissioners Clarkin, Schweizer and President Warner.

Absent—Commissioners Freeman and Tostevin.

The Board had under consideration the reports of the Chief Engineer and the Secretary, which had been ordered at the previous meeting. The Chief reported that all of the apparatus in use in the department was in serviceable condition; that with the necessary repairs needed from time to time will do good service, except Engine No. 13, which is thirty years old, is worn out and unreliable for service. The reserve engine was purchased in 1869; has been in service thirty-two years, and is no longer reliable. These two engines should be replaced by two first-class engines, cost $7,600.

No. 15 Company, located corner Livingston and Fairfield avenue, should be made a full engine company equipped with a first-class engine, with full complement of men. This would cost for one first size engine, $4,800; three horses, $675; three sets of harness, $85; feed, $270; house furniture, $75; supply wagon, $225; four additional men, salaries, $3,816; total, $9,946.

An engine company should be placed in service in the engine house located corner of Ashland avenue and Victoria street, to replace present chemical company, which would cost for:

1 second size engine	$4,300
1 hose wagon	450
2,400 feet hose	2,400
3 horses	675
3 sets harness	85
Feed	270
House furniture	168
Engine heater	40
Coal	210
Supply wagon	225
6 additional men, salaries 1 year	5,364
	$14,187

I would also recommend the purchase of one one-horse single tank chemical engine to be used on St. Anthony hill (in place of present Chemical No. 6) to be run in conjunction with some other company. This would cost for

1 single tank chemical	$1,400
1 horse	225
1 harness	20
1 man, salary 1 year	804
	$2,449

For additional repairs to apparatus, viz.:

2 sets of engine coils for first and second size Ahrens engines	$650
1 set wheels for Truck No. 3	200
1 set wheels for extra cart	70
Yokes for doctor's second size Ahrens engine	80
	$1,000

To replace old, worn-out supply wagons, 1 for Supply Hose No. 2, 1 for Engine No. 13, $225 each $450

On motion of Commissioner Schweizer, the Board added the following to above report: That a lot be purchased in the vicinity of Dale street and University avenue, an engine house be built thereon and an engine company fully equipped be placed in service therein, estimated cost of same:

Lot	$1,600.00
Engine house	8,000.00
1 second size engine	4,300.00
1 hose wagon	425.00
2,400 feet hose	2,400.00
5 horses	1,125.00
5 sets harness	150.00
1 engine heater	40.00
1 supply wagon	200.00
House furniture	200.00
1 alarm gong	100.00
8 mens' salaries, 1 year	7,112.00
	$25,202.00
That ten additional men be added to the Midway district, cost	8,400.00
To restore salaries to former basis	12,969.96
Total	$82,583.96

On motion, the above report was adopted and the President requested to present at the next meeting of the Conference Committee. On motion the Board postponed until next meeting the matter of adjusting salary list.

Adjourned.

REUBEN WARNER JR., President.

WM. O'GORMAN, Secretary.

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