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THREE IN FAMILY INSANE.

Martin McCue of Craftsbury, Follows Father and Sister in Killing Mania.

Waterbury, May 28.—A remarkable instance of the persistence of insanity in a family is brought to notice in the commitment of Martin McCue of Craftsbury to the Retreat at Brattleboro.

Michael McCaffrey killed his wife and mother in this town 25 years ago in a fit of insanity. He had a religious mania. He was sent to the Brattleboro Retreat, but is now confined in the hospital in town.

The family scattered; the children taking the name of McCue. Mrs. William L. Dunstan, one of the daughters, committed suicide in the Connecticut river at Brattleboro in March, while insane.

Martin McCue went to Brattleboro to assist in the search for his sister when he learned of her disappearance. He went insane soon after and was discovered in the woods near his home, carrying a revolver wrapped in a handkerchief and threatening to make trouble.

FIGHT AT BRIDGEPORT.

Probably Fatal Result of a Quarrel Over a Game of Pool.

Bridgeport, Conn., May 28.—In a fight over a game of pool Saturday night, Karela Ferrer shot Michael Balash, the ball passing entirely through his head and causing a wound which probably will result fatally. The bullet fired by Ferrer and which wounded Balash, also struck Michael Krug, who tried to separate the men, and it was necessary to take four stitches in the latter's head. Krug's condition is not serious, however. After an exciting chase, during which an automobile was pressed into service, the police caught Ferrer, and he is held pending the outcome of Balash's injury.

MORE LABOR REFUGEES ESCAPE FROM PROCTOR.

Last week's advertisement told a story of contract labor in Vermont that astonished and shocked the whole state. It was a plain, unvarnished narrative of systematic fraud and injury involving the personal and commercial honor of the machine candidate for governor. This week we present the simple tale of Mike Heller, 18, Samuel Schwartz, 17, and Simon Wisloskie, 15.

These boys, on their sworn testimony, were brought to Proctor under false pretenses, put to work at heavy and injurious tasks, and then discharged with three cents among them, many miles from home and without money enough to buy food.

The account of their adventures might be made a masterpiece of fiction. We quote merely from the sworn statements of the boys, told mostly in their own language:

MIKE HELLER'S STORY.

"We were introduced to Mr. Grossman, who hired us to go to Albany, N. Y., to learn a trade; that he would pay us \$1.25 per day, payable monthly on the 15th day of the month; that he would pay our car fare and board until we could draw our wages."

Instead of stopping at Albany, however, they were taken to Proctor, reaching there about 11 o'clock. Heller continues:

"The following morning at 20 minutes to 7 we were given a shovel and set to work. The boss was named Tom O'Hara, who kept calling to us to hurry up—hurry up—or go home; that we worked three weeks and then they discharged us and when we presented our time slips to Mr. Grossman he took them and wouldn't give me but three cents for my three weeks' work."

Driven out of a wagon, the boys slept that night on excelsior in a room at the mill. At 4 o'clock they were driven out of the mill and later threatened with the jail if they hung around the office demanding wages. They begged ten cents, bought a loaf of bread, then trudged to Rutland, where they were cared for.

SAMUEL SCHWARTZ SAID:

"I was to be paid \$1.25 per day; that I worked three weeks and they would not pay me or give me car fare home; I said: 'Give me a ticket home and that is all I will ask'; that he, Grossman, said: 'I will call an officer and have you locked up'; that we were working for the Vermont Marble Company; that works are at Proctor, and Grossman, Superintendent Davis and Mr. Thompson were the men that bossed us and with whom we dealt."

STORY OF LITTLE SIMON WISLOSKIE.

The "baby" of this pathetic group of Proctor refugees is little Simon Wisloskie. He is 15 years old, small in stature, weighs 71 pounds and shows the marks of rough or brutal treatment on arm and breast. When they threatened to put him in jail at the marble shop office in Proctor, he replied:

"All right; put me in jail. Then you have to listen to my story."

After his boyish hunger had been satisfied by charitable people in Rutland, little Simon made the following statement:

"I am 15 years old, going on 16; I asked Grossman for store book to get undershirt and drawers, as I had no clothing but what was on, but he would give me nothing, nor would they, Gossman or Thompson, give me a ticket home. I live with my mother and a brother and sister, both younger than I. My father is in the crazy house. I am sick; the men working with me pushed me off the staging and hurt my breast and wrist."

We make no comment on these statements. They support one another. They verify Leo Rosenblum's story of last week. Four more refugees who reached Rutland the same day as Heller and his friends confirm the latter's story. We let the facts speak for themselves.

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The best and surest way to get rid of the pain of corns is to remove the corns. It can be easily done by applying our INFALLIBLE CORN CURE. Three applications will actually loosen your corns so that, after soaking the feet, they can be easily and painlessly removed. They come out whole, roots and all, and all pain is removed with them. Isn't it worth the price, 25c, to obtain relief and be able to walk in comfort?

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President Turns Tables On Beef Packers

FORCES INSPECTION BILL

On Pain of Disclosures—Report on Uncleanly Packing Not Printable—Beef Men Hasten to Washington, But the Senate Yields.

Washington, D. C., May 28.—President Roosevelt is getting even for his disappointment of some months ago over the beef packers' trial. He is swinging the big stick with a vengeance. The beef packers are rushing to Washington to plead for mercy, but the President is obdurate.

The passage Saturday without debate of the Beverage amendment to the agricultural appropriation bill was the President's revenge. He drove the amendment through under threats of exposing the uncleanly and unsanitary conditions attending the dressing of meat for the domestic market. It silenced debate, dearly as the Senate loves a long talk. Saturday Speaker Cannon hurried to the White House attended by other Illinois members, asking a little time for consideration of such an important provision. They received cold comfort. The President intends to put the measure through the popular legislative branch, as he did through the Senate—under whip and spur.

The agricultural bill, carrying the important rider, will be returned to the House today or tomorrow. As the rider carries by its own provision new appropriations the speaker expects to send the entire bill to the appropriation committee.

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Saturday's College Games.

At Princeton—Princeton 5, Harvard 0. At New Haven—Yale 2, Cornell 1; Yale 1909 4, Harvard 1909 1.

At Philadelphia—University of Penn. 4, Brown 3. At Worcester—Holy Cross 7, Wesleyan 1.

At Annapolis—West Point 8, Annapolis 5. At Washington—Georgetown 7, Geo. Washington 1.

At Orono, Maine—Maine 3, Bates 0. At Williamstown—William 1, Dartmouth 0 (16 innings).

At Springfield—Worcester Technical 7, Springfield T. S. 6. At Hartford, Conn.—Tufts 6, Trinity 2.

Just Before Fly-Time.

Of all the annoyances of the house-keeper there are few, if any, more troublesome than the common housefly. So profusely does he breed and so quickly mature that he would be a nuisance if not more serious charges lay against him. Like the mosquito, he spreads disease, especially typhoid fever and other intestinal disorders.

In the temperate zone the Musca domestica or common housefly matures from the egg in from ten to fourteen days. As the female lays about 120 eggs, and as from twelve to fourteen generations develop in a single season, to penetrate every room of every house, the danger from this insignificant pest is no small matter.

The favorite breeding-place of the housefly is stable manure, particularly the manure from horses; but open out-houses, such as are common in the country, are also favorite places for depositing the eggs. It is here that the most serious danger arises, for flies which have alighted upon the excreta from typhoid fever or cholera patients may afterward convey the disease germs to food.

From knowing the source of a danger, the next step is to prevent the evil. In the case of flies, certain simple measures ought everywhere to be taken, not merely to avoid a personal annoyance, but for the protection of life itself.

First, every floor and every window should be carefully screened, and sticky fly-paper should be generously distributed.

Secondly, stable manure should be removed every day, and placed, not in an open pile but in a screened bin. This method pursued by the Department of Agriculture at Washington gave immediate relief, after treatment of the stable manure by chemicals had been abandoned as unpractical, because of the expense.

Thirdly, all open vaults should be kept carefully screened; and, lastly, food should be always protected by covers of wire netting—an old-fashioned country practice which deserves to be revived.—Youth's Companion.

Cigar Strike Settled.

Boston, May 28.—After a strike of about three weeks, over 500 cigarmakers agreed Saturday to go back to work today. Seven of the largest manufacturers, who have been holding out against the union demands, agreed to grant the increase of 5 cents a thousand on five-cent goods and \$1 a thousand for making the 10-cent varieties of cigars.

This Space is Controlled by Central Labor Union of Barre and Vicinity.

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