

OUR WASHINGTON WIRE.

The Fifth Sunday of the President's Illness Passes Pleasantly.

A Slight Febrile Rise Takes Place Yesterday, But Subsides Early.

The Examination To-Day Expected to Develop the Location of the Ball.

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ELECTRIC BRIEFS.

The parents of Leo Taylor and Francis Creighton, who were drowned last spring in a ferryboat disaster at Elgin, Ill., have demanded \$5,000 damages in each case from the city for criminal negligence.

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state of affairs need not be considered alarming but rather showing that the physicians intend to meet every complication half way and feel confident of success.

SUNDAY'S BULLETINS.

WASHINGTON, August 7.—8:30 a. m.—After the bulletin of last evening was issued the president fell into a pleasant sleep, during which the febrile rise subsided, and was no longer perceptible when he awoke.

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the Irish cause. He congratulated his hearers upon the almost certain passage of the land bill through parliament.

Grand Junction Items.

GRAND JUNCTION, La., August 6.—A young man named Roderick had his arm badly broken this morning by a falling derrick, which caught him before he could escape.

Death of Gen. Grant's Brother.—MORRISTOWN, N. J., Aug. 7.—Orville Grant, brother of ex-President Grant, died at the New Jersey state insane asylum, Morris Plains, yesterday.

RAILROAD RUMBLINGS.—INDIANAPOLIS, August 7.—The cutting of rates from this point reached a climax yesterday, when tickets to New York were sold by the agent of the Baltimore & Ohio railway at 95 cents reduction from \$14, in opposition to the Bee line. The war will be renewed Monday.

CHICAGO, August 7.—The Grand Trunk continues its \$5 rate to Boston. It has sold eleven hundred tickets since Tuesday afternoon. They will make arrangements soon for an \$8 rate to New York. Other eastern lines have not met the \$5 Boston rate and say they will not reduce below \$16.

THE TRIGGER.

CHICAGO, August 7.—The tournament of the Illinois state sportsmen's association closed yesterday after a fine day's shoot. The free-for-all four teams shoot was won by the Rock City gun club, of Tennessee, by a score of 39 out of a possible 40.

WASHINGTON, D. C., August 8.—For the Tennessee and Ohio valley and lower lake regions, there is fair weather; north winds, becoming variable; stationary or falling barometer. For the upper lake region: Warm, fair weather; north winds, generally shifting to south, and lower pressure.

Accident to a Steamer.

HALIFAX, August 7.—The Crantwell line steamer Captain Henry, from New York, via Halifax, for St. John's, which left this port this morning, struck on Thrum Cape entrance of harbor and became a total wreck. The passengers, crew, mails and baggage were safely landed.

Uncompahgre Utes.

LAKE CRY, Col., August 7.—The Ute commission, which has been highly successful in locating the Uncompahgre Utes on the new reservation near the Uintah reservation. Indian Agent Berry says the removal will begin at once and be completed in three weeks.

Fire Record.

TAUNTON, Mass., August 7.—The mill factory and wire rolling mill of the Old Colony iron company in east Taunton, was burned this morning. Loss on building, machinery and stock about \$150,000; insurance about \$60,000.

Carpenters' Convention.

CHICAGO, August 7.—The first national convention of carpenters and joiners commences Monday to continue three days. Delegates from St. Louis, New York, Cincinnati and Baltimore are now here. R. J. McGuire, of St. Louis, will preside.

A Terrible Adventure.

The residents of Chippewa, a small town two miles from here, upon the Niagara river, were startled at dusk last evening by hearing loud cries for help from the river, which was covered with an impenetrable fog.

Greenwood, seeing his dangerous position, let go his anchor, which, fortunately, took hold of the rocks and he was saved. He kept shooting for help at intervals all night, and this morning was found riding safely at anchor. The Lehmanns, having no anchor in their boat, drifted down with the rapids, shrieking frantically for help. Almost by a miracle the current swept them against a projecting point near Burning Springs, and they were saved.

FOREIGN FLASHES.

The Cabinet Council Decides to Resist All Amendments to the Irish Land Bill.

Ayob Khan's Losses in the Candahar Engagement Said to Be Very Heavy.

A Brilliant Assemblage at the Mansion House Banquet.

Bradlaugh Addresses a Monster Meeting at Northampton Yesterday.

Miscellaneous News From Beyond the Ocean.

LONDON, August 7.—Bradlaugh is sick with dyspepsia, one of the indirect causes of his struggle with the police and crowd in the house of commons on Wednesday, the immediate injury from which trouble is said to have arisen from a severe strain.

LONDON, August 7.—Ayob Khan's messengers report that in the conflict about Candahar his losses were much heavier than those of the ameer.

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CLAN NA GAEL.

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THE SINCERITY OF A PROMINENT MEMBER QUESTIONED.

CHICAGO, August 6.—The mystery of the secret Irish convales, now being held in this city, has at last been cleared up. On last Thursday morning the representatives of the different circles of the famous Clan Na Gael society gathered in this city to hold their annual national convention.

At the session last night after a discussion that lasted from 8 to 11:30 p. m. a special committee was appointed to draft and report to the convention at its session this evening a plan for a revolutionary constitution.

Among the more prominent of the delegates at the convention is a lawyer, Geo. J. West, of Providence, R. I. This man's sincerity has been questioned. It has been charged that he was in the employ of the English government, and was chiefly interested in the Irish revolutionary schemes in order that he might forward to it existing issues and expectations. It was unexpectedly outspoken. It said the affairs of the empire of Great Britain were almost too heavy for human strength to bear.

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IS IT MURDER?

A Question Which Coroner Jacobs Wants Answered.

Did John Peterson's Death Result Naturally?

Or Was It Caused By a Severe Stroke?

John Peterson also known as John Williams, died yesterday morning at a little before ten o'clock. It is alleged by his friends that his death was the result of a fight between him and a man named Chas. Neistrom. The fight occurred on Wednesday last about noon in Peterson's shop, which is located on Sixteenth street between Leard and Bart. The two men have been working in adjoining shops for some time past, Peterson having been a wagon maker, and Neistrom a blacksmith. It had been their practice to work on a sort of partnership basis, Peterson doing the woodwork on the vehicles, and Neistrom on the iron work.

FATAL SUNSTROKE.

A Laborer on the Creamery Overcome By Heat and Dies From the Effects.

Amid all the brilliancy and brightness of the dazzling sun which poured forth such intense heat on Friday afternoon, there was a gloom spread over one household at least in our midst, caused by the death by sunstroke of a laborer named August Miller. The unfortunate man had been engaged in carrying mortar for the erection of the new creamery building, when about 5 o'clock he showed signs of weakness and made a frantic rush up Main street towards the railroad. His actions created quite a confusion among the other workmen on the building, who immediately followed the poor man, who had sunk down for the last time in front of the residence of L. B. Hakes. When he was reached he was insensible and powerless, and he was taken up and laid in the shade in the yard of Mr. Hakes, and doctors were summoned, but it was fully half an hour before medical assistance arrived, when Drs. Borglum and Abbott reached the spot and did all in their power to relieve the stricken man. But he appeared to have passed the point of human relief, and was only waiting the summons which none may refuse to start on his long journey. He was finally removed to his home on West Fifth street, opposite the residence of Councilman Haman, where he died at 10 o'clock Friday evening.

We heard a rumor of another sunstroke on Friday, but could learn no particulars in time for this issue.

A Moulder's Death.

James Richards, a moulder, lately employed at the U. P. shops, died yesterday morning at half-past two o'clock at his residence on Cass street, between Thirteenth and Fourteenth streets. He had been suffering from typhoid fever during the past week. He had only been a short time in Omaha. His native place is Pennsylvania, where his parents reside. A telegram was sent to his parents informing them of his death.

Want More Pay.

The laboring men employed in the locomotive department of the U. P. shops held an informal meeting Saturday to take steps for getting an increase of pay. It appears that at present they get fifteen and a half cents an hour and they want twenty cents. Resolutions are to be drawn up and will be presented to Mr. Kent, the head of the locomotive department, to-day.

Killed on the Rail.

As the east bound train was nearing Sidney, yesterday, a boy, who was standing near the track, suddenly fell forward and the train passed over him, instantly killing him. It is supposed the earth gave way where he was standing and that consequently he was precipitated onto the track. He was badly mangled.

Died in England.

A communication has been received by THE BEE from England stating that Florence Jane, only daughter of Henry Tickell, Esq., and niece of Thomas Edwards, Esq., of 2 Torre Square, Torquay, England, died at Upton, Torquay, of consumption on April 24.

Mrs. T. A. Gist, 1204 Walnut street, Philadelphia writes: "I had inflammatory rheumatism very badly, and in one foot and ankle it seemed to have taken hold with the determination to stay some time; and the morning I obtained St. Jacobs Oil I could not put my foot down to the floor, even for an instant. I used it that evening for the first time, next morning for the second time, and that afternoon put my foot down for several minutes at a time. On the Sunday following I could stand up and walk a few steps. On Tuesday could walk about my room, and went down stairs by holding on to the banisters. Now can walk quite well, and there is very little soreness and pain left. I shall go out in a couple of days, weather permitting. Just think! one bottle and a half and I can walk and am almost free from pain. It is a wonderful medicine. I will buy it by the dozen and make it a family medicine, as we are subject to rheumatism."

The inquest was adjourned at the instance of the coroner and district attorney in order that a further examination of the body might be made. A telegram was also sent by the district attorney to Blair by William Corgan, who was a witness to the fight. The inquest will be resumed until this evening.