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NATHAN HALE died when he was 21 years old. Perhaps he is the youngest man who ever had a public monument erected to his memory.

ENGLAND is worried over her slow-going men-of-war. She should come to an American shipyard and get war vessels built with some "go" in them.

ANOTHER man has been announced as about to marry Miss Helen Gould. If the young lady is not satisfied with some of the material so kindly selected for her she must be hard to suit.

HON. WILLIAM PRENTISS has been appointed by Gov. Altgeld, a member of the board of trustees of the institution for juvenile offenders.

Literary Notes. In the van of the strong and attractive table of contents of the North American Review for February is an article of unique interest, entitled "My American Experiences."

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"Gliding Flight" is an interesting contribution to the problem of aerial navigation by one who has studied the flight of soaring birds in the east for 23 years.

The Review of Reviews for February is strong in all of its departments. In the "Progress of the World" the important political, social and industrial events of the month are reviewed and their significance clearly and frankly set forth.

Each successive number of the Book of the Fair, by Hubert Howe Bancroft, lets us more and more into the plan of the work, which is such, while avoiding too lengthy description, as to cover the entire ground with sufficient detail, and present in permanent form all the characteristics of the great exposition.

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MYSTERIOUS SMITH The Man Who Used the Dinan White Horse

COMES UP IN THE COUGHLIN TRIAL.

Not in Person, But as Known by the Defendant's Brother, Who Saw Him at Hancock, Mich., Gave Him a Note to Dan and Notified That He Was Cross-Examined Not to Go On the Witness Stand—Defense Rests.

CHICAGO, Feb. 10.—"The defense rests" were the words spoken by Judge Wing as Thomas Coughlin, Dan's brother, left the stand in the Cronin murder case, after telling what he knew about the mysterious Smith. This settled the question among court attendants—would Dan Coughlin go on the stand himself? It was found that his memory was so bad regarding the events he would be called upon to talk about that to put him on the stand would be simply to sacrifice him to the prosecution.

McDonald and Whalen Recalled. Remond MacDonald and Michael Whalen were recalled, and Officer MacDonald was asked by Bottom: "Did not Captain Schuttler ask you in June, 1889, whether you knew anything about the Cronin case?"

"No, sir, he did not. He asked me if I was the policeman who called at Dinan's inquiry if the white horse had returned and I told him no."

For the Purpose of Imprisonment. The value of this evidence, from the state's point of view, was that although McDonald had told Captain Schuttler and the grand jury that he knew nothing of the case, he testified for the defense here that he saw Coughlin at the Chicago Avenue station on the night of May 4.

Dan's Brother on the Stand. Then the defense called Thomas Coughlin, of Hancock, Mich., brother of the prisoner at the bar. Judge Wing interrogated the witness, who said he lived in Hancock and was engaged in the livery business.

Bottom objected to the question as incompetent, immaterial and irrelevant. The jury and the witness were ordered to retire while the objection was argued by the attorneys. Wing stated what he wanted to prove by Thomas Coughlin, and though the state objected the judge overruled the objection.

MRS. HOERTEL ONCE MORE.

A Lawyer Who Would Not Believe Her on Oath—Smith Identified. The jury was called back, but before Thomas Coughlin took the stand Lawyer Whitney was called by the defense and identified a letter he had written to Judge Wing in which he said he would not believe Mrs. Hoertel on oath.

Thomas Coughlin was then recalled and testified: "On April 18, 1889, a man who gave his name as James Smith came to my stable at Hancock and hired a rig to go over the hill, he said. He drove away and returned in about two hours. John F. Ryan was present and said: 'Why, Coughlin has a brother on the police force in Chicago; you ought to call on him.' The man said he would like to do so, and asked me to give him my brother's address. I got one of my business cards and wrote my brother's address on it and gave it to him. John Ryan asked the man to say to Dan that he had seen him in Hancock and to give him his regards."

On the cross-examination Mr. Bottom questioned the witness mainly as to his visits to Chicago and whom he met there. Nothing of importance was brought out and the witness' statements were not contradicted. When Tom Coughlin left the stand Judge Wing said: "We rest, your honor."

National Dairy Union. CLEVELAND, Feb. 10.—At the meeting of the National Dairy Union a plan to secure the co-operation of butter and cheese dealers throughout the United States in securing legislation favoring the dairy interests of the country, was discussed. It was decided to bring every influence to bear favoring the passage of the Hill bill, giving police control of every fraudulent food product.

Remarkable Revival. ASCONA, Ill., Feb. 10.—A remarkable revival has been in progress here in the Ascona Christian church since Jan. 1. Elder N. J. Wright has been carrying on the work without the aid of any other ministers and has baptized all the converts. On several occasions the ice, which was very thick, had to be cut in order to accomplish the purpose. Over one hundred persons have been converted and baptized.

Sum Johnson Underlines Campaign. KITTANNING, Pa., Feb. 10.—C. A. Seidman, the street railway builder of Albany, N. Y., says he has placed an order for five miles of jobs with the Tom Johnson company, of Johnston, Pa. This company, he said, gave him prices \$2.50 cheaper per ton than those offered by the Carnegie company.

WOMAN ON THE BLOOD TRAIL. She Goes Gunning for a Couple of St. Louis Newspaper Clerks.

ST. LOUIS, Feb. 10.—The creek's latest diversion in this city took a new and dangerous form when an attempt was made by a French woman suffering from an attack of lunacy to shoot two of the counting-room force of The Post-Dispatch. Clerk Adolph Smith, standing at the receiving counter was first, and all unawares was attacked by the woman, who attempted to use a pistol upon him, but was unable to get it clear of her skirts to fire.

Met Their Death Savoring Wood. NORWALK, O., Feb. 10.—A terrible accident occurred at Boughtonville, this county. Three men were sawing wood with a portable mill on the farm of Isaac Atyeo, when the boiler exploded. Mack Atyeo, son of the farmer, was instantly killed and his brother Vermer Atyeo and Fred Guess were fatally injured.

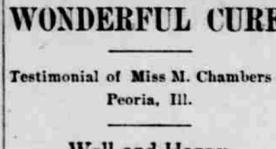
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