

Condensed Dispatches

COVERING THE WEEK'S NEWS.

Prayer ended a church fight in Spencer, Mass.

The British naval estimate for the year calls for nearly \$180,000,000.

Five men were killed by an explosion in the Cardiff coal mine near Springfield, Ill.

The Chicago Democratic city convention re-nominated Carter H. Harrison for mayor.

The bill providing for a municipal electric plant for New York city is to be presented in the legislature.

Five miners were sentenced to prison at Pottsville for participation in the riot at Shenandoah in which Joseph Beddall was killed.

Monday, March 16.

Italy has formally announced a decision to participate in the St. Louis fair.

Mule spinners at Woonsocket, R. I., struck to enforce a demand for an increase in wages of 10 per cent.

Venezuela's first payment on the \$340,000 pledged to Germany was deposited in the bank at Caracas.

Masked robbers entered a restaurant at Pueblo, Colo., and shot two citizens. One of them was instantly killed.

A wonderfully rich gold strike has been made in the Veta Grande mine, situated in the Parral district, Mexico.

Two farmers of Dallas county, Tex., fought a duel from boats. One of them met death, and the other surrendered to officers.

The condition of Justice Day of the United States supreme court, ill at Washington with pneumonia, was considered encouraging.

An explosion followed by a fire did damage amounting to \$75,000 at the works of the Arlington Manufacturing company, Arlington, N. J.

Admiral Douglas—British squadron, consisting of the warships Ariadne, Indefatigable, Retribution, Tribune, Fantome and Columbine, from Kingston, Jamaica, arrived in Havana harbor on a visit.

An injunction has been issued in the Waterbury trolley strike prohibiting the trolley men's union, all other Waterbury unions and all other persons from interfering in any way with the trolley company's business.

A partial settlement has been effected in the mill men's strike at Colorado City, which has been on for nearly a month and on account of which the state troops were ordered out. The troops have been withdrawn.

A bold robbery took place near Crider'sville, O. Fourteen masked men entered the house of Mrs. Jacob Belschelderfer, an aged and wealthy widow, and took possession. The inmates, five in number, were bound and blindfolded. About \$1,200 in cash and \$7,000 in notes besides silverware was secured.

Saturday, March 14.

The Orinoco river blockade has been raised.

A nine-year-old boy committed suicide at Belleville, Ill.

The work of recouping Hawaiian money was begun in San Francisco.

Whitcaps terrorize parts of Arkansas. Eleven arrests have been made at Wynne.

Negro laborers in Florida turpentine camps had a general battle. Eight reported killed.

Mexican bandits held up a stage in Sonora and killed the six passengers and the driver.

Four men lost their lives by a rush of water which flooded a mine at Iron Mountain, Mich.

In a wreck on the Illinois Central railway at Pomeroy, Ia., five passengers were injured.

August Krauss, the Bellefontaine (Mo.) farmer who killed his wife and six children, died.

Consul Sawyer, who refused to take post at Guayaquil because of yellow fever there, arrived in New York.

The coal operators and miners of the bituminous district No. 2 in convention at Altoona, Pa., were deadlocked on the wage scale.

Fred Pray, aged twenty-one, died at his home in Sherburne, N. Y., from typhoid fever contracted while a student at Cornell university.

The Venezuelan revolutionary forces under General Riera and General Juan Penaloza, numbering about 1,250 men, have been defeated in a three days' fight.

By a vote of 15 yeas to 14 nays, with three declining to vote and three absent, the Delaware house of representatives defeated a local option bill for the state.

The governor of Natal has proclaimed the king's pardon for all persons who are awaiting trial for treason or other offenses committed during or arising out of the recent war.

The Caribbean squadron, under command of Admiral Coghlan, has been ordered to Honduras, where the revolution is assuming serious proportions, to protect American interests.

The grand jury has returned new indictments against Dr. Joseph Alexander of the Central College of Physicians and Surgeons at Indianapolis and Rufus Cantrell, the alleged ghoul.

In the senate Mr. Spooner made an elaborate reply to Mr. Morgan, especially defending the validity of the title the Panama Canal company can give to the United States. Mr. Depew also spoke in favor of ratification.

Friday, March 13.

A lovee gave way at Red Cloud, Ind., and children were rescued in boats.

At Massillon, O., the 2,000 miners of that district decided to strike April 1.

Charles M. Schwab sailed for home from Cherbourg on the Kronprinz Wilhelm.

The Townsend-Dowhey Shipbuilding company, crippled for several days by a strike of union employees, has resumed operations with a new set of workmen.

Five governors of states, all Methodists, were guests of honor at a banquet in Chicago.

United States customs officials and Japanese consuls have united to break up slave girl traffic.

An Omaha flier was wrecked on the Union Pacific near Gilmore, Neb. One killed, several hurt.

Townsend & Downey put 375 men to work in their shipyards at Shooter's Island to replace strikers.

Former Mayor Ames, arrested in New Hampshire on embezzlement charge, decided to return to Minneapolis.

Dr. Frederick Muller, assistant to Dr. Lorenz, the eminent specialist in congenital hip disease, has returned to Chicago.

The Very Rev. George Granville Bradley, dean of the Order of the Bath and lately dean of Westminster, died in London in his eighty-second year.

It was decided in the senate to vote on the Panama canal treaty on Tuesday, the 17th inst., and the Cuban reciprocity treaty was reported by the committee on foreign relations.

At Albany Senator Raines introduced the higher license bill, increasing the liquor tax 50 per cent in every part of New York state. It was immediately referred to the excise committee.

The czar of Russia has issued a decree providing for the abolition of the restrictions that have been placed upon nonorthodox religious worship, establishing a considerable measure of self government in the towns and promising greater and continued reforms in the same line.

Thursday, March 12.

The kaiser pardoned Lieutenant von Graver, who killed Dr. Aye in a duel.

Mad Mollah has lost 1,000 men and maintains authority only by severe measures.

St. Petersburg police have caught the priest's son who robbed the St. Isaac cathedral.

Secretary of the Navy Moody has left Washington for a cruise in the West Indies.

Seven boys were badly injured by an explosion of dynamite in Buffalo. At least one will die.

The Cuban senate by a vote of 16 to 5 has ratified the reciprocity treaty with the United States.

After several skirmishes the government troops have scattered the ladrones in Rizal province, Philippine Islands.

Three hundred more men at Townsend & Downey's shipyard, at Shooter's island, N. J., have struck, making 575 out.

Tests of the De Forest system of wireless telegraphy are being made between Forts Hancock and Wadsworth in New York harbor.

The Republicans of the New York assembly by a vote of 62 to 10 decided to pass the increased liquor tax bill and by a vote of 60 to 8 the proposed mortgage tax bill.

The blacksmiths, boiler-makers and machinists formerly in the employ of the Colorado and Southern Railway company have declared their strike and boycott off.

The California and Hawaii Sugar company shut down its plant near San Francisco and announced withdrawal from business. Spreckels is said to have purchased the concern.

Mrs. Pennell, wife of A. R. Pennell, who was instantly killed in an automobile accident at Buffalo, died in a hospital as a result of the same accident without regaining consciousness.

Wednesday, March 11.

The pope has received the Duke of Norfolk and a delegation of British Catholics.

The fortieth anniversary of King Edward's marriage was celebrated in Great Britain.

Baron Nathaniel de Rothschild, head of the famous house, was reported critically ill at Naples.

One killed and three hurt was the result of a fight in a church at Mount Pleasant, Ga., over the pastor.

Bacteria placed in the drainage canal near Chicago was taken a few days later from St. Louis drinking water.

The stockholders of the Pennsylvania Railroad company have voted to increase its capital stock to \$150,000,000.

Negotiations for a settlement of the Canadian Pacific strike have been broken off, and a stubborn contest is expected.

Andrew C. Wheeler, better known as Nym Crinkle, a well known newspaper writer, died at his home at Monsey, N. Y.

The first session of the Tenth legislature of Ontario has begun at Toronto. The Liberal government has a majority of five.

Beniah Wilkins, owner of the Washington Post, suffered a severe stroke of paralysis at the Waldorf-Astoria hotel in New York.

John Van Dree and his wife were found dead in their home at Paterson, N. J., having been killed by fumes of coal gas escaping from a stove.

The Slangell copper fields, which extend on either side of the boundary between Norway and Sweden, have been sold to an American company for \$1,000,000.

Fire at Portland, Ore., on Victoria dock, on the east side of the Willa-

mette river and north of the railroad bridge, destroyed property of an estimated value of \$600,000.

At Chicago in the presence of a great throng of laity and priesthood James E. Quigley of Buffalo was installed archbishop of the Chicago archdiocese of the Roman Catholic church.

Sixty ship carpenters, joiners, fasteners and laborers employed at the shipyard of the Thames Towboat company, New London, Conn., have struck because their demand for a nine hour day was refused.

INCUBATED DUCKS.

They Are Very Timid and Lights Are Burned All Night for Them.

The difference between an incubated chicken and a duckling brought into the world in the same artificial way is very noticeable. The chicken will strut into the open with all the small amount of strength at its command, and look about as if it thought the world ought to be amazed at seeing such a pretty creature, says the Cincinnati Enquirer. The duckling, on the contrary will give one glance out of the hole, and then run back into the darkest corner and try to hide itself.

When placed in the runs destined for them, the ducks are scared at the least thing; any strange noise will cause them to huddle together in the farthest corner, piling themselves one on the other three or four deep; the result is death to some and injury to many more.

A duck loses weight every time it is frightened, so that breeders are careful not to disturb them. Such a coward is the incubated duck that it becomes necessary to burn a light all night; if left in the dark, the vivid imagination of the creature will conjure up all kinds of things to get frightened at, and consequently it is more profitable to burn a light.

An incubated chicken is sometimes placed with the ducks to show them how to look after themselves.

ELECTRIC RAILWAY SPEED.

Numerous Fatalities Engaging the Attention of Authorities in Some States.

The regulation of speed on the electric railways in the countryside is engaging the attention of authorities in some of the states, says the Philadelphia Ledger. The fatalities occurring on these lines are due principally to grade crossings and to the immoderate speed of the cars in descending hills. The rapidity with which trolley cars may be run is subject to local regulation. It is not recalled that there are any general acts touching the matter in force anywhere, though caution in the management of electric street car lines has been urged upon the companies by the state authorities to whom the reports of steam and electric railroads are made. The superintendent of the Pennsylvania bureau of railways has in one or more reports called attention to the reckless operation of street railways in this state, and advised caution. The loss of life chargeable to the electric roads in 1902 in the United States is great, relatively, to the casualties on the steam roads. The deaths from steam railroad accidents during the year numbered 3,165, and 475 persons were killed and 2,144 seriously injured in electric car accidents.

A Severe Rebuke.

A doctor in Devil's Lake, N. D., sent a dunning letter which chanced to reach the wrong man. Here is the reply: "Dear Sir: This note was put in my box by mistake. I can't be the man, he's dead, and ain't any relative of mine anyway. How dose your consens let you dun the dead? Why don't you lead a better crison life and try to meet that man in heaven which is worth more than forty dollars to any doctor."

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A Hospital Case

There was a hurry call for the ambulance of the City Hospital. In the course of a few moments a very sick woman was brought in on a stretcher—she was pale as death and evidently suffering keen agony. There was a hasty examination and consultation, and in less than a quarter of an hour the poor creature was on the operating table to undergo an operation for ovaritis.

The above is an accurate account of an incident which occurred in New York recently; the young woman in question had warnings enough of her dangerous condition in the terrible pains and burning sensation low down in her left side. She had no one to advise her, and she suffered torture until it was too late for anything to save her life.

Women should remember that if they do not care to tell a doctor their troubles, they should be willing to tell them to a woman, who stands ever ready to advise and help them. Again we state that Mrs. Pinkham's advice is freely and confidentially given to every one who asks for it. Address, Lynn, Mass.

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"I will tell you how I suffered. I could hardly walk, was unable to sleep or eat. Menstruation was irregular. At last I had to stay in my bed, and flowed so badly that they sent for a doctor, who said I had inflammation of the ovaries, and must go through an operation, as no medicine could help me, but I could not do that.

"I received a little book of yours, and after reading it I concluded to try Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, and I am now a well woman. I shall praise your medicine as long as I live, and also recommend the same to any one suffering as I was."—MRS. MINNIE OTTOSON, Otho, Iowa. (June 9, 1901.)

Follow the record of this medicine, and remember that these thousands of cures of women whose letters are constantly printed in this paper were not brought about by "something else," but by Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, the great Woman's Remedy for Women's Ills. Those women who refuse to accept anything else are rewarded a hundred thousand times for they get what they want—a cure. Moral: Stick to the medicine that you know is Best. Write to Mrs. Pinkham for advice.

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\$5000.00 FORFEIT If we cannot forthwith produce the original letters and signatures of above testimonials, which will prove their absolute genuineness. Lydia E. Pinkham Medicine Co., Lynn, Mass.

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK: By the grace of God, free and independent. To Joseph Murphy, William Murphy, John E. Murphy, Darby Murphy and Thomas Murphy, heirs at law and next of kin of Stephen Murphy, deceased, greeting:

Whereas, James Murphy, the executor named in a certain instrument in writing, bearing date Nov. 12th, 1902, purporting to be the last will and testament of said Stephen Murphy, late of the town of Perinton, in said county of Monroe, and state of New York, deceased, and relating to both real and personal estate, has lately made application to the Surrogate's court of our county of Monroe, to have said instrument proved and recorded as a will of personal and real estate, you and each of you are cited and required to appear before the Surrogate of the county of Monroe, at his office in the city of Rochester, in said county of Monroe, New York, on the 26th day of March, 1903, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon of that day, then and there to attend the probate of said will, and to do so, and if any of the aforesaid persons are under the age of twenty-one years, or insane or otherwise incompetent, they will please take notice that they are required to do so, by a special guardian, if they have one, and if they have none, that they appear and apply for the appointment of a special guardian, or in the event of their neglect or failure to do so, a special guardian will be appointed by the Surrogate to represent and act for them in the proceedings for the probate of said will.

In testimony whereof, we have caused the seal of the Surrogate's court of the county of Monroe, to be hereto affixed.

Witness, Hon. George A. Benton, Surrogate of said county, at the 27th day of March, 1903, this 23rd day of January, in the year of our Lord, one thousand nine hundred and three.

ANDREW L. DOLPH, Clerk Surrogate's Court. Attys for Petitioner, 105 Wilder Bldg., Rochester, N. Y.

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK: By the grace of God free and independent. To Mary Louisa Davis, G. Whitfield Easton, Frank T. Day, Adair Van Norman, Frank Porter, G. E. Wyman, Charles O. Wyman, Louise Knott, L. C. Stebbins, Gilbert E. Davis, Viola E. Angier, Zorah E. Bailey, Ovid E. Day, Robert Sizer, Hellen Henry, Ella Ellis, L. Thompson Furman, E. Pound, the legatees next of kin, heirs at law, creditors and persons interested in the estate of Gilbert W. Davis, late of the town of Perinton, in the county of Monroe, deceased, greeting:

You are hereby cited and required to appear before the Surrogate of our county of Monroe, in the Surrogate's court on the 27th day of March, 1903, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon of that day, at the Surrogate's office in the city of Rochester, then and there to attend the judicial settlement of the accounts of Wm. A. Smith as the executor of the estate of said deceased. And if any of the aforesaid persons are under the age of twenty-one years, they will please take notice that they are required to appear by a special guardian, if they have one, and if they have none, that they appear and apply for the appointment of a special guardian, or in the event of their neglect or failure to do so, a special guardian will be appointed by the Surrogate to represent and act for them in the proceedings for the settlement of said estate.

In testimony whereof, we have caused the seal of the Surrogate's court of the county of Monroe to be hereto affixed.

Witness, Hon. George A. Benton, Surrogate of said county, at the 11th day of February, in the year of our Lord, one thousand nine hundred and three.

ANDREW L. DOLPH, Clerk Surrogate's Court. Attys for Executor, Fairport, N. Y.

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