

Highest of all in Leavening Power.—U. S. Gov't Report, Aug. 17, 1889.



"JACK THE RIPPER."

New York Started by the Horrible Butchery of a Woman.

The Frightful Manner in Which Her Body Was Discovered.

Blame Laid on a Monster.

New York, April 28.—A horrible crime committed in the thickly populated section of lower New York at some time between 11 o'clock Thursday night and 10 o'clock Friday morning justifies a suspicion that the fiend known as "Jack the Ripper" of Whitechapel notoriety in London has located in this city, or that an equally blood-thirsty wretch is plying his trade of murder in the same fashion.

It is believed the murderer strangled his victim first and then proceeded to his horrible butchery. There was no trace of the man, and no one had seen him leave the hotel.

MURDERERS HANGED.

Six Criminals Pay the Penalty for Their Villainous Deeds.

COLUMBIA, S. C., April 28.—Walter S. Martin (colored) was hanged in the jail yard for the murder in January of Alice McLeod, a white woman. Bill Miles (colored) was executed at Pickens for the murder of Jake Griffin.

DISASTROUS BLAZE.

Fire in the Prison City of Honolulu Leaves 1,800 Persons Homeless.

HONOLULU, April 27.—The quaint old city of Honolulu, in the duchy of Meleyn, has been almost entirely destroyed by fire. The fire started in some back premises of the historic city hall square.

CHILIAN IRONCLAD SUNK.

The Blanco Escudado Blown Up and 800 Persons Killed.

VALPARAISO, Chile, April 27.—The warship Blanco Escudado, which was one of the vessels taken possession of by the rebels at the breaking out of the insurrection, was sunk April 23 in Caldera bay by a torpedo fired by the new gunboat Almirante Lynch.

TRIPLE TRAGEDY IN MISSOURI.

KANSAS CITY, Mo., April 28.—A shocking crime was perpetrated at Archville, Mo. The absence of E. P. Soper, a butcher, from his home caused suspicion.

WILL LEAVE CHICAGO.

CHICAGO, April 28.—Rev. Dr. Lorimer handed in his letter of resignation as pastor of the Immanuel Baptist church.

PHILADELPHIA LEADS.

PHILADELPHIA, April 24.—Enough is known of the census returns for 1890 from the manufacturing industries of the United States to establish the fact that this city leads all the cities of the country in the value of their annual product.

CRASHED BY FALLING ROCK.

GRANDVILLE, Cal., April 25.—While several men were working in the Barren Hills tunnel Thursday a mass of rock weighing several hundred tons fell on them, instantly killing John Carlson and severely injuring five other men.

THE PRESIDENT'S SISTER MARRIES.

CLEVELAND, O., April 27.—Mrs. Bettie Eaton, of North Bend, Ind., sister of President Harrison, was probably mortally injured yesterday at this place by being thrown from a carriage while returning from church.

GOOD FARM TO REST IN VERGENNES.

known as the D. M. Miller farm. Enquire of J. C. Train.

FIRST OF THE KIND.

Soldiers Trained Into a Mob at Walla Walla, Wash.

They Attack the Jail and Hold a Murderer with Ball to a Battle with the Prison Guards in Which Several Persons Were Killed.

A BLOODY CONFLICT.

PORTLAND, Ore., April 28.—Word comes from Walla Walla of a bloody conflict between 150 soldiers and a sheriff's guard, in which the latter while resisting an attack on the jail by the troops fired upon them with deadly effect, the soldiers answering with a volley which mowed down a number of the citizens acting as guards.

STRIKERS JUBILANT.

The Detroit Street Car Company Finally Agrees to Arbitrate.

DETROIT, Mich., April 28.—At a late hour Friday afternoon the secretary of the City Railway Company addressed a letter to Mayor Plimpton accepting his suggestion to arbitrate the present trouble between the company and its employees.

RUIR AT HOME.

The Holy City Badly Shaken Up By a Powder Explosion.

ROME, April 24.—The powder magazine at the fort at Pozzo Pastello exploded at 7 o'clock a. m. yesterday, completely demolishing the fort, killing seven persons who were in the vicinity and seriously injuring hundreds of others.

A WARRIOR GONE.

Sudden Death of Count von Moltke, One of Germany's Greatest Soldiers.

BREITLITZ, April 27.—General von Moltke, one of the great historic figures of the German empire, died suddenly Friday night at his residence in this city. He was an interested spectator of the proceedings in the Reichstag Friday afternoon, and appeared in excellent health, laughing and chatting pleasantly with Chancellor von Caprivi and several members of the Reichstag.

DEATH OF GRANT DUKES NICHOLAS.

LONDON, April 27.—A St. Petersburg dispatch announces the death of Grand Duke Nicholas, uncle of the czar.

THE MARKETS.

Table with market prices for various commodities like wheat, corn, and oil.

IS ANNA MAD?

She Dickinson's Remarkable Deluge on a New York Stage.

New York, April 27.—At the Broadway theater last night Anna Dickinson delivered a lecture upon "Personal Liberty." It was Miss Dickinson's first public appearance since her confinement in an insane asylum and her deliverance therefrom.

HIGHLY HONORED.

Progress of the Presidential Party on Its Journey.

The Chief Magistrate Cordially Welcomed by Throughly Enthusiastic Friends—Mexico Assists in His Reception in Texas.

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LOWELL JOURNAL: Annual Statement.

Annual Statement of the Condition of the Lowell Building and Loan Association for the year ending April 30, 1921.

Military Notices.

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NATIONAL EVENT.

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HOP PLASTERS.

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PENSIONS.

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FREE CONSULTATION!

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WATCH FOR IT!

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NEIGHBORHOOD NOTES.

Logan. Mr and Mrs Zelmer spent the Sabbath with Mr and Mrs Smelker, of Freeport.

Wayne. Wayne Pardee and wife attended the funeral of S. P. Curtis, held at West Bowne Saturday.

Frank Combs has been quite ill the past week, but is able to be about as present.

The young folks enjoyed a pleasant time at the home of Frank Welton Friday evening.

Black Walnut Trees. Very fine, at N. P. Husted & Co's.

South Boston. If farmers were ever busy it is now.

Mr and Mrs Walter Dillenbeck attended the M. E. Church on Sunday.

A family has rented and moved into D. J. Hill's tenement house.

The funeral of our comrade, S. P. Curtis, kept several from attending the Council on Saturday, but a good meeting was held in the afternoon.

Joseph Allen who died at his daughter's (Mrs G. Barbour), near Saranac, was buried in the South Boston cemetery on Friday.

The South Boston sheep shearing festival will be held at S. E. Tucker's barn this week Saturday.

The loss by the burning of M. Story's barn, which was caused by a hen flying against a lantern, was adjusted at between four and five hundred dollars.

N. P. Husted & Co. have a full line of Fruit Trees, Vines, Raspberries, etc.

Rimdale. The L. & H. trainmen were hauling S. Tow's oak logs from Pratt's late to Foster brothers mill the first day of this week.

The iron for two more switches are at Elmdale, which indicates more R. R. improvements soon.

There are rumors of the extension of the L. & H. R. R. to Hastings.

We do not know of a better place for a man who is looking for a place to locate than Elmdale. And we expect that the right man, or men, will soon be able to see value in some of our corner lots, and make a strike that will secure a share in the business that is increasing rapidly at this point.

E. Hancock and wife, from east of Lowell, were in the town the first of the week.

Hon. A. S. Stannard has been on the sick list several days.

It is the traveling Dr. that is going from house to house seeking whom he may devour in this vicinity just now.

He is ready to take your case for \$20 in advance and will stand ready for more as soon as your case becomes more critical. Our advice is if you have not doctors enough now, you might as well do your own quacking.

Wanted—Twenty tons of good clover hay, for which I will pay \$5 per ton, delivered at my place. D. E. SPRING.

The Portland paper mill scheme has fallen through; it would't bear investigation.

The late Joseph Allen was born on a farm that at one time was occupied by Brigham Young, the great Mormon apostle. Winfield Allen was born on the same farm.

A tramp entered the house of Frank Webster, just west of town one day last week and stole a gold watch. He failed to get quite a sum of money that was in the house and probably left on short notice as he was liable to be discovered. He was seen to leave the house and was tracked quite a distance, but his trail was finally lost and he escaped.

Last Saturday the new district library was formally opened and nearly one-fourth of the books were drawn out.

Miss Rhoda J. Platt was awarded a \$3,000 verdict in a Cleveland, Ohio, court against Prof. J. Clegg Wright, of Cincinnati. Wright is a Spiritualist lecturer and, it was charged, promised to marry her, but failed to keep his contract. Miss Platt was once private secretary of the adjutant general of Michigan, and was once a resident of Saranac. She worked on the Grand River Valley Standard at the time it was published by her brother-in-law, Kinsey.—Local.

You will find old papers at this office for 35 cents a hundred.

Fallsburgh Locals.

This is beautiful spring weather, every thing is looking fine.

Mrs Emma Beckwith is quite sick, was very bad Saturday, but is some better now.

Mrs French, of Grand Rapids, visited her daughter, Mrs McMullen, over Sunday.

A surprise party was gotten up for Miss May Hunter for last Tuesday night. The surprise was complete and a good time had by those present.

Jacob Mastenbrook is all broken up over being drawn on the circuit court jury for the May term of court.

Arbor day will be celebrated at our school. A good program has been arranged by the teacher and the little folks look for a big time.

There are lots of fish being caught in the river this spring, especially Satur-

MICHIGAN STATE NEWS.

CROP STATISTICS.

Total Value of the Products of the Soil in the Year 1890.

From statistics issued from the state department it is shown that the value of the wheat crop in Michigan for 1890 cost to produce \$18,300,523 and that its value was \$16,728,863, or a net total loss of \$1,571,660.

The out look for a large fruit crop is good. That with the low price of sugar will make it within the reach of all to have plenty of sauce for next winter.

Arthur Sayles will move in his new house this week.

N. P. Husted & Co. have splendid Peach Trees, of the choicest varieties. See them.

Morse Lake Hipples. The old red school house on Merriman's corner was sold last week to Daniel Bryant, and it has been torn down and removed.

The Merriman school bell is evidently cracked, judging from the present sound of it.

The funeral services of Capt. S. P. Curtis were held at Morse Lake church last Saturday, under the auspices of the Lowell G. A. R. His death occurred Wednesday forenoon previous.

The funeral sermon was preached by Rev. J. M. Steffe. Eulogies of their deceased comrade were also pronounced by Col. Kedd and Mr. Naah, of Ionia.

One of our brave defenders drop out of line, and return to their long home. Mr Curtis has long been identified with the interests of this neighborhood, and especially will Morse Lake Church and Sabbath school miss his genial smile and kind words.

A large number of relatives, friends and army comrades from a distance were present at the funeral. There were one hundred and fifty vehicles at the funeral and of course many persons were obliged to remain outside for the want of room in the church.

Mrs Ella Mickey came from Chicago to attend her father's funeral, and is now suffering a relapse of Lagrippe.

The Lowell Journal, \$1 per year.

Vergennes Visitor. Mrs Wm. H. Wood, who has been helping to care for her mother, Mrs McPherson, has returned to her home in Manistee.

Mrs Nelson Collar, of Lowell, visited at Mrs E. L. Bennett's and Mrs G. W. Crosby's last week.

James and Frank Hodges, of Grand Rapids, were at their brother Fred's last Thursday night.

Mrs Chauncey VanDeusen, of Ionia, is at her brother's, P. W. McPherson, helping to care for her mother.

We have just heard that Mr and Mrs Frank Gott, of Lowell, are residents of Vergennes. They live in W. L. Merriman's tenement house and Frank is working for Mr Merriman.

We understand that Mrs George Biely who sold her farm and has gone to Lowell to live. We did not hear the purchasers name. Price paid \$3,000.

Mr and Mrs D. S. Blanding Sundayed with Mr and Mrs Noah Allen, of South-West Lowell.

Our beautiful weather has got a slight attack of the grip and the very hard wind of to-day (Monday), has done considerable damage by blowing down fences and trees.

Miss Jessie Epley went home with Miss Ina Finley, who is teaching school in the brick schoolhouse down the river from Lowell, this (Monday) evening.

Mrs McPherson, who had the misfortune, some eight weeks ago, to break her hip, has so far recovered as to be able to have the splints and frame taken off. She is getting along very nicely.

Miss Josie White, of Lowell, stayed with Miss Cora Adams one night last week.

Mrs Wm. Misner and Mrs G. W. Crosby are great sufferers from rheumatism.

N. P. Husted & Co. are undoubtedly at the front in the fruit business.

Great Gatherings. Plowing and sowing is the farmer's watchword now.

D. Horton, of Greenville, was in town Friday.

A special meeting of the Masonic Lodge was held at the Center, April 25th, evening.

O. L. Watkins is at Grand Rapids attending a special session of the Supervisors.

Miss Phoebe Byrne is visiting her sister, Mrs J. Doran, of Muskegon, accompanied by her cousin, Miss Anna Byrne.

COLORING THE HAIR.

An Old Man Who May Be Anywhere from Eighty to One Hundred and Twenty.

There is an old fellow whom I met in my walks about town who has carried to an extreme the attempt to disguise his natural appearance, and the consequence is that it is wholly ineffective.

The main trouble is to tell how venerable he is; he may be eighty and he may be one hundred and twenty for all his looks indicate. I have sometimes noticed that a decidedly youthful appearance has been given to a man by his relinquishing his hair dye and coming out in the white echevalure which is most becoming to him.

This was the case with the late Lester Wallace, who, however, persisted in wearing his moustache black, as if to emphasize this as the natural color of his beard.

Since gray hair has become the fashion, there is less resort to dye than formerly, but I suppose the witticism still holds good for many people that they admire gray hairs on everybody but themselves.

Titcheat Timmons's experience in "Ten Thousand A Year" with the use of hair dye ought to be read by every person who is ambitious of making a disguise by these means; and even more important would be the perusal of some chemical treatise showing the poisonous effect of minerals which enter into such compounds.

And yet, with the fullest knowledge of its deleterious effects, vanity makes many persons "stand the hazard of a dye."

A Man's Deal. STEUBENVILLE, O., April 25.—Lorenzo Coleman, the insane son of a farmer living near here, shot his mother, his sister and a hired man yesterday, the first named being dangerously wounded.

The maniac thought the shooting would reduce the price of coffee.

Trees, Trees, Trees. If you are going to get any this spring, please call at D. G. H. & M. Dejos and see N. J. Husted & Co's full line of the strictly first class Apple, Pear, Plum, Cherry, Peach Trees, Grape Vines, Currants, Raspberries, etc.

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