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FOR HER SON'S LIFE.

The Mother of Caserio Asks Mme. Carnot to Intercede

FOR THE CONDEMNED ASSASSIN.

The Murderer's Letter to His Mother, Explaining the Cause of the Bloody Act.

PARIS, Aug. 8.—The mother of Caserio Santo, the assassin of President Carnot has written Mme. Carnot asking her to intercede with President Casimir-Perier for the life of her son.

The mother has received this letter from Caserio:

"Dear Mother—I write you a few lines in order to inform you that I have been condemned to death. What must you think of me? You cannot think I am an assassin and malefactor. You know my good heart and my gentleness was always show to you. Well, my heart is the same today. If I have committed such an act it was simply because I was tired of looking on such an infamous world. I thank the priest for coming to see, but I do not care to confess. I salute you, my brothers and sisters and uncle with a thousand kisses."

BRIDGES ON FIRE.

Some Damage Done Before the Flames Were Extinguished.

BRAZIL, Ind., Aug. 8.—A train crew discovered bridge No. 3, three miles north of this city on the Chicago and eastern Illinois, on fire. Considerable damage was done before the flames could be extinguished. Another bridge west of this city on the "Coal Pavilion" branch of the eastern Illinois system, was destroyed by fire. This stopped all traffic on this section of the road. Repairers were immediately put to work and it was some time before the north bridge was repaired sufficiently for a train to pass over it. Late last night a report was current that another bridge was destroyed near Otter creek junction. The fires have created much apprehension and watchmen will hereafter be stationed at the principal bridges along the line.

Devlin Doing Well.

CHICAGO, Aug. 8.—Frank E. Devlin, amateur bicycle rider of Boston, who left that city on July 21 in an effort to break the bicycle record between Boston and Denver, Colo., has reached Chicago. He is feeling well and is confident that he can accomplish the task that he has before him. He is riding now about fourteen days and has covered 1,400 miles, a vast half the distance.

EXPERIMENT WITH DYNAMITE.

A Farmer's Narrow Escape from Instantaneous Death.

MUNCIE, Ind., Aug. 8.—Farmer Sunderland, residing in Henderson county, had an exciting experience while experimenting on the result of the exploding of dynamite in his fish pond in an effort to capture some of the big carp. He took a stick of explosive, lighted a match to the fuse and pitched it into the water. He had not before discovered the presence of his faithful dog that stood by him, eagerly watching each movement of his master. The instant Mr. Sunderland pitched the explosive into the water the dog dashed in after it and by going under the water a short distance, he seized the dynamite stick in his mouth and swam to shore. He considered it a repetition of the same sport he had often enjoyed before and his idea was to return the object to his master.

Mr. Sunderland quickly discovered that this would never do and ran to a fence near by with the dog close on to him with the dangerous stick in his mouth. John succeeded in getting on the fence and would likely have been blown to atoms had not the explosion occurred before the dog got dangerously close. As it was a big hole was torn out of the earth and much of the fence blown down, but the man was not seriously injured.

A WOMAN NATURALIZED.

Mrs. Louise Pattison of Cleveland Admitted to Citizenship.

CLEVELAND, Aug. 8.—An unusual event took place in Judge Hutchinson's court when a woman became a naturalized citizen of the United States. The state legislature, at its last session, passed a bill permitting women to vote at school elections. Mrs. S. Louise Pattison desires to cast her vote at the next school election and having been born abroad, found it necessary to be naturalized. She came to this country when less than 15 years old, she hence one set of papers was enough in her case.

Robbed While Asleep.

SPRINGFIELD, Ill., Aug. 8.—O. D. Evans, of St. Louis, was in this city last night en route to Washington, D. C., to accept the government position. While asleep in the waiting room at the Wabash depot he was robbed of a tin case which contained $7,000 in government bonds and notes besides all the valuables on his person.

AMERICANS IN JAPAN'S SERVICE.

High Positions Open to Almost Anybody Qualified for Them.

WASHINGTON, Aug. 8.—Though the U. S. neutrality law forbids the enlistment of Americans for service in Japan, there is no way of preventing any one from accepting a commission in the Japanese army or navy, if he can get it. In the case of Major Wilson, it happens that he possesses a … and commission of honor which makes him a citizen of Japan if he elects to be one. It is understood here that Lieutenant Richard Graham Davenport, U. S. N., has been made the commander of a man-of-war of the first class by the Japan minister of marine. Lieutenant Davenport served nearly ten years in the Japanese waters and was the interpreter of the admiral of the United States fleet. He knows the Japanese tongue better than any officer of the navy and would, therefore, be able to take a high command. It is pretty certain that any American with a military education and a good social record, who could speak the language well enough to command troops, would have no difficulty in obtaining a commission under the mikado. If Lieutenant Davenport can obtain a two years' leave he may accept the position tendered him, but he will not relinquish his United States commission to do so.

TO REDUCE THE WAGES.

Cotton Manufacturers Agree to Pay Their Employes Less.

FALL RIVER, Mass., Aug. 8.—The cotton manufacturers of this city voted almost unanimously to reduce wages. The reduction will average from 10 to 12½ per cent, according to the department in which 23,000 operatives in this city are employed. This reduction has been threatened for many months, but manufacturers could not agree as to the amount, or the wisdom of reducing the wages in the face of the light demand for goods. The reduction will go into effect August 20.

Will Furnish Information.

CHICAGO, Aug. 8.—The Japanese club has opened its doors to the American public seeking information about Japan and the war that is waging against China.

No Poles Taken Back.

IRONWOOD, Mich., Aug. 8.—The Curry and West Curry mines have closed down for the season. The employes were given places at the Norrie. The mines will not take back a striking Polander under any consideration, and the Poles are leaving, since they cannot obtain a living here.

Will Pay the Militia.

INDIANAPOLIS, Ind., Aug. 8.—Governor Matthews has decided to pay off with borrowed money the militia who were in service during the strike. In order to secure it he must give his own note and he has decided to raise it in this way, trusting to the legislature to reimburse him. The amount required is about $46,000.

Shrinkage in the Securities.

PROVIDENCE, R. I., Aug. 7.—The Lamerson bank, incorporated in 1866, received notice from the comptroller today that its capital had become impaired and that it must either reduce its capital stock or assess its stockholders. The capital stock is $300,000. Shrinkage in securities is said to be the trouble.

An Italian Mob.

COAL CITY, Ill., Aug. 8.—Carbon Hill, the seat of the Star Coal companies' operations, situated one mile and a half from here, was at the mercy of an Italian mob of several hundred dissatisfied miners. On three occasions the sheriff's deputies were summoned to number two shaft, and the miners at work were each time hurriedly hoisted to the top to stay the tide of onward marching Italians. Later the strikers held a noisy meeting in the principal street of the village and voted to wreak destruction to life and property early today should the miners persist in going to work.

LEAVING WASHINGTON.

Two Divisions of Frye's Commonwealers Sent West.

WASHINGTON, D. C., Aug. 8.—Through the efforts of the district commissioners, about eighty commonwealers, consisting of the Galvin and Thomas divisions of Frye's army, left the city last night over the Chesapeake and Ohio roads for their homes in Cincinnati and Los Angeles. Galvin and Thomas, it is said, are the only commonwealers who have not deserted their men after bringing them here.

THE RACE OFF.

The Britannia in Dock and the Satanita's Owner Blackballed.

LONDON, Aug. 8.—Only the Vigilant appeared in line at the gun fire this morning for the race for the royal yacht squadron prize of £100 for all yachts exceeding 41 rating, belonging to a recognized yacht club. As three competitors were necessary the event was declared off. The Britannia has been docked as the result of the damage sustained by scraping the shore in the luffing match off Ventnor on Monday. A. R. A. D. Clark, the owner of the Satanita, has been blackballed by the Royal Yacht squadron for refusing to sail his yacht.

An Anarchist Arrested.

MARSEILLES, Aug. 8.—An anarchist named Panel has been arrested here. He recently arrived from America. In his possession was a valise full of dynamite. Panel was going to Italy to commit outrages.

A Triple Killing.

PHILADELPHIA, Aug. 8.—William N. Evans, of Frankford suburbs, shot and killed Louis Hecht, at the latter's home, today. He then shot his wife, Eva Evans, through the neck, fatally wounding her, and afterwards killed himself with the same revolver. Evans was a shiftless fellow and his wife left him and went to live with the family of her uncle, Louis Hecht. She was preparing breakfast today when her husband forced his way into the house and began firing.

An A. P. A. Meeting.

WILKESBARRE, Pa., Aug. 8.—The grand lodge of the American Protective Association comprising representatives of all lodges of the United States, assembled in annual convention here today. The work is of a secret character.

Ahead of the Schedule.

RICHMOND, Ind., Oct. 8.—The relay riders passed through this city at 5:32 this morning. It was not due here until 10:30 tonight.

INDIANAPOLIS, Ind., Aug. 8.—The riders in the Washington-Denver bicycle relay arrived here at 1:52 o'clock. Ross and Clements will carry a letter to Crawfordsville, fifty miles.

INDIANAPOLIS, Aug. 8.—The relay passed Greenfield 21 miles east of here at 12:05.

AN INFAMOUS SCHEME.

An Offer to Murder Children for a Consideration.

DENVER, Aug. 8.—N. H. Thompson, secretary of the Colorado Humane society, writing under the name of Harper Thomson, has been corresponding with W. J. Carnell, of El Cajon valley, fifteen miles from San Diego, Cal., who pretends to conduct a home for children. After a number of letters passed Carnell wrote: "For $1,000 we will take care of your boy and see that he never returns to you again, in short we hope him away, that he will be as one who is dead."

El Cajon valley is a small hamlet having only a few stores. There is no institution of any kind located there. It is a most infamous scheme to get hold of money and in some manner make away with innocent children, said Mr. Thompson.

SHERIFFS AND POLES.

A Fight Resulting in the Death of One Miner.

LA SALLE, Ill., Aug. 8.—A fight took place this morning between deputy sheriffs and Polish miners. One was killed and two wounded.

In resisting arrest Jos. Schurman, a Polish miner, was fatally shot this morning and two deputy sheriffs wounded with knife thrusts. Deputy Sheriffs Thomas Hanley, A. A. Cooley, Michael Branagan and Thomas Brennan surrounded Schurman's house to prevent his escape, Schurman having twice before got away from the officers. He is a desperate character wanted for the prominent part that he played in the riots in the Union shaft six weeks ago. The entrance into his house was forced and the sheriffs confronted by the older and younger Schurman and their wives, all armed with cavalry sabres. A determined effort was made by the sheriffs to disarm their opponents, and it was not until A. A. Cooley had been dangerously wounded that they resorted to the use of fire arms. Three shots were fired and young Schurman fell mortally wounded. The miners in the neighborhood rushed to the scene of disturbance. The militia's prompt arrival saved the lives of the deputy sheriffs, who were surrounded by an angry mob, many of whom were armed. The militia men used their bayonets to disperse the mob. The anarchy element are vowing vengeance on the deputies.

New York Change.

NEW YORK, Aug. 8.—Sugar was the feature of early speculation, opening ½ lower and making a further decline of … to 104½ on very heavy sales. The weakness was of very brief duration. A general advance took place, sugar recovering …

NEW YORK, Aug. 8.—There was another panic in the corn ring on the produce exchange today. This time the bears won, and the bulls were quitting out long holdings in a dazed sort of a way. Country speculators especially felt the effects of the breaking as they have been big bulls on corn.

September corn opened 61, broke to 59½. This happened within half an hour amid great uproar. Wheat opened weaker, advanced a trifle and then dropped 1½ to … Sugar ran off 1½ to 101½, but recovered ½ before noon; Oregon Improvement gained ½; lead advanced ½ and reacted ¼.

Sugar was down 1½ on the day. The market generally closed strong.

THE TARSNEY OUTRAGE.

A Prominent Mine Owner Arrested—An Extraordinary Oath.

COLORADO SPRINGS, Aug. 8.—Dr. J. F. Reed, a prominent mine owner and politician, has been arrested as one of the principals in the Tarsney outrage. On him when arrested was found a copy of an extraordinary oath which, according to Wilson's confession, was subscribed to by all the parties to the outrage. They swore to inflict "just and needed punishment on anarchists and such other criminals and murderers and strikers in Cripple Creek and fellow sympathizers, either in high or low positions, the executive of the state not excepted, as we shall deem guilty of crimes against law abiding citizens." They also pledged themselves to punish any who gave away the secrets of the order.

The grand jury has returned 321 indictments mainly growing out of the Cripple creek troubles and in the presentments says: "The executive officers of the county have been seriously interfered with by the executive department of the state in the execution of the writs."

IN CONGRESS.

A Bill to Reimburse Nebeker Passed by the Senate.

WASHINGTON, Aug. 8.—In the Senate today the House bill to reimburse E. H. Nebeker, the late treasurer of the United States, for $1,000 paid by him to make good a shortage when his office was turned over to his successor, was passed.

Among the bills introduced was one by Allen, Neb., "to prevent professional lobbying," which is referred to the committee on labor.

The House bill appropriating $50,000 for the construction of a revenue cutter for San Francisco harbor was passed.

THE HOUSE.

WASHINGTON, Aug. 8.—In the House today, Bailey, from the committee on judiciary, as a matter of privilege, presented a resolution providing for the investigation by that committee of the charges against Judge Augustus J. Ricks of Ohio.

Grosvenor criticised this resolution as a piece of indecent haste, no notice had been given Judge Ricks.

Bailey said if Grosvenor were a friend of Judge Ricks he would want the charges investigated immediately. If there was a taint on Judge Ricks's judicial ermine, it would be removed or he should be removed.

The resolution was agreed to without division.

On motion of McCann, the resolution instructing the commissioner of labor to investigate the effect of machinery on labor, wages, etc., was agreed to.

The Omaha Strike.

OMAHA, Aug. 8.—There were conflicts between the strikers and the non-union workmen at South Omaha today but no very serious outbreaks. The Omaha police commissioners today notified Mayor Johnson, of South Omaha, that in case of general violence he could depend on assistance from this city.

Acting Governor Majors and Adjutant General Gage are here watching developments.

This afternoon the managers of the packing houses decided that unless the state authorities gave them protection they would close their houses tomorrow morning.

CHINA AND JAPAN.

No Immediate Prospect of a Peaceful Settlement.

JAPANESE VICTORIES REPORTED.

Black Flags for the Garrisons of River Forts—Light House Closed.

SHANGHAI, Aug. 8.—It is officially reported from Tien Tsin that the efforts of Great Britain and Russia to bring about a peaceful settlement of the disputes between China and Japan have failed. China is willing to pay an indemnity but refuses to surrender her sovereignty over Corea. The Chinese government has closed the Aying and Takao light house on the island of Formosa.

JAPANESE VICTORIES

Rumor, However, of Defeat in a Naval Engagement.

YOKOHAMA, Aug. 8.—Seikwan has been taken by the Japanese with trifling loss. The Chinese lost five hundred. The enemy fled in the direction of Koshiu. The Japanese are in possession of Yashan.

An imperial ordinance just issued permits Chinese to reside in Japan on condition that they engage in peaceful pursuits.

The greatest excitement prevails here, at Tokio and at other large towns as a result of the victories of the Japanese troops. Rumors, however, are current that the Japanese naval forces have been defeated in an engagement with Chinese warships.

Chinese War Movements.

WASHINGTON, Aug. 8.—A dispatch from Hong Kong to the Times says the viceroy of Kwang Hung has enlisted 5,000 black flags with which to strengthen the garrisons of the Canton river forts.

In addition the viceroy has stationed four gunboats at Tiger Island, in the Canton river, and at the lead mines at Foo Chow and Tamsui.

The viceroy of Kwang Hung has also closed the light house on the southern coast.

THE WYOMING DEMOCRATS.

The Largest Convention in the History of the State.

Committees Appointed and Recess Taken—Probable Candidates for Offices.

Special Dispatch to the News.

CHEYENNE, Wyo., Aug. 8.—The Democratic state convention met this morning at 10 o'clock, with eighty of the one hundred and three delegates in attendance. It is claimed, however, to be the largest Democratic convention in the history of the state. Gov. Osborne, Congressman Coffeen and other prominent citizens of the state occupied seats on the platform, when Chairman New of the state committee called the convention to order. Nellie E. Carthel, of Laramie, was made temporary chairman and M. L. Blake, of Sheridan, secretary. Committees on credentials, resolutions and order of business were appointed and the convention took a recess until 2 p. m.

Congressman Coffeen is making a strong fight for renomination and it looks like he will be successful. Gov. Osborne turns a deaf ear to the urgent request for him to accept renomination. Judge Miller, of Cheyenne, still appears to be the leading candidate for the place. Judge Conn, of Evanston, will likely be nominee for supreme judge.

Somewhat of a bomb was thrown in the Coffeen camp immediately after the noon recess by John F. Carroll, editor of the Cheyenne *Leader*, the leading Democratic paper of the state, announcing that he would not support Mr. Coffeen if he is nominated. The sentiment of the delegates is strongly against A. L. New, chairman of the state committee, and it is said Coffeen is too closely identified with him to receive the endorsement of the convention.

AN AGREEMENT LIKELY.

Such is the Prospect on the Tariff Bill.

WASHINGTON, Aug. 8.—Senators Jones and Vest, of the tariff conferees, and Gorman and Smith on behalf of the conservative senators, it is understood, decided today that the time had arrived when the conference should end either by agreement or disagreement.

Jones after the morning conference said that the Senate conferees might ask to be discharged but he did not think such a request would be made today.

The Republican steering committee this morning discussed the proposition to make sugar free. The opinion was expressed that by putting sugar on the free list, the votes of the Louisiana senators would be lost to the bill, but Senator Peffer might vote for it. The proposition to put sugar on the free list will receive the support of nearly the entire Republican side.

At 1 o'clock the Democratic conferees adjourned until 2:30 p.m.

When the tariff conferees adjourned for recess the air was full of rumors, among them being the statements that an agreement would be reached at the afternoon session. A leading conservative senator said the House must take the responsibility of taking another vote upon the bill in the Senate. There seems to be a determination on the part of the Senate to force a decision one way or the other during the day, but the issue may be further delayed.

Senator Jones said at 2:35 that he thought the tariff conferees would be able to report an agreement tomorrow.

Chairman Wilson and Representative Montgomery joined Speaker Crisp in his private office. The report was soon circulated and it is generally credited that an agreement will be reached today. Chairman Wilson was in a hopeful mood. Representative Strauss, of New York, closely associated with Mr. Wilson, gave the opinion that there would be a complete agreement by Saturday at the very latest.

Senator Smith said he expected the full committee would be called together tomorrow and the bill reported. The compromise sugar schedule announced last week would be part of the agreement.

It is said the tariff agreement is on the basis of making either coal or iron free, but the reports as to which will be made dutiable conflict.

Charles Mitchell Coming.

LONDON, Aug. 8.—Charles Mitchell, the pugilist, has announced his intention of returning to the United States in October.

A Nomination.

WASHINGTON, Aug. 8.—The President today nominated Lars Anderson, of Ohio, as secretary of the U. S. embassy at Rome.

Killed in an Earthquake.

PALERMO, Aug. 8.—Earthquakes were felt at 8 o'clock this morning at Acireale and Zafferana. At the latter place … people were killed and several injured.

A Steamer Destroyed.

ASHLAND, Wis., Aug. 8.—The steamer Hancock was burned off this port this morning.

Osborne Refuses Renomination.

CHEYENNE, Wyo., Aug. 8.—Nellie A. Carthel, of Laramie, was elected temporary chairman of the Democratic state convention today and the convention took a recess until this afternoon. Governor Osborne has positively refused renomination.

GRAIN MARKET EXCITED

But Fluctuation Not so Wild as Yesterday.

CHICAGO, Aug. 8.—Grains opened excited and higher again today, but the fluctuations of early trading were not so wild as yesterday. Country buying orders continue to push prices upward. Local professional traders have been fighting the advance for ten days, feeling that the rain must come before absolute ruin of crops occurs. Instead of rains there were hot winds, and as a result country speculators have been making money "hand over fist." In view of yesterday's sensational advances, the local traders are still fighting the advance. September corn started 60½, advanced ¼ higher than the market yesterday, but on heavy offerings by local traders broke to 56½, bounced again to 59½, off to 56½ and back to 57½. May, meantime, sold as high as 57½ and as low as 5…

The sudden slump in corn soon after the opening was due to the giving out of country buying orders and the execution of country stops loss orders placed about 1-2 cent below the opening price. Corn broke 5 cents.

A Fierce Fire.

CHICAGO, Aug. 8.—A fierce fire broke out in the business portion of the north side suburb, Rogers Park, at 10 o'clock today. The fire was soon beyond the control of the local fire department and assistance was asked from Evanston and other neighboring towns.

At 11:30 the fire is under control. One block on Clark street is burned.

Jealousy and Murder.

OTTUMWA, Iowa, Aug. 8.—In a fit of jealousy, "Wig" Jenkins, a Burlington baggageman at Chariton, Iowa, today shot Mrs. Ellen Murphy, his landlady, and her two daughters and then killed himself. He was enamored of the youngest daughter and jealous.

Objectionable Receivers.

NEW YORK, Aug. 8.—A letter has been sent the Atchison Protective committee by the Union Trust company, as trustee of the Atchison consolidated bonds, calling for steps to secure the removal of the present receivers on the ground of their connection with the management of the company which brought about the receivership.

THEY WERE COUSINS.

And So The Clerk Mistakenly Said They Could Not Marry.

An interesting young couple walked timidly into the county clerk's office this morning and were cordially received by Deputy Jack W…, being now an old hand at the "business", jumped at the conclusion that they were in want of a marriage license. In anticipation of the request, he was about to reach underneath the counter for the blank form which has to be filled up with the names, ages, etc., of the contracting parties before the knot can be tied, when the would-be bridegroom ventured to ask "whether the laws of this Territory permitted first cousins to marry." He was answered in the negative, and a look of disappointment spread over the features of "the cousins". "Then I guess it's no use," remarked the young man solemnly, and with a "thank you" and a respectful good morning the twain descended the staircase with measured tread and slow.

LITTLE FOLKS AT THE LAKE.

They Formed a Merry Crowd on the Great Pavilion—The Water Lily at Tooele.

It was a jolly crowd which gathered at Saltair yesterday. The children—and some of the older ones—were there in … Every train which left the R. G. & L. A. depot was packed, and by the time all had reached Saltair that resort was pretty well crowded. With singing by the Juvenile choir, music by the Christensen orchestra and dancing, the day was very pleasantly spent. The great crowd created such confusion, however, that the sweet voices of the little ones were put to some disadvantage, especially in the solos and duets. A short program was given at 2 o'clock in the afternoon, then the young people danced until 5 o'clock, when another short program concluded the children's duties and everybody went his own way. The last train, which left Saltair at 10 o'clock, bore home a happy crowd who had enjoyed the day immensely.

Wasn't Lost.

Captain Davis came into Saltair yesterday afternoon and soon a report was spread about the resort that the captain had started from his ranch on the island on Sunday last and had been "stuck in the sand" until yesterday. Inquiry proved, however, that Captain Davis and Mr. Mayer had started in the "Water Lily of Tooele," the familiar sailboat, on Sunday a … but had returned on account of unfavorable wind; and on Monday the operation was repeated with a like result. Tuesday, however, the trip was made without a hitch and the jolly captain and his little craft were visitors to the bathing resort, leaving for his island home about 5 o'clock last night.

KILLED IN A COLLISION.

Fireman Pickering Meets Death Near Castilia on the R. G. W.

Engineers Udall and McGraw Seriously Hurt and Another Fireman Injured.

There was a most lamentable accident in Spanish Fork canyon yesterday afternoon on the Rio Grande Western in which Arthur Pickering a young fireman of this city met his death in a shocking and unexpected manner.

In the same disaster Engineers Wilson Udall and Dennis McGraw met with injuries so serious that they are now in the hospital, where they will be obliged to remain for weeks under the most favorable circumstances. The exact particulars in railway accidents are always difficult to obtain when it is necessary to rely on railway men for information. The present case is no exception. From other sources though the story of the wreck is told substantially as follows:

The engine on which Pickering was employed and on which he met his death while at the post of duty was No. 128 and had been ordered west from Thistle with Udall at the throttle to assist a freight up the canyon which was to leave Springville in charge of Engineer Sullivan. When about a mile below Castilia and while rounding a curve in the road it dashed into engine No. 42 in charge of Engineer McGraw. Both engineers were badly bruised, cut and scalded. Pickering was caught in such a manner as to have his life instantly crushed out of him. His head was found to have been broken in, while his body and limbs were frightfully mangled. Death was instantaneous.

Fireman Burns escaped death by jumping. Last night the remains of Pickering and the injured men were brought to this city. Pickering was a married man with a family of young children. He was 2… years of age, and regarded as a faithful employe.

It took considerable time to clear the road of the wreck so as to allow traffic to be resumed. The task was finished about midnight. Just who is responsible for the accident is not known, but Mr. McGraw is not slow to blame the dispatcher at Thistle, who is said to have been a new hand at his business and got mixed up in his orders.

McDonald Has Been Laid Off.

Yesterday afternoon Chief Pratt was asked by a News representative as to whether he was going to take any action regarding the suspension of Policeman McDonald and he replied that he was undecided. Later in the day the chief seems to have changed his mind, however, as "Mc" was "laid off" until such time as the board of fire and police commissioners shall investigate his action in regard to the arrest of Archibald Kern.

The Workingmen at Garfield.

The Laboring men's association are at Garfield today. The program included race and athletic sports of various kinds. The attendance was quite large but was cut down somewhat on account of the threatening state of the weather.

The Logan Choir.

The Logan choir in a body will come to this city with the excursion which is being gotten up under their auspices, on Tuesday, August 14th. A portion of the day will be spent at Garfield, and in the evening the choir will be in attendance at the concert in the Tabernacle, and will sing a number. This noted body of singers will add very much to the attractiveness of the program.

Good Citizenship League.

The Good Citizenship League, organized for the avowed purpose of creating a better political condition in this city and for the further purpose of making it impossible for immoral and dishonest men to be elected to office, met in the Y. M. C. A. rooms last evening. The question of holding a mass meeting in September was discussed and arrangements to that end made. Committees were appointed to prepare an address for that occasion, also to arrange a program for the same event.

Police Court.

About a dozen cases of the small fry class were disposed of by Justice Smith today. It has been some time since an important case has been heard in the police court.

ESCAPED BURGLAR.

A Davis County Convict Succeeds in Getting Out of Jail.

THROWN FROM A HORSE TODAY

Lost His Fingers in a Pulley.—Thrown Through the Air by a Railway Collision.

Special to the News.

KAYSVILLE, August 8, 2:30 p. m.—The worst one of the three convicts confined in our county jail awaiting the action of the grand jury on a charge of burglarizing Mr. Stanfield's store in Kaysville, some months ago, effected his escape in a rather bold manner about 11 o'clock a. m. yesterday.

The prisoners occupied cells in the second room from the entrance, and the sheriff now vividly calls to mind that the escaped prisoner has been lately noticed lying in his bunk every time he entered, and how he took pains to tell him (the sheriff) how he had to keep his face covered with the blanket to prevent the flies from bothering him. The sheriff says he generally locks the door when he enters the jail and puts the key in his pocket, but this time he did not do so.

On entering the second room he noticed two men sitting on the bunk and the bedclothes piled up as though the third man was covered up to keep the flies off him, but on stepping up to the bunk, to be sure about the matter, he found the bedclothes rounded up with nothing under them. He rushed out and, after locking the remaining prisoners in, made an unsuccessful search for the escaped "bird." Others joined him, stimulated by a … reward offered by the sheriff, but no news has yet been received of his capture.

There is one cell in the first room of the jail and the sheriff says the prisoner must have been hiding in it and … escaped as soon as he entered the second room. An orchard joins the court house premises on the south and fields of grain and other crops extend south for several miles. The escaped prisoner no doubt lay in hiding until nightfall.

THROWN FROM A HORSE AND HURT.

George Robinson, the 14-year-old son of Esther and the late G. L. Robinson, was riding a horse this morning and the animal getting scared shied and threw him off, breaking one of his … wrist bones.

A LACERATED HAND.

A short time ago the 6-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. D. A. Oviatt took hold of a rope as it was running into a horse hay fork pulley and lacerated his right hand so badly that two of the fingers had to be amputated by Dr. …, of Kaysville, and it is feared another will also have to be taken off.

A RAILROAD ACCIDENT.

Another accident occurred recently at the Hell crossing of the U. P. railway at our station. The son of Joseph H. and Maria Clark started to the field for a load of hay, and the rattling of the wagon down the hill at the foot of which the track crosses the road prevented him from hearing the south-bound passenger train. The station house, tank and trees along the track also hid the train from sight until he was on the track and the train only a few rods distant. The cow-catcher struck the hind wheels of the wagon and threw the rack completely off. The boy struck on the gate of the railroad some several yards from the wagon, and it was feared he was dangerously hurt, but he was fortunately recovered from the effects of his scare and hurt.

School Building Work.

The long delayed material for the Grant and Oquirrh school buildings has arrived, and from this time forth the contractors of those structures promise to rush matters to a lively completion. There has been no lack of material on account of strikes or floods on the Uintah or Bonneville buildings but work has been of a rather slow order, though it is believed that the notification of the board to the contractors that it is proposed to enforce to the letter the terms of the contract in regard to the forfeiture of so much money each day after the 1st of September, will have a tendency to push things along. The builders on the Emerson school have also been urged to prosecute their work with more vigor.

Hymeneal.

Four o'clock this afternoon was the time set for the marriage of Miss Louise Budd, of the Nineteenth ward to Mr. Walter Duncombe, of the Twenty-second ward. The marriage was announced to take place at the residence of Mr. David Duncombe, father of the groom and Commissioner Cowan was to officiate. The young couple will start for the north this evening on their wedding trip.

A COMMENDABLE ACT.

The Council Rescinds Its "False Economy" Order as to Cemetery Maintenance.

A thankful public was not loth to express itself today over the commendable action of the Council last night in rescinding the resolution limiting expenses in the city cemetery to $250 per month and in authorizing the sexton to apply the proceeds of the department to the proper maintenance of the fast becoming beautiful "city of the dead." To have done otherwise would have invoked the ill will and righteous indignation of the taxpayers. Hence one for the Council for its willingness to rectify a grievous blunder.