

GRASSHOPPERS IN MONTANA.

One District, Forty Miles Square,
Eaten Up by Them.

SNOW COVERS THE GROUND.

In Some Sections to a Depth of Three
Feet—Situation Very Bad for
Live Stock.

Bozeman, Mont., May 21.—One section of Montana is eaten up by locusts, while another lies under three feet of snow.

Prof. R. A. Colley of the agricultural college has received word that a district forty miles square, situated east of Forsyth, is pestered by the Rocky mountain grasshopper, which has eaten up everything.

Cattle have to be removed from the infested district, as there is nothing for them to feed on.

SHASTA COUNTY POTTERY.

Berkeley, Cal., May 22.—The paleontologists at the University of California sent to delve into the pottery in Shasta county have met with very great success in their researches. The first report from the exploration party has just reached the university. It shows that the caves are a rich field for investigation, for in the brief time the party has been there many valuable specimens of bones of extinct animals have been unearthed. Altogether 4,000 specimens were unearthed, most of them in a good state of preservation. Seventeen species of animals found are of the extinct kind.

DIED OF FRIGHT.

Caused I. Simms' Death Who Was
Arrested for Murder.

Chicago, May 21.—I. Simms was arrested last night charged with the murder of Joseph Dabney, colored, and died of fright on the way to the county jail. Dabney was found dead May 18 at the foot of the stairs leading to his room. His neck had been broken. After an investigation detectives arrested Simms last night charged with killing Dabney. He was taken to a police station, questioned and locked up. An hour later he was found on the way to the county jail, his face pale and his hands shaking. He was taken to the county jail hospital at once, but died before the ambulance reached the jail.

In Mr. Howe's Favor.

Chicago, May 22.—An investigation of charges made against Thaddeus H. Howe, president of the Cigar Dealers' Association of America, has resulted in a finding in favor of Mr. Howe. The charges were that Mr. Howe's own tobacco company had for stockholders, a number of men, who are closely identified with the so-called trust, but the association's executive committee, which had conducted the inquiry, reported that such was not the case.

Jewish Population in London.

London, May 22.—In view of the Jewish troubles in eastern Europe, considerable interest is shown in the royal commission on alien immigration which was appointed a year ago and whose sittings concluded yesterday. The evidence taken has shown that there is an enormous growth of the Jewish population in the east of London, mainly through the influx of Russian Poles, and this influx has resulted in serious overcrowding of the population in unsanitary conditions. On the other hand, the investigation of the industrial and respectable and with a ten-

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deney to rapidly improve their social conditions. The greatest complaint against them is that they work cheaply and reduce the standard of wages in certain trades. The evidence taken also showed that the Jewish power of guardians is compelled in self-defense to repress thousands of Jews yearly who arrive in absolutely destitute condition. Leonard Cohen, the chairman of the Jew board advocated the passing of legislation to exclude these destitute immigrants. It is expected, however, that the commission will only report in favor of the exclusion of criminals and the mentally defective and diseased aliens.

Lorimer Has a Big Majority.

Chicago, May 22.—Congressman William Lorimer has a majority of 1,001 over A. C. Burdick, according to the figures of the recount of the ballots, which was completed last night, after 30 days of work. His majority, according to the official canvass, was 985. The recount gives him 1,001, and Mr. Burdick 1,996. Lorimer's majority being 1,001.

Junior Order of Mechanics.

San Francisco, May 22.—The Junior Order of Mechanics, in annual convention here, elected officers today for the ensuing year as follows:

National councilor, Dr. J. L. Cooper of Texas; national vice councilor, W. S. Faison of North Carolina; national treasurer, J. Adam Sol of Maryland; national conductor, Martin M. Woods of Massachusetts; national warden, Arthur E. Baisley of Michigan; national inspector, H. C. Chatterjee of California; national recorder, G. L. Hopkins of Virginia; national chaplain, Rev. M. D. Schiller of Pennsylvania; board of control, E. R. Dillingham of Georgia.

Edward S. Deemer was re-elected national secretary.

The next annual meeting will be held in St. Louis, Mo.

Testimonial for "Bif" Hall's Family.

Chicago, May 22.—Friends of the late William T. Hall, known to nearly every one in Chicago as "Bif" Hall, are arranging a monster testimonial in behalf of his family. On June 1, the Olympic theater is to be turned over to the professionals playing here and they expect to give the most unique continuous performance ever seen in a theater. The testimonial will be given at 12:30 p. m., and last until 10:30 p. m. All the tickets will be one price, a dollar each, admitting to any part of the house. George Ade has been made secretary and treasurer of the fund.

It appears that Judge Hall had not been fortunate in his investments and that what little he had left was encumbered. "Bif" Hall was famous as a writer, dramatic critic and after-dinner speaker, and it is said that no man in America had a wider acquaintance in the literary profession.

DENVER STRIKE SETTLED.

Each Side Made Concessions, Laboring Men the Least.

Denver, Colo., May 21.—The strike which for several days has paralyzed the business of the city, involving nearly 10,000 men and women and threatening to cut into the life of the city, was settled today. A committee from the chamber of commerce and one from the local geographical union, though both sides made concessions, but the findings of the board to be binding upon all members of the Citizens' alliance and upon all unions represented by the general executive committee; all strikes, lockouts and boycotts are declared off; the men now out are to be reinstated as rapidly as their services can be utilized; all suits for injunctions are to be withdrawn.

A Fortune Awaits W. L. Chapman.

Kansas City, Mo., May 22.—Walter L. Chapman, whose whereabouts is unknown, is held to more than \$50,000, under the will, just probated, of his father, Dr. Andrew L. Chapman, a grandson of

the poet Thomas Campbell. Walter L. Chapman ran away from home 35 years ago, on account of a school boy fight, and is now 50 years old. Nothing has been heard from him for 15 years. The missing man is a grand-nephew of Alexander Campbell, founder of the Christian church.

Investigating a Lottery Scheme.

Pueblo, Colo., May 22.—Inspectors Doran and Smithers of the postoffice department are here investigating alleged violations of the postal laws. Several persons here have received circulars advertising a lottery in Hamburg, Germany. The report of the inspectors will be sent to Washington and the matter will be taken up within the German government.

Chinese Government Alarmed.

Pekin, May 22.—The government is alarmed at the disquieting news of anti-dynastic outbreak in Yunnan province. The prefect has been killed and the city of Lin Shien Fu is invested by the rebels. The French consul at Yunnan Fu confirms the report that the situation is serious. Telegraphic communication with the French frontier is interrupted.

A BRASS LECTURE.

Presented to British Chapel, Peking, By Grateful Americans.

Pekin, May 22.—The Americans who were stationed at the British legation during the siege, have presented a brass lecture to the chapel. Minister Conger made a speech in behalf of the Americans and Chinese soldiers, both of whom were brave and heroic. The British legation, both siege veterans, both responded.

Terrible Lead Mine Mill Burned.

Canon City, Colo., May 22.—News is received of the destruction by fire of the mill and mine buildings at the Terrible lead mine, half way between here and Silver Cliff. The loss is \$50,000 well insured.

Held for Attempted Suicide.

New York, May 22.—Washington Seligman, the broker, who was taken from the Rossmore hotel Wednesday night with his neck badly cut has been held in \$1,000 bail on the charge of attempting suicide. Magistrate Mayo went to the hospital where Seligman lay and the legal proceedings were held there. Bail was furnished. Seligman denies that he tried to kill himself.

High Prices for Books.

Boston, Mass., May 22.—Notably high prices have been paid at the auction sale of books at Libbie's, there being sold some choice editions among them being the first edition of the New England Psalm Signer ever printed. The "Psalm Signer" by William Billings, with frontispiece and music engraved on copper by Paul Beeve, printed by Edes and Gill, Boston about 1790, was sold for \$225 to Mr. Hantrant.

Thomas Morrison Resigns.

Bradford, Pa., May 22.—Thomas Morrison, general superintendent of the Bradford Iron Works, has resigned his position. He was succeeded by J. E. Dinkley, assistant general manager of the Bradford plant is the probable successor of Mr. Morrison.

Quarantine Against Texas Itch.

Topeka, Kan., May 21.—Gov. Bailey late this afternoon issued a proclamation fixing a quarantine against cattle from the state of Texas. The proclamation is in effect from June 1 to June 15. On account of the Texas itch, no cattle may be brought into the state or from the counties in question until they shall have been carefully dipped in a standard solution for the cure of the itch. This disease has become alarming prevalent among cattle in western Kansas.

Descendant of Boone Dead.

Kansas City, Mo., May 21.—Linville Hayes, a descendant of Daniel Boone, and a well known freighter in early days, when he directed the movement of large wagon trains to Salt Lake, New Mexico and Arizona, died today, aged 82 years.

Cleveland Quits Fishing.

Toledo, O., May 21.—Grover Cleveland and Admiral Lambert left Middle Bass last night after a week of good fishing. In answer to questions by an Associated Press correspondent, Mr. Cleveland said he did not care to discuss political matters further than he had already.

Gold for Argentina.

New York, May 21.—Baring-Magnus today announced that they would ship to Argentina by mail, \$250,000 in gold which it was said yesterday they had provisionally engaged.

TEMPLE TO CLOSE.

The Salt Lake Temple will be closed on Thursday evening, May 23, and reopen on Tuesday morning, June 2.

PADDING SKELETONS

That's Postman's Job.

The rapidity with which pure food and drink will win a hard battle against ill health makes people stare sometimes. The most wonderful medicines in the world may be tried without success so long as the body is sluggish with coffee. After living 10 months in bed from his third attack of La Grippe, a gentleman of Bridgeport, Vt., recovered his health almost entirely in two weeks by leaving off coffee and drinking Postum Cereal Coffee. It meant that he was

"I was reduced in weight from 150 to about 100 pounds and thus remained a poor, helpless skeleton for 8 months notwithstanding the fact that I had prescriptions, besides many boxes and bottles of extensively advertised remedies and dozens of bottles of malt and other tonics.

"Finally in April, I stopped using coffee and other drugs and medicines of every kind and adopted a diet of plenty of Postum and Grape-Nuts. To my surprise in a short time I was able to eat and digest soft boiled eggs for breakfast and beef steak for dinner. I gained flesh and strength rapidly.

"On the afternoon of June 9 I walked out of my residence for the first time in 10 months and nine days. Two weeks later I left the city for my boyhood's home in the old Green Mountain State where I am now living in better health and strength than I have had since my first attack of La Grippe in 1892. I regard my case as having been helped so far as medical science was concerned by reason of heart failure, nervous prostration and, as my physician termed it, nearly total paralysis of certain internal organs. But food and all this was caused by coffee drinking.

"Before I found Postum I was 70 years old, now I feel 70 years young." Name furnished by Postum Co., Battle Creek, Mich.

THAT CUP SEEMS PERFECTLY SAFE

New Defender Reliance Completely Outclasses Columbia in Trial Race.

DISPLAYED GREAT SPEED.

The Old Defender Has Beaten Nearly Fifteen Minutes—Another Race Tomorrow With Constitution.

New York, May 21.—By a combination of good luck and splendid sailing qualities, the new cup yacht Reliance today inflicted such a defeat upon the former cup defender, Columbia, as she never had suffered, leading her over the finish line of a 2-mile course off Glen Cove by 14 minutes and 41 seconds, official time. Not all of the glory of the victory was fairly earned by the new boat. If it had been, there would be no doubt that the Reliance would be the next cup defender, but despite the Columbia's ill luck, the Reliance convincingly showed herself to be the better boat.

She had beaten the Columbia nearly eight minutes in a broad reach of 11 miles in 10 minutes, beaten her one minute and 45 seconds running free for three miles in a strong 15-knot breeze and beat her four minutes and 45 seconds in an 11-mile stretch to windward close hauled in a 16-knot southwesterly. This timing is unofficial, and allows for Reliance's 15 seconds' advantage at the start. When the Reliance crossed the finish line the Columbia was miles astern, hopelessly beaten.

The first leg of today's race was not a fair test of the merits of the two boats, but it sufficed to develop surprising results. The Reliance, which was not until today to be a heavy weather boat.

Elapsed Start Finish Time.
Reliance 1:12:30 5:13:30 4:01:00
Columbia 1:57:30 6:29:15 4:31:45

IN THE BIG LEAGUES.

How the Teams Line Up in Seven Organizations.

American League.

STANDING OF TEAMS.

Team	Won	Lost	P.C.
Chicago	13	11	.540
Cleveland	13	11	.540
Philadelphia	13	11	.540
Pittsburgh	13	11	.540
St. Louis	13	11	.540
Washington	13	11	.540

National League.

STANDING OF TEAMS.

Team	Won	Lost	P.C.
New York	13	9	.590
Chicago	13	9	.590
Pittsburgh	13	9	.590
Brooklyn	13	9	.590
Cincinnati	13	9	.590
Philadelphia	13	9	.590
St. Louis	13	9	.590

Pacific Coast League.

STANDING OF TEAMS.

Team	Won	Lost	P.C.
Los Angeles	13	12	.520
San Francisco	13	12	.520
Seattle	13	12	.520
Oakland	13	12	.520
Portland	13	12	.520

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