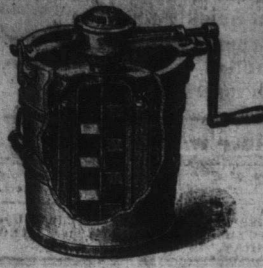


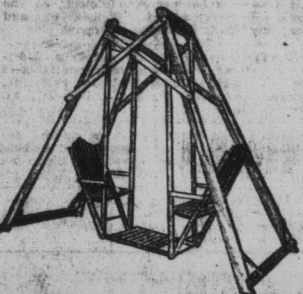
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TUBERCULOSIS CONGRESS.

Commission Will Enquire Into Relation Between the Human and Bovine Diseases.

LONDON, July 24.—The principal paper before the British congress on tuberculosis today was read by Prof. Brouardel of Paris, who urged international legislation in regard to the notification of the authorities of the existence of tuberculosis and the disinfection and salubrity of hotels, railway cars and steamboats. Prof. Brouardel said any measures tending to limit the ravages of alcoholism would diminish the mortality from consumption. Prof. Brouardel complimented the United States on its quick realization of the dangers of expectoration and its legislation in regard to the use of tuberculin. Dr. G. A. Heron of London paid a warm tribute to the researches of Prof. Koch. The only chance to cure consumption, Dr. Heron asserted, was to begin in the early stages. The surest method of diagnosis was by the application of tuberculin. "Had tuberculin served no other purpose than diagnosis," said he, "it would be worthy of the highest praise and appreciation."

HEAT CAUSES MANY DEATHS.

KANSAS CITY, Mo., July 24.—For 13 consecutive hours today the government thermometer here has registered above 100. Six deaths are attributable to the heat reported in the two Kansas cities today.

ST. LOUIS, July 24.—One hundred and seven and one-tenth degrees was recorded as the maximum temperature here today, a figure never reached before in this city. No immediate prospects of relief are in sight, and the indications are for continued hot and dry weather for the next 24 hours at least. In the 24 hours ending at 11 o'clock tonight 40 deaths directly attributable to the heat had been reported. In the same period 75 cases of prostration went on record.

BAPTIST YOUNG PEOPLE.

CHICAGO, July 25.—Five thousand delegates to the eleventh annual international convention of the Baptist Young People's union arrived yesterday, and twice that many more are expected today. The board of managers, comprising one member from every state and territory in the United States and Canada, held its annual meeting yesterday. The first meeting of the young people was held at the Second Baptist church last night. One of the matters which received special attention was the establishment of the first Baptist young people's paper, called the Young People's Union.

THE DROUGHT.

CHICAGO, July 25.—The Tribune gathered reports at 2 o'clock this morning from telegraph operators at central points in Iowa, Nebraska and Missouri, the drought stricken states, regarding the weather condition at that hour. These showed as follows: In Iowa, at Independence, Fort Dodge, Gilman, Marshalltown, Dubuque and Iowa City. In Nebraska—Omaha, Cheyenne County and vicinity was visited by a heavy rain tonight, two inches falling at Sidney. The fall is believed to extend through western Nebraska. North Platte—Very light rain, both east and west of here. In Missouri—Jefferson City, Kansas City, Centralia, Desoto all reported no rain and no prospects for any.

A VILLAGE TRAGEDY.

UTICA, N. Y., July 25.—Henry Brown, of Ilion, went into the barber shop of George Young in that village this morning and got into an argument with Young about a bill of \$18, which is said to have been due Young from Brown. The argument had proceeded some moments when Brown drew a revolver and shot Young dead. Brown left the shop and told men on the street that he had killed Young. He was arrested and is now in jail. Both men have heretofore borne excellent reputations and the community is shocked by the occurrence.

FEAR AMERICAN COMPETITION.

VIENNA, July 25.—At a largely attended meeting here today of Viennese shoemakers a most determined protest was lodged against the projected establishment of American shoe houses in Vienna and the meeting resolved to send a deputation to the minister of commerce.

WORK 17 HOURS PER DAY.

NEW YORK, July 25.—A strike of egg candlers employed by a large firm in this city has been ordered. The demand a reduction of the hours of labor from 17 to 10 a day. The present strike is said to be only a number of candlers employed by a number of other firms also work 17 hours a day, and should the first effort be successful other strikes will certainly follow.

THE FOSBURG TRIAL.

Interest in the Case Grows as the Enquiry Proceeds.

PITTSFIELD, Mass., July 24.—In the Fosburg murder trial today Robert L. Fosburg, father of the prisoner, and Miss Beatrice Fosburg, testified along with two neighbors, who came to the house after the murder was committed. Mr. and Miss Fosburg gave a detailed account of the events of the night, swearing positively that the house was entered by burglars who committed the crime with which young Fosburg is now charged. PITTSFIELD, Mass., July 25.—In the Fosburg case today the most interesting witness was Miss Bertha Sheldon, the young woman who was visiting the Fosburgs when the shooting occurred. She said, in substance, that Mr. Fosburg, senior, had invited her to visit his daughters, because Berkshire air would do her good. She was not at all well, and she intended to go home sooner, but Robert L. Fosburg wanted her to see his wife and she stayed. On the night of the shooting she occupied the guest chamber leading from May's room. The witness then proceeded to relate the story of the happenings of Sunday, both day and evening. Sunday night May sang the Holy City, and she remembered that the members of the family kissed one another and bade one another good night, as was their custom. Shortly after midnight witness was awakened by a piercing scream, and then she heard a pistol shot. She got up, opened the door, and asked what was the matter. She saw May upon the floor and saw young Robert Fosburg near his room. She also saw Beatrice, Mr. Fosburg, senior, and his wife. She called Beatrice to her and asked what had happened. District Attorney Hammond objected to witness giving the words which Beatrice spoke to her. The court refused with counsel to consider in private the admissibility of this evidence. Mr. Joyner said before retiring that he expected to show that the exclamation by Beatrice was in the presence of the defendant and the family. The conference was of short duration, and at its conclusion Judge Stevens announced that by agreement of counsel the question would be answered, and the witness would be allowed to tell what Miss Beatrice exclaimed to her. Miss Sheldon said that Beatrice exclaimed, "Burglars have entered the house and shot May."

EARLY CLOSING.

From now to Sept. 1st the wholesale and retail grocery stores of O. H. Warwick, W. H. Hayward and the Binon & Sinclair Co. will close on Saturday afternoon at one o'clock.

It has been suggested to the Star that the book stores and some others should join in the early closing movement, so it might be made as general as possible. Thus far the movement appears to have met with much favor, though it cannot of course be expected that early closing will become at once a universal practice. The Star will be very glad to publish communications from any interested in this subject.

IN THE SYNAGOGUE.

Yesterday evening in the Jewish synagogue a service was held in commemoration of the destruction of the temple. The scriptures dealing with the event were read by the congregation shortly after sundown. Today is being observed as a day of lamentation and prayer, and this evening another reading of the scriptures will take place. The day ends at sunset.

THE STAR IS THE PAPER.

"I want to subscribe for the Star for a year," said a citizen this morning, as he put down \$3 on the desk. "It is the only paper in the town worth having. I have been taking one of the other evening papers and I am tired of it. The Star is the paper for the working man who has no time to wade through columns of stuff in which he is not interested at all, in order to find the news that does interest him."

RUSSELL SAGE'S VIEWS.

Russell Sage is quoted as follows: "I believe the stock market at present is steadily and shaping itself for a substantial rise, which is to be founded on the very favorable general conditions, so decidedly prosperous. The present labor troubles will pass away in very short order, the western crop scare will prove, as all crop scares prove to be, much magnified, while with the great railroad and financial interests of the country in perfect accord, not only will railroad earnings continue exceptionally large, but because rate war will be avoided, they will grow still larger. "I am a bull on the country, for I believe in its prosperity. And I believe that this prosperity will be reflected in higher prices on the stock exchange."

A MOWING MATCH.

All kinds of matches have been made this season, but it has been left to Rothessy to hold a mowing contest. Mr. Evans of that place has issued a challenge to any ambitious wielders of the scythe to meet for the championship. No match has as yet been made, but it is expected that the challenge will be taken up. If the contest takes place there will be an admirable chance for some one with a handy field to get his hay cut cheaply.

THE STEEL STRIKE

PITTSBURG, July 24.—The impression gains ground that the officers of the steel corporation have determined to take action and endeavor to break up the strike.

SHOT HIMSELF

Because the Girl He Loved Refused to See Him.

NEWCASTLE, July 24.—A young man named Thomas Hurst, who worked in a hotel in Boston, arrived here a few days ago, having followed from Boston a young lady with whom he was desperately in love. Today he called to see the young lady, but was refused an audience. The disappointment of the young man was so great that he pulled a pistol from his pocket and blew out his brains. The revolver had been purchased by Hurst at Ferguson's store ostensibly for the purpose of committing the rash deed or attempting a worse crime. Hurst was about 20 years of age. An inquest will be held tomorrow.

PORTO RICO.

Free Trade With the United States Formally Proclaimed.

WASHINGTON, July 25.—The president today issued his proclamation, establishing free trade between Porto Rico and the United States, and declaring the organization of a civil government for the island. The proclamation is purely formal and only in the body of the resolution adopted by the Porto Rican legislature does it appear that the island is set free commercially tomorrow in commemoration of the anniversary of the planting of the American flag on the island.

BRIEFS BY WIRE.

The improvement in the general condition of Signor Francesco Crispi is maintained. The former Italian premier passed a fairly quiet night last night.

The Turkish government has arbitrarily refused to permit the Greek squadron to visit Smyrna, Salonica and Mount Athos. Greece sent the usual notification of protest on the matter, but the porte declined to entertain the proposition on political grounds.

The new White Star line steamer Celtic, which sails from Liverpool for New York tomorrow, will take Reginald Ward and Foshall Keene and the members of his party.

Aquilla J. Daugherty died last night at Maquoketa, Ill., in a sanatorium, where he has been for six weeks, as a result of a stroke of paralysis. He was 69 years of age and had served as consul to Callao, Peru.

TO FIGHT YELLOW FEVER.

NEW YORK, July 25.—Dr. Felipe Caldas, the Brazilian bacteriologist, sailed yesterday for Cuba on the steamer Havana. He is accompanied by Dr. Anger Ballinzaghi, his assistant. Dr. Caldas goes to Cuba to direct experiments with a view to stamping out yellow fever in the island. Santiago Delas Vegas, where the fever is now prevalent, will be the first place visited. The yellow fever experts have with them 1,000 bottles of serum, with which successful work has been done in Brazil.

THE CHINA HONOR LIST.

LONDON, July 24.—A long list of honors for service in China was gazetted tonight. Sir Claude M. McDonald, former British minister at Peking and now minister at Tokio, is appointed a knight commander of the Bath, with the rank of colonel in the reserves, and Sir Alfred Gaselee, who commanded the British expeditionary corps, is appointed a knight grand commander of the Indian Empire, with the rank of major general.

NEWFOUNDLAND.

ST. JOHN'S, Nfld., July 24.—The passage of the new Reid railway bill through the Newfoundland legislative assembly is now virtually assured. In the course of a speech in the assembly Mr. Morine today joined with Mr. Bond, the premier, in denouncing the land grants given by the cabinet of Sir James Winter along the seaboard, reminding the assembly that these were made after he (Morine) withdrew from the government.

THE SCHLEY ENQUIRY.

WASHINGTON, July 24.—Secretary Long, in accordance with a request from Admiral Schley today advised that officer that he would order a court of inquiry to examine into the entire course of Admiral Schley's in the Santiago naval campaign. Later the secretary announced that owing to the extremely hot weather the court would not meet until September. WASHINGTON, July 25.—Secretary Long announced this morning that he had selected Admiral Dewey and Rear Admiral Kimberly and Benham as members of the Schley court of inquiry. The precept to the court has not yet been published.

TOURISTS FELL TO DEATH.

ZERMATT, Switzerland, July 25.—An Englishman and two ladies, together with their guides, plunged over a precipice while ascending the Matterhorn.

THE WEATHER.

WASHINGTON, July 25.—Eastern states and northern New York—Partly clear tonight and Friday, with occasional showers, light to fresh northerly to easterly winds. TORONTO, July 25.—West and east—To day and on Friday moderate to fresh northwesterly to northerly winds, fine and comparatively cool.

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Would you sell the horse?"

"No, sir. I'd never give in like that. I'd hitch the animal up in front to the machine, and then I'd see whether he'd go or not."—Washington Star.