

FIGHT TO THE DEATH BY TWO MEN IN MID AIR.

Quarrel and Fight for Half an Hour on a Narrow Trestle Fifty Feet Above Hudson River.

Hundreds of People Watched the Battle From Below, but None Dared to Interfere.

New York, March 5.—The World today says: On a trestle, not more than four feet wide, fifty feet above the level of the river, at the foot of East Thirty-first street, two men battled for half an hour with their fists yesterday. A hundred workmen, drillmen and laborers, employed in the Pennsylvania tunnel, watched the combatants from below, not a man attempting to clamor up the ladder and interfere in the struggle, which, it seemed, could not end but in the death of one or both, unless it was stopped.

END TO HER LIFE.

Canadian Woman Found Asphyxiated in Her Room in New York.

New York, March 5.—Mrs. Mamie Williams was found dead to-night in her room, 302 West 51st street, with a rubber tube in her mouth that led from a gas jet. On the bed beside the body were two pictures of a man. The same man's likeness was in a locket hanging from a chain about the woman's neck.

HIS KNIFE SLIPPED.

Young Man Fatally Wounded While Killing a Cat.

A Port Hope despatch: A youth named Guy Grant, 16 years of age, met with a fatal accident yesterday afternoon at Port Britain, three miles west of Port Hope. In killing a cat for Mr. J. Nichols, his knife slipped in some way, and the sharp blade entered a network of arteries in the right leg about four inches above the knee, inflicting a wound about 3/4 inches deep. The wounded lad was immediately brought to Port Hope, and the difficult operation of cutting and tying the lacerated arteries was successfully performed by Dr. G. A. Dickinson, assisted by local surgeons. The unfortunate youth rallied nicely after the operation, but about 5 o'clock this morning a clot of blood entered the heart and death followed.

ANOTHER IMMIGRANT TRAIN.

Many More Scotch Farm Laborers Arrive in Toronto.

A Toronto despatch: A special train, carrying 140 British emigrants for Ontario, reached Toronto last night over the Canadian Pacific. They were nearly all farm laborers, who had arrived at Halifax on the Mongolian from Glasgow and the Corinthian from Liverpool. In the party were some twenty women, who came out to join their husbands, and when the Union Station was reached there were many joyful meetings. The train made the journey from Halifax in forty-eight hours.

THE STUDENT VOLUNTEERS.

OVER \$80,000 SUBSCRIBED FOR STUDENTS' MISSION.

Toronto Record Excelled by \$25,000.—Mingling of Flags of Two Countries Seems to Please Nashville. Nashville, Tenn., March 5.—Canada is well represented here in the student volunteer convention. The delegates as a general rule are distinguishable by pins bearing the Canadian coat of arms or bits of flags in lieu of college colors, which have attracted much attention. The union of the United States and Canada in the great movement has been strongly emphasized in the decorations of the big auditorium, where the student volunteer conventions are held. The bond was also referred to by Chairman John R. M. in his opening address of the convention.

WESTERN ASSURANCE CO.

FIFTY-FIFTH ANNUAL STATEMENT

31st December, 1905

Table with columns for ASSETS and LIABILITIES, listing various financial items and their values.

FOUR FALL DEAD.

DRAMATIC INCIDENT IN PURSUIT OF FINNISH BANK ROBBERS.

One of Them Took Weapon From Police and Held His Pursuers at Bay—Attacked by Firemen With Hose He Fought Furiously.

Helsingfors, Finland, March 5.—The pursuit of the bandits who last Monday night fired the Russian State Bank here, killed the guardian, and secured \$37,500, showed to-day in another highly dramatic incident, and cost four more lives. At Tammerfors four of the fugitives were cornered. One of the bandits got possession of the Town Hall, and held it for hours, but finally was subdued by stream of water directed by the firemen.

THE TORONTO WOMAN SUICIDES WITH GAS.

Lillian Anne Peabody Williams Takes Her Own Life in New York.

A New York despatch: Gazing with in-soures, it is believed the woman chose suicide, as the only solution of her difficulties. Among letters found in the room of the woman, one was dated, Seneca Falls, Canada, Oct. 24, and notified Mrs. Williams of the death of her mother. A Bible, bore the inscription "Florence Williams, Moravia, N. Y., Merry Christmas from mother, 1892." Several telegrams found in the room were signed "Lillian" and on an envelope was written "charley, forgive me." Propped against the back of a chair beside the bed in which the body was found were two photographs of a young man. In a gold locket about her neck was a miniature of the same face. Occupants of the house recognized it as that of a man who had called upon Mrs. Williams frequently, and whom the woman had introduced as her husband. One picture was that of a young man in the uniform of the Canadian police.

CAUSE OF BOYCOTT.

INDEMNITY FOR OUTRAGES AND U. S. TREATMENT OF CHINESE.

San Francisco, March 5.—Wm. Hancock, for the past thirty-one years a resident of China, and a commissioner of customs there, arrived here on the liner Hong Kong on his way to England. Speaking of the situation in China last night he said: "The principal causes of the present unsettled condition are the dissatisfaction in Southern China over the indemnity to be paid to foreign countries resulting from the Boxer outrages, which occurred in Northern China, and the outrageous treatment of the wealthy King family of China by a customs officer in Boston, when he and his family were en route from England to China by way of this country."

FOUND HIS BODY IN A WELL.

New York, March 5.—After mailing a letter in this city to his father, giving particulars as to his contemplated suicide, Ralph C. Moore, a Columbia College student, returned to his home in Chatham, near Morrisstown, N. J., and drowned himself in an unused well in the rear of his father's house early yesterday morning.

NO ONE BLAMED.

VERDICT ON CATASTROPHE AT THE BRIDGE ACROSS GRAND RIVER.

Evidence as to Stability of Derrick and Track Centricity.—The Jury Could Not Decide Whether the Defects Were in Roadbed or Derrick. A Guelph despatch: After waiting three weeks so as to secure the evidence of Mr. Clement Ames, the bridge foreman, who was so seriously injured, the inquest upon the accident on the Guelph and Goderich Railroad at the Grand River bridge, by which Conductor Timothy Mahoney and Section Boss David McKenzie, lost their lives through the upsetting of the derrick while placing a forty-ton grider on the bridge, was concluded to-night. As at other sittings of the inquest it was a battle between representatives of the C. P. R. on the one hand and the Canada Foundry Co. on the other to place responsibility.

STARTLING CONFESSION.

PLOT TO ASSASSINATE MINE OWNERS—A BOMB VICTIM.

San Francisco, March 5.—It developed here last night that a San Francisco mystery of two years ago has been touched upon in the confession made by Harry Orchard, now imprisoned at Boise, Idaho, on the charge of having murdered former Governor Stearnberg. According to Orchard's confession, as received here, the "Inner Circle" of the Western Organization of Miners plotted the assassination of every prominent man connected with the employers' side of the famous Coeur d'Alene strike, and one of the attempts to commit murder took place in this city.

BRITISH AMERICAN ASSURANCE COMPANY.

SEVENTY-SECOND ANNUAL STATEMENT.

31st December, 1905

Table with columns for ASSETS and LIABILITIES, listing various financial items and their values.

THE MANSON CAMPBELL CO., Limited.

Let us quote you prices on a good Fanning Mill or good Farm Scale.

THE CHATHAM INCUBATOR AND BROODER.

The setting Hen as a Hatcher has been proven a Commercial Failure.

The Chatham Incubator and Brooder has always proved a Money Maker.

A Light, Pleasant and Profitable Business for Women.

Every Farmer Should Raise Poultry.

IS THIS FAIR?

WE WILL SHIP NOW TO YOUR STATION FREIGHT PREPAID.

A CHATHAM INCUBATOR and BROODER.

You Pay us no Cash Till After 1906 Harvest.

Small Premises Sufficient For Poultry Raising.

Of course, if you have lots of room, so much the better, but many a man and woman get carrying on a successful and profitable poultry business in a small city or town lot.

But to make money quickly, you must get away from the old idea of springing do business with setting hens and brooders. The Chatham Incubator and Brooder is the only way in this poultry business, we make special offer which it is worth your while to investigate.

We can supply you quickly from our distributing warehouses at Calgary, Brandon, Regina, Winnipeg, New Westminster, B.C., Montreal, St. Louis, Chicago, and Detroit, Mich.

THE CHATHAM INCUBATOR—It success has encouraged many to make more money than they ever thought possible out of chicks.

Almost every farmer "keeps hens," but while he knows that there is a certain amount of profit in the business, even when letting it take care of itself, few farmers are aware of how much they are losing every year by not getting into the poultry business in such a way as to make a money out of it.

The setting hen as a hatcher will never be a commercial success. Her business is to lay eggs and she should be kept at it. The only way to raise chicks for profit is to begin right by installing a Chatham Incubator and Brooder. With such a machine you can begin hatching on a large scale at any time.

You can't get one crop off your fields in a year, but with a Chatham Incubator and Brooder you can start hatching at any time and raise a crop every month. Think of it!

There is money in the poultry business and we have found this branch of farming so profitable that we have installed several Chatham Incubators and Brooders after trying the first.

Perhaps you think that it requires a great deal of time or a great deal of skill to raise chicks with a Chatham Incubator and Brooder. If so, you are greatly mistaken. Your wife or daughter can attend to the machine and look after the chicks without interfering with their regular household duties.

The market is always good and prices are never low. The demand is always in excess of the supply and at certain times of the year you can practically get any price you care to ask for good broilers. With a Chatham Incubator and Brooder you can start hatching at the right time to bring the chickens to marketable broilers when the supply is very low and the prices accordingly high. This you could never do with hens as hatches.

We know that there is money in the poultry business for every farmer who will go about it right. All you have to do is to get a Chatham Incubator and Brooder and start it. But perhaps you are not prepared just now to spend the money. This is why we make the special offer.

We know there is money in raising chickens. We know the Chatham Incubator and Brooder has no equal. We know that with any reasonable effort on your part, you cannot but make money out of the Chatham Incubator and Brooder.

We know that we make a special offer last year and that in every case the payments were not cheerfully and promptly, and that in many cases money was accompanied by letters expressing satisfaction.

Therefore we have no hesitation in making this proposition to every honest, earnest farmer who may wish to add to their yearly profits with a small expenditure of time and money.

This really means that we will set you up in the poultry business so that you can make money right from the start, without asking for a single cent from you until after 1906 harvest.

If we know of a farmer, or we would like to, we will send you a post card, with our name and address, and we will send you full particulars, as well as our beautifully illustrated book, "How to Raise Chickens," which is worth your while to investigate.

Write to-day to Chatham.

Genlemen,—Your No. 1 Incubator is all right. I am perfectly satisfied with it. Will get a larger one from you next year. Longwood, Lindsay, Ont.

Genlemen,—I think both Incubator and Brooder is all right. I got 75 chicks and three hatchlings. R. S. Flaxman, Plattville, Ont.

Genlemen,—I had never seen an incubator until I received yours. I was pleased and surprised to get over 80 per cent, and the chickens are all strong and healthy. A child can operate machine successfully. Jas. Day, East-Well, Minn.

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