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THE ICE BLOCKADE AN EXPENSIVE AFFAIR

With the Engineers' Strike It Means a Loss of \$150,000 a Day—Damage Feared When the Break Comes.

Detroit, May 6.—It has been figured out that every day that sees the fleet tied up by the ice and engineers' strike, 100,000 tons of ore taken from the mines are piling up on the docks and waiting for shipment. Granting that this stuff was carried at the established rate of freight, the hold-up of the boats will mean a net loss in freights alone of as great a sum as \$30,000 per day. The delay thus occasioned of the boats, it has been figured, means, then, since April 5, the enormous loss of \$2,225,000 in freights. The enormous lumber, coal and grain shipment which is being delayed will bring the amount of losses on freights because of this ice jam up to as high as \$150,000 a day.

WHEN THE ICE BREAKS.
Detroit, May 6.—Capt. Croswell, of the steamer C. H. Starkey, expresses himself as fearful that there will be a bad mix-up when the ice finally begins to move up the river. Unless it moves slowly when it breaks, the vessels now held will be absolutely helpless. The efforts of individual steamers to cut a way through the jam have not been successful, their progress being measured in feet. To add to the difficulties, a coal famine prevails at Marine City, Algonac and other points on the river and the fuel supplies of the steamers have been seriously depleted during their imprisonment in the ice jam.

Chicago vessel owners have grown quite anxious about the fate of the ice-bound fleet, which now numbers between 30 and 40 vessels. Steam is kept up on them night and day and the full crews are on duty, for there is no telling what might happen when the break may come and the fleet be piled up in a confused mass as the ice sweeps them down with the current.

Some old-time lake sailors have recalled the fact that on May 14, 1877, a fleet was caught just as this season's ice, and detained at Port Lambton. There is an important difference in the makeup of the fleets, today's being composed of modern big steamers.

Any Boys?

If there are boys in the house, or girls either, then croup, coughs, catarrh, bronchitis, and sore throat are sure to be there, too, sooner or later. Don't crowd their stomachs with medicine, just have them breathe in the vapor of Vapo-Cresolene; they'll like it, and it will give immediate relief. In this way you put the medicine right on the place that needs it. For whooping-cough it's the perfect cure.

Vapo-Cresolene is sold by druggists everywhere. The Vapo-Cresolene should last a lifetime, and a bottle of Vapo-Cresolene, 25c and 50c each. Theoretical booklet containing physicians' testimonials free upon request. Vapo-Cresolene Co., 10 Fulton St., New York, U.S.A.

MATRIMONIAL MELANGE!

Rich Girl Abandoned Society and Wealth to Wed the Coachman.

Eloping Girl Married in Man's Attire—Elopers Come to Grief.

Binghamton, N. Y., May 5.—Louise Johnson, adopted daughter of L. M. Bowers, manager of the Rockefeller line of steamers on the great lakes, has married Clayton Thayer Bowers, the family coachman. Eighteen years ago, Miss Johnson was taken from the Susquehanna Valley Orphans' Home by Mr. Bowers. She was brought up as a member of the family and regarded as Mr. Bowers' daughter, although she refused to take his name. She frequently drove about in the Bowers' carriages, and in this manner met Thayer. His home is in Madison county, and though his position in the family was menial, he is a man of good parentage and refinement.

Frequent meetings resulted in mutual esteem that soon ripened into love. On April 6, Miss Johnson, abandoning riches, the prospect of a marriage and her position in society, went with Thayer to Rev. Mr. Hammond, of the First Christian Church, and became his bride. Bowers fixed up a carriage for the couple, where the young couple are now living. Mr. Bowers refuses to recognize the girl as his daughter, saying she is simply his "second" girl housemaid, who married his coachman.

GIRL MARRIED IN MAN'S CLOTHING.

Chicago, May 6.—Captain Mahoney's office at the Harrison street police station was the scene of a wedding such as would be a fitting climax of a melodrama. Cruelly of a step-father, flight from home on freight trains, disguise of the bride in male attire to escape detection, and finally arrest and detention in a Chicago police station figured in the first act.

The bride was 19-year-old Martha Snyder, and the groom, Fred Cooper, two years her senior. Justice Prindiville performed the ceremony. Martha Snyder, who is a waitress at a hotel, she had donned to couple her identity in her escape from her stepfather in Steubenville, Ohio. For a time Justice Prindiville was under the impression that he was being made the victim of a practical joke. He would hardly be convinced even when the girl was pointed out to him. She resembled a schoolboy of 15. The ceremony was quickly performed, and then Captain Mahoney proposed that a wedding be raised to buy the girl a wedding gown. In the meantime, the captain collected \$10, which he presented to the bride. She thanked the captain and then burst into tears.

The young couple first met in Canton, Ohio. The girl was employed in a hotel as a waitress and Cooper in the same place as a porter. Martha's stepfather refused to permit their marriage and the young people came to Chicago on a freight train. When they were arrested they were about to board a train for Steubenville.

ELOPEMENT THAT FAILED.

New York, May 6.—Maud Hurlbert, the 14-year-old daughter of Mrs. J. H. Hurlbert, of Morrisstown, N. J., made an unsuccessful attempt at elopement with G. L. Babbitt, 25 years old, of Newark.

Babbitt made an engagement to meet the girl in the evening, and drove up from Madison with a hired horse. The girl had no idea where they were going, but, according to their story, about midnight they found themselves in the neighborhood of Ebooton.

Then it began to rain and Maud thought they had better go home. They got lost on the way back and at 9 o'clock the next morning they were near Newark. The horse could go no further, so they took a train back to Morrisstown. They arrived there about 9 o'clock. As soon as they reached the train Babbitt was arrested for stealing the horse. Maud was taken home to her irate mother and chastised.

CHOSEN FRIENDS SUPREME COUNCIL DISSOLVED.

Indianapolis, May 6.—The supreme council of the Order of Chosen Friends has been dissolved by Judge Leathers, of this city. Many thousands of dollars worth of property could not be obtained because the order was still in existence.



MEN AT THE OFFICE, WOMEN IN THE HOME, CHILDREN AT SCHOOL,

Who are overworked mentally or physically derive great benefit from Milburn's Pills.

They supply the necessary elements for making good the wear and tear incurred by the present mode of life now prevalent in this age of business and social life. Every day in the week and every week in the year men, women and children are suffering from nervousness brought on by their efforts to keep up to the modern "high pressure" mode of life necessary to this age.

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My mother was also subject to heart trouble and was so bad that the doctors said she could not live.

She took your pills and says they were the means of curing her.

Yours truly,

Mrs. Wm. Cume.

INWOOD, Ont., April 2nd, 1901.

Dear Sir:—Some time ago I was so run down that I could not do any work. I had distressing shortness of breath, my stomach would be sour and I could scarcely eat anything.

My heart palpitated badly and caused faint and dizzy spells.

I felt weak and nervous, and gave up all hope of ever being cured until my husband procured two boxes of Milburn's Heart and Nerve Pills, and since taking them I feel like a different person. I have been well and able to work ever since.

Yours truly,

Mrs. Edmond Brown.

RACE WITH TORNADO

Freight Train Had One Near Hastings, Neb. Trains Tied Up By Rocksides.

Hastings, Neb., May 6.—A small, but genuine tornado tore things up in a lively way between Juniata and Hastings late Saturday afternoon while a Burlington freight train was coming into Hastings from Juniata. The wind picked up a large barn and carried it straight toward the train for a distance of over 100 yards. The engineer saw his peril, put on full steam and an exciting race followed, but the wind changed its course before reaching the track.

People of Hastings saw the approach of the twister and sought places of safety. The storm just touched the west edge of the town and after destroying trees and outfitting picked up a large barn and tore it into kindling wood. The engine and passenger train No. 3, due here yesterday, was penned up for about ten hours by a rock slide eight miles up the canyon.

The train due here last evening is tied up in the canyon, but the passengers were transferred this morning. Last night a huge boulder came down from the mountain and crashed through the end of a passenger train. One of the passengers suffered a broken rib and several others were cut by the broken glass. There are about a dozen trains can run.

CANADIAN CANALS

Government Will Measure Depth Between Locks—Two Vessels To Be Used.

Ottawa, May 6.—The canals were all opened to navigation on Wednesday. The government has made arrangements to test the depth of the water stretches between the locks on the St. Lawrence route so that the much-discussed question as to there not being fourteen feet of water will be finally disposed of. A steamer drawing thirteen and a half feet will be on its way from Port Arthur at the head of navigation to Montreal, and will be accompanied by Mr. Rubridge, the engineer of the Cornwall Canal, who is one of the oldest and most experienced officers of the government, and who has a thorough knowledge of the St. Lawrence route. He will make a report to the government of the trip, but the department will not be satisfied with one trial trip and therefore has arranged for a second vessel, also drawing thirteen and a half feet, to follow the first one some days later. These experiments are expected to decide between the accuracy of the statements made by the government officials that there is sufficient water and the captains who are complaining that there is not, and that while the canals are being deepened to fourteen feet advantage cannot be taken of them on account of the shallow water in the channel at some of the points on the St. Lawrence River.

THIRTY-SIX HOURS OF NEEDED RAIN.

Salt Lake, Utah, May 6.—For over 26 hours almost the entire Rocky Mountains and inter-mountain regions have been soaked by a rainfall that in many places has gone far beyond all recorded storm. The miles of waste formed in the deserts of Utah, Southern Nevada and Northern Arizona and New Mexico, have received a drenching, the like of which has never before been known. Places that have been dried up for years are filled with water; streams that have almost entirely dried up in the past years of drought are now raging torrents, and low-lying farms and grazing lands are covered in districts where irrigation has been the only means of bringing moisture to the soil, the only question now is how to keep the water out. In Salt Lake the precipitation amounts to nearly three and one-half inches, and for the entire region of the city and western portions of the city are flooded. No serious damage is expected to result, however. The storm, it is believed, will result in almost incalculable benefit to the entire region affected.

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For Internal and External Use.

In using medicines to stop pain we should avoid such as inflict injury on the system. Opium, Morphine, Chloroform, Ether, Cocaine and Chloral stop pain by destroying the sense of perception, the patient losing the power of feeling. This is a most destructive practice; it masks the symptoms, shuts up and, instead of removing trouble, breaks down the stomach, liver and bowels, and, if continued for any length of time, kills the nerves and produces local or general paralysis.

There is no necessity for using these uncertain agents when a positive remedy like RADWAY'S READY RELIEF will stop the most excruciating pain quicker, without entailing the least danger in either infant or adult.

Will Afford Instant Ease.

For headache (whether sick or nervous), toothache, neuralgia, rheumatism, lumbago, pains around the liver, spleen or kidneys, pains around the joints, pleurisy, swelling of the joints and pains of all kinds, the application of Radway's Ready Relief will afford instant relief, and its continued use for a few days effect a permanent cure.

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