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NEW YORK, Feb. 28.—In one of the most remarkable operations known to surgery, says a Baltimore special to the World, the brain of the Rev. Wm. A. Stark, pastor of the Broadway German Methodist Episcopal church of this city, has been actually lifted from its bed and the roots of certain nerves that caused the clergyman excessive neuralgia were extracted. The patient is said to have stood the operation well and his recovery is hopeful. The operation was performed at the Johns Hopkins hospital.

RUSSIAN STUDENTS RIOT.

ST. PETERSBURG, Feb. 28.—According to an official account of the disturbances on Feb. 24 at Moscow university four hundred students armed with bludgeons, iron bars and revolvers, wrecked the interior of the university buildings, barricaded themselves within and hung out red flags from the windows. The police and troops forced an entrance into the interior and arrested the ringleaders. A decree of the minister of public instruction has been gazetted ordering the expulsion from the university and high schools of all students arrested in connection with rioting.

AGAINST SMALLPOX.

LONDON, Feb. 28.—Commencing today all American-bound vessels from English ports infected with smallpox must have their officers, seamen, firemen and emigrants vaccinated unless they can show signs that they were recently inoculated with vaccine virus. The order includes Liverpool, Glasgow and London, but Plymouth and Southampton, so far, are exempted. The United States consular officers are instituting a rigid system of inspection. If the epidemic increases they may suggest even more strict measures.

A GUSHER GOES WILD.

BEAMONT, Tex., Feb. 28.—One of the big six inch oil gushers was being exhibited late yesterday afternoon, when it blew out the section of pipe connecting the gate valve and went wild. It was throwing a solid stream of oil late night, and there will be much difficulty in shutting it off. Guards are patrolling to prevent any one taking a light into dangerous proximity of the spray. It is estimated that the well is wasting two thousand barrels of oil an hour.

A VIOLENT GALE.

CLEVELAND, Feb. 28.—One of the most violent gales in years prevailed throughout Northern Ohio early today. At the local weather bureau office the wind, with which was south-east, registered a velocity of 64 miles an hour. Telephone and telegraph poles and wires were prostrated in many places, with the result that the service is seriously affected.

TROUBLE IN SPAIN.

MADRID, Feb. 28.—The mining regions are in a ferment of agitation. At Albujon and Madrides rioters have set fire to the municipal revenue offices and burned the documents they contained. There has been another outbreak of disorder at Barcelona. Frequent meetings are being held with the object of declaring another strike. The metal workers are constantly assaulting their comrades, who have returned to work, and refuse to resume their tasks until all the imprisoned workmen are released.

WILL FIGHT A DUEL.

ATHENS, Feb. 28.—M. Topalis, the minister of justice has resigned to fight a duel with Col. Koumoundouros. The quarrel which caused the encounter to be decided on was the outcome of proceedings against one of the deputies, charged with inciting to commit murder.

RAILWAY DISASTERS.

GRIFFIN, Ga., Feb. 28.—It is reported that a passenger train has gone into a washout six miles below here and that several people have been killed.
POUGHKEEPSIE, N. Y., Feb. 28.—The fast mail and newspaper train on the New York Central ran into a landslide at Carmel, near this city early today. The pilot of the locomotive was torn off, but no other damage was done. The train was delayed an hour and a half while the track was cleared.

MURDERED AND ROBBED.

RIDGEWAY, Pa., Feb. 28.—Bartel Sweeney, an aged farmer and his daughter Mary were found last night in their home at Wilcox, with their skulls crushed and the bodies very much decomposed. Sweeney was quite well to do and the supposition is that robbery was the motive for the murder.

YANKEE ENTERPRISE

NEW YORK, Feb. 28.—A Moscow telegram to the Standard, says a London despatch to the Tribune, states that among the colossal schemes which Americans have endeavored to push in Russia is one for taking up and reorganizing the entire traffic of the river Volga.

THE WEATHER.

WASHINGTON, D. C., Feb. 28.—East ern states and northern New York—Rain tonight; Saturday, probably rain, except fair on the coast. Breeze high southeast winds on the coast.

EXECUTED FOR BURGLARY.

A White and a Colored Man Hanged Together.

ASHEVILLE, N. C., Feb. 28.—Dudley Johnson, white, and Ben Foster, colored, were hanged here Wednesday at 12.30 for burglary. The bodies were given a church burial during the afternoon.

Burglary at night in North Carolina is a capital offense and these executions were the final chapter in a case attended by many exciting incidents, in which a fiancée came to a hospital and married the man the burglars were believed to have wounded to death and whose bravery called for a letter of praise from Charles Embury Smith, at that time postmaster general.

The crime was committed in the combined postoffice and store kept by Samuel Alexander at Emma, a little hamlet a few miles out of Asheville on the night of Feb. 1, 1901. Four men planned the robbery at Asheville, walked down the railroad track to Emma, called Postmaster Alexander to the door, and forced him at the point of a pistol to let them into his room, which they searched finding his revolver. Then they made him open the safe. Dudley Johnson, white, and Foster, colored, were inside, and Russell Gates, white, and Harry Mills, colored, guarded the outside.

Johnson laid his revolver down to take the money out of the safe, when a cat moved in the back part of the store, which attracted the attention of Foster, who was holding his revolver to Alexander's head. Quick as a flash Alexander grabbed Johnson's gun, shot Foster and snapped the weapon at Johnson, who grappled with him.

The struggle was long and fierce, Foster joining in. Johnson had an open knife in his hand which Alexander caught, cutting his hand. Foster shot Alexander as they struggled and fring again, wounded his partner in the face. Neither shot was fatal and the fight went on. The men were gradually growing weak, but Alexander fought the men, forcing them to the door and out. Here the postmaster succumbed to his wounds and fell across the threshold of his store. The shooting by this time had aroused the citizens of the hamlet and on their approach the burglars ran. A posse was quickly organized and the men captured. Gates and Mills' sentences were commuted to imprisonment for life.

C. P. R. TRACKMEN.

Official Recognition to Be Requested.

(Montreal, Wiscon.)
The C. P. R. trackmen received a promise from the authorities of the company when, at the expiration of six months after the termination of the strike, they could show a proper organization, thoroughly workable and responsible, recognition would be accorded, as it had been accorded to the other orders associated with the operation of the system. The six months have expired, and J. B. Wilson, the head of the International order, and his associates are on their way to Montreal to secure the fulfillment of the promise. This would mean that the order would have certain privileges as to free transportation, as to intervention in the cases in which dismembers had taken place at the instance of the company, and that in all dealings with the trackmen, the committee which the latter might appoint would be recognized.

It remains to be seen whether the order has fulfilled the conditions required by the company. At any rate, at the annual meeting recently held at Winnipeg, there was the most hopeful feeling expressed, and it is altogether likely that matters will be settled to the mutual satisfaction of all parties. The trackmen since the settlement have been loyal to the interests of the company, orderly and respectable, and have, apparently, desired to show that they were worthy of confidence and recognition.

KING EDWARD AT RACES.

LONDON, Feb. 28.—For the first time since his accession, King Edward today appeared on a race course. He went to the Kempton Park steeplechases to see his Grand National candidate, Ambush II., run in the Grand steeple chase. This was Ambush II.'s first race in public since the horse won the Grand National in 1900, and the first appearance of the king's colors on a course since the death of Queen Victoria.

As anticipated, Ambush II., aged, won the race, and its victory was followed by a scene of wild enthusiasm. The distance was two miles and a half.

NO "JIM CROW" CARS IN MARYLAND.

ANNAPOLIS, Md., Feb. 28.—The "Jim Crow" car bill, compelling railroad companies to provide separate cars for colored people, was killed in the house today. The corporations committee reported the bill favorably, but a strong minority report was submitted, and this was adopted by a vote of 45 to 40. It is said that the democratic managers opposed the bill, as well as a majority of the republicans.

TRAIN LOAD OF HALIBUT.

(Boston Globe, Feb. 27.)
Six cars of halibut from the Pacific arrived at T wharf yesterday. The train, which contained 200,000 pounds, left Vancouver just a week ago. The cars were attached to a passenger train as far as Montreal, and consequently made a quick run. Part of the shipment was sent to New York and the remainder went to the local dealers, the entire lot selling for about 10 cents per pound.

DIRTY DOLLAR BILLS.

(Toronto Mail, Conservative.)
It is satisfactory to observe that Mr. Fielding proposes to increase the issue of new dollar bills to replace the filthy paper now in circulation. The government should see that special facilities are given for exchanging the old for the new. Our paper currency has got into such a state as to be a positive menace to public health.

PRINCE HENRY.

He Will Be Honored by Harvard and the New York Yacht Club.

NEW YORK, Feb. 28.—Prince Henry of Prussia will receive an honorary degree from Harvard on March 6, according to the Tribune. The name of Prince Henry had been mentioned soon after his arrival in this country, according to the Tribune's informant, in connection with this honor, but there was some opposition to the plan in the university corporation.

This has, however, been overcome, and, if the proposed plans are carried out, the degree will be conferred with imposing ceremonies. It is believed that further details as to the gift of works of art to the university by the German emperor will be made public at that time.

It has been also stated on good authority that the names of the German Emperor and of Prince Henry will be added to the list of honorary members of the New York Yacht club. This list includes the names of their Royal uncle, King Edward VII., and the Grand Duke Alexis.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 28.—Prince Henry and suite, with the president's delegates, left at 9.10 o'clock this morning for Annapolis. The rain was falling in torrents as the train pulled out of the station.

ANNAPOLIS, M. D., Feb. 28.—Prince Henry arrived here at 10.35 a. m.

"SWEEPING DOWN.

The Ice in the Allegheny in Mad Career Today.

PITTSBURG, Pa., Feb. 28.—The great gorges in the Allegheny river are broken and the ice is sweeping down on this city. The first break occurred at Montrose about 3.30 o'clock this morning and an hour later the gorge near Sandy Creek broke with a roar like that of heavy artillery, and began to move slowly down the river. Caught in the swiftly moving ice packs were two steamers, the D. T. Watson and the George Bready, with a crew of four. The Watson was reported from Montrose fighting her way against the heavy ice in the middle of the river. It is considered extremely doubtful whether she will be able to survive. The Bready is off the mouth of Sandy Creek in an exactly similar position. The residents of the river towns have been warned of the approaching ice and preparations have been made to flee to higher ground in the event of the ice gorges causing the river to overflow.

LATER.

PITTSBURG, Pa., Feb. 28.—Reports at ten o'clock were that the ice had gorged again at Montrose, Six Mile Ferry and Sharpburg and that it was still intact at Brilliant station. At Montrose it is piled thirty feet high from shore to shore. The Freepport road is under two feet of water and all the houses along the road are partly submerged. The lower section of Verona and Keyswick were under water and many houses flooded.

A RAILWAY TELEPHONE.

CHICAGO, Feb. 28.—Officers of the Illinois Central railway experimented last night with a telephone designed to supplant the telegraph instrument in the transacting of railway business. The test was made between Chicago and Milwaukee, 56 miles of what is said to be the worst line along the road. The telegraphing is done over an ordinary telegraph wire, and without interrupting the telegraphic messages. The tests lasted an hour and were declared successful, despite the weather.

O'DONOVAN ROSSA'S SON.

DENVER, Colo., Feb. 28.—The report that O'Donovan Rossa, the Irish agitator was dying at Colorado Springs, from blood poisoning, has been found to be incorrect. The person referred to is not he, but a son who bears his name. All hope for his recovery has been practically abandoned.

CHRISTIANS ENDANGERED.

CONSTANTINOPLE, Feb. 28.—Zane Russian Ambassador here, I. A. Zaneviev has made serious representations to the Porte concerning the belligerent situation in the neighborhood of Ipek, Albania, where a tribal fight, during which two Turkish soldiers were killed, occurred Feb. 23, pointing out the Turkish responsibility for the safety of the Christians in Albania.

WHEN DOCTORS DIFFER.

"Murphy" wants a shirt. At least he said so in the General Public Hospital yesterday afternoon. About one o'clock he applied for treatment, but as the hour for receiving outside patients had not arrived, and as the officials had their suspicions in regard to his complaint no great haste was exhibited in attending him. Murphy employed the interval by consulting Dr. Heiser, of the U. S. immigration service and that doctor, after a somewhat distant examination, suggested that perhaps Dr. Lunney would disinfect Murphy's shirt, thinking that this would be the most suitable remedy.

Dr. Lunney failed to find any good and sufficient reason why he should do this, and persistently refused to present one of his own shirts to Murphy, who, after waiting round the hospital for several hours, gave up the quest and departed.

BIG SALARIES PAID TO COOKS.

Joseph, the famous chef of the Vanderbilts, got \$12,000 a year.
The chef for Sherry gets \$10,000 and a home or his own away from the hotel.
Oscar and Alessandro, noted New York hotel cooks, each receives a yearly wage of \$12,000.
Philadelphia hotels pay their chefs yearly salaries ranging from \$5,000 to \$10,000.
Even the western hotels have fallen into the high priced cook habit, paying as much as \$8,000 and \$12,000.

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CABLED FROM PARIS.

France to Have a Free Hand in Morocco in Exchange for Newfoundland Fisheries.

LONDON, Feb. 28.—A despatch from Paris states that the French and British governments have arrived at an agreement on all points of difference between them in regard to Newfoundland and Morocco, as well as on other issues. This understanding has been greatly assisted by the growing antagonism between Germany and Great Britain.

The French note with satisfaction the evident bitterness between Berlin and London, and the thirty-one years that have passed since an armistice put an end to the Franco-German struggle have not served to weaken the French conviction that a country which is unfriendly to Germany is, or ought to be, friendly to France. Therefore the relations between England and France are closer and more cordial than at any time within the memory of man.

The British ambassador is a frequent and a welcome visitor at the French foreign office, and even Russia, the avowed ally of France, seems for the present to be second in French esteem to Great Britain.

Great Britain, it is reported, has agreed that France is to have a free hand in Morocco, while France will surrender the rights on the French shore of Newfoundland, which have been a ground of vexatious controversy for more than a century. It is also stated that England, while not agreeing to the absorption of Siam by France, will not interfere with any steps which France may see fit to take in that section of Asia, where the French have already absorbed a large section of Siamese territory, and are reaching for more. No formal arrangement has been made between French and English cabinets, but negotiations are making satisfactory progress.

CRAZED BY CIGARETTES.

NEW YORK, Feb. 28.—Crazed by excessive cigarette smoking, it is believed, Charles A. Lytle, a leading politician of Puterson, N. J., hanged himself on Saturday night at his home in that city. His wife had spent the evening with friends. On her return she found his body suspended from a hook by a slender cord in the dining-room closet. He had been dead half an hour. Lytle seemed to be in good spirits when his wife left home, although for several days he had been acting strangely. He had evidently contemplated suicide early in the day, as he had left orders with a newspaper agency not to deliver his papers. He managed a large newspaper route. For years Lytle was an inveterate cigarette smoker, consuming from fifty to one hundred cigarettes daily. He was thirty years old. For ten years he was secretary of the Passaic County Republican Executive Committee.

PROGRESS OF CHRISTIAN ENDEAVOR.

COPENHAGEN, Feb. 28.—Dr. F. E. Clark reports that the Christian Endeavor society is finding friends in Italy, especially among the Waldensian churches. It is expected that soon many societies can be reported, though the work is still in infancy. In Germany he found the work remarkably prosperous. New societies are constantly being formed; the movement has become entirely independent of support from America, and a new field secretary is about to be employed to travel throughout Germany. Dr. Clark is now travelling in Scandinavia, visiting the chief places in Denmark, Sweden and Norway, and will afterwards go to Finland and Russia. In Copenhagen he was the guest of Count and Countess Moltke, who are much interested in Christian Endeavor work. Several influential members of the nobility were present at a meeting in the palace, and Christian Endeavor was hailed as a needed religious ally.

SUNDAY CARS IN WINNIPEG.

WINNIPEG, Feb. 28.—The Winnipeg city council passed a resolution last night asking the legislature to give the city power to pass a by-law allowing cars to run on Sunday.