### URI TRAGEDY.

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ng at the Home of His Law He Cuts the Throats of ad Child, Following It With Well-Known Newspaper dwell County—The Tragedy Field and His Wife.

### urder and Suicide.

Mo., July 9 —S. A. Field, ly editor and proprietor of Polo, in Caldwell county, is wife and infant daughmmitted suicide at Meadvesterday afternoon.

his family were visiting ence of his father-in-law dville, when he asked to go into the garden e house to talk. She achim, taking along their , about 3 years of age. reached the garden Field roats of his wife and child or, killing them instantly, ended his own miserable same manner. The dead e found by a member of his w's family and \$230 were ield's pocket.

sa lawyer by profession and 35 years old. He had relo about ten years, and dur-me was editor and proprie Post, a newspaper inde-politics, although the ednd acted with the Demo-Some years ago he at-practice law, but his failat profession greatly dis-him, and until recently he ed his labors to his newsch a few weeks ago he sold er, the present editor. In ld was small and dark, with ge head. He was of a melperament and often fan-from his test friends and er them when no offense ned of. Field was married ago to a young lady school Linn county, Mo., a very woman, who did all she omfort and reclaim him from melancholy. During these was unaccountably jealous thout the slightest cause. no children except the in-hter whom Field sent into long with its mother and

o years ago Field had a few it words with his wife at be day and on his arrival might he found her absent, gone with her child to visit or lady, and, as she said at had forgotten the little quareturned to his printing office w himself out of a second dow, but escaped injury, and he brick wall of the building. h Frazier, who had seen him the window, came up at this caught him, when Field told t that his wife had taken her left him and returned to her and that he did not care to

ad begun very poor but had mey through hard work as d printer and some law pracwhed his paper and a pleasant in Polo, with money ahead Field was a man of unexble habits and character in pect, and was kind, courteous celarly dignified in his interth everyone, and his rash act th a great shock to those who

was found on Mrs. Field's by that everything she had left to her mother. It seems and his wife had planned by for she went into the

### One Man Instantly Killed And Many Others Injured A. P. A. Emblem

BOSTON'S BLOODY FOURTH

Boston, July 6.-The Fourth of July parade of the patriotic societies of Boston and vicinity, at East Boston, ended in a pitched battle between some of the paraders and the spectators, in which sticks, stones and revolvers were used with fatal effect. John Wills, a laborer of East Boston, one of the spectators, was shot and instantly killed; Michael Boyle, of East Boston, had his head split open by a club, and now lies dying in a city hospital. A young man named Stewart had his nose cut off with a saber, in the hands of one of the paraders. Patrick Kelley sustained a severe scalp wound, whether from a club or a bullet is not known, and Officer A. S. Bates was hit in the mouth by a brick, thrown by an unknown person, and lost several teeth, besides suffering from severe lacerations. It is claimed

from severe lacerations. It is claimed that the trouble all resulted from the persistence of those who had managed the parade in introducing as a feature a float representing the 'little red schoolhouse," which, from its association as the emblem of the American Protective Association, has become obnoxious to many persons, especially those who do not sympathize with the A. P. A. movement. The Fourth of July committee refused to permit this feature to appear in the result and there is in the several

in the parade, and those desiring to prevent it tried to have an order passed by the board of aldermen, but failed. So great was the interest excited by So great was the interest excited by this controversy and the expressed de-termination of the paraders to display the schoolhouse, fully 30,000 visitors gathered at East Boston. The police officials, in anticipation of any hostile demonstration, had a special squad of 350 men, in addition to the East Bos-ton forms on data. But they ment the ton force, on duty, but they marched at the head of the procession. At several points the feeling of the crowd was given vent in hisses at the 1,500 paraders and the schoolhouse, but no further demonstration was made until the rear of the parade reached Putnam street, when the crowd tried to overturn the last carriage. Word was sent to the front for police assistance and a squad of twenty officers was sent back. A skirmish followed between the crowd and the officers. When the parade broke up, and those who had partic. pated were proceeding in companies to the ferry a group of between sixty and seventy was surrounded on Boarder street by a crowd who com-menced hooting and throwing stones. A dozen revolvers were drawn, and in response to the fusilade of stones, eight or ten shots were fired. The firing of the revolvers brought a large body of police to the spot and the mob was soon dispersed. As the scene was cleared the officers found John Wills dead in the street, with a bullet hole in his right side, and Patrick A. Kelley lying seriously wounded about the head. It was learned later that sev-eral other persons had been slightly

eral other persons had been slightly injured, all of whom had been taken away by their friends. The police arrested Harold Brown and John Ross as the principals who did the shooting.

## AFTER SIXTEEN YEARS.

An Ex-Missourian Who Shot a Legislator in 1879 and Fled Seeks His Family.

PERRY, Ok., July 6.—Oscar B. Fowler, formerly of Kentucky, once a major in the Confederate army, arrived here yesterday in search of his wife, Mattie J., and his daughter, Gail, whom he had not seen for sixteen years.

During the session of the Missouri legislature in 1879 at Jefferson City, Major Fowler, in a quarrel over a game of poker one night, shot and wounded a member of the legislature. He left Missouri immediately and went to Oregon and from the collegistic

### THEY ABOUND IN THE ILLINOIS LEGISLATURE.

BOODLE LAW MAKERS.

Some of the Members Accused of Corruption—Two Chicago Senators and Several Country Members Charged With Receiving Money to Alter and Kill the New Game Hill—Other Crooked Work Soon to be Laid Bare.

### Legislative Boodlers.

CHICAGO, July 4.—Early in the regular session of the legislature, a rigid bill was introduced for the preservation of game. It is charged that a member of the house obtained \$700 from the Illinois Sportsmen's association for substituting a section removing the penalty from sportsmen, but placing it on the dealer in game. Then, it is charged, a Chicago senator and other members approached

ator and other members approached the game dealers and demanded from \$500 to \$1,000 each to work for a change in the law in favor of the dealers, while one Chicago senator offered for \$2,500, to see that the whole bill was killed. This exposure will, it is said, be followed by others.

Evidence has been obtained establishing charges of bribery in the passage of the Miller and Lowenthal bills, the Crawford railroad bill, the bill providing for consolidation of certain corporations, and it is asserted that evidence can be had that money was used to defeat the arbitration bill, that some of the money was paid to members in Chicago, but the larger amount was distributed in Springfield. It is probable that the board of

was distributed in Springfield. It is probable that the board of trade may aid materially in furnishing evidence against one or two members of the house in connection with a certain bill in which the board of trade was interested. It is said that sufficient evidence is in hand to indict at least fifteen members of the legislature.

### IN BEHALF OF DEBS.

A Mammoth Protest to His Imprison

ment Proposed—Labor Day Set Apart. WASHINGTON, July 4.—Several hundred members of the local Knights of Labor were addressed by Master Workman Sovereign last night at a meeting held to protest against the imprisonment of Eugene V. Debs. Mr. Sovereign denounced the confinement of Debs as an unlawful act of the courts. He asked the workingmen to bond together for mutual protection, and announced that he had issued an order to the Knights of Labor of the United States to set apart Labor day, the first Monday in September as a time to make a mammoth protest against Debs' incarceration.

At the conclusion of the speechmaking a resolution was adopted demanding of congress legislation which shall give legal protection to organized employes of corporations and secure them in the future from "the arbitrary and unjust application of an injunction under a gross and wilfull misconstruction of the law."

## ON A PRECIPICE'S EDGE.

Congressman Joy of Missouri and His Bride Have Narrow Escapes.

CASADRO, Cal., July 4.—Congressman Joy of Missouri and his bride were driving with a coaching party of twelve on a steep mountain road, with a precipice on one side, yesterday when the coach was overturned. Fortunately it fell toward the mountain instead of over the edge of the road. The bravery of the driver, who jumped between the struggling horses, saved the party from being dragged to death or hurled into the gorge below. Only one person was badly hurt, Mrs. Tompkins' hip being dislocated and she being injured internally. A Love-Stricken Traveling Doctor Tries Hard to Prevent a Wedding.

LOVE FOUND THE WAY. LAWYERS DISGRACED

FORT SCOTT, Kan., July 4.-Dr. Hunter, of Chicago, a traveling doctor, with an advertising company, drove sixteen miles through the mud to this city yesterday afternoon to prevent the marriage of A. J. Bunce of Topeka and Miss Ida Guernheart of Omaha and created a sensation which resulted in his arrest. The young man and woman were leading members of his company and they came here to get married. The doctor, who, it appears, loves the pretty young woman, arrived at the Huntington hotel with his silk hat, broadcloth clothes and white shirt all bespattered with mud, just as the ceremony was to be performed. He entered the room where the officiating judge was waiting for a witness, drew a pistol, and attempted to shoot Bunce. The two scuffled, but the prospective groom was finally compelled to flee for his life. The screams of the female patrons of the hotel attracted 500 people who, seeing Bunce running hatless, supposed him to be the offender and pursued him. He was captured three blocks away in hiding in the grain room of a grocery store. After proper explanations he returned to the hotel escorted by the city marshal and the ceremony was performed. The doctor was later found and arrested.

## JOKE ON THE BANDITS.

Two Dollars Given Back as Charity to a Wealthy but Seedy Passenger.

PORTLAND, Ore., July 4.—Nelson Bennett, proprietor of the Tacoma Ledger and one of the wealthiest men in the Northwest, was one of the passengers on the Southern Pacific overland express which was robbed. The robbers suffered him to pass with the loss of \$7.50. "I got off rather lucky," said he. "They came through our car and the man who was carrying the sack abproached me and sized me up pretty thoroughly. I saw I would have to begin to hunt up my spare change. I felt in my pockets for silver and pulled out a few dollars. The robber was in a hurry and he seemed to think I would have a hard time to satisfy him, because he said: 'Well, you're a poor devil. Here's \$2 for you to eat on awhile; I'll keep the rest.' Then he passed on, and despite the excitement some of the passengers had the laugh on me."

A detailed statement of the losses of the passengers shows that the personal losses aggregated \$520. The list includes two gold watches and a revolver. The mail losses aggregate \$1,000.

### NEWS IN BRIEF.

Russia's iron output was about 1,500,000 tons last year.

The southern half of Arkansas has had too much rain for crops. It is said that the proposed Pacific cable will be laid by British capitalists. Clem Sherman, a negro preacher, murdered his wife in Lee county, Alabama.

The Ecuadoran forces under Bishop Schumaker at Calcota were defeated by rebels.

The Brazilian congress has ordered that public services be held for Peixoto and Da Gama.

Governor Hughes of Arizona has filed a long answer to the charges preferred against him.

Joseph P. Skelly, a well-known song writer, died in the charity ward of a New York City hospital. Commander Ide has arrived in Wash-

ington to answer charges made against him by Admiral Meade. The Rev. J. A. Forest has been officially appointed Roman Catholic bishop of San Antonio, Texas.

an honorary member of the Confeder. ate Veteran's' association of Savannah-

spend all its app priation last year and returne i over \$.00,000 to the treas-

F. C. Beardsley, a mining engineer of Charleston, W. Va., killed himself in the presence of his wife and chil-

President E. B. Harper of the Mutual Reserve Fund Life Association died suddenly of pneumonia in New

Father O'Grady at Death's Door.

O'Grady, the unfrocked priest from

Ireland, who followed his sweetheart,

Miss Mary Gilmartin, to this city less

than two years ago, and shot her to

death on the street on Wednesday

morning, April 25, 1894, is now dying

from a complication of troubles at the city hos ital. His case is hopeless, and his attending physicians are looking for the end at almost any time.

An Editor Convicted of Fraud.

drick, publisher of the News-Record,

an afternoon paper, was convicted in

the United States court of using the

mails to defraud. He took a full page

baking powder advertisement and, instead of running through his edition, printed it in only five copies, which he

Speaker Meyer of Illinois Dead.

CHICAGO, July 4.- Speaker John

Meyer of the Illinois house of repre-

sent the advertiser.

FORT SMITH, Ark., July 4-A. J. Ken-

CINCINNATI, Ohio, July 4 .-- Dominick

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York

The agricultural department did not

DISBARRED FROM PRACTICE BE-FORE THE COURT.

### STATES AND

R. M. Harber and A. G. Knight Severely Arraigned—They are Found Guilty of Mutilating and Altering Records in the Howell Murder Case—Harber a Leader in Missouri for Years—Turned Down by the State Supreme Court.

#### Disbarred from Practice.

JEFFERSON CITY, Mo., July 5.—Judge Sherwood filed an opinion in the supreme court in banc this morning in the proceedings instituted by Attorney General Walker disbarring Colonel Ed M. Harber and A. G. Knight of Trenton forever from practicing before the supreme court.

The action was the result of the murder trial of Joseph A. Howell, who was indicted for murdering Mrs. Nettie Hall, a Linn county widow, and her four little children. The case was tried in Grundy county and Howell convicted of murder in the first degree. An appeal was taken to the supreme court, and when the case was called up for argument the attorney general found that the transcript of testimony had been mutilated and forged so as to destroy all identity of the murdered person. In brief, the records had been so doctored as to leave the state without any case. This matter, being brought to the attention of the court, measures were adopted to have the sequently hanged.

records corrected and Howell was subsequently hanged. The attorney general then brought action to disbar the attorneys for the defense. Major A. W. Mullins, one of the attorneys, barely escaped by a divided court, on the theory that he did not know the records had been falsified.

This is the first disbarment proceedings ever instituted in the state supreme court.

preme court. Judge Burgess did not sit in the case against Harber and Knight, but all the other judges concurred in the opinion of Judge Sherwood. Harber has been a leading man in Missouri for the last fifteen years. He

Harber has been a leading man in Missouri for the last fifteen years. He is quite an orator and Democratic politician and has been a presidential elector, and was regarded for some time as an available candidate for congress. Knight, his partner, is not so widely known, but he is a promising young lawyer.

young lawyer. In his opinion Judge Sherwood scored them severely for forging the records and manufacturing testimony.

### PENSION CHANGES.

The Forces in the Various Branches Classified for the Civil Service, /

WASHINGTON, July 8.—The work of readjusting and classifying the forces of the pension offices of the country has just been completed with a view to shortly extending to them the protection of the civil service laws. Heretofore, as long as the pension agent kept within the amount allowed to him for the expenses of his office, he could do pretty much as he pleased in regard to the size of his force and the amounts of salary paid. When it was decided to put the cflices under the civil service laws it was found necessary to change this system. The amount and character of the work done by each office was carefully noted and classifications made accordingly. While this has resulted in small reductions, both in force and salary, in some offices, in others there has been a corresponding increase, the total appropriation being about the same. The date when the civil service order will go into effect has not yet been determined, but will probably be



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### reak Threatened at Any Moin the Canadian Northwest.

to, July 6.—The braves on the pt reservation near Glechin orted to be in an ugly mood, sing so far as to threaten to all whites on the reservation. It he reserve on which Frank the ration distributer, was ast winter. The trouble has reeding since the shooting of detere.

### Il Rival the Daiton Gang.

NMA CITY, OK., July 6.—Both istians, the desperadoes who from the jail in this city, Sunling the chief of police while o, have reached their old re-Little river, and are collecting of men as desperate as theno wreak vengeance on their enwill Christian was shot in the hile escaping. The band now tganized by the Christians will e Dalton gang in its palmiest d promises to become a terror, h men as Dick Yager, Jake nd Lawrence Barnet are con themselves with it. Startling ments are expected.

Company Declares a Dividend. YOEK, July 6.—The Marlyon mpany has declared a semi-anvidend of two per cent on its stock.

## NEWS BREVITIES.

aid Mr. John D. O'Conner is for private secretary to Attorneral Harmon.

Browne and Mamie Coxey went hington, but were not married capitol steps.

am White, once a C. and A. for, was mortally wounded in a Alton, Ill.

twenty-five years Dr. Brown reto his home a: Wayeross, Ga., his wife married to another. Cummins died suddenly at Linlo. His wife was arrested, susof having poisoned him. ha Cogle killed her husband on eboat at Chattanooga. He atd to strike her with an ax. rican delegates to the

rican delegates to the Interna-Railway congress are making ort to have the next meeting a this side of the water.

Democratic committee of Anfin county, Mo., voted 4 to 2 against lding of a state financial conn.

to Oregon and from there sailed around Cape Horn and went to Liverpool where he remained three years. From there he went to London and obtained a position on the London Times, which position he held a month ago when he left for America in search of his wife and three children. He found a son the daughter and mother were in Perry and he came here. He learned this morning that his wife was living some miles west of here and went out to join her and the daughter, the latter now 18 years old. Major Fowler was a citizen of Clinton, Mo., when his trouble occurred.

HIS BACK BROKEN.

### A Venturesome Man Tries to Ride Down a Long Chute and Is Killed.

COEUR D'ALENE. Idaho, July 6.— James Stewart, a cousin of United States Seaator Stewart of Nevada, started yesterday to ride his submarine boat, or barrel, down a 30<sup>6</sup> foot log chute into Lake Coeur d'Alene, as a part of the Fourth of July display. Two-thirds of the way down there was a slight rise in the incline. Here the barrel jumped thirty feet in the air, struck the ground on end and then rolled forty feet further down the

hill. When the barrel was opened Stewart was found jammed closely into the end but was conscious. Dr. Russell of Spokane examined him and pronounced his spinal column broken. He was taken to Spokane, where he died at H o'clock last night.

### Fourth of July Elopers.

JEFFERSONVILLE, Ind., July 6-Squire John Hause of matrimonial fame celebrated the Fourth by marrying nine eloping couples from the neighboring states.

Harvey Beck, who lived near Milan, Mo., was run over and killed by a train wh.le on his way to that place to celebrate.

#### "Sunset" Cox's Statue.

NEW YORK, July 6.—The letter carriers of this city celebrated the Fourth of July by formally presenting to the city of New York the statue in bronze of the late Congressman Samuel Sullivan Cox, erected by the Carriers' assoviation some years ago.

Light Bullets Favored.

WASHINGTON, July 6.—As the result of exhaustive experiments in actual firing the ordnance bureau of the navy has determined to reduce the weight of the ball for the new rifle from 135 grains to 112 grains.

#### No More Free Seeds.

WASHINGTON, July 4—The usual general distribution of seed by the agricultural department will not take place next year. Secretary Morton has always opposed the general free distribution, which has become one of the regular duties of the agricultural department, and under the authority of the attorney g neral's opinion he will inaugurate a reform and supply no seeds save for scientific purposes.

World's Pacing Record Broken. TOLEDO, Ohio, July 4.—The summer

meeting on the Toledo Exposition track opened yesterday and the crowd was given a surprise with a world's record broken. This was in the 2:12 pace, when Angie D. astonished the spectators by winning the first heat in 2:10<sup>1</sup>/<sub>4</sub>. the fastest mile ever made on a half mile track. The time by quarters wat 0:32, 1:03<sup>1</sup>/<sub>2</sub>, 1:36<sup>1</sup>/<sub>2</sub>, 2:10<sup>1</sup>/<sub>4</sub>. The horse is owned by G. A. Goodrich, of Shelbyville, Ind., who was also the driver.

#### Turkey Wants No Trouble.

SOFIA, July 4.—In reply to the request of Bulgaria that the porte should explain the orders issued to the commander of the troops at Adrianople to act on his own initiative on the Bulgarian frontier, the grand vizier has declared that the alleged orders have not been given and that the report is without foundation. He adds that Turkey is animated by the best sentiments toward Bolgaria.

#### Fireworks Cause a Winfield Blaze. WINFIELD, Kan., July 4.—The stock of fireworks in the Racket grocery store was accidentally ignited this morning and the store set on fire. The adjoining dry goods store belonging to the same firm, was badly dam-

aged by smoke. The loss on stocks and building is estimated at \$5,000.

### WITH DYNAMITE.

### A Rejected Lover Blows Up a House and

Fatally Injures Three Women. LEMONT, Ill., July 4.—In the village of Romeo a hut containing five women was blown to atoms by dynamite placed beneath it by the rejected lover of one of the women. All the inmates were injured, three perhaps fatally. Luke Hoyle and Tim Hoise both aspired to the hand of Mollie Diers, and when Hoise was chosen Hoyle stole enough dynamite from the drainage canal works to revenge himself in this manner. He was caught. bishop of San Antonio, Texas. Mrs. Jefferson Davis has been elected been completed.

HOWGATE SENTENCED.

The United States Defaulter Gets Eight Years for His Long Past Crime.

WASHINGTON, July 3.—Captain Henry W. Howgate, the former signal service disbursing officer, who after years of wandering as a fugitive from justice was found in New York city in business as a second-hand book dealer and brought back to Washington, was sentenced to-day to eight years' imprisonment in the penitentiary.

### BOLD TRAIN ROBBERS.

#### The Southern Pacific Overland Held Up-Passengers and Mail Robbed.

GRANT'S PASS, Ore., July 8.-The Southern Pacific overland train, northbound, was stopped last night at 10:15 o'clock by three highwaymen near Riddles, about thirty miles south of Roseberg, sticks of dynamite placed on the rails disabling the engine by blowing the flanges off the pony trucks. With the fireman, two of the highwaymen searched every car, from the express car to the rear Pullman. Nothing was obtained from the express car, for there was no treasure on board. In the mail car the Portland, Tacoma, Seattle and Victoria, British Columbia, registered sacks were rifled. The passengers were also searched pretty thoroughly, but with what success is not known

One highwayman shot at Conductor Kearney, who was in charge of the train, but missed him. The men mounted horses and quietly rode away. Superintendent Fields of the Southern Pacific, in an hour after he learned of the holdup, had two parties on the way to the scene of the robbery—one of officers and the other of mountaineers. Every effort will be made to capture the robbers.

#### A Filibustering Vessel Seized.

WASHINGTON, July 3.—Official information has been received here that the real reason for the detention of the United States authorities at Key West of the small antter Attick is that she is char,ed with filbustering. Five men on her have been held on suspicion of being Cuban filbusterers.

#### A Prussian Princess as a Catholic

BERLIN, July 3.—According to general report here, the Princess Frederick Charles of Prussia, who has been living in Italy for several months past, is about to become a Roman Catholic. rhea and dysentery in the worst forms; cures cunker sore throat; is a certain preventive of diphtheria; quiets and soothes all pain; invigorates the stomach and bowels; corrects all acidity; will cure griping in the bowels and wind colic. Mothers, try this good safe Syrup. Prepared by the EMMERT PROPRIETARY CO., CHICAGO.



sentatives died at Freeport this morning of nervous prostration. Want a Convention. LEXINGTON, Mo., July 4.—The Democratic executive committee of this county has adopted resolutions in favor of a silver convention Mrs. Stanford to Sell Her Jewels.

SAN FRANCISCO, July 4.—It is said upon the highest authority that Mrs. Leland Stanford will soon go to Europe to sell her jewels, so that she may are the may are the self of the self of

apply the proceeds to carrying on the Leland Stanford, Jr., university at Palo Alto. The need of ready money is given as the reason. The jewels are valued at \$1,000,000. At Warren, Ohio, James R. Garfield,

At Warren, Ohio, James R. Garfield, son of the late President Garfield, was nominated for state senator by acclamation in the T-enty-fourth and Twenty-sixth joint istrict convention.