

THE O'NEILL FRONTIER

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M. Falleres, was until recently, believed to be the only president of the French republic who had no double, but his counterpart has been found. The man, who most resembles him physically is a respectable merchant of the Rue Saint Honore, who plays his part with decorum and dignity. He wears exactly the same kind of blue butterfly ecru and white dots as the president, the same kind of hat and exactly so dily cut a beard. And on his promenade he is always accompanied by a friend who could easily be taken for the president's private secretary. Dressed in white with measured steps, the entiable double walks through the Faubourg Saint Honore and feels overjoyed at being saluted on all sides.

A sergeant major of an infantry regiment stationed in Bremen was recently sentenced to a slight disciplinary punishment for having mortally wounded a man with a revolver in the course of a fight. He appealed against this, but was informed that his appeal had been rejected. He then ordered his men to load their rifles with blank cartridges, but during their absence reloaded them with ball cartridges. He then drew up his men in firing line and carefully showed them how to aim their rifles straight at his heart. With the utmost calm he then ordered "Fire," and fell with three bullets through his heart.

The announcement that the London Daily Mail is about to issue a weekly edition for the British and Irish press to the other British journals published in a Braille type, which have had a long and useful career, though they have seldom been seen by the general public. The first weekly newspaper for the blind was published on June 1, 1892, in the name of the Weekly Summary. It was always issued below cost price and its promoters derive no benefit from its publication. Another was started only last year, called the Braille Weekly, and issued from Edinburgh.

Thousands of men work all their lives at securing the banks of the great Yellow river in China. Yet every now and then the tide sweeps away all opposition and the loss in human life is greater than any war ever caused. Nineteen years ago the river burst its bonds. Day after day the torrent flowed, twenty miles to the hour, thirty miles wide and ten feet deep. The flood has been described as five Danubies pouring from a height for two months and on of the Chinese have been embanking this river.

Senator Cullom was about to step into his carriage at the Capitol the other day when he stopped and looked at the horses critically. "John," he said to the coachman, "we have got to do something for these horses. They are too thin. They are out of condition. Why, I was noticing Secretary Taft's horses the other day they are nice and big and glossy and fat." "Deed boss," broke in the coachman, looking at the thin figure of Senator Cullom, "we don't need no such horses to haul us as Mr. Taft does, anyhow."

Book restorers, as a rule, are most ingenious artists, and they can produce an imitation of a page of a rare book which will deceive hundreds of collectors. One particular restorer is known to have "doctored" over a thousand old books during the last few years, producing pages in facsimile and supplying colophons or doctored capitals. There is not a thing wanting to make a book complete that this man cannot do. He has a "doctored" book now being fairly flooded with his productions.

In an article entitled "Rubber Made from Wheat," William T. Walsh, writing in reference to this matter in the "Technical World," says: "The importance of the discovery can hardly be over estimated, coming at a time when the world is anxiously asking where its future supplies of rubber are to come. In half a decade, it is said, the annual consumption of elastic material will be at least 30,000 tons. Even 100,000 tons is considered by many as a conservative estimate.

Speaking at the dinner held to celebrate the 150th anniversary of the Grand Antiquity society, of Glasgow, on the 16th inst., the lord provost of the city remarked that the only great knowledge that remained to be passed on to the present generation of citizens was that which would soon become a very pressing question—to provide a remedy for the congestion of their street traffic.

Vere Goldthwaite, one of the most interesting personalities of the Boston bar, has had a romantic career. He is the son of a well known Boston physician and for a number of years traveled with a wild west show. For a time he was one of the best known cowboys of Colorado. He attracted considerable attention recently by publishing a book on Ingersoll.

The veterinary profession is much interested in a surgical operation which has been accomplished by Professor Udriski, one of the staff of the veterinary school at Bucharest. Having amputated the horse's leg at the fetlock joint, after having first secured it by means of fitting a leather boot or artificial leg that enabled the animal to walk about and take exercise.

The Rev. James Boulton, of Northwich, aged 92, lost his sight five years ago. He recently consulted an eminent eye specialist, and after submitting to an operation recovered his sight. He is the oldest private Methodist minister in England, and is now superannuated. He has been in the ministry for sixty-five years.

A life convict in the Andamans had served some long period when an order recently came for his release. All the time he had been in the band, and had evidently so far forgotten that he was a prisoner that on his release he put in a claim for a pension on account of his long and faithful service as a government servant.

It is in the forests of Canada where the biggest motors in the world are designed. They have been specially designed for hauling logs over snow and rough roads. One of these machines is capable of dragging a train of 200 tons weight of logs at a speed of twelve miles an hour.

Workingmen engaged in diverting a roadway at Welwyn, Herts, Wales, unearthed seven Roman urns in a good state of preservation, a Roman spur, two drinking cups six inches high, one smaller cup, a bowl, some bronze plate, an iron standard and a small urn six inches high.

"The elephant's trunk," says Dr. Ray Lankester, "originated through a shortening of the lower jaw. Therefore, I am sorry to upset Mr. Rudyard Kipling's explanation that the length of the trunk was increased by its having trunked the crocodile."

WIFE AS SECURITY FOR LOAN OF MONEY

Omaha Railroad Man Would "Put Her Up" and She Was Willing.

BORROW FOR THREE DAYS

Officers of Mortgage Company Startled When Woman Is Offered as Chattel to Protect Lenders Against Loss.

Omaha, Neb., Dec. 29.—James Bean, a railroad man started the officers of the Omaha Loan and Mortgage company by offering to leave his wife with the company for three days as security for a loan he was trying to negotiate. Mrs. Bean accompanied her husband to the offices of the company and expressed her willingness to be turned over as security for the loan.

SUFFRAGIST REVIVAL.

They Ask the Teachers to Support the Cause in Nebraska.

Lincoln, Neb., Dec. 29.—Woman suffrage advocates, stirred to action by the reports that their cause is waning in Nebraska, will ask to have the state teachers' association go on record in favor of their pet idea. A communication from Inez C. Philbrick of Lincoln, chairman of the state W. S. A. resolutions committee, has reached State Superintendent McBrien requesting the privilege of presenting a resolution before the association indorsing the principle of equal rights to both sexes at the ballot box. In her letter Miss Philbrick says:

"We feel that this is a most pertinent question to come before the association. The future voters of the country are being trained in the schools. If they are imbued with a high sense of civic honor and responsibility, it is essential that the teachers present the enlarged outlook which actual participation in the affairs of government alone can give."

FORM G. O. LEAGUE.

Meeting for the Purpose Called for Omaha.

Omaha, Neb., Dec. 29.—The mass meeting called sometime ago by Wm. Harrington and Edgar Howard, provisional president and secretary, respectively, of the government ownership league, to organize permanently will be held at 8 o'clock tonight.

Every elector in Nebraska, regardless of political affiliations, will be entitled to a voice and vote in the convention which is called for the purpose of making permanent organization of the Nebraska Government Ownership League.

The call says: "We are aware that the date selected comes at a time when most men are busy with the work of closing up the year's accounts, but we are also aware of the fact that if the nation is ever to be rescued from the grasp of corporate hands the task must be accomplished by men who are ready and willing to make some measure of sacrifice for the public weal. It is to such men that this call is addressed. Do not wait for a personal invitation. Accept this call as personal to every man in Nebraska who favors government ownership of railroads, rather than allround ownership of government."

FOUND DEAD CHRISTMAS.

Oakland, Neb., Dec. 29.—Mrs. A. H. Smith, of this city, was found dead Christmas day, having passed away during the night. Her husband, who died about six months ago, was editor of the Oakland Republican for a number of years.

HEARING IN JANUARY.

Dakota City, Neb., Dec. 29.—Judge Graves will on January 3 hear the motion for a new trial for Loren Lambert, convicted of assault with intent to commit great bodily injury on Rev. Father Schell.

SWALLOWS HIS WIFE'S PHOTO IN LOCKET

McEver, N. Y., Dec. 29.—Gus Hill, of this village, has the distinction of wearing his wife's picture nearer his heart than any other man. The fact causes him some physical suffering, but this is not thought strange when it is known that the picture is in Hill's stomach.

Hill bought the locket, which is a gold-filled affair about as big as a 25-cent piece, from a peddler and put his own and his wife's picture in it. He intended to give it to his life partner for a Christmas present, but fate willed otherwise.

He maintained great secrecy regarding the locket until a few days ago, when he thought he would show it to an old friend. This was his undoing, for on the way to the friend's house he tried to open the clasp. It stuck; one finger nail broke, and he used his teeth. The locket was slippery and so was the sidewalk, and as Hill's feet went up the locket went down. Hill kept the matter literally to himself until he began to have pains in his stomach, when he told his wife and went to a doctor. The locket is still in his hiding place.

RUSSIA CONNSUL COMMITS SUICIDE

Liverpool, Dec. 29.—The Russian consul here, Colonel De Heilmann, was found dead in bed this morning having committed suicide. The colonel had been depressed for some time owing to private affairs.

TWENTY MEN LOST FOR FIVE DAYS, MINUS FOOD

Chippewa Falls, Wis., Dec. 29.—A letter received from a lumber camp in northern Minnesota gives a brief account of the experience of twenty Chippewa men who got lost while en route to the camp where they were to begin work, and wandered about in the woods for five days before they finally reached their destination.

They wandered about with nothing to eat but a few dried crusts which they found in a deserted camp.

PEOPLE'S LOBBY AT NEBRASKA CAPITAL

Railroads and Insurance Henchmen Not to Have Corner on Information.

IGNORANCE INEXCUSABLE

Legislators Will have at Hand Easy Reference to Past Bills and to Contemporary Political Platforms.

Lincoln, Neb., Dec. 27.—A people's lobby in a limited sense will be in evidence at the coming session of the Nebraska legislature. There will be nobody present at all sessions to guide the legislative intellect aright, but provisions have been made for the establishment in a convenient room of a man who will be equipped with material ready at hand for the use and information of the legislature upon every topic that is likely to come up for discussion and adjudication.

The man is A. E. Sheldon, who at other times has charge of the field work for the state historical society. At its meeting last May the society authorized the organization of a legislative reference library, placed H. W. Caldwell, professor of history, and Mr. Sheldon in charge, and gave them money with which to start the work. Mr. Sheldon made it his business to first visit the legislative reference library at Madison, Wis. Three weeks were spent there studying the methods in use in the Badger state. A visit was also made to St. Paul, Minn., for a similar purpose.

Assumed They Stand for Something.

Since then Mr. Sheldon has been the busiest man in the state. He assumed that the platforms of the political parties expressed in a large degree the current of public opinion, and he has proceeded to gather from various sources material upon these subjects that are likely to receive consideration at the hands of the legislature which meets here next month. Special effort has been made to secure all possible material on all sides of such topics as direct primaries, railroad regulation, revenue systems, local option, municipal government, employers' liability and the like. Other subjects have not been neglected, as it is recognized that among the several hundred bills introduced at every session will be found some touching upon life at unusual points. A card catalogue of all bills introduced in past sessions, arranged under subject headings will make it possible to quickly find and examine every bill relating to a given topic.

TWO PARDONS ISSUED FOR THE SAME MAN

Governor Mickey Extends Clemency to Young Man for Third Time.

Lincoln, Neb., Dec. 27.—Governor Mickey today issued two pardons to William Campion, charged in Seward county with bastardy and child desertion.

This is the third time the governor has given Campion executive clemency. Campion comes from a wealthy family, but declared his innocence and said he would rot in jail before he would pay the girl the money adjudged by the court.

Judge Good after the first pardon held that the proceeding was a civil one in which the governor could not act. Now the governor remits the penalty and declares a man cannot be imprisoned for debt. He believes the youth innocent.

If the court refuses to recognize today's pardon habeas corpus proceedings will be begun in supreme court. In the desertion case Campion has not been sentenced.

CALLED GOVERNOR A "CUR," IS THROWN OUT

Lincoln, Neb., Dec. 27.—Because she called Governor John H. Mickey a "dirty cur," Miss Nora Garber, a clerk in the employ of the state commissioner of public lands, was forcibly ejected from the office of the governor.

Miss Garber had called to castigate the Nebraska executive. Finding him absent she unbared her mind to the employees, one of whom was Evan S. Mickey, son of the governor and his chief clerk. When she denounced the executive as a "dirty cur" the son ordered her out and when she refused to go he grabbed her and physically enforced his demands.

GIRL IS DISCHARGED.

She Shot Former Sweetheart But Court Lets Her Go.

North Platte, Neb., Dec. 27.—The preliminary hearing of Miss Mirth Clark, charged with murder in the first degree of John Leonard on December 2, was concluded Saturday evening about 10 o'clock before County Judge Eldor, resulting in her discharge. The taking of testimony lasted all afternoon and part of the night. The evidence showed that the shooting occurred without witnesses other than the actors in the tragedy. Leonard was shot in the back.

The testimony showed that Leonard had threatened to kill both himself and the defendant if she would not marry him and he said that he had \$200 which would be enough to bury both of them. He had followed the girl here from Vancouver to press his suit for marriage, she repelling all of his advances. The county judge discharged Miss Clark, not deeming the evidence of the state sufficient to justify him in holding her for trial. It is not likely that she will again be arrested on the charge.

BONDS FOR NEW ROAD.

Shelby, Neb., Dec. 27.—At the special election held here Saturday on the proposition to vote bonds in aid of the proposed Omaha and Nebraska Central railway, the bonds carried by twenty-two votes more than the necessary two-thirds.

NEW YORK MONEY.

New York, Dec. 27.—Money steady at 4 7/8 per cent. Prime mercantile paper 6 1/2 per cent. Sterling exchange weak at \$4.82, 70¢ for 100; demand, and \$4.77, 65¢ for 100 for sixty days.

FRENCH PAPER SAYS ROOSEVELT IS CHRISTIAN

Paris, Dec. 29.—The Liberte prints an editorial entitled "Roosevelt's Christianity," in which it describes the president as no superman, but a man of average faculties, who is nevertheless clothed in American eyes with a species of sacerdotal character, which assures him considerable prestige. He is an apostle of christianity, representing admirably that human religiousness which is gradually being evolved from the various religious co-existing in the United States.

He is as sentimental as a parson. His discourses are constructed like sermons. The bible continually shows him how to impress the multitude. The writer quotes Mr. Roosevelt as saying that christianity is the sole basis for a nation's lasting greatness. The correspondent says that the president does not by this mean any special creed, but he wishes religious life propagated under the most diverse forms. This state of mind is not, properly speaking, piety, but liberalism, embracing every form of religion. It is the gift of comprehension granted sometimes to children and refused to celebrated scholars. The Jansenists call it grace. The Americans call it inspiration. "The Americans believe that all their national heroes possessed it. Lincoln, Emerson, McKinley, and now Roosevelt. It sums up the nation's spirituality. The writer's objective in these remarks is given in the final paragraph, which says: "It is due to this tolerant, liberal christianity that Latin anticlericalism has not yet penetrated America. While men like Roosevelt are at the head of the government we shall have striking proof that the wretched passions agitating us are as yet unborn among his citizens."

WAR DEFEAT PROBE ON GRAND DUCHIES

St. Petersburg, Dec. 29.—With the trials of Admirals Rojstvensky and Nebogotoff out of the way, a strong effort is being made with influential official backing, to compel the authorities to make inquiry into the naval scandals of the grand ducal regime, to which the defeat of the Russians in the Sea of Japan is largely attributed.

WOMEN STALK NAKED IN CHINESE FAMINE

Empire Decides to Appeal to America and Europe for \$1,250,000 for Sufferers.

Pekin, Dec. 29.—China has decided to appeal to Europe and America for \$1,250,000 for the relief of the famine sufferers. The people maddened by hunger, are reported pillaging the yamens of officials.

RESCUER PERISHES BEFORE WIFE'S EYES

Morristown, N. J., Dec. 29.—Before the eyes of his wife, George Davis, aged 25, lost his life in an unsuccessful attempt to rescue John Arke, an 8-year-old boy, from drowning. Lying down Davis reached out and seized Arke and shouted to his wife to haul in on a rope. She drew her husband back from the ice hole until the boy was out of the water.

As she started to pull again the rope broke and the man and the boy slid back into the water and were drowned.

COLD TAKES LIFE IN SCOTTISH HILLS

London, Dec. 29.—A blizzard which commenced Christmas night continued throughout Great Britain. The country districts in the most northern parts of the country are snowbound, trains are blocked, the roads are impassable and rural villages are temporarily cut off from communication with each other and a number of deaths are reported in the bleak Scottish hills.

HIS HAIR UN CUT IN TWENTY-THREE YEARS

Hunters, Wash., Dec. 29.—Hans Kohlen, the most eccentric character in Stevens county, has sold his fine ranch, four miles west of Fruitland, and will re-enter civilization, after being almost a recluse for twenty-three years. All this time he has been a bachelor, and almost a hermit. He cleared his land, built a house, and fenced the land without assistance.

BETROTHED TO KAISER'S SON.

Berlin, Dec. 29.—Princess Alexandra Victoria, the second daughter of Duke Frederick of Schleswig-Holstein-Sonderburg-Glücksburg, has been betrothed to Prince Augustus William, the fourth son of Emperor William.

ROOSEVELT TO VIRGINIA.

Washington, D. C., Dec. 29.—President Roosevelt and family left at 11:25 this forenoon for Pine Knot, Va., where they will remain until Monday afternoon.

DURAND SAYS GOODBYE.

Washington, D. C., Dec. 29.—Sir Mortimer Durand, the British ambassador, today called on Secretaries Root and Taft and bade them farewell. The ambassador will leave Washington tomorrow for New York and will sail Saturday on the Umbria.

GIRL ATHLETE BREAKS MOTHER'S RIB, HUGGING.

Atlantic City, Dec. 29.—Miss Daisey English, who has played basketball and is found athletic, squeezed her mother so hard when she gave her a Christmas greeting at her home in Northfield that she broke one of Mrs. English's ribs. Miss English has canceled her holiday engagements to play nurse.

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MAY LAND IN AN EXCLUSIVE SET

Elliott's Reward for Novel Way of Collecting Debt From Society.

TOOK \$17,000 DIAMONDS

Declares That He Had Been Kept the Under Dog So Long That He Had That Much Coming So He Appropriated It.

Omaha, Neb., Dec. 25.—Is society to blame for the crime of stealing \$17,000 worth of diamonds, committed by Edward Elliott, the loser being Joseph Sonnenberg, of this city? "This is the claim of the defendant. "Society owes me some recompense for keeping me the under dog so long," declared Elliott to County Attorney Slabaugh, who has insisted on an immediate trial of the diamond thief. "If I had made my getaway I should not have been troubled by conscience. Society cannot blame me for taking what seemed to me the easiest way out of my hard luck." The probabilities are that Elliott will get all society owes him and will find himself an industrious member of a most exclusive set.

GITTIN' KINDA FIXED IN HIS HABITS, EH?

Omaha, Neb., Dec. 25.—Julius Meyer, who has kept bachelor quarters in Sam Adler's building for forty years, insists upon staying. Sam Adler, who wants to improve the property and do away with the stairways, is determined that Meyer moves next January, when his lease expires. "Why, I live here eight years before you were born," said Meyer to Adler. "Yes, I know, but is that to prevent me from improving my property?" answered Adler. "If I can't get him to go," said Adler, "I guess I'll have to bring proceedings against him to get him out."

\$50,000 FIRE AT NORFOLK.

Edwards & Bradford Lumber Company is a Heavy Loser.

Norfolk, Neb., Dec. 25.—Fire was discovered in one of the west sheds of the Edwards & Bradford Lumber company at 7 o'clock last evening and, fanned by a northwest wind, the entire yards were soon a mass of flames. The loss is about \$50,000. The origin of the fire is a mystery. The insurance is estimated at about \$10,000. The Oxnard hotel adjoining the yards on the north was not damaged, and the fire was confined to the Edwards & Bradford lots.

BROME IS CAPTAIN.

"Chuck" Will Lead the Creighton Team Next Year.

Omaha, Neb., Dec. 25.—Charles Brome, known to all his friends as "Chuck," will lead the Creighton football eleven to battle next season. He was unanimously elected as captain of next year's team by the members of the Creighton squad at the annual football banquet held at the university Thursday night.

CHILDREN OF MRS. BRADLEY NOT BROWN'S, HE SAYS IN WILL

Her Lawyers, However, Expect to Prove Parentage and Secure Monetary Consideration for Them.

Salt Lake City, Utah, Dec. 25.—Ha the late ex-Senator Arthur Brown foreseen his death at the hands of Mrs. Bradley he could have devised no more ingenious retaliation than the post-mortem revenge contained in his will.

The document, written August 24, 1906, four months before Mr. Brown was shot down in the Raleigh hotel, Washington, says: "I do not devise, or give, or bequeath anything to any of the children of Mrs. Anna M. Bradley. I do not think either or any child born to Mrs. Anna M. Bradley is or are mine, but whether such child is or is not I expressly provide that neither or any of them shall receive anything of my estate. "I have never married Anna M. Bradley, and never intend to. If she should pretend that any such relation ever existed between us, I direct my executors to contest any claims of any kind she may present, and I direct that she receive nothing from my estate."

The testator bequeaths all his property, valued at about \$75,000, to his two children by his first and second wives.

The children so specifically disinherited are Arthur, aged 7, and Mark, aged 3 years. The attorneys engaged by Mrs. Bradley's relatives in Salt Lake City decline to discuss the will at this time, but there is scarcely a question that a contest will be instituted, as much for the purpose of establishing their parentage as to secure a monetary consideration.

IOWA EMIGRANT BURNED TO DEATH

St. Joseph, Mo., Dec. 25.—J. S. Gilliland and an unknown man burned to death in a car in the Rock Island yards today. Gilliland was moving from Northboro Iowa to Indian territory. The oil stove in the car tipped over and set the household goods on fire, roasting the men alive.

SOCIETY BELLE HELD WITH BAD WOMEN ON MAN'S FAKE CHARGE

New York Doctor's Wife Vindicated in Court and Her Accuser Arrested.

HE SAYS SHE HUGGED HIM

Mrs. Jeanne Trautman, Awaiting Robbery Trial, Kept From Communication With Friends Some Time.

New York, Dec. 29.—Mrs. Jeanne Trautman, wife of a prominent physician and surgeon of this city, was vindicated in police court today of the charge of larceny preferred by Peter J. Hogan, who caused her arrest Christmas eve in front of a Fifth avenue store.

Hogan was arrested on a charge of assault preferred by Mrs. Trautman. The case attracted attention because of the social prominence of Mrs. Trautman and as showing the indignities to which an innocent woman may be subjected on the accusation of persons who may or may not be responsible.

Hogan, who is a clerk, seized Mrs. Trautman roughly by the arm while she was looking in a show window and asked if she knew him, threatened her with physical violence and ended by calling a policeman to arrest her. His story is that Saturday evening he was met on the street by two women, one of whom led him into a dark hallway and put her arms around his neck.

When he managed to free himself from the woman, whom he declared to be Mrs. Trautman, Hogan says he found \$13 had been taken from his pocketbook, which later was returned. Mrs. Trautman was taken to the police station after being questioned as to her name, residence, etc., and committed to a cell in which were several dissolute women. Considerable time elapsed before she was permitted to communicate with friends, who secured her release on bail.

"Double" Close at Hand.

When Mrs. Trautman appeared before Magistrate Flinn he dismissed the complaint without even the formality of bringing the most important witness into the court room. This witness, who was unwilling, is known as Kitty Wilson and is almost a perfect "double" of Mrs. Trautman.

Kitty is known to the police and the fact of her remarkable resemblance to Mrs. Trautman was recalled soon after the investigation of the charge by Hogan was begun.

As a result of the search by the police the missing "double" was taken into custody and during the arraignment was in a small room adjoining the court room.

WOMAN THROWN OFF SIDEWALK BY NEGRO

Wore the Uniform of Twenty-Fifth Infantry and Said Walk Belonged to Him.

El Reno, Okla., Dec. 29.—Race feeling is at white heat, and threats of lynching are heard on every hand as a result of an assault committed on Mrs. T. S. Clifford, wife of a prominent physician, yesterday afternoon by a negro of the Twenty-fifth infantry.

Mrs. Clifford and her sister, Mrs. S. H. Clarke, were attempting to cross the soldier when he viciously grabbed Mrs. Clifford around the waist and threw her into the street, exclaiming that the sidewalk belonged to him. Mrs. Clifford screamed for assistance, but the assailant escaped before help arrived.

News of the attack spread rapidly and the entire police department, reinforced by several hundred men and boys, searched the town and surrounding country, but the negro escaped. The negro was in uniform and must return to the post or become a deserter.

Word was sent to Fort Reno and all absentees noted. Both Mrs. Clifford and her sister are positive they can identify the man and will go to Fort Reno and attempt to pick him from the soldiers who were out of the post when the assault occurred.

BRIDE OPENS DOOR, SHOT AT WEDDING

Rutland, Vt., Dec. 29.—Mary Parker Gilmore, daughter of John Parker, a Vermont farmer, was shot and seriously wounded shortly after her marriage to Charles Gilmore in her father's home. Her sister-in-law, Mrs. Henry Gilmore, who had followed her to the door was also shot.

The house was filled with guests who had witnessed the ceremony and were waiting to join in the reception when shots were heard outside. The bride, thinking that more of her friends had come to extend their good wishes, opened the door and stood on the door step to receive them.

They saw several men approach and shouted greetings, but the others did not reply. Suddenly a shot rang out and the bride fell. Another shot was fired and the bullet struck Mrs. Gilmore in the shoulder.

A physician extracted both bullets. They were found to be home made plugs, such as could be fired from a rifle.

TWELVE MASSACRED BY YAQUI INDIANS

Nogales, Mexico, Dec. 29.—Details are arriving here of the butchery of a party of Mexicans by Yaqui Indians near Valencia, sixty miles below Guaymas.

Eleven Mexicans and one American were killed. There were 100 Indians in the attacking party. Employees on the Southern Pacific railroad in that section are frightened.

DOG SEEMED WELL BUT RABIES KILLS WOMAN

New York, Dec. 29.—Mrs. Charles Weeks, aged 60, of New Rochelle, died in her home from hydrophobia. She was bitten three weeks ago by a small fox terrier her husband found in the street. The dog exhibited no signs of rabies and none of the family thought anything of the incident.