

KILLED BY LIGHTNING.

Mysterious Death of a Prominent Citizen of Illinois. The painful accident in Bloomington, Illinois, by which a well-known citizen of that place was killed by lightning whilst asleep, with his wife by his side, has been reported by telegraph. The Philadelphia gives the following details of this distressing affair:—

The brief announcement in these columns on Saturday morning of the sudden death of W. H. Hanna, by lightning, during the night previous, was to hundreds of readers a most sudden and terrible shock. The details of the fatal accident are in some degree mysterious and inexplicable, and must always remain, or at least until the laws which control the movements of the electric fluid are more fully understood.

The first of the series of showers which fell during that night had passed, and about 11 o'clock another arose, accompanied by an extraordinary electrical phenomenon, the clouds in the south and west being almost constantly illuminated with the flashes and darts of lightning, although with not very much thunder. An occasional crash, however, was heard. Mr. Hanna and his wife had retired, and were sleeping with a window, not far from the bed, raised two or three inches. While it is impossible to state with certainty exactly in what way the bolt entered or departed from the room, yet the general view is that it entered at the slightly opened window. Not far from this stands a large tree, which is decayed in the direction of the trunk, and this tree and limb give some very slight evidences of the passage of lightning. The head of the bed also has a little mark. The only mark upon the body of Mr. Hanna is one above the shoulder, or rather upon the chest, neither breaking or abrading the skin.

There is no noticeable mark upon the clothing, or elsewhere in the room. The theory of some is that the fluid leaped from the decayed limb of the tree through the window, just striking the head of the bed, then passing on to the body of Mr. Hanna's neck, and passing from the body at the other mark, leaping from thence to the gas fixture, and thus finding escape to the earth below.

However this may be, it is certain that in its course that little dart of lightning fulfilled its fearful mission. Mrs. Hanna was for a few moments stunned by the stroke, but soon recovered and sent for a physician. No human aid, however, could revive the injured man, and after the physician arrived he breathed heavily a few times, and all was still.

Some of the most important cases in the law practice of the West have been conducted by Mr. Hanna, and at the time of his death he had in his hands the management of a number of cases in which great interests were involved. He was universally conceded to be one of the clearest headed, hardest working, most thorough, and honest lawyers of this or any other bar.

A LUSUS NATURE.

Astonishing Dings in Utah—A Shower of Lizards. The Utah Reporter says:—On Saturday evening our town was visited by the first rain which has fallen for three months. It occurred since the 1st of May, that the "dry season" of the early years had returned, and that we were again to have summers without a drop of rain. The rain, however, though grateful and welcomed, was not much more than a mere connected with it was a phenomenon without precedent in this section, unexplained by any of our philosophers, nothing more nor less than a shower of water-lizards. Over all the western part of the town, particularly around the Opera House, they were found in numbers, and of every length from two to eight inches.

In looking over the ground to-day we found a number already quite dried up; and we note with surprise that there is so little substance in them as to leave nothing more than a mere skeleton. The greatest number seem to have fallen on Judge Spicer's premises. His cellar, lately dug, previously dry as a powder-house, contained several inches of water lately alive with these singular reptiles. The Judge fished up some forty of the largest ones, and now has them alive in a water-tank near his house, where the curious may inspect them. On examination we found them to have boneless limbs, and bodies very soft and "mushy"; they were alive in the water, but soon died when removed, and inactive when laid out on the ground. They more nearly resemble the reptile known in the Northwest as the "mud-puppy" than any other we have seen. Their color is a dull brown, with large spots, and their general make-up in other respects places them in the stromed class. The usual theory of "toad-showers" is that the numerous toads seen after a sudden rain were really in the ground and were drawn up by the moisture. This explanation is cut off in this case by two facts. First, that these are clearly water reptiles and die in a few minutes or dry land. Second, the ground has been so hard and dry that soft-bodied reptiles could not have penetrated it. The walls of Judge Spicer's cellar on Saturday afternoon were as solid as a brick wall. Another singular fact is that numbers of the reptiles were found in the rain barrel, where they could not have crawled. One gentleman informs us that he counted two hundred and small puddles on Colorado street. We noticed the dried remains of one which was seven inches in length, yet would not weigh an ounce. We give merely the facts, and so far are without any theory of the cause. But our local citizens are by no means unwise. We shall doubtless have a dozen explanations.

HORRID AFFAIR.

Tragedy Near Connellyville—A Human Being Quartered. Mr. William H. Peabody, justice of the peace at Connellyville, has just reported a horrible murder committed about thirteen miles from that place, and not far from the Pennsylvania and Maryland line. The body was found about twenty-five rods from the highway, hanging in a tree, dressed like a dressed hog, being the carcass of a man hanging, but the carcass being putrid. On the ground near by were found letters and papers, by which it is evident that the name of the deceased was Francis Bosom; that he had lived in Pennsylvania, and in the county in this State, and in Michigan, probably Hillsdale; that he had been in the patent-right business, but lately was a detective, in which capacity he was supposed to be engaged at the time of his murder. It is believed he was murdered by a gang of horse thieves infesting that region of country.

CROSSED IN LOVE.

A Clergyman Attempts Suicide. The Oswego papers contain the particulars of the attempted suicide in that city of the Rev. Mr. Challinac, a clergyman. He went into a beer saloon in the Revenue block in that city, and after drinking several glasses of beer, lay down upon a couch. He soon gave signs of suffering from the effects of poison, and was removed to a friend's house. It was ascertained that he had taken laudanum. Although he received every possible medical attention, he continued in a dangerous condition. He is a single man, about thirty-five years old, and disappointment in a love affair is the cause of depressed spirits leading to the attempted suicide.

Frank Thorne, the foolish young man who received serious injuries in jumping from an elevator in Buffalo, has nearly recovered; but he will not be able to make his intended leap to Niagara. The spirit of useless bravado, which is illustrated in Thorne, should be discouraged on every hand; but it will be emulated by silly fellows so long as the public delight in witnessing daring adventures and hair-breadth escapes.

Mrs. Kelley, a young married lady, attended a fire in Chicago a few nights since, and was shot by some person in the crowd. Her friends think that the bullet was intended for somebody else, which is quite a consoling theory. Springfield, Mass., was left in total darkness a few nights since in consequence of a difference between the Common Council and the Gas Company, growing out of a demand for a reduction in price.

CITY ITEMS.

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MARRIED.—SINCLAIR—ANDERSON.—On the 11th, by Rev. Joseph Mason, pastor of Wharton St. M. E. Church, Mr. JOHN E. SINCLAIR to Miss LEZLIE E. ANDERSON, both of Philadelphia.

STAGG—MOLSEB.—At noon, August 3d, by the Rev. Dr. Blackwood, Mr. HARRY CLAY STAGG to Miss MAGGIE J. MOLSEB, both of this city.

DIED.—ARCHIBALD.—On the 12th instant, JOHN, son of John and Elizabeth Archibald, aged 21 years.

BAKER.—Fell asleep in Jesus, on the 9th instant, JOSEPH E. BAKER, daughter of George and Susan Baker.

The relatives and friends of the family are respectfully invited to attend her funeral, from the residence of her parents, Bridge street, opposite Jackson street, near Whitehall, Twenty-third ward, on Sunday afternoon, at 2 o'clock. Funeral to proceed to Cedar Hill.

BARROWS.—Suddenly, in Washington, D. C., on the 10th instant, L. ADELLA BARROWS, wife of A. R. Barrows, and daughter of John and Sarah B. Pettigill.

Her friends and those of the family are respectfully invited to attend her funeral, from the residence of her parents, No. 800 North Fourth street, on Sunday afternoon, at 3:30 o'clock.

GLADING.—On the 9th instant, SALLIE, wife of Henry C. Glading, in the 1st year of her age.

The relatives and friends of the family are respectfully invited to attend the funeral, from her husband's residence, No. 32 Christian street, on Sunday afternoon, at 2 o'clock. Interment at Mt. Pleasant Cemetery.

GRAY.—On the morning of August 11, at Pittsburgh, DAVID, son of William and Margaret Gray, aged 21 years and 7 months.

The relatives and friends of the family, also Ragan Lodge, No. 28, K. of P., and the Scots' Thistle Society, are respectfully invited to attend his funeral, this (Saturday) afternoon, at 4 o'clock, from the residence of his parents, No. 104 South Twenty-second street, to proceed to Mt. Pleasant Cemetery.

HARRISON.—Suddenly, on the 12th instant, WILLIAM F. HARRISON, in his 43d year.

The relatives and friends of the family are respectfully invited to attend the funeral, from the residence of his parents, East Walnut lane and Morton street, Germantown, on Sunday, the 14th instant, at 2 o'clock P. M.

SHOEMAKER.—On the 10th instant, MARY WESTCOTT, infant daughter of Julien and Hannah A. Shoemaker, aged 5 months.

The friends of the family are invited to attend the funeral, from her parents' residence, No. 1319 Girard street, on Monday, the 15th instant, at 10 o'clock.

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WILL SELL AT PUBLIC AUCTION, at the MERCHANTS' EXCHANGE, in the city of Philadelphia, by

MESSRS. THOMAS & SONS, Auctioneers, at 10 o'clock M., on TUESDAY, the eighteenth day of October, A. D. 1870, the property described in and conveyed by the said mortgage, to-wit:—

No. 1. All those two contiguous lots or pieces of ground, with the buildings and improvements thereon erected, situate on the east side of Broad street, in the city of Philadelphia, one of them beginning at the distance of nineteen feet seven inches and five-eighths southward from the southeast corner of the said Broad and Coates streets; thence extending eastward at right angles with said Broad street eighty-eight feet one inch and a half to ground line, thence northward along the east side of said Broad street, thence southward along said ground, and at right angles with said Coates street, seventy-two feet to the northeast corner of an alley, two feet six inches in width, leading southward into Penn street; thence westward crossing said alley and along the lot of ground hereinafter described and at right angles with said Broad street, seventy-nine feet to the east side of the said Broad street; and thence northward along the east line of said Broad street seventy-two feet to the place of beginning. Subject to a Ground Rent of \$250, silver money.

No. 2. The other of them situate at the northeast corner of the said Broad street and Penn street, containing in front or breadth on the said Broad street eighteen feet, and in length or depth eastward along the north line of said Penn street seventy-four feet and two inches, and on the line of said lot parallel with said Penn street seventy-six feet five inches and three-fourths of an inch to said two feet six inches wide alley. Subject to ground rent of \$75, silver money.

No. 3. All that certain lot or piece of ground beginning at the S. E. corner of Coates street and Broad street, thence extending southward along the said Broad street nineteen feet seven inches and five-eighths of an inch; thence eastward eighty feet one inch and one-half of an inch; thence northward, at right angles with said Coates street, nine feet to the south side of Coates street, and thence westward along the south side of said Coates street ninety feet to the place of beginning.

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