

A WEEK'S NEWS CONDENSED

Wednesday, January 8. Dennis Driscoll, a one-legged pencil peddler, was burned to death in a fire which destroyed the Salvation Army lodginghouse at Worcester, Mass.

Thieves broke into the home of Charles F. Brooker, of Ansonia, Conn., national Republican committeeman, and got away with jewelry valued at \$20,000.

Richard A. Ballinger, commissioner of the general land office, has tendered his resignation of that office to President Roosevelt, and it has been accepted to take effect March 4.

Thursday, January 9. Robbers wrecked the safe in the State Bank of Quenemo, at Quenemo, Kan., near here, and escaped with between \$7000 and \$8000.

Captain Daniel Ellis, aged seventy-nine years, the celebrated Union scout of East Tennessee, is dead at his home near Elizabethton, Tenn.

Between 3000 and 4000 Illinois Central railroad employes have been dropped from the company's pay rolls on account of the financial situation.

Two negroes, John Hudson and Henry Campbell, are in jail at Lawrenceville, Ga., charged with having murdered Hudson's wife and then setting fire to the house in an attempt to hide their crime.

Friday, January 10. Thieves entered the residence of Samuel Schwartz, in Waukegan, near Chicago, and took \$6000 worth of jewelry, mostly diamonds.

James Moulton and his wife, each aged more than seventy-five years, were burned to death in a fire that destroyed their home in Auburn, N. H.

The West Virginia Mining Association was formed as a permanent organization at a meeting at Washington of over sixty mine owners and operators of West Virginia.

Major T. L. Courtney, for many years superintendent of the Richmond, Frederic & Potomac railway, and one of the best-known railroad men in the south, died in Richmond, Va.

Saturday, January 11. E. A. Perry, conductor on the Cambridge & Seaford railroad of the Delaware division, dropped dead on the streets of Cambridge, Md.

Five persons were killed in a collision between a westbound passenger train and an extra freight train on the Mississippi & Alabama railroad at Vinegar Bend, Ala., near Mobile.

Mrs. James Valentine, wife of an iron moulder, at Bloomington, Ill., became suddenly insane and attacked her six-year-old son with a hammer and razor, wounding him frightfully.

Thomas E. Robinson, a well-known business man and department commander of the Patriarchs Militant, Odd Fellows, committed suicide in his office, at Detroit, by inhaling illuminating gas.

Monday, January 13. William B. Miller, of Churchtown, Lancaster county, Pa., fell dead while milking his cow.

Eight years in prison was the penalty meted out to John F. Via at Staunton, Va., for the murder of his wife.

SUES WIFE'S PARENTS

Asks \$250,000 Damages For Alienating Wife's Affections.

Philadelphia, Jan. 14.—Richard A. Goebel, a young Austrian, who eloped with Marion, daughter of D. Webster Dougherty, in Europe last March, instituted suit against Mr. Dougherty and his wife, Anna Wilcox Dougherty, in this city, asking \$250,000 for the alleged alienation of the affections of young Mrs. Goebel. Goebel, who recites the history of his marriage to Miss Dougherty, first by civil and afterwards by religious ceremony in London, avers that on June 6, in Dresden, he was deprived of the right to see his wife, and has since been unable to communicate with her. The plaintiff, who comes of excellent family, has been employed as a chauffeur in this city, whence he came after his wife.

Opposes "Blue and Gray" Reunion.

Savannah, Ga., Jan. 14.—General Stephen D. Lee, commander-in-chief of the United Confederate Veterans, in an interview declared that he was opposed to the proposed reunion of the "Blue and Gray" at Washington in 1909. "Such a reunion," he said, "would bring veterans together on both sides who might be imprudent enough in bearing and language to give offence and bring bitterness where there is now good feeling. We should let well enough alone." General Lee is also opposed to the national government pensioning Confederate veterans.

Faces Death After Eating Pepper.

Galestown, Md., Jan. 13.—As the result of winning a wager with a friend that he could eat two ounces of black pepper, Irvin H. Wheatly is said to be in a critical condition. He accomplished the feat, although his friends begged him to stop. Seeing what agony he was in his opponent offered to withdraw the bet, but Wheatly continued to eat the pepper until every grain was consumed. He was then carried home and a doctor was called.

Slow Work to Reach Miners.

Ely, Nev., Jan. 13.—The ground continues soft in the Alpha shaft, in which three miners have been imprisoned since Dec. 4. The rescuers are keeping up an average of ten feet a day. The entombed men have been furnished through a six-inch pipe with enough food to last them two months.

Medical.

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Boy Strangles While Crowd Watches.

Jellico, Tenn., Jan. 13.—Walter Jones, sixteen years old, climbed an electric light pole, and in falling one of the iron steps on the pole caught his clothing and he hung head downward. He was allowed to strangle to death, while a crowd stood watching afraid to touch him, thinking he was charged with electricity.

Scratch On Hand Caused Death.

Norristown, Pa., Jan. 11.—A scratch on the back of his hand made by a buckle caused the death here of Clinton B. Shutt, forty-six years old, foreman at Williams' Machine company. Blood poisoning developed and he died in agony.

Nelson Knocks Out Clifford.

Ogden, Utah, Jan. 14.—Battling Nelson, of Chicago, scored a clean knockout over Jack Clifford, of California, at the Grand theatre here, putting Clifford to the floor for many seconds over the count in the fifth round of a scheduled twenty-round contest.

Fishing for Petroleum.

In the neighborhood of Summerland, on the coast of California, ten miles south of Santa Barbara, the visitor may behold at the present time a very strange and interesting spectacle, the like of which was never seen in the world before. It is nothing more or less than a fishery for petroleum.

Out from the smooth, sandy beach, and extending at right angles therewith into the ocean, are many long docks, or piers, supporting oil derricks. The latter are any other derricks constructed for such a purpose, but, instead of being used to bring up oil from the dry land, they are made to serve for fetching the fluid from beneath the waters of the sea.

The piers described are many of them of great length, stretching a quarter of a mile or more into the Pacific, in order to tap the oil bearing strata under the sea. Derricks are set all along the beach itself, upheld by piles, in order that the breakers may flow back and forth beneath them.

One might imagine that the discovery of the oil under the sea came about through observation of petroleum floating on the waves. Such does not seem, however, to have been the case. Prospectors for the precious fluid, having come upon a very productive oil field on terra firma, in the neighborhood of Summerland, were naturally led down to the ocean beach by the circumstance that the oil-producing area appeared to extend in that direction. Finding that there was oil beneath the surface, it occurred to them to seek it farther out.

The petroleum obtained from under the sea is remarkable, like all the oil in that neighborhood, for containing a great deal of asphalt. It is, in fact, very impure and thick, owing to this admixture of an extraneous substance. But the asphalt itself is decidedly valuable when separated out, and is being utilized for paving and other such purposes.—Saturday Evening Post.

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It would be thought that women recognizing the delicacy of their sex, would seek in that direction, at first, for the cause of headache, dizziness and general weakness.

But instead of this, they generally attribute such disorders, at first, to the liver, and treat the liver when they should be treating the delicate womanly organs. And yet women's mistakes are not so remarkable when it is considered that local physicians often make a similar mistake and treat for the wrong disease. Over half a million women have found health and healing in Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription. Many of these had tried doctors in vain. They were sufferers from female weakness in its extreme forms and considered their cases hopeless. Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription cured them. It will cure irregularity, inflammation, ulceration, and bearing-down pains, and the cure is perfect and permanent.

"New boys," said a Sunday school teacher, addressing the juvenile class, "can either of you tell me anything about God Friday?" "Yes ma'am, I can," replied the boy at the foot of the class. "He was the fellow that done the housework for Robinson Crusoe!"

"Wife—I wish we had a nice country place where we could give a garden party. Husband—Just for the pleasure of inviting some of your friends, eh? Wife—Yes and the pleasure of not inviting some.

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