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#### CHILDREN CREMATED.

Five of One Family Burned with

Their Home. Marlboro, Md., May 5.—A very exciting scene was presented to the Marlboro correspondent yesterday, after a drive of nine miles through the clower part of Prince George's county, which is thinly settled, to the farm owned by Mr. Robert Connick, a southern Maryland planter, near the village of Horsehead, to view the charred remain so five children of William Coale, a prominent colored citizen of southern Prince George's county, who were burned on Sunday night. The fire broke out about

The children—four girls and one boy—who always slept in the attic and generally retired about 8 o'clock, were asleep when the fire broke out. It is thought the children built a fire in the stove, owing to the coolness of the night, and through carelessnes left the stove door open and the sparks therefrom ig-

door open and the sparks therefrom ig-nited an old hen's nest in the chimney corner, which caused the conflagration. The first persons to arrive at the fire were Messrs. T. M. Naylor and Richard Naylor, neighbors, who lived about a mile from the house. When they reached the house the lower portion of the huilding and the roof were after and the building and the roof were afire, and half way out of one of the burning win-dows was protruding the body of the boy. The flames had burned him into a crisp. In a few minutes a portion of the room fell in, and his skull fell from the window and was picked up by one of the persons who had gathered around. After the fire had been extinguished

through lack of material to burn longer several of those present raked among the embers and found seventeen bones in a bunch, the remains of the four girls,

who always slept together.

This is the second time Coale has been visited by fire. The first time he also lost a child. The children's names were: Susan, aged 14; Matilda, aged 12; Jane, aged 11; Charles, aged 9, and Martha, aged 7. William Coale, the father of the burned children, is about 60 years old.

Four Working Girls Killed. New York, May 2.—Lillie Hammond, Mamie Lynch and Jennie Hartley, young women employed in Kramer's fireworks factory, at 902 Union avenue, were burned to death by an explosion of powder yesterday afternoon. The building was but slightly damaged. Last night Lottie Horn died at her home, where she had been taken in an ambulance from the scene of the fire. She

made the fourth victim.

New York, May 4.—George Kramer, the owner of the firework factory which was destroyed by fire Friday, where four girls lost their lives, has been arrested charged with homicide and crim-

Keystone Bank Officers Arrested. PHILADELPHIA, May 5.—Gideon W. Marsh, president of the Keystone National bank, and Charles Lawrence, the cashier, were arrested yesterday afternoon by Deputy Marshall Marshall and two assistants and taken before United States Commissioner Samuel Bell on a charge of falsifying the accounts of the bank. The affidavits were sworn out by Bank Examiner William P. Drew.

Commissioner Bell said that he would not go into the case at present, but would commit the prisoners in \$20,000 bail each to answer the charges. Bail was furnished at 7 o'clock last night and the prisoners were released.

### Chile Has Two Governments.

Paris, May 4.—The Chilean insurgent party has issued a notification, which has been presented to the French government, to the effect that a provisional junta, or government, for the ministers and Congressmen who are opposed to President Balmaceda, has been estab-lished for the administration of the affairs of the eight Chilean provinces which are now in the hands of the insurgents. The junta is composed of Senor Isidor Enaguriz, minister of foreign affairs, justice and education; Senor Walker Martinez, minister of finance, and Col. Holley, minister of war and of

The Immigration Law Officers. Washington, May 5.—Attorney General Miller has rendered an opinion that the new immigration law when passed became a part of the general legislation on that subject. Such being the case, the opinion holds that the secretary of the treasury is empowered to use as much money as necessary out of the immigra-

tion fund to pay the salaries of offices created by the new law, the expense of putting the law into force, and continuing it in operation. A superintendent of immigration created by the law will not,

### Four Men Burned to Death.

dent's return.

however, be appointed until the presi-

Chattanooga, Tenn., May 5.—Information has reached here of a horrible holocaust which occurred about midnight Monday night at Duck Creek siding, on the Chattanooga Southern railroad, thirty miles south of the city. The kitchen of a construction train used in building a new road caught fire in some unknown manner, and four colored men were burned to death. Their names are King Meadows, John Harvey, Will Broder and Elder Miles. The best sub-stantiated theory of the accident is that the men had been murdered and then

Failed for Half a Million. New York, May 5.—Jesse H. Lippin-cott, doing business at No. 10 Wall street, as sole licensee of the Amierican

street, as sole licensee of the Amierican Graphophone company and as president of the North American Phonograph company, has made an individual assignment to Frederick S. Walt, with the following preferences: The Rochester Tumbler company, any indebtedness due; Harriet E. and Anna M. Lippincott, and Mrs. Sarah A. Vance, all of Pittsburg, Pa., each \$6,760, and J. Adriance Bush, \$5,000. Mr. Lippincott's liabilities are about \$500,000.

Three Men Drowned. ROCHESTER, N. Y., May 5.—Three men were drowned yesterday afternoon at the outlook of Braddock's bay, on Lake Ontario. They were at work on the Manitou Beach railroad building a draw bridge over the outlet and were precipitated into the water. Their names are Noel Sousi, Theodore Forbes and his brother, John Forbes, all of Charlotte.

#### WELCOMES. FLORAL

The President's Royal Reception in California.

PATHWAYS OF SWEET PERFUME.

Beautiful Tributes of Esteem from School Children in the Land of Fruits and Flowers-An Alarming Telegram Received.

SAN FRANCISCO, Cal., April 30.—President Harrison and party left by train at 9 o'clock yesterday merning for Palo Alto, where several hours were spent at the Palo Alto stock farm and the Leland Stanford, Jr., university. At 3 o'clock the train started for Monterey, where the party will remain today, returning to San Francisco to-morrow

morning.

The Party at Monterey.

Monterey, Cal., May 1.—A splendid reception awaited the presidential party at Monterey. They were met by a large delegation of school children, who strewed their path with flowers and led the way to the school house, where the public exercises were held. Mayor Hill, of Salinas, delivered the address of welcome on behalf of Monterey, Salinas City and Pacific Grove, and presented the president with a solid silver card the president with a solid silver card basket containing an engraving of the old custom house, inscribed as follows: "Old custom house, where the first American flag was raised in 1846; greet-American hag was raised in 1846; greeting to our president, April 30, 1891."
The president, Postmaster General Wanamaker and Secretary Rusk delivered brief speeches, which were loudly

cheered.

The party were then driven to Cypress Point, overlooking the ocean, where luncheon was partaken. The party spent the day in this neighborhood. Monterey was elaborately decorated with flowers and bunting, the main thoroughfare resembling a tropical garden. It was lined on both sides with the celebrated Monterey express. the celebrated Monterey cypress.

Honored by G. A. R. Men.

SAN FRANCISCO, May 2.—The presidential train arrived in San Francisco from Santa Cruz, via Oakland, just be-fore noon yesterday. The reception committee from the chamber of commerce met the president at Alaméda Mole, opposite the city, and Mayor San-derson and ex-Congressman Morrow joined him at the ferry landing. The run from Santa Cruz was marked by a

large demonstration at Los Gates, where the president made a speech.
On arriving at the ferry landing on the San Francisco side the president was taken to the chamber of commerce, where he received the commercial bodies of the city for an hour.

After luncheon at the Palace hotel he attended a Grand Army May day festival at the Mechanics pavilion. Several thousand school children were seated in the immense hall, every pillar and gallery of which was decorated with flowers and bunting. The approach of the president was announced on a bugle by a young lady, and as the presidential party entered the children rose and formed in a hollow square, through which the guests passed to the platform, escorted by G.

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A. R. men. The president was given an elaborate banquet at the Palace hotel last evening. Not less than 300 representative citizens of San Francisco were present. The president, Postmaster General Wanamaker and Secretary Rusk responded briefly to toasts, and these were he only speeches made. The presidential party are visiting Oakland and Sacremento today, and to-night the presi-dent will be dined by the Union League

Starts for Oregon. San Francisco, May 4.—President Harrison took a much needed rest yesterday. In the morning he attended the First Congregational church. The rest of the day he remained in his rooms. Last evening he crossed over to Oakland, where his train was waiting, and shortly after midnight started for Portland, Ore. The Union League club has presented to President Harrison a beautifully enameled solid gold plate fac simile of the card of invitation to the reception

which he attended Saturday night.

The President in Oregon. PORTLAND, Ore., May 5.—The presidential party arrived here at noon to-day, and were met at the depot by a committee of citizens and the governor and staff, by whom they were escorted to a profusely decorated stand at the city, where addresses of welcome were delivered by the mayor and governor, to which the president responded at length.

On the trip from San Francisco, which city the party left shortly after midnight yesterday morning, the party was everywhere received with marks of esteem. At Red Bluff, Cal., Messrs, Rusk and Wanamaker and Mrs. Harrison were introduced to the crowd, and were loudly

"Old Hutch" Skips. CHICAGO, April 30.—The sensation on the board of trade is the disappearance of "Old" B. P. Hutchinson. He was called heavily for margins yesterday, and his trades were ordered closed out. He was at his office early in the morning, but went away, it was said, to re-cuperate. Later it was learned that he had purchased a ticket for Pensacola, Fla., and a telegram received from Nash-ville, Tenn., late last night announces that he was seen on a train near that city. Mr. Hutchinson's liabilities are from \$2,000,000 to \$3,000,000. His son says Mr. Hutchinson will pay every dol-lar of his liabilities.

CHICAGO, May 4 .- "Old Hutch." Chicago's eccentric and picturesque specu-lator, got back home late Saturday night. He is not to be restrained on the ground that he is insane, but he will probably not be allowed to make any more deals. He was found at Evansville, Ind., by a detective, who finally induced him to re-

Grover Cleveland in Default. OMAHA, May 4. - Ex-President Grover Cleveland was declared in default in the district court here Saturday. He was called in the suit of the Folsom heirs, of which Mr. Cleveland is one, for the partition of the estate. The bailiff announced Mr. Cleveland could not be found and he was declared in default.

Barry Sullivan Dead. London, May 4.—Barry Sallivan, the well known tragedian, is dead. After nearly left, years of hard work on the stage Mr. bultivan broke down about four years ago, and has not since been soon in public. His reason has been en-tirely gone, and with it the ability to

PENNSYLVANIA LEGISLATURE. How the Wheels of Government Re-

volve at Harrisburg. HARRISBURG, April 29 .- In the senate yesterday the commission bill creating a banking department passed finally. Senator Crawford was the only one to vote

The senate refused to concur in the course amendments to the World's fair oill, and a committee on conference will be requested.

Senator Rapsher, of Carbon, offered a resolution directing the committee on elections to report the Baker ballot reform bill today. The resolution was referred to the committee on elections.

In the house the compulsory education bill passed finally by a vote of 116 to 46.

The bill provides that all children between the ages of 8 and 12 years must attend school at least sixteen weeks each year, unless the child resides more than two miles from the nearest school. Fail-

ure to do so is punishable by a fine. HARRISBURG, April 30.—In the senate yesterday there was a prolonged dis-cussion on the shipping bill. The bill authorizes a number of Philadelphia capitalists to establish lines of steamers between the coast of Africa and South American countries, to take advantage of the subsidy act recently passed by congress. The bill provides that the capital stock, bonds and mortgages of such corporations shall be exempt from state taxes. The measure passed finally

by a vote of 29 to 5.

Owing to the illness of Speaker Thompson Mr. Walton, of Philadelphia, acted as speaker pro tem. of the house. The bill appropriating \$1,500 for med-als of honor for the surviving members of the five Pennsylvania companies that were the first to respond to President Lincoln's cail for troops, which had been negatived by the appropriations committee, was recommitted to that

committee. Bills were reported favorably: Provid-ing for the formation of a commission o present before congress the claims of citizens of border counties for extraordinary losses sustained during the rebellion; exempting the real estate of in-stitutions of learning, benevolence and charity which provide free libraries and instruction for the public from tax-

Appropriations aggregating \$144,000 were recommended, and appropriation bills passed finally to the amount of \$262,610, most of which is for charitable institutions. The exceptions are: In-

auguration expenses (Governor Pattison), \$6,000; state board of health, \$10,000; state board of agriculture, \$16,250.

Harrisburg, May 1.—In the senate yesterday the Farr compulsary education bill was reported favorably with amendments. A substitute for section 5 provides that "in order that the provisions of this act may be promptly, uniions of this act may be promptly, uniformally, and effectively enforced, the superintendent of public instruction, lieutenant-general and secretary of internal affairs, as a supervisory board of education, are charged with the duty of formulating from time to time all neces-sary rules and regulations and furnishing the same to all boards of directors now and hereafter created." The sixth section is amended requiring teachers of parochial as well as private schools to co-operate with the authorities in carry-

In the house the committee on appro-priations reported favorably the bill appropriating \$i,500 for medals of honor. The senate bill appropriating \$75,000 for monuments at Gettysburg to Gens Meade and Hancock was reported from the same committee, amended by in-creasing the amount to \$100,000, and including the name of Reynolds.

Appropriation bills aggregating \$379,-835 were passed finally. Of this amount, \$45,000 was for the fish commission, \$5,000 for the Philadelphia Zoological society and \$685 for the payment for glanders horses killed. The balance goes to charitable institutions.

Livingston Wins by 32 Votes.

LANCASTER, Pa., May 5.—The Republican primaries of Saturday created more excitement than any that have ever taken place in the county, and the suspense in which the people have been held since the polls closed is over. At 5 o'clock last evening the return judges completed their count. The clerks agreed on these figures for judge: Livingston, 7,753; Brubaker, 7,721; Livingston's majority, 32. The result will not be finally declared for ten days. In the meantime it is said that a number of meantime it is said that a number of districts contested but counted will be investigated.

Short Term Orders Dying Rapidly. Short Term Orders Dying Rapidly.

Philadelphia, May 5.—Two more
"short term orders" have suspended
business and will close up their offices
in a day or so. They are the Royal Beneficial association and the Challenge
Beneficial association. This swells the
number of recently broken orders to
twenty-one. An application was made
yesterday to close the Fraternity of
Financial Co-operation. The members
of the American Mutual Order of Protection are becoming alarmed, and it is tection are becoming alarmed, and it is believed this order will soon come to a

The Brothers to Be Cremated. PHILADELPHIA, May 4.—Professor Jeseph Leidy and Dr. Philip Leidy, his brother, who died within twenty-four hours of each other, were buried Saturday. Many prominent citizens attended the funerals of the two distinguished brothers. At the conclusion of the service the bodies of both were taken to the Odd Fellows' cemetery and placed temporarily in the receiving vault, where they will remain until next week, when they will be incinerated in the Germantown crematory. Germantown crematory.

WASHINGTON, May 5.—Pennsylvania will get her share of the refund of the

will get her share of the refund of the direct tax today. Governor Pattison's formal demand for the cash was received several weeks ago. Since that time the officers of the department have been examining the records in search of any old offsetting claims. None were found and today Treasurer Nebecker mailed to Governor Pattison his warrant for a little over \$1,600,000.

Scranton's \$370,000 Blaze. SCRANTON, Pa., May 4.—Fire which started in the barn of the People's Street Railway company Saturday morning destroyed that building and thirty-three electric cars, and spread to The Daily Republican building, St. Luke's church, Dunn's blacksmith shop and Healy's millinery store. The losses are: Street Railway company, \$170,000; Republican building and tenants, \$200,000.

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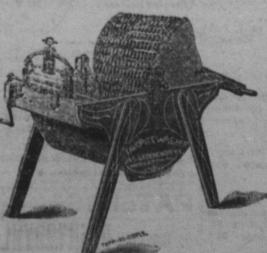
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