CENTRE BALL, PA., THURS. AUG. 20. A PERILOUS WEDDING TRIP.

Thrilling Experience of a Bride and Groom at Denver.

DENVER, Aug. 18.—The escape from instant death of Professor Samuel A. King, of Philadelphia, and Mr. and Mrs. Sherman Hunt, who accompanied the aeronaut on his balloon voyage from Manhattan Beach, is considered almost a miracle. It was nearly 6 o'clock when Sherman Hunt and Mrs. Mary John-ston, of Arvarda, who had determined to make their wedding trip by balloon, appeared in the enclosure near the toss-

The words that made them man and wife were pronounced by Justice Talbot and the couple announced themselves ready for the voyage. Professor King stepped into the basket, followed by the newly wedded couple and a moment later the balloon shot upward. No bal-last or anchor was taken, in order to

give the ship greater buoyancy.

The people cheered and shouted as the air ship arose higher and higher. Big black clouds covered the sky, and the lightning flashed and flickered. The bride waved her handkerchief and kissed her hand to the multitude below until her form became indistinct. Suddenly the larger of the two balloons attached to the basket appeared to grow small. It had, in fact, burst, and immediately afterward the basket began

descending at a frightful rate.

A groan of horror went up from the crowd as the descent of the balloons became faster each minute. They soon disappeared from view and the people returned to their homes impressed with the belief that the voyagers had been dashed to pieces. The balloonists, however, were very much alive.

When the rapid descent began the professor told them they would get to the ground without being killed, but to do everything possible to ease the shock. He knew it would be a tremendous one, and directed them to get astride the basket and cling to the ropes. This they did, and he did likewise, dropping at a terrific rate of speed, faster than the

balloonist ever traveled before.

Down the balloon dropped until it struck the ground with a tremendous crash near Fort Logan. Everything was dark, and the occupants of the basket, or rather the three astride of its sides, were scattered pell mell over the

ground. The married couple on picking them-selves up found that they had escaped injury, not even a scratch being visible. Professor King, however, owing to his age and heavy weight, fell on his right shoulder, which is badly bruised, while his right arm is helpless.

#### An Aeronant's Plunge to Death.

ROME, Aug. 18 .- An aeronant who made an ascent at Macerate met with a ferrible death. The large crowd assembled to witness the ascent were watching the balloon sail away to the eastward, when they were horror stricken to see the aeronant fall from the car and plunge rapidly downward from a dizzy height. At the time of the accident the balloon was over the Adriatic. The unfortunate aeronant fell into the sea and perished, while the balloon, relieved of his weight, soared away and was speed-

### CURIOUS RIVALRY

#### France Also Claims the Coat Worn by the Saviour.

LONDON, Aug. 18.—The rivalry be-tween France and Germany is reaching curious lengths. This was illustrated in the exhibition of the Holy Coat of Argenteuil. No sooner did it become known, a few weeks ago, that the ecclesiastical authorities of Treves. in Rhenish Prussia, were about to exhibit a garment claimed to have been worn by the Saviour than the French were alive to deprive the Germans, as far as posof the honor and profit. It appoars that Argenteuil, within easy access by rail from Paris, also possesses a coat claimed to have belonged to Christ.

Arrangements were promptly made for the exhibition of the relic. Sunday was chosen as the opening day, several days ahead of the first public view at Treves. Great throngs of people went from Paris and other localities to see the holy vestment. The exhibition was in every way successful, and is said to have caused proportionate chagrin at Treves, which will lose a multitude of French Catholic visitors. The prepara-tions for the public exhibitions at Treves are going on hurriedly, and will be completed within the appointed time.

### Gloriana's Eighth Victory.

NEWPORT, R. I., Aug. 18.—The big annual sweepstakes of the New York Corinthian Yacht club was sailed yesterday, and resulted in a splendid victory for the Rhode Island boat Gloriana. The Gloriana was started in eight races and won all of them, and Rhode Island people are exultant. The Gloriana's balloon jib topsail carried away soon after the start, and she lost some time while setting her smaller head sail, but she still led when they turned the sec ond mark, and from there on steadily increased her lead, winning in impressive style. Gloriana wins first money (\$595), Owene second (\$170) and Beatrix third (\$85), the total amount of the sweepstakes being \$850.

An Unfounded Report. Washington, Aug. 18.—The state department has received advices on good authority in regard to the recent rioting in China, but the reports are not of a serious nature at present, and no re-currence of the trouble is expected. In reference to the reported joint naval demonstration between the American and European fleets in Chinese waters against the Chinese government, acting Secretary Soley, of the navy department said: "No orders for a joint naval de-monstration such as is described have been issued by the navy department, nor have I heard that any such demonstration is proposed. As far as I know, there is no foundation for the report."

## Deluged by Cloudburst.

St. Joseph, Mo., Aug. 18 .- A special from Agency says: A cloudburst in the vicinity of the junction of the One Hundred and Two and the Platte rivers caused much loss of property. The river rose twenty feet in six hours and twelve or fifteen farms were ruined. Houses, barns and stock were swept away and crops ruined. Many narrow escapes are reported, but no lives are yet known to be lost.

# THIRTEEN KILLED.

Another Deadly Disaster on a Swiss Railroad.

AGAIN AN EXCURSION TRAIN.

Dashed Into by the Paris Express and One Car Completely Wrecked. In Addition to the Killed, Eighteen Received Severe Injuries-The Accident Due to Negligence.

BERNE, Aug. 18 .- The people of Switzerland have hardly recovered from the railroad scare caused by the terrible ac-cident at Moenchenstein in June last, by which over 130 persons on an excursion train lost their lives and about 300 were injured, when they were startled by another wholesale loss of life by reason of a railroad accident.

This last disaster occurred on the Jura-Simplon railroad lines, near the village of Zollikofen, not far from this

A special train carrying a large num-ber of excursionists from the country districts to this city was on its way here, the passengers intending to take part in the centenary fetes which are now in progress here and elsewhere throughout Switzerland.

#### Due to Negligence.

This excursion train was stopped at Zellikofen in order to enable it to be shunted into a siding so as to let the Paris express pass. By some gross negligence, apparently, upon the part of the railroad officials, the Paris train, loaded with foreign travelers, was not warned to look out for the excursion train while passing Zollikofen, and the result was that the express dashed into the special train.

Luckily the engineer of the express had caught sight of the excursion train in time to put down the brakes, and so the damage done and the loss of life were not so great as it might have been. As it was, the engine of the express cut into and almost entirely demolished the guards' van at the rear of the excursion train, which was empty, and then crashed into the rearmost of the passenger cars, completely wrecking it.

Thirteen Killed, Eighteen Injured. Thirteen people were killed and eighteen persons seriously injured. In addition to these thirty others have suffered more or less severe wounds or

The bodies of the dead were carried to the waiting room of the railroad station at Zollikofen and were there laid in rows while awaiting identification. The interior of the station, as a result, presented a most sickening spectacle, for many of the dead were so terribly mutilated as to be practically beyond recognition. The wounded were attended to by the relief corps sent to the scene from this city. Those of the wounded who were in a state to be removed have been taken to the hospitals in this city; others are being nursed near the spot where their injuries were

#### DEATH OF MRS. POLK,

#### The Venerable Ex-Mistress of the White House.

NASHVILLE, Tenn., Aug. 15 .- Surrounded by a few loving friends and relatives, Mrs. James K. Polk, widow of the tenth President of the United States, departed this life yesterday peacefully and quietly in the full possession



MRS. JAMES K. POLK.

of her mental faculties. Mrs. Polk had been in perfect health until last Wednesday evening, when on returning from a short drive she was taken s=ddenly ill. From this attack she never rallied. Had she lived until Sept. 4 next she would have reached the age of 88. The cause of her death was simply exhaustion, resulting from old age.

### A Burglar's Syndicate.

MILWAUKEE, Aug. 18 .- A well known crook arrested here on suspicion gave to the police the details of a burglar's syndicate which has been in existence for nearly a year. With skillful manage-ment the members of this syndicate have traveled a regularly mapped out route, committing their depredations and escaping without trouble. Only once was a member captured, and he se-cured his release through the money of

## the syndicate.

Ate Poisoned Cakes. GRAFTON, W. Va., Aug. 18.—Mrs. George Mallonee, niece and five children are lying in a dying condition from eating poisoned cakes. The lady made the cakes, and while absent from the house a few moments it is believed some enemy attempted to poison the entire family by placing arsenic in the dough. The death of one or two of the children is expected. Suspicion points to certain parties as the poisoner, and arrests

Charged With Stealing State Scrip. LITTLE ROCK, Ark., Aug. 18.—A great ensation was created here by the arrest of J. L. Bay on a warrant sworn out by by State Treasurer Morrow, charging him with the larceny of \$100,000 of state scrip. Bay was a clerk employed by the bondsmen of ex-State Treasurer Woodruff to examine the books of the defaulting state treasurer.

A Challenge to Dixon. New York, Aug. 18.—A special dispatch to the Police Gazette from Denver says the backer of Dan Daly, of that city, has issued a challenge in behalf of Daly for a fight with George Dixon, colored, of Boston, for \$2,500 a side and the featherweight championship of the

# THE HISTORY OF A WEEK | FARMERS' SUPPLIES AT

#### Wednesday, Aug. 12.

The yacht Nellie C., with a pleasure party of four young men and six girls, capsized yesterday afternoon in Maurice bay, near Toledo, O., and Lena Saundberg, Ellen Feely and Clara Bowds were drowned, being in the cabin at the time.

Frederick Douglass denies the printed stories that his resignation as minister to Hayti was requested. His relations with the state department have always been extremely cordial. He informed the president at the outset that he would held the position for two years only. Ex-Senator Blair is spoken of as his successor.

#### Thursday, Aug. 13.

The New York Democratic state committee met in New York yesterday. It was decided that the state convention should be held in Saratoga on Sept. 15.

Mr. Patenotre, at present French minister to Morocco, has been appointed to succeed M. Roustan as minister to the United States. Mr. Roustan goes to the Spanish court.

As an excursion party from Brooklyn was leaving Cold Spring Harber yesterday, to return home, a sudden squall arose. On the barge Republic some 600 people, mainly women and children, were gathered. Suddenly the upper deck gave way, and when the debris was removed thirteen dead bodies were discovered. Three others are miss ing, and are supposed to have been knocked overboard and drowned.

#### Friday, Aug. 14. Collector J. Sloat Fassett took formal charge of New York's custom house yester-

day Henry Henson was hanged at St. Louis for killing his wife, and Chris Young at Lexington for killing Stephen Ferguson.

The after effects of the two days excessive heat in New York still continue to appear. There were six cases of death from this cause reported yesterday. The Zenaputty of the royal house of

Manipur and the Tongal general were hanged at Manipur yesterday for their part in the killing of Grimwood, Quinton and other British officials during the Manipur Tsang Ding and Ong Moy Toy, two

Chinamen who were taken from Mott street dives to the New York Charity hos-

# pital last Monday, are, after a careful examination by the doctors, pronounced

Saturday, Aug. 15. It is said in Washington that ex-Senatof Blair will succeed Charles Emory Smith as minister to Russia.

Hon. John R. Gamble, who was elected congressman from South Dakota last fall, died at Yankton, S. D., yesterday.

The police of Mescow have received orders which will have the effect of expelling every Jew from the district within

Rackel Sherman, youngest daughter of the late General W. T. Sherman, is to marry Paul Thorndike, a rising young Boston physisian.

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L. A. SCHAEFFER,

Prothonotary

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Hon. A. O. Furst, President Judge of the Court of Common Pleas of the 42th Judicial district, consisting of the counties of Centre and Huntingdon, and the Hon. Daniel Rhoades and the Hoh. Thos F. Riley, assoc ate Judges in Centre, having issued rheir precept bearing date the 27th day of July 1891 to me directed for holding a Court of Oyer and Terminer and general Jail Delivery and Quarter Sessions of the Peace in Bellefonte, for the county of Centre, and commence on the 4th Monday of August the 24th day of August 1891, and to continue two weeks, Notice is hereby given to the Coroner, Justices of the Peace, Aldermen and Constables of said county of Centre, that they be then and there in the proper persons, at 10 o'clock in the forencon of said day, with their records, inquisitions, examinations, and their own rememorances, to do those things which to their office appertains to be done, and those who are bound in recognizances to prosecute against the prisoners that are, or shall be in the jail of Centre county, be then and there to prosecute against them as shall be just.

Given under my hand, at Bellefonte the 27th day of July, in the year of our Lord, 1891 and the one hundred and fourteenth year of the Independence of the United States.

WM. A. ISHLER,

PPLICATION FOR CHARTER—NOTICE is hereby given that an application will be made to the Court of Common Piess of Centre rounty, on Monday, the 24th day of August, A. D. 1891 at 10 o'clock a. m. under an act of Assembly entitled "An Act to provide for the incorporation and regulation of certain corporations," approved April 29th, A. D. 1874, and the supplements thereto, for a charter of an intended corporation to be called the St. Lukes Evangelical Lutheran church of Centr. Hall, Pennsylvania, the purpose and object of which is to worship Almighty God according to the formula of the General Synod of the Evangelical Lutheran church, of the United States of North America, and for these purposes to have, possess and enjoy all the rights, benefits and privileges conferred by the Act of Assembly aforesaid and its supplements.

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