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The Ice Men's Out.

LANCASTER, Pa., February 26.—The great ice gorge which threatened the Pennsylvania railroad bridge at Columbia, passed off last night without any damage to the structure, although the water released did much damage along the river bank. Gorges at Washington and Turkey Hill remain in tact. The ice covers the tracks of the Columbia and Port Deposit railroad to a depth of five feet for some miles. Between four and five hundred men were engaged to-day in trying to clear the track. The railroad track from Columbia to Marietta has been cleared and travel resumed.

PITTSBURG, February 27.—The furnace men, employees of the Edgar Thompson Steel Works, struck against a reduction of ten per cent, in their wages. About 1,000 men are affected.

RICHMOND, Va., February 26.—Mr. William Gray yesterday covered the option of the sale of Libby prison by payment of the first installment. This insures the removal of the building to Chicago.

CHICAGO, February 27.—Maggie Gagan, 15 years of age, was assaulted and murdered this morning at Green Bros.' boot heel factory. Zeph Davis, a mulatto, who was employed as janitor, is supposed to be the assailant and murderer. He made his escape and has not been captured by the police.

JOHNSTOWN, February 27.—A. J. Rockwood, one of the civil engineers in charge of the removal of the great rock cut at this point, fell over the precipitous bluff to the grading below, about noon today, receiving very serious injuries. Mr. Rockwood's home is in Buffalo, New York. He was attended by the Company's surgeon and fixed as comfortably as possible at his hotel at this point.

READING, February 26.—Rufus W. Spohn, a well known sport and gambler, committed suicide here yesterday. He lived with his aged mother. She went to his room early Saturday morning to call him to breakfast. She called several times on the outside, and, failing to get an answer, entered the room. She went to the bed and found her son with his head covered with a blanket. On removing this the body was found lying on the right side with a gash two inches in length across the throat, almost severing the windpipe. In front of the bed lay a four-bladed pearl-handled knife, with the large blade open and covered with blood. The bed clothing was saturated with blood as well as the carpet beneath.

Spohn was well known among the sporting men in the larger cities, and was a frequenter of cock fights, sparring matches, etc. Lately he became morose and melancholy because of ill health. The coroners held an inquest and the jury decided that the deed was committed while the deceased was temporarily insane.

St. Louis, February 26.—The trial for wire-tapping of Martin Irons, who two years ago was the head of the big railroad strike, was concluded yesterday. In making his argument for the State Judge Laughlin referred to Irons as an agitator and compared him with August Spies and Johann Most, men who never worked themselves but were always inciting the working men to strike and creating disturbances between the men and their employers. You are a liar, retorted Irons from his seat. Laughlin then went on to say that the strikers had ditched a train at Sedalia, killing and injuring people. Irons had disregarded the orders of his chief, Powderly, who had called off the strike. And, continued the Judge, he stood there seeing innocent lives endangered, this cold blooded Anarchist. Do I understand you to call me an Anarchist? asked Irons warmly. You? most assuredly do, replied the attorney. Then you are a liar exclaimed Irons. The jury then rendered a verdict of acquittal. Circuit Attorney Clover then announced that he would enter nolle proseques in the cases of Coughlin and Jackson, indicted for the same offense. This ends the criminal prosecutions growing out of the great railroad strike of the spring of 1886.

Tortured to Death.

An extraordinary story of depravity has been disclosed by the arrest recently at Wooster, Ohio, of Edmund Daniels, a farmer, living about three miles south of that city, on the charge of murdering his wife. It seems that he was at it a month before he accomplished it.

Daniels and wife have lived in the vicinity of Wooster for forty years, coming originally from England. He is 68 years of age and she was about 87. Of late years they have not lived peacefully, and it was generally known among the neighbors that Daniels was very abusive to his wife. Mrs. Daniels grew childish in her old age and it was found unsafe to leave her at home alone. This only exasperated her husband the more. It was finally decided that they should live with one of their neighbors named Tanner. Here matters grew worse between the old couple, and Mrs. Tanner's story of the abuse heaped by Daniels upon his wife is startling.

On the 14th of January last Daniels returned home in a rage and asked his wife for some papers. As the papers could not be found, the enraged man dealt Mrs. Daniels a powerful blow on the back of her head with a long-handled shovel. This he followed with blow after blow in the face until the poor old woman's features were black with bruises. From that time until Thursday Mrs. Daniels had been slowly dying, but her callous husband would not allow anything to be done for her. Early Tuesday morning Mrs. Tanner heard the woman groaning and went to her bedside to offer assistance, but Mrs. Daniels was too far gone to recognize anyone.

Daniels occupied the same bed, but his face was turned toward the wall, and he paid no attention to the sufferings of his wife. Mrs. Tanner offered to bring a lamp, for it was early morning and still dark, but Daniels turned quickly in his bed and said there was no need of a lamp, as his wife could die in the dark just as well. Mrs. Tanner then attempted to place a pillow under the suffering woman's head.

This so enraged Daniels that he sprang from his bed, and, taking his wife in his arms, dragged her from the bed. He carried her bodily across the room and dumped her into a chair, exclaiming: "Now, I guess she'll breathe easier." Mrs. Tanner ran from the room, intending to call help, but no sooner had she left than Daniels locked the door behind her. It is thought Mrs. Daniels expired soon after, but it is not known for certain. However, the corpse was found early that morning still sitting in the chair.

Daniels was taken to Wooster, but refused to talk. The post mortem examination, conducted yesterday, revealed the fact that Mrs. Daniels was covered with bruises.

Big Fire at Buffalo.

BUFFALO, February 26.—Another great fire, involving the loss of a quarter of a million of dollars, occurred here this morning. The chief sufferers are James E. Curtis, gloves and mittens, 47 and 49 Exchange street; Bickford & Francis, leather merchants; the ticket offices of the Michigan Central Railroad and the office of the Eastern freight agent of the same road; the Express newspaper; Mathews' and Northrup's printing and lithographic works; the Empire fast freight line; the Buffalo Upholstering Company's office; paper warerooms of Richard H. Thompson, and the Queen City Shirt Manufacturing Company.

Bickford & Francis lost about \$1,100,000. The Curtis building was valued at \$30,000. By the destruction of the Queen City Shirt Works, 600 men are thrown out of employment. The basement of the Express building was flooded with water and the press was disabled. The paper appeared as usual, however, having been printed on the press of another paper. There were several narrow escapes from asphyxia. Many tenements were burned and the occupants escaped in their night clothes.

New York, February 27.—George H. Clarke & Co., hat jobbers, have suspended with liabilities said to be \$250,000.

SALE REGISTER.

PUBLIC SALE—On Wednesday, March 14th, 1888, at the Jenks' farm in Benner township, (near Shiloh church) Horses, Cattle, Hogs and all Farming Implements etc., by George Hennigh.

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