SHE DENIES MANY STATEMENTS.

The Prisoner Breaks Down Several Times During the Recital of Her Son's Illness. A Carpenter's Testimony Creates a Mild

TRENTON, N. J., Aug. 15.—Dr. Horace G. Wetherill, of Trenton, was put on the witness stand by the prosecution in the Shann murder trial yesterday. He has had fifteen years experience as a practitioner, and he gave it as his opinion that young Shann's death was due to chronic mer-curial poisoning. This opinion was based on the assumption that his symptoms and treatment were as described by his own physician, Dr. Bergen, and other wit-

Dr. Arthur R. McDonald, of Princeton, testified that he examined Shann for the Manhattan Life Insurance company last November, and that he found him to be sound and well.

Captain Holt, who has assumed the burden of the work for the defense, made on its behalf the opening address to the jury. Captain Holt outlined the defense fully, saying that the prisoner at the bar was not a murderess. All her acts in this matter were consistent with innocence and honest intent. The boy died leaning on the breast of his mother and giving her his last thought.

The state charges that she administered to him the poison from which he died; that her motive was the procuring of \$2,000 insurance on his life; and that for weeks, while he was languishing and prostrete, she fed him daily the drug that finally robbed him of his life. The defense would show that young Shann did not die of poison, but was afflicted with disease, for which he was treated with mercury, other than the disease that he is said to have

The state charges that the mother reoved or had removed the viscera of her dead son to conceal the murder of which she was guilty. The defense holds that they were removed because they were dis-eased; and the object was to conceal the fact that Shann was diseased and unfit for the insurance risk placed on his life.

James Packer, an intimate friend of John Shann, was the first witness for the defense. He testified to having visited houses of ill fame in Trenton in company with John. William McVey and Hugh Shann, the latter a brother of the dead man, testified that John was afflicted with a private disease. Other withesses testified to the loving relations between mother and son, and the fact of his having been afflicted with a venereal disorder.

TRENTON, Aug. 16 .- Counsel for Mrs. Shann, who is on trial for poisoning her son, stated yesterday that two of their important witnesses were too ill to attend court, and they asked for an order to allow them to take Mrs. Kate Stryker's evidence at her home in Princeton. The court granted the order, directing Associate Judge Wright and the official stenographer to be present. Mrs. Stryker will testify that she heard a vehicle stop near the Shann residence during the night that young Shann's body was tampered with. Immediately after the vehicle came to a stop she heard the bell of the Shann house

The defense put a number of relatives and neighbors of Mrs. Shann on the stand, all of whom testified that they visited the Shanns during the illness of John, and witnessed acts of tenderness and devotion to him on the part of his mother.

Dr. Arthur J. Wolff, a medical expert of

Hartford, Conn., was then called to the stand. He testified that in his opinion the autopsy performed by County Physician Cantwell on young Shann's body was not

a proper one.

Mrs. Mamie Kelly, being recalled, testified that during her brother's illness she frequently read religious publications to him. Her mother used to read the Bible to him. He asked her to do so, and several times when John asked his mother to pray for him she did so.

The witness described what occurred when Caddle Pyatt was in the sick room. The latter is the colored woman who swore that she saw Mrs. Shann force a decoction down John's throat. Kelly denied the occurrence emphatically. John took his medicine willingly and made no objection to it at all.

Peter Shann, a carpenter who occasionally assists J. Watson Shann, the undertaker, testified that they are brothers, and that the witness helped to prepare young Shann's body for burial. On the morning following the disemboweling he called at the Shann house to attend the body and was told by Mrs. Shann that it was in good condition. This was at 7 o'clock. The testimony of the witness created a mild sensation, as it was in evidence that the discovery of the disemboweling was made

at least four hours before his arrival.

Mrs. Mattie C. Shann, the prisoner, was then put on the stand. She testified that she was 47 years of age and a member of the Episcopa' church in Princeton. John's habits, she said, were irregular. The first she knew of his illness was through his coming to her for money to go to a physi-

Mrs. Shann broke down several times during her recital and wept. Weeks before her son died, she said, she insisted that his physician, Dr. Bergen, should bring another doctor with him. Dr. Bergen put her off a number of times, until finally he brought Dr. Lytle. Several of Dr. Bergen's prescriptions were refilled a number of times. Witness never used the disinfecting tablets for any purpose other than disinfection.

Mrs. Shann gave the names of about a dozen different persons who called to see John during his sickness. She denied a statement of a witness for the prosecution that John once complained that his mother was too lazy to cook an egg for him. Mrs. Shann also denied the truth of the story told by Caddie Pyatt that she forced medidown his throat. The witness described her way or administering the medicine, showing that she had always been gentle with her son. She was still on the stand when the court adjourned for the day.

A Steamer Blown Up.

COLFAX, Wash., Aug. 15.—The Union Pacific steamer Annie Fallon, plying on Snake river, between Riporia, Wash., and Lewiston, Idaho, was blown up off Waites bar, four falles below Almoto. Seven per-sons were killed and all on board injured. The vessel was blown to pieces.

Dr. Buchanan to Die in October, NEW YORK, Aug. 15 .- Dr. Robert W. Buchanan, the wife poisoner, was ren-

SHERIFF'S SALE.

By virtue of sundry writs of Fieri Facias, Lavari Facias and Venditioni Exponas, issued out of the Court of Common Pleas and to me directed, there will be exposed to public sale, at the court house, in the boro of Bellefonte,

SATURDAY, AUGUST 26th, 1893,

tlo'clock p. m., the following described real

estate, viz:

All that certain messuage, tenement and lot of land situate on the north side of Lamb st., in Bellefonte borough. Centre county, Penna., bounded and described as follows: Beginning at the south east corner of lot late of Martin Laughlin, thence eastward along Lamb street 50 feet to lot late of Chas. McCafferty, thence at right angles with Lamb street by said McCafferty lot northward 200 feet to Linn street, thence along Linn street westward 50 feet to north east corner of said lot late of Martin Laughlin, thence by said last mentioned lot southward 200 feet to the place of beginning. Thereon erected a two-story frame dwelling house and outbuildings.

Seized taken in execution and to be sold as the property of John M. Ward.

ALSO.

ALSO. ALSO.

All that certain messuage, tenement and tract of land situate in Potier township, Centre county, Pa., bounded and described as follows: Bounded on the west by lands of John Stoner, on the north by lands of Jacob Strohm, on the east by lands of From's heirs and others and on the south by land of Wm. Rishel, containing 103 acres more or less, (being known as the homestead of Judge W. W. Love) thereon erected a two story dwelling house, bank barn and outbuildings.

Seized taken in execution and to be sold as the property of Adam Krumrine.

ALSO.

ALSO, ALSO,

All the right title and interest of R. P.Barnes in the following described lot of ground situate in the township of Spring, county of Centre and state of Pennsylvania: Beginning in the hiddle of the Centre and Kishacoquillis turn-like road near Robert V. Miller's lane; thence along south side of said lane north 74½ degrees ast 15 perches to a post; thence south 32½ degrees east 17 perches to a black oak; thence outh 50½ degrees west twenty perches to the with 50½ degrees west twenty perches to the entre of said turnpike road; thence along the intre of said turnpike road 2½ perches to the acc of beginning; containing about two acres the same more of less; being part of a larg-tract of land surveyed originally to Michael abu.

Seized taken in execution and to be sold as the property of R. P. Barnes.

ALE:

All the right litle and interest of H. I. Barnes in the following described lot of ground situate in the township of Spring. County of Centre and state of Pennsylvania: Beginning in the middle of the Centre and Kishacoquillis turnpike road, near Rebert V. Miller's lane; thence along the south side of said lane north 74% legrees east 15 perches to a post; thence south 82% degrees east 17 perches to a black oak; thence south 50% degrees west 20 perches to the centre of said turnpike road; thence along the sentre of said turnpike road 24 perches to the place of beginning; containing about two acres se the same more or less; being part of a larger tract of land surveyed originally to Michael Hahn. ALSO

Seized taken in execution and to be sold as the property of H.I. Barnes.

ALSO

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All that certain messuage, tenement and tract of land situated in the township of Half Moon, Centre county, Fa, bounded and described as follows: Heginning at a post on line of lands of Daniel Beck, thence south forty nine and one-half degrees west four perches along said land, thence by lands of said Beck south forty degrees cast four perches, thence by land of said Beck south 49% degrees west 10 perches to a post, thence by lands of G, and J. Johnsenberger south 40 degrees east 15¢ perches to a post, thence by lands of same north 40 degrees east 14 perches to a post, thence by land of James Love north 40 degrees west 100 perches to the place of beginning, containing 14 acres more or less, thereon erected a dwelfing house, stable and outbuildings.

Seized taken in execution and to be sold as the property of Robert Bryan.

AL50,

All that certain messuage, tenement and tract of land situate in Boggs twp. Centre co., Pa., bounded and described as follows, to wit: On the north by land of the Curtin heirs, on the east by lands of P. W. Barnhart, on the south by land of E. C. Humes and P. W. Barnpart and on the west by land of John W. Barger, containing about 310 acres, more or less. Thereon erected a frame dwelling house, bank barn and other outbuildings.

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ALSO. All that certain messuage, tenement and tract of land situate in Howard twp., Centre county, Pa., bounded and described as follows, to wit: Beginning at post by white oak, thence south 47° west 158 perches to post; thence north 51½° west 45 7-10 perches to post; thence north 35½° west 20 perches to a post, thence north 45° east 128 perches to post by white oak the place of beginning, containing 138 acres and 2 perches neat measure. Thereon erected 1 dwelling house, barn and other out, buildings. buildings.
Seized taken in execution and to be sold as the property of Joseph L. Neff.

ALSO ALSO

All those three certain messuages, tenements and tracts of land situate in the town and township of Snow Shoe, Centre county, Pa., and known and designate in said plot or general plan of said town as lots number 337, 338 339. Each containing in front or breadth on Fifth street © feet and in length or depth 200 feet to a 20 foot wide street.

Seized taken in execution and to be sold as the property of Mary E. Pile and Eyre Pile.

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All those certain messuages and lots of ground, one situate in the Borough of Philipsburg aforesaid, beginning at a point on the west side of 6th street 64 feet from the southeast corner of lands of John West, thence 8 58% w85 feet, more or less, to line of lands of Morgan, Hale & Co., thence by same N 32° W 125 feet to a post, thence N 58° E 85 feet more or less to 6th street, thence along same 8 32° E 120 feet to place of beginning, and being the same premises which John West and wife, by deed dated the 7th day of January, 1884, and recorded in Centre county in deed book T, page 288, granted and conveyed to Silas Reese, party hereto.

Another situate in Rush township (in South Philipsburg) Beginning on Hemlock street at the corner of B street, thence along Hemlock street at the corner of B street, thence along the same N 67½ W 214 feet to the place of beginning, and being lots No. 119, 120, 121 and 122 as laid out in the plot or plan of south Second street extended and B street, thence along B street N 67½ W 1184 feet to the place of beginning, and being lots No. 119, 120, 121 and 122 as laid out in the plot or plan of south Second street extended and B street, thence along B street N 67½ W 1834 feet to lot No. 15, thence along same N 82° E 162 feet to south Second street extended, thence along the same 8 96 E 65 to to the place of beginning, and being lots on south side addition being the same premises which A. G. Hale and W. W. Hale by deed dated the 1st day of March, 1884, and recorded in deed book P, 2 page 287, granted and conveyed to said Silas Reese. There are creeted on lots in Philipsburg, first above described a dwelling house and outbuildings, and lots in South Side addition two dwelling houses and outbuildings.

Belzed taken in execution and to be sold as the property of Silas Reese.

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Beized taken in execution and to be sold as the property of Silas Reese.

ALSO,
All the two following described messuages tenement and tract of land situate in Harris township, Centre county, Penna, the first thereof bounded and described as follows, viz. Beginning at a stone; thence by land of late Wm. Stewart, dec'd., (now Leach) north 2042°

west 315 perches to a fallen black oak; thence by improvements (now Ross farm) south 60% west 112% perches to stones; thence by residue of tract south 20% east 43% perches to a hickory north 60% east 50 perches to a stone; thence south 20% east 35 perches to a stone; thence south 60% west 7 perches to a stone; thence south 20% east 235, perches to the great road; thence atong the same north 70% east one; thence south 20% east 2350, perches to the great road; thence along the same north 75° east 11 perches thence north 54° east 104 2-10 perches to the place of beginning containing 213 acres and 97 perches and allowance of 6 per cent.

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The second thereof adjoining the above tract on the north side described as follows: Beginning at a fallen black oak, above mentioned, thence by the above described tract south 60½ west 112½ perches to a stone heap; thence north 60½ east 12½ perches to a post; thence north 60² east 112½ perches to a post; thence south 30² east 66 perches to the place of beginning, containing 42 acres and allowance more or less.

On the above tracts used as one farm there is erected a large two story frame house and bank barn and other outbuildings.

Seized taken into execution and to be sold as the property of Shannon Boal.

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Selzed taken into execution and to be sold as the property of Shannon Boal.

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All those three certain messuages and tracts of land in Curtin township aforesaid bounded and deseribed as follows: The first thereof beginning at a post thence by land of Job W. Packer south 35° west 12 perches to post; thence north 45° east 10 perches to post; thence north 55° east 120 feet, thence along said road north 55° east 120 feet, thence along said road north 55° east 120 feet, thence N 22½° W 25.6 perches to black oak, thence N 35° E 57 perches to post, thence N 32° W 35 perches to the place of beginning, containing ten acres, and being the same tract of land which Job W. Packer et ux. by deed dated March 2. 1870, and recorded in Centre county in deed book F, No. 2. page 282, granted and conveyed unto the said John McCloskey, (party thereto.)

The second thereof beginning N 38 degrees W 24 perches from the north west corner of Geo. Morton and north east corner of Thomas Grant and Jeremian Jackson tract, thence along lands late of J. M. Lucas S 38 degrees E 29 perches to post, thence along lands late of J. M. Lucas S 38 degrees E 29 perches to post, thence along lands of Jeremiah Jackson S 52 degrees W 64 perches to post, thence along lands of Jeremiah Jackson S 52 degrees W 64 perches to post, thence along lands of Jeremiah Jackson S 52 degrees W 64 perches to post, thence along lands of Jeremiah 3 sakes perches to stone, thence along same land S 35 degrees E to place of beginning, containing 144 acres more or less, and being the same tract which Job W. Packer by deed dated May 25. 1871, granted and conveyed unto the sald John McCloskey (party thereto).

The third thereof being the undivided ½ part of a tract of unseated land in s

veyed in the warrantee name of Robert Irwin, supposed to contain 300 acres more or less, the sale of this tract being however made subject to any actual interference by or with older surveys. The lumber and shingles now at the mill situate on the first mentioned tract from part of the consideration herein before stipulated for and pass by and with the conveyance of the land.

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Also, all the right and interest of the said John McCloskey (being the undivided one sixth part thereof) in and to all that certain messuage, tenement and tract of land in said township of Curtin, known as the Joseph McCloskey homestead farm, bounded on the north by lands of Christian Heverly, on the east by lands late of Wm. Mann and J. J. Packer, on the south by lands late of J. P. Dehaas and David Brickley and on the west by lands of John W. Young, containing 188 and allowance more or less. Also, all the remaining interest so far as not received by him already of the property of the late Joseph McCloskey, Sr., of Curtin twp., dec'd. Whether the same be in the hands possession or control of the executors of saie Joseph McCloskey or any other person or persons whomsoever and whether the said property be real personal or mixed.

All the right, title and interest of said Matthias W. McCloskey (being the undivided two sixths part thereof) in and to all that certain messuage tenement and tract of land in said two. of Curtin known as the "Lowent McCloskey) distance of the stand, at the stand, at the stand, at the property of Chas. E. Nend to be sold as they visited the sines of John, and tenses and devotion mother.

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ALSO,
All that certain messuage, tenement or lot of ground situate in the town of Port Matilda, Centre county, Pa., bounded and described as follows, to wit:

Beginning at a post on Main street, corner of lot No. 72, thence along Main street in a northerly direction 33 feet to an alley, thence in a westerly direction 193 feet to a post on Centre street, thence south along Centre street is leet to a post, thence east along lot No. 72, 190 feet to place of beginning, being lot No. 70 in the general plan of said town of Port Matilda. Thereon erected a two story frame dwelling house and other outbuildings.

ALSO,
All that certain messuage or lot of ground situate in the town of Port Matilda, Centre county, Pa., bounded and described as follows, to wit:

lows, to wit:

Beginning at a post corner of Centre street and lot No. 79, thence north-east 199 feet to Main street, thence south-east 69 feet to lot No. 74, thence south-west 199 feet to Centre street, thence north-west 69 feet to post, the place of beginning, being 69 feet front on Main street and 199 feet back to Centre street, and being known as lot No. 72 in the general plot of said town of Port Matilda. Thereon erected a two-story frame dwelling house and other outbuildings.

Seized, taken in execution and to be said.

Seized, taken in execution and to be sold as the property of John C. Marks. ALSO.

ALSO.

All that certain messuage, tenement and tract of land in Boggs township, Centre county Pa., bounded and described as follows: Beginning at a fallen maple corner of lands late of John Price, thence by lands north 334 west 820 perches to post, thence south 537 west 4534, perches to stone, thence south 5340 west 4534 perches to stone, thence south 5340 west 178 perches to stone, thence south 5340 west 178 perches to a black oak, thence by lands of John Fetzer and samuel Shank south 6344 east 55 perches to stones thence by land of Findley B. Riddle north 5334 east 6734 perches to stones, by same south 36 10.2 east 272 perches to stones, by same south 36 10.2 east 272 perches to post, thence north 53 east 68 perches to the place of beginning, containing 164 acres and 112 perches more or less, thereon erected a two story frame house, frame barn and other outbuildings.

Seized taken in execution, and to be sold as the property of Sallie K. Shank and William Shank her husband.

ALSO.

ALSO,

All that those two certain tracts or pieces of land situate in Miles township, Centre county Pa., bounded and described as follows: The one thereof beginning at a stone near the big spring, thence south 49½° east 55-10 perches, thence south 22½° east 15 perches, thence south 62² west 5 perches, thence north 55½° east 52.10 perches to bridge, thence north 55½° east 52.5-10 perches to stones, thence north 65½° east 62.5-10 perches to post, thence north 65½° east 62.5-10 perches to post, thence north 52² east 62.5-10 perches to post, thence north 52² west 12 perches to stones, thence south 65½° west 12 perches to stones, thence south 65½° west 12 perches to stones, thence south 76½° west 16 perches to stones, thence south 72² west 15.2-10 perches to stones, thence south 72² west 15.2-10 perches to stones thence south 72² west 15.2-10 perches to stones on the side of turnpike road, thence along said road and tract above descrided south 51½° west 52.5-10 perches to a post, thence along tract bought by Wolf & Likenbaugh north 61² cast 51 4-10 perches to post, thence north 121° cast 11 perches to post, thence north 121° cast 11 perches to post, thence north 121° cast 11 4-10 perches to the place of beginning, containing 4 acres and 94 perches, thereon crected a two story dwelling house, barn and outbuildings.

Selzed taken in execution and to be sold as

J. H. Reifsnyder terre tenants. ALSO.

ALSO.

All those two certain messuages, tenements and lots of ground situate on the north side of Curtin street, in the borough of Bellefonte, Centre county, Pa., at the north eastern corner of the intersection of said street and Decatur alley, thence along said street north 78° east 100 feet to a post, thence by lots late of D.Z. Kline north 12° west 200 feet to an alley thence, along said alley south 78° west 100 feet to Decatur alley, thence along said Decatur alley south 12° east 200 feet to the place of beginning thereon crerected a good dwelling house, stable and other outbuildings.

Seized taken in execution and to be sold as

Seized taken in execution and to be sold as the property of A.G. Curtin, Jr.

TERMS—No deed will be acknowledged until purchase money be paid in full.

WM. A. ISHLER, Sheriff.

SHERIFF'S SALE.—

By virtue of a writ of Fleri Facias issued out of the Court of Common Pleas of Centre county and to me directed will be exposed at public sale at the court house, in the borough of Bellefonte, on Saturday, Sept. 2nd, 1893, at 1 o'clock p. m., the following real estate:

All that certain lot of ground situate in Miles twp., bounded and described as follows: bounded on the south by public road, on the west by Serenes Harvy, on the north by Reuben Smull and on the west by John Winters, containing one fourth acre more or less, thereon creeted a two story dwelling house and other outbuildings.

Seized taken in execution and to be sold as the property of Daniel Simon.

WM.A. ISHLER, Sheriff.

COURT PROCLAMATION.

WHEREAS the Hon. A. O. Furst, President Judge of the Court of Common Pleas of the 48th Judicial district, consisting of the counties of Centre and Huntingdon, and the Hon. Thos. F. Riley, and the Hon. C. A. Faulkner, Associate Judges in Centre, having issued their precept bearing date the 31st day of July, 1893, 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 28th day of August 1893, and to continue two weeks. Notice is nereby 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 foremone of said day, with their records, inquisitions, examinations, and their own remembrances, to do those things which to their office appèrtains 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 21st day of July in the year of our Lord, 1893 and the one hundred and seventeenth year of the Independence of the United States.

WM. A. 18HLER.

Sheriff.

World's Fair Philanthropists.

Messrs. Boddie Bros., wealthy Chicago gen lemen, having the interest of their city at eart, and desiring to disprove the faisity of the statement that only in boarding houses can be found moderate priced accommedations during the World's Fair, remodeled and furnished at great expense one of their famous absolutely fire-proof business structures, located corner of Franklin and Jackson streets, within short walking distance of the Union Depots. Theatres, Post office, Board of trade, Steam, Elevated, Cable Roads and Steamboats to the World's Fair, furnished newly throughout 500 rooms, superb pariors, elevators, electric lights, exhaust fans to keep coolentire building, named this property THEGREAT WESTERN HOTEL and invite the public to take their choice of rooms for \$1.90 per day, children 5 to 12 fifty cents. Elegant restaurant and dining rooms where fine meals are served ar 50 cents, or a la carte at very moderate prices.

There would be less heard or known extortion and imposition connected with the World's Fair were there more public spirited, fair the statement that only in boarding houses ca

Fair were there more public spirited, fair minded men in Chicago as are the owners and proprietors of "The Great Western hotel." Our readers should write as early as possible to secure rooms, for they are being taken up rapidly.—8t. Paul Daily News.

A DMINISTRATOR'S SALE.—
Pursuant to an order issuing out of the Orphans' Court of Centre county, to me directed, there will be exposed to public sale at the court house at Bellefonte, Pa., on SATU. DAY, AUGUST 25, 1823.

The following described real estate, the property of the estate of George C. Kochler, deceased, to wit:

All these several tracts or parcels of land ituate in Curtin township, Centre county, Pa., bounded and described as follows:
First—All that messuage or lot of mountain
land, partly in Curtin township and partly
in Liberty township, bounded on the east by
by land of Henry Uhl, on the south by Peter
Uhl and Jacob Robb, and on the west and
north by land of Peter Forninger and others,
containing 40 acres more or less.

ALSO,

ALSO,

Second—All that certain lot of land situate in Curtin township, described as follows:

Beginning at a hickory, thence west to a rock oak, thence north to birch, thence cast to a rock oak, thence south to a hickory the place of beginning, containing two acres more or less, said tract being on Confer Run.

ALSO ALSO.

Third-All that certain tract of land situate in Curtin township, bounded and described in Curtin township, bounded and described as follows, viz:
Beginning at appine, thence by land of John Confer, south 74° west 29 perches to a hiex-ory: thence by other land of said decedent north 33° west 19 perches and 5 feet to a white oak, thence to place of beginning, containing one and one-half acres, more or less.

All building located in tract number two. Terms of sale—Cash.

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W. H. KOCHLER,

"CHAIR PUSHERS" STRIKE.

Four Hundred Boys Who Wheel Visitors at the Fair Quit Work.

CHICAGO, Aug. 16 .- Four hundred college boys, who are known as chair pushers, are on strike, and the "Gospel chariot" concession is paralyzed for the present. The employes of the company who wheel visitors through the grounds and buildings refused to go to work because Super-intendent Adams had posted a notice in all the booths that hereafter there would be a reduction of 25 per cent. in the wages of the chair pushers. They have been paid only \$1 a day for twelve to fifteen hours' work, with 10 per cent on their receipts, and out of this they have been compelled to pay for their board and \$20 for a uni-

The only reason assigned by their employers for reducing the pay of the young men is the bad condition of their business, but there does not seem to be any justification for the reduction on that score, judg-

ing by the increased attendance now. The decision to strike was arrived at by a big majority of the boys at a meeting held outside the grounds. Superintendent Adams boasts that he can get 2,000 boys at 50 cents a day, and tried to whip the strikers into line by threatening to revoke their admission passes. The strikers, how-ever, say they will stay inside and no one can put them out.

The paid admissions to the fair yesterãay were 121,384.

Another Hotel Fire Horror. CHICHGO, Aug. 15 .- A hotel fire resulting in the death of a number of guests occurred yesterday. The fire was in the Senate hotel, a three story structure on Madison street near Fifth avenue. One man jumped from a window in the top story and was killed. The hotel contained thirty-six rooms and held thirty guests when the fire broke out. The rooms were separated by flimsy wooden partitions, and proved first class food for fire. Five people were killed and three others were so badly injured that they can scarcely recover. The dead are: H. Godfrey, 7 years, son of J. Godfrey, a hardware merchant of Little Rock, Ark., burned. Edward Short, of Chicago, gambler, burned and jumped from rear window. Unknown woman, ! feet 6 inches in height, barned; removed from bed by firemen. Unknown man, 5 feet Sinches in height, burned in bed. Unknown man, removed to County hospital unconscious; died fifteen minutes after

Minneapolis' Big Fire. MINNEAPOLIS, Aug. 14.-Two million dollars worth of property went up in flames yesterday afternoon. Over 200 houses are burned and at least 1,500 persons rendered homeless. This is the record made by the destroying element in the space of two hours. The fire gained such headway that no human agency could quench it, and only a change in the direc-

Galicia's Disastrous Floods.

flagration.

tion of the wind prevented an awful con-

BUDA PESTH, Aug. 15.—The damage caused by the floods in Galicia and northern Hungary amounts to many millions of florins. In many districts the peasantry have been beggared. Many have been killed by lightning and hail. At Vorasco a workshop was swept away and fourteen employes drowned. Sixty persons are said to have ben drowned at Rymanow, Galicia.

Injured in a Bunaway Accident. NewPort, R. I., Aug. 16.—Major Clinton B. Szers, of Philadelphia, and wife were upset in a runaway accident and severely injured. Major Scers' left arm was broken in two places, the fingers of the hand dislocated and both he and his wife badly cut and bruised. They are occupying a summer cottage at Jamestown, whither they were conveyed. They are now doing well.

Minister Blount's Return SAN FRANCISCO, Aug. 16.-James H. Blount, who was appointed commissioner to investigate Hawaijan affairs, and who United States minister to Hawaii, returned from Honolulu yesterday on the steamer Gaelic, after a sojourn there of over four months.

Three More Places Filled. WASHINGTON, Aug. 16.—The president sent to the senate the following nominations: Charles H. Page, collector of cus-foms for the district of Oregon; Owen J, H. Summers, United States attorney for the northern district of Florida; Jefferson A. Huff, judge of probate in the county of Grand, Utah.

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