

KEYSTONE HAPPENINGS.

News of Interest From All Parts of the State.

OLD MAN TORTURED BY ROBBERS.

Terribly Maltreated by Three Men Who Supposed He Had Wealth Hidden Away—Notorious Criminal Escapes—Drought in Mine Region.

Wilkesbarre, Pa., Nov. 14.—Being under the impression that he had wealth hidden away in his lonely home, three unknown men early yesterday morning horribly tortured John Kane, an aged man, of Sugar Notch, in an effort to extort from him the hiding place of his supposed savings. Kane lived in a lonely spot of Sugar Notch, and earned a small sum daily by picking coal from the culm banks and selling it to his neighbors. Years ago he lost a foot in the mines. During the early morning three burglars broke into his abode and demanded the old man's money. They were told he had none. They searched the house, thoroughly demolished the furniture, and tore up the floor of the house, but could find nothing. Then the three men began torturing Kane. First they burned his legs, but the old man persisted he had no money. Finally the men threw Kane on the stove, but could get no admission from him that he had any wealth, and they departed, leaving him lying on the floor. Kane was found by neighbors and taken to a hospital in this city. There is a chance for his recovery.

Notorious Young Criminal Escapes.

Wilkesbarre, Pa., Nov. 14.—William Schaeffer, a notorious young criminal, escaped from the custody of Deputy Sheriff Ufalofsky yesterday afternoon. Schaeffer had just been sentenced to three years in the Eastern penitentiary for burglary, and was taken to the county jail in the prison van with a number of other prisoners. While the transfer was being made at the jail door Schaeffer slipped away. As soon as he was missed the alarm was given, but the prisoner had a good start, and it is doubtful if he will be recaptured in a hurry. Schaeffer is only about 29 years of age. About three years ago he escaped from the county jail, and some months later was recaptured at his home near Freeland, this county. He served his term and started on a criminal career again.

Democrat Won by Three Votes.

Tunkhannock, Pa., Nov. 9.—The official count of Wyoming county election reverses the supposed victory of H. D. Tiffany, Republican candidate for the state legislature. His apparent majority of two votes is wiped out and his Democratic opponent, Arthur H. Squier, is elected by three votes, according to the sealed returns. The error, which appears to have been a purely clerical one, was made by the clerks in Monroe township. The ballot box will be brought into court and opened to determine the matter.

The Drought in the Mine Region.

Hazleton, Pa., Nov. 13.—The drought is becoming more severe every day in this region. Yesterday the Lehigh Valley Railroad company began hauling water in tanks to the collieries of G. B. Markle & Co. The strippings at Lattimer are idle on account of the scarcity of the water supply. The men employed at the Derringer colliery of Cox Bros. & Co. are on strike because, it is alleged, they have not been paid for overtime. Over four hundred hands are affected. The difficulty will probably be settled.

Railroads May Buy All Collieries.

Hazleton, Pa., Nov. 14.—A report is current here that negotiations are on for the sale of all the collieries and washeries of the region owned by individual operators and that the Lehigh Valley and Pennsylvania Railroad companies are the prospective purchasers. None of the operators heretofore profess to know anything of the matter.

PENNSYLVANIA NEWS CONDENSED.

Walter Colegrove, accidentally shot by Bert Judd, at Corry, died Sunday. In post election fights at Washington several men were badly injured. Two cases of murder against William L. Mott, who killed two women at Columbia, will be tried at Lancaster this week. Copper ore in encouraging quantities is found in the shaft being sunk near Pottstown.

GENERAL MARKETS.

Philadelphia, Nov. 13.—Flour steady; winter supreme, \$3.90; city mill extra, \$3.90; city mill quiet but steady at \$3.90 per barrel for choice Pennsylvania. Wheat dull; No. 2 red, \$2.00; No. 2 white, \$1.95; No. 2 mixed, \$1.90; No. 2 yellow, \$1.85; No. 2 white, clipped, \$1.80; No. 2 white, unclipped, \$1.75; No. 2 white, extra, \$1.70; No. 2 white, extra, \$1.65; No. 2 white, extra, \$1.60; No. 2 white, extra, \$1.55; No. 2 white, extra, \$1.50; No. 2 white, extra, \$1.45; No. 2 white, extra, \$1.40; No. 2 white, extra, \$1.35; No. 2 white, extra, \$1.30; No. 2 white, extra, \$1.25; No. 2 white, extra, \$1.20; No. 2 white, extra, \$1.15; No. 2 white, extra, \$1.10; No. 2 white, extra, \$1.05; No. 2 white, extra, \$1.00; No. 2 white, extra, \$0.95; No. 2 white, extra, \$0.90; No. 2 white, extra, \$0.85; No. 2 white, extra, \$0.80; No. 2 white, extra, \$0.75; No. 2 white, extra, \$0.70; No. 2 white, extra, \$0.65; No. 2 white, extra, \$0.60; No. 2 white, extra, \$0.55; No. 2 white, extra, \$0.50; No. 2 white, extra, \$0.45; No. 2 white, extra, \$0.40; No. 2 white, extra, \$0.35; No. 2 white, extra, \$0.30; No. 2 white, extra, \$0.25; No. 2 white, extra, \$0.20; No. 2 white, extra, \$0.15; No. 2 white, extra, \$0.10; No. 2 white, extra, \$0.05; No. 2 white, extra, \$0.00.

A WEEK'S NEWS CONDENSED

Thursday, Nov. 8. In an election riot at Denver two men were killed and four seriously wounded. The wedding of Alfred G. Vanderbilt and Miss Elsie French is to take place at Newport Jan. 18. It is believed that prohibition in Maine will be repealed this year, having been proven inefficient. The steamer Roanoke, reported lost, has arrived at Port Townsend, Wash., with \$500,000 in gold from Cape Nome. At Morris Park, L. I., Owen Squire threatened to kill George Heigelsell. The latter's 14-year-old sister teased Squire about it, and he shot her dead. In a political quarrel at Lick Creek, Ill., on Monday John Kirby, Democrat, was killed and Jack Thornton, Republican, is charged with the shooting. Friday, Nov. 9. The population of Massachusetts is 2,805,346; in 1890, 2,238,943. Senator Proctor thinks congress will increase the army to 60,000, with discretion to the president to raise it to 100,000. Charles Johnson, alias "Froggy," was sentenced yesterday at Annapolis to hang for killing Heister Lomax with an ax. Prince George of Greece, now in Copenhagen, will extend his visit to all the European capitals, going first to London. Alderman Frank Green, who was elected lord mayor of London Sept. 29, was formally installed in that office yesterday. Saturday, Nov. 10. In military target practice in Germany pauper corpses are used as targets. Secretary Nabeshima, of the Japanese legation in Washington, has been transferred to Berlin. Pugilistic contests advertised as boxing matches were prohibited by the officials of Elizabeth, N. J. Governor Tanner, of Illinois, is an avowed candidate for Shelby M. Culom's seat in the national senate. Sir Charles Tupper, leader of the Conservative party in Canada, announces his permanent retirement from public life. Yesterday was one of the busiest days in the history of the New York Stock Exchange, the number of shares traded in numbering 1,544,000. Monday, Nov. 12. Indians coast the government the last fiscal year \$10,175,107. The population of New Jersey is 1,883,669; in 1890, 1,444,933. Total contributions to the Galveston relief fund to date, \$1,153,715. Earl Cadogan has consented to continue in office as lord lieutenant of Ireland. Prof. Oliver W. Hurlington, of Boston, was badly injured by an explosion in his private school, at Newport, R. I. Yesterday being the birthday of King Victor Emmanuel, of Italy, his majesty signed a decree pardoning many criminals. The steamer Monticello was wrecked off the Nova Scotia coast Saturday. Of the 40 men on board only four were saved and 25 bodies recovered. Tuesday, Nov. 13. The salt trust has raised the price 100 per cent. Appropriations for the navy in 1901, \$65,130,916; estimates for 1892, \$7,172,631. Chicago's city council urges a state law regulating the price of gas and electric light. In a hotel fire at Poplar Bluff, Mo., nine or more persons perished and many were injured. The Paris exposition was formally closed yesterday, and the buildings will be removed at once. Congressman D. H. Mercer, just elected for his fourth term from Nebraska, is urged for the national senate. Patrick J. Fitzgerald, once champion six-day go-as-you-please pedestrian, died in Long Island City yesterday, aged 63. Chicago yachtsman will accept the challenge of the Canadian Yacht club for the Canada cup, won by the Genesee, of Rochester, last year. A train carrying a number of workmen was derailed yesterday near Brueggan, Germany. Six men were killed and several injured. Wednesday, Nov. 14. A \$50,000,000 cattle trust, to absorb 50 Texas ranches at the outset, is now talked off. John D. Rockefeller has given \$10,000 to the building fund of the Chicago of Physicians and Surgeons in Cleveland. Influenza is again epidemic throughout Germany, especially in Berlin, but has not yet assumed dangerous proportions. The gelatine mixing house of the Giant Powder company at Sobrante, Cal., was blown up yesterday. John C. Hoffmeyer, foreman, and two Chinese were killed.

TWO NOTABLE DEATHS.

Henry Villard and Marcus Daly Have Passed Away.

VILLARD'S CHECKERED CAREER.

Made and Lost Three Fortunes in His Big Railroad Deals—Mr. Daly, the Montana Copper King, Came From Ireland Penniless. New York, Nov. 13.—Henry Villard, the financier, died yesterday morning at his home, Thorwood Park, near Dobb's Ferry. The cause of death was apoplexy, from which he had been a sufferer for several weeks. A week ago he contracted a severe cold, which hastened the end. Mr. Villard had been unconscious nearly all the time since last Tuesday. When death came there were gathered around the bed Mr. Villard's wife, his sons Oswald G., Harold G., with his wife, Mrs. William Lloyd Garrison of Boston, his sister-in-law and Mr. Villard's only daughter, Mrs. James W. Bell of Dresden, Germany. In addition to the family Mr. Villard leaves a sister, Mrs. Emma Von Xylander, wife of Gen. Robert Von Xylander, of the Bavarian army. It has been arranged that the funeral will take place from the residence tomorrow, when the services will be conducted by Rev. Theodore C. Williams, of Tarrytown. The interment will be in the family plot in Sleepy Hollow cemetery, where repose the remains of his youngest son, Hilgard, who died when five years old and who drove the golden spike completing the Northern Pacific railroad, of which his father was president. Thorwood, the name of Mr. Villard's county home at Dobb's Ferry, is a massive and handsome villa of stone and brick. Henry Villard was born in Bavaria in 1835, and came to this country in 1853, leaving his university studies against the advice of his father. He became a reporter on leading newspapers in New York, Cincinnati and Boston, and in 1866 married a daughter of William Lloyd Garrison. He began his Wall street career in 1870 with practically nothing, and ran his fortune up to the millions. In 1884, however, came the crash that wiped away most of his fortune. Since then he has twice won and lost fortunes, and his estate at his death probably foots up \$500,000. THE DEATH OF MARCUS DALY. The End Came Peacefully After Terrible Suffering. New York, Nov. 13.—Marcus Daly, one of the leading mine owners of the world, 60 years old, died in his apartments in the Hotel Netherlands yesterday morning. Dilatation of the heart and Bright's disease of the kidneys, with resultant complications, were the immediate cause of death, though Mr. Daly's illness dated back several years. He had suffered severely during the last two months, but the end was painless. While he was surrounded by members of his family, his life went out peacefully that only the physicians in attendance knew that he had found rest. Mr. Daly returned from Europe about the middle of September. It was then told that his physicians had confirmed the opinion of those at Mannheim, Germany, that his days could not be many. He wished to be taken to his new home at No. 725 Fifth avenue, but it was thought best that he should remain in the apartments in the Hotel Netherlands, whither he had been taken from the steamship. The body has been removed to the family residence, 725 Fifth avenue. The funeral services will include a solemn high mass of requiem in St. Patrick's cathedral at 11 o'clock on Thursday morning, Father Lalleu officiating. The body will be placed temporarily in the receiving vault of Calvary cemetery. Interment will take place there after a family vault has been erected. Mr. Daly was born in Ireland in 1842, and came to this country a penniless boy. After working at odd jobs in New York he finally went to California and worked as a potato digger. In 1876 he went to Montana, began mine prospecting and "struck it rich." Of late years he has won prominence through his political rivalry with Senator Clark. His interest in the Anaconda mine alone is valued at \$20,000,000.



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