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Our West they have a very pointed way of connecting cause and effect, in describing the numerous bank failures that are taking place during this Democratic era of prosperity.

It is not wrong to take away pensions from men not entitled to them. But every man who is entitled to a pension should have it, even though the number of pensioners should be doubled.

The Chicago speculators who bulled provisions up to the top notch last week now wish they hadn't. Prices took an unexpected tumble, and they not only dropped what they made, but a big wad of their own money as well.

That the cholera prevails in Naples is no longer a question of doubt. The extent of its prevalence may be inferred from the fact that the Pope has dispensed the Catholic people from fasting on Fridays.

The Chicago plungers who dealt in ribs, lard, etc., got it fearfully under the fifth rib on Tuesday, and deservedly, too, and were compelled to take in crushing doses the unpalatable medicine they have for years been administering so unthinkingly to others.

SOME one in the Pension office at Washington explains that the case of ex-Pension Commissioner Black can not be reached by the Pension authorities because his pension was granted by a special act of Congress.

Mr. Black, as is well known, receives a larger pension than any other man on the roll. Just how a man who is still in the possession of two arms, two legs and every other member and organ of the body, and who is, to all appearance, both mental and physical, healthy, managed to secure the largest pension on the list has never been explained so far as we know.

While Serving My Country I was taken ill with spinal disease and rheumatism. When I returned home my trouble was still with me, and I was confined to my bed, unable to help myself for 22 months.

DROWNED IN THE LAKE

Death Overtakes a Party on the Way to a Dance.

NINE OF THE NUMBER GO DOWN.

Of the Dead Eight Are Women and One a Youth of Nineteen, Who Lost His Life in a Heroic Effort to Save His Mother.

TROY, N. Y., Aug. 5.—About 9 p. m. a pleasure party while going to a dance at the lower end of Lake George met with a terrible calamity. The steam yacht Rachel was conveying twenty-nine people up the lake when in the dark the vessel ran upon a sunken pier, and before resistance was offered from the shore, it sunk with all on board.

It was only a few minutes after the shock when the yacht careened to one side and went down in eighteen feet of water. The shrieking, struggling passengers battled for life in the darkness. Women threw up their arms and sank beneath the surface, and when brought ashore life had fled. Deaths of heroism were performed by the men.

When all in sight had reached the shore it was learned that all persons, all women except a youth of 19, had sunk to watery graves. As soon as possible an attempt to recover the bodies was made.

Following is a correct list of the drowned: Miss Hattie Hall, Brooklyn; Bertha Dendel, Mont Clair, N. J.; Miss Edith Harding, Hoboken, N. J.; Miss H. M. Burton, Jersey City; Mrs. J. H. Mitchell, Burlington; F. C. Mitchell, Burlington; Leslie Colyer, Burlington; Clara Black, Burlington; Lizzie Clark, Bridgeport.

The passengers scarcely knew what had happened before the boat filled with water and sank. The ladies on board were laughing and singing. The boat sank so rapidly that no time was given to the ill-fated pleasure-seekers to utter a prayer.

That so many lives should be lost at such an early hour of the night, and within speaking distance of the land where two large hotels are located, can only be accounted for by the fact that the night was unusually dark and the boat sank very rapidly after hitting the pier.

Young Mr. Benedict, son of the wealthy New York jeweler, who was on the boat, is an expert swimmer. He tried to save his sister and dived for her once.

Robert Sims, of Glen's Fall, and others who assisted in the search for the bodies did not give up until they had found the nine bodies.

The regular pilot of the boat, Mr. Barber, was not on duty at the time of the accident, he having been excused by Mr. Allen, proprietor of the Fourteen Mile Island hotel, and owner of the vessel, on account of illness.

A "Kneekout" Blow Proved Fatal. DENVER, Aug. 5.—"The Sailor Kid," whose name is differently given as Bobby Taylor and Tom Turner, who fought a draw Thursday night in a pugilistic encounter at the Ramblers' club rooms, died late last night.

Fatal Stabbing Affray at Altoona. ALTOONA, Pa., Aug. 5.—A fight in which Howard Gordon, of Hollidaysburg, was fatally injured occurred in this city last night.

Stock and Produce Markets. Closing Quotations of the Philadelphia and New York Exchanges.

General Markets. New York, Aug. 5.—State and western flour quiet, steady, low extras, \$1.90-2.45; city mills, patents, \$2.50-3.00.

Mr. J. A. Wheeler. "While Serving My Country I was taken ill with spinal disease and rheumatism. When I returned home my trouble was still with me, and I was confined to my bed, unable to help myself for 22 months.

Highest of all in Leavening Power.—Latest U. S. Gov't Report.

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A Snob to Mgr. Satoll. DENVER, Aug. 5.—At the annual synd of the diocese of Denver held yesterday, Bishop Matz presented a resolution which passed approving the bishop's school policy.

The Choctaws Again Rejected. WILMINGTON, L. T., Aug. 5.—The nine Choctaw Indians who were sentenced to be shot July 7 for the murder of several members of the Jones faction, and who were reprieved by Governor Jones until August 4, have been granted a further reprieve of one month.

A Pension for Loss of Teeth. WASHINGTON, Aug. 5.—It has just leaked out from the archives of the pension bureau that Deputy Commissioner Bell, who lost his teeth, is now receiving a pension of \$100 a month.

His Bolt Waved His Life. HARRISBURG, Aug. 5.—John Johnson, colored, suspected that his dusky friend, John Beverly, was too intimate with Mrs. Johnson, and when he discovered the pair in a compromising situation yesterday he fired a bullet into Beverly's abdomen.

A Princeton Student's Suicide. HARRISBURG, Aug. 5.—The body found floating off Starbuck lights by Captain Leads, of the New York tug Richard Schaubel, has been identified as that of C. D. Fuller, aged 21, a Princeton college student.

Incendiaries at Mechanicsburg. CAHLE, Pa., Aug. 5.—Following the destruction of the Long residence by robbers, the large barn of G. T. Hummel, near Mechanicsburg, was found to have been thoroughly saturated with kerosene, with the evident intention of destroying it by fire.

A Libetous Broker Suspended. NEW YORK, Aug. 5.—The governing committee of the New York stock exchange decided by unanimous vote to suspend Henry G. Well, of A. J. Well & Co., for the year.

Killed by a Runaway Hooping Machine. SUSQUEHANNA, Pa., Aug. 4.—Harry Tompkins, of Albany, N. Y., was cut to pieces at Lawsville Centre, this county, by falling under a hooping machine.

The Weather. Fair in the interior; warmer; light variable winds.

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BASEBALL YESTERDAY. National League. At Baltimore, N. Y. 1 0 0 0 1 1 1 0 0 0 1.

A Veteran Grain Operator's Suicide. CHICAGO, Aug. 5.—Driven to a condition of irresponsibility by the swallowing up of his resources, with the frosts of sixty years on his head, and no prospects for the future, Nelson Van Kirk, a well known operator in grain and provisions, shot and instantly killed himself yesterday.

A Wagon Load of Fireworks Explodes. ST. LOUIS, Aug. 5.—During the street parade of an outdoor spectacular show last night a wagon loaded with fireworks exploded.

New York Postmasters. WASHINGTON, Aug. 5.—These fourth class postmasters have just been appointed in New York state: S. J. King, Parkers; J. C. Baker, Riverdale; James Gray, Cottus; J. J. Hall, East Branch; De Witt Lindsay, Hess Road Station; J. A. Frost, Kosong; Mrs. Johanna Hannighan, North Hatfield; Eltham Stone, North Pembroke; L. D. Clark, North Russell; F. H. Jennings, Palermo; M. Y. P. Clemens, Redbank; B. F. Richards, Ridge Road; L. L. Hare, West Hill; Thomas Laing, Williams town.

Taken from Jail by Friends. BUCKHANNON, W. Va., Aug. 5.—At Alexander, W. Va., a lumber town about twenty miles from here, Stephen Welch and wife were arrested for selling whiskey without a license.

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