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MRS. IRWIN ACQUITTED.

The Prosecution Could Secure No Evidence Against Her.

MATTHEWS DECLINED TO TESTIFY.

The Man Condemned to Death for Killing Farmer Irwin, for Which Crime His Wife Was Being Tried as an Accessory, Bluntly Refused to Incriminate Her.

BALTIMORE, Jan. 19.—Mrs. Emma C. Irwin was yesterday afternoon acquitted of the charge of being an accessory with George Matthews, her paramour, in the murder of her husband, James J. Irwin. The prosecution found itself powerless to place before the jury evidence that would show collusion when Matthews, who is under death sentence for the crime, refused point blank to testify in the matter. After this the state closed its case, which was given to the jury without argument. A verdict of not guilty was rendered, the jury not leaving the box.

Matthews, the confessed murderer of Irwin, was the last witness summoned for the prosecution, and when tendered the Bible that he might be sworn refused to touch it. He was then asked to affirm, which he likewise refused to do. "Do you mean you won't testify in the case?" asked Judge Wickes. "I won't have anything to do with it," answered Matthews. "I think I have done all that I had any right to do. They would not let me testify down there, and I won't testify here. That much is certain." Under the circumstances, the day of Matthews' execution being near at hand, Judge Wickes did not commit him for contempt.

James J. Irwin was a farmer at Allen's Fresh, an isolated village of Charles county. From childhood Mrs. Irwin had shown a liking for George Matthews, an oyster dredger, and about her own age, who lived near her home. Her continued intimacy with Matthews after her marriage has been shown by letters which passed between them. On Aug. 2 of last year Irwin was murdered in his bed, his brains being blown out with a shotgun. Matthews was arrested, broke jail, and after a month's freedom returned and surrendered himself. He was easily convicted, and after the announcement of the verdict withdrew his plea of not guilty and confessed the murder. He said that Mrs. Irwin was lying in the same bed with her husband when his brains were blown out, and accused the woman and her sister, a Mrs. Bourne, with having incited him to the deed. The acquitted woman is about 30 years old, good looking, but very illiterate.

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Imprisonment for Life.

SAGO, Me., Jan. 19.—Judge Whitehouse, of the York county supreme court, yesterday sentenced Frank J. Palmer, the confessed murderer of Mrs. Betsy R. Hobbs, of West Parsonsfield, to a life term in the state prison. Charles B. Savage, Jr., of Effingham, N. H., who pleaded guilty as an accessory after the fact, received a six years' sentence in the same institution. Palmer is 16 years of age and Savage is 20. Mrs. Betsy Hobbs, a widow of 76, was shot and killed at her home on Oct. 6, near Parsonsfield.

Flaw in the State Dispensary Law.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 19.—In an opinion prepared by Justice Shiras and read by Chief Justice Fuller the supreme court of the United States yesterday decided that those provisions of the state dispensary, or liquor law of South Carolina, which forbid citizens of the state from importing liquors into the state for their own use, were in contravention of the interstate commerce clause of the national constitution, and therefore invalid. Justice Brown dissented.

All the different forms of skin troubles, from chapped hands to eczema and indolent ulcers can be readily cured by DeWitt's Witch Hazel Salve, the great pile cure. C. H. Hagenbuch.

Emigrants Held Up and Robbed.

GUTHRIE, O. T., Jan. 18.—A party of emigrants on route from Missouri to Oklahoma by wagon train were held up and robbed of all money and valuables in the mountain country on the western line of the Creek reservation. The robbers secured about $1,000. There were six bandits under the leadership of a man whom one of the Missourians recognized as George Taylor, the escaped murderer of the Meeks family. This is the same section in which a traveling man recognized Taylor a month ago, and is a rough, mountainous district where the Dalton, Cook and Dolan gangs had their rendezvous.

The Right Name in the Right Place.

Pan-Tina for coughs and colds, 25c. At Gruhler Bros., drug store.

To be Tried for an Old Time Murder.

PENSACOLA, Fla., Jan. 18.—Colyear Hall, an aged and highly respected citizen of Mobile, who was arrested last summer for a murder committed in this county twenty-five years ago and released on a bonds of $15,000, was in court Saturday to answer to the charge. His case was set for trial on Feb 8, and Hall was taken into custody by the sheriff and committed to jail. The strangest part of the case is that nearly every witness to the crime of a quarter of a century agois alive and appeared before the grand jury.

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Hurricane in Indiana.

ANDERSON, Ind., Jan. 18.—Yesterday afternoon a hurricane passed over the central part of Indiana, doing damage at various places. The greatest loss here was the destruction of factory No. 4 of the Anderson Window Glass company, the roof being carried away, and the walls fell in on the fired furnaces. Insurance covers the loss. The west wall of the old three story opera house block burned out recently was blown down, and streets leading to it were blocked by debris.

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Buy Red Flag Oil, 25c. At Gruhler Bros., drug store.

Swiss Guide's Perilous Feat.

LONDON, Jan. 18.—A telegram has been received from the Fitzgerald expedition reporting that a Swiss guide, Zurbriggen, had reached the summit of Aconcagua in the Andes, over 24,000 feet above the sea level. The whole party on Jan. 13 bivouacked at a height of 20,000 feet, and on Jan. 14 all reached an altitude of 23,000 feet. Fitzgerald was taken ill, but Zurbriggen reached the summit at 5 o'clock in the evening. Fitzgerald hopes to accomplish the same feat this week.

When bilious or costive, eat a Cascaret, candy cathartic, cure guaranteed, 10c, 25c.

NEW JERSEY LEGISLATURE.

Governor Griggs Sends a Batch of Nominations to the Senate.

TRENTON, Jan. 19.—Both houses of the New Jersey legislature met last night. Governor Griggs sent to the senate a batch of nominations, among them the following: Supervisor of the state prison, E. J. Anderson of Somerset (reappointed); members of state board of assessors, Bird W. Spencer of Passaic (reappointed) and Amos Gibbs of Burlington; law judge of Essex county, J. Frank Fort (reappointed); law judge of Sussex county, Henry Huston; prosecutor of the pleas of Monmouth county, Wilbur A. Heisley of Long Branch; judge of the district court for the Second district of Jersey City, James S. Ervin; commissioner of fisheries, George L. Smith of Essex. Speaker Macpherson announced the appointment of Frank J. Eppele as his private secretary and Claude E. Fell as assistant secretary. Both are Trenton men. The speaker also announced the house committees.

The introduction of bills was the main order of business in both houses last night. Among the bills introduced in the senate were: Providing for a two cent ferry rate between the hours of 6 and 9 a. m. and 4.30 and 7 p. m., with bicycles belonging to passengers carried free; to prohibit railroad companies from interfering with passengers carrying packages, provided the packages do not take up room required by passengers; constitutional amendments for the division of counties into assembly districts, and to make the court of errors and appeals separate and distinct from the supreme court in the membership of its judges.

In the house Mr. Klink introduced an equal taxation bill, providing that all real estate of railroad companies shall be assessed at local rates. Among other bills introduced were: To provide for the closing of the polls at sunset; elections in first class cities shall be held in the fall instead of spring; making it a misdemeanor on the part of any person who shall send libelous communications to newspapers; that no soldier or sailor holding any city, county or state position shall be removed without cause after a fair hearing.

Old Bookseller's Lucky Purchase.

ST. LOUIS, Jan. 19.—A collection of the books of the late General W. T. Sherman was sold in St. Louis last week for $30. It consisted of about 500 volumes of army records, regimental histories, court martial records and a general assortment of war literature. The sale was made by T. Dooley, a carpenter who did work for General Sherman while the latter had his headquarters in this city. General Sherman gave him the books just before he left St. Louis. The dealer was not aware at the time that he was securing a bonanza. On examination he found a number of valuable pieces of literature.

Alleged Wife Poisoner Arrested.

GREEN BAY, Wis., Jan. 19.—Barney Van Hoorebeke was arrested here yesterday on a telegram from officials at Anderson, who charge him with poisoning his wife, who died recently. The Van Hoorebekes formerly resided here and the will of Mrs. Van Hoorebeke is on file with the clerk of the court. She gives all her property to her husband. The prisoner will resist extradition.

FREE CURE FOR MEN.

A Michigan Man Offers to Send His Discovery Free.

Claims to Be a Benefactor to Weakened Mankind.

There is always more or less suspicion attached to anything that is offered free but sometimes a man so overflows with generosity that he cannot rest until his discovery is known to the world, in order that his fellow men may profit by what he has discovered. It is upon this principal that a resident of Kalamazoo, Mich., desires to send free to mankind a prescription which will cure them of any form of nervous debility; relieves them of all the doubt and uncertainty which such men are peculiarly liable to and restores the organs to natural size and vigor. As it costs nothing to try the experiment it would seem that any man, suffering with the nervous troubles that usually attack men who never stopped to realize what might be the final result, ought to be deeply interested in a remedy which will restore them to health, strength and vigor, without which they continue to live an existence of untold misery. As the remedy in question was the result of many years research as to what combination would be peculiarly effective in restoring to men the strength they need, it would seem that all men suffering with any form of nervous weakness ought to write for such a remedy at once. A request to H. C. Olds, Box 1712, Kalamazoo, Mich., stating that you are not sending for the prescription out of idle curiosity, but that you wish to make use of the medicine by giving it a trial, will be answered promptly and without evidence as to where information came from.

The prescription is sent free and although some may wonder how Mr. Olds can afford to give away his discovery, there is no doubt about the offer being genuine. Cut this out and send to Mr. Olds so that he may know how you came to write him. 12-28-78t

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Of the Fourth Ward.

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Subject to the Citizens party rules.

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ALEX. DAVIS,

Of the Fifth Ward.

Subject to Citizens party rules.

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FOR COUNCIL, (Second ward)

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Subject to the Citizens party rules.

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Of the Second ward.

Subject to Citizens' party rules.

FOR COUNCIL, (Fifth Ward),

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Subject to the Citizens party rules.

FOR SCHOOL DIRECTOR, (Third Ward),

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Subject to Citizens party rules.

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Of the Fourth ward.

Subject to Democratic rules.

THE LAKES AND OCEAN

May be Connected by a System of Deep Waterways.

SPECIAL COMMISSION'S REPORT.

It Is Entirely Feasible to Construct Canals and Develop Channels That Will Enable Vessels to Sail from the Lakes to the Seaboard.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 19.—The president yesterday sent to the house the report of the deep water ways commission, consisting of President Angel, of the University of Michigan; John E. Russell and Lyman E. Cooley, which was appointed in 1895 under a resolution introduced by Senator Vilas, of Wisconsin, for a preliminary inquiry as to the practicability of water ways between the ocean and the great lakes. The conclusions of the commission follow:

It is entirely feasible to construct such canals and develop such channels as will be adequate of any scale of navigation that may be desired between the great lakes and the seaboard, and to conduct through the same domestic and foreign commerce, and that it will be wise to provide for securing a canal of a navigable depth of not less than twenty-eight feet.

Starting from the heads of Lakes Michigan and Superior, the most eligible route is through the several great lakes and their intermediate channels and the proposed Niagara ship canal (Tonawanda to Oleott) to Lake Ontario. The Canadian seaboard may be reached from Lake Ontario by way of the St. Lawrence river and the American seaboard may be reached from Lake Ontario by way of the St. Lawrence and Lake Champlain and the Hudson river, or by way of the Oswego-Oneida-Mohawk valley and the Hudson river.

The alternative routes from Lake Ontario to the Hudson river require complete surveys and a full development of economic considerations to determine their relative availability.

A moderate control of the level of Lake Erie and of the Niagara river above Tonawanda may be justified in connection with the Niagara ship canal, the determination in this matter to rest on a full examination of the physical conditions.

The policy should contemplate the ultimate attainment of the largest successful capacity, and all works should be planned on this basis, and the actual execution should conform thereto, in so far as the works may without prejudice be progressively developed with the actual demands of commerce.

It is practicable to develop the work in separate sections and the several sections in part by degrees, each step having its economic justification, so that the benefits should follow closely on expenditures without awaiting the completion of the system as a whole. The completion of the entire system as quickly as proper projects can be matured and economically executed is fully justified.

The Niagara ship canal should be first undertaken, and incidentally the broadening and further deepening of the intermediate channels of the lakes, the same being in the logical order of development and also requiring the least time for consideration.

The commission estimates that the complete surveys and investigations, with measurements of the outflow of the several lakes and full investigation of collateral questions, will cost not less than $600,000 and require some years of time.

His Arrest Caused His Death.

GARRETT, Ind., Jan. 19.—Herman Coffinberry, president of the Bank of Garrett and late treasurer of DeKalb county, particulars of whose embezzlements and defalcations have heretofore been published, was arrested yesterday. It was known that Mr. Coffinberry was very ill at his home, and his attending physician had protested against his arrest by affidavit to the effect that his heart action was such that his arrest and imprisonment at this time would result disastrously. Two other doctors, however, made affidavits that Coffinberry's condition was all right, and intimated that he was shamming. The sheriff yesterday went to Coffinberry's home and placed him under arrest, when the accused banker suddenly fell into the sheriff's arms and instantly expired.

Mysterious Disappearance of a Bag of Coin.

NEW YORK, Jan. 19.—A bag containing $5,000 was stolen yesterday from in front of the Pacific State bank. It was the property of the Metropolitan Traction county, and had been sent to the bank in the charge of two men. Several bags of coin had been carried from the wagon into the bank when one of the men, according to the story told to the police, set this sack, the most valuable one of all, upon the sidewalk to be ready for the messenger when he should emerge from the bank. The man at the wagon turned to lift out another bag, and when he looked for the sack on the sidewalk it had disappeared. The police are investigating.

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A Louisville Bank Closed.

LOUISVILLE, Jan. 19.—National Bank Examiner Escott yesterday closed the doors of the German National bank. J. M. McKnight president. The capital stock of the institution is $351,500, with a surplus of $31,000. The bank is an old one, but for some time past has been regarded as unsafe.

The Weather.

For eastern New York, eastern Pennsylvania and New Jersey: Fair and colder; high northerly winds, decreasing in force.

A weed in the garden can be easily destroyed when it first starts. Consumption can be nipped in the bud by One Minute Cough Cure. C. H. Hagenbuch.

A Prize for Alchemists.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 18.—The German millers have offered a prize of $250 for a method of destroying the meal moth which has been ravaging the German mills. United States General DeKay, at Berlin, offers to deliver to the proper authorities any method forwarded by Americans.

Lost—A dear little child who made home happy by its smiles. And to think, it might have been saved had the parents only kept in the house One Minute Cough Cure, the infallible remedy for croup. C. H. Hagenbuch

Imperiled Fishermen Rescued.

MARINETTE, Wis., Jan. 18.—The fishermen who were lost on an ice floe last Friday have all been rescued. They escaped from the ice to Green Island, and yesterday all were returned to their homes. There were several exciting incidents connected with their escape.

Minutes seem like hours when a life is at stake. Croup gives no time to send for a doctor, delay may mean death. One Minute Cough Cure gives instant relief and insures recovery. The only harmless remedy that produces immediate results. C. H. Hagenbuch.

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