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### Outrage near Milford, Pa.

MILFORD, Pa., Oct. 19 .- A servant girl in the employ of Wm. H. Rose, living near this place, while going out into the garden after wood on Saturday night was seized by a man, who threw her to the ground, jumped upon her, breaking two of her ribs, and is said to have stabbed her two or three times in the chest. She was found unconscious and is believed to be lying at the point of death. Her assailant is believed to have been a wealthy farmer, a relative of her employer, who is at enmity with Rose's wife. The assailant evidently mistook the servant for Mrs. Rose,

### The Queerest Verdict for a Month.

We note with a certain feeling of municipal pride that as a source of diversion the glory of the Detroit jury has lost none of its ancient lustre. Age cannot wither it nor custom stale its infinite variety. In the Jackman adultery case in the recorder's court, for instance, the jury returned this verdict: "We find the prisoner at the bar not guilty, on account of his innocent wife and five children." Considering that the wife was the plaintiff and had made out a clear case, this verdict was especially kind .- Detroit Press.

### Bank Notes Preferred to Gold.

In Chicago the curious spectacle is just now presented of the banks doing all they possible can to get rid of the necessity of using gold. They cannot pay it out to their customers, as the latter do not like to use it. They prefer greenbacks and National-bank notes. Nor do the banks like to use it in paying their Clearing-House balances, as it is too cumbersome, too costly and too risky for this purpose. Banks that happen to have credit balances at the Clearing-House have been known to send to five different banks, which had debit balances, in order to induce the officers of these latter to give their checks in liquidation of the same, preferring to take them to the gold. this way the banks manage to use as little gold as possible in liquidating their The matter with all the banks is as to the whereabout of the greenbacks and bank-notes. They seem to have been so diffused through the country that it is impossible to collect any large amount of them together at any one point.

## Railroad Accidents.

A collision occurred on the Cincinnati, Mamilton and Dayton Railroad on Wednesday morning last, at Jones' station, nineteen miles north of Cincin. nati. The train known as the Sidney accommedation was too late at this place to reach its regular meeting point of an outgoing train, and was taking a side track, when train No. 13 came up behind it and caught the rear car, which had not left the main track. The engine broke its own upper works and filled the car with escaping steam, scalding and otherwise injuring fifteen passengers.

An accident on the Raleigh and Gaston road occurred early Wednesday morning at Youngsville, twenty miles from Raleigh. A local freight train and an excursion train collided, the latter having 600 excursionists on board. Of these one was killed outright and tifteen wounded. Two of the latter died soon after. The names of the dead are Brack Green, Ashley Bradford and Duffy Perry, all colored. The injuries of the he others are not thought to be fatal. he wounded were nearly all on the atform of one car, which was telesped.

PITTSBURG, Pa , October 21 .- The sciffe express west jumped the track at Conemaugh, Pa., this morning, and forced two express cars one baggage and one passenger car from the track .-Express Messenger Charles M'Clouskey of this city was caught between the iron safe and the car and crushed to death .-I'wo passengers were slightly injured by umping from the car window. The express car caught fire from the stove and was totally consumed, but the body of M'Clouskey was extricated and all the express goods were saved. The train was delayed about three hours.

### Early Snow Storms.

MILWAUKEE, Wis., Oct., 17 .- The wind-storm which prevailed here yesterday and last night was the severest ever known in this section, and the barometer was never known to be so low. The wind was from the south, blowing between sixty and seventy miles an hour. A large fleet of vessels sought this harbor for safety and rode out the gale in the Bay. Dispatches from La Crosse say the storm along the Southern Minnesota Rallway was the severest known in years. Passenger and freight trains along the line were blockaded in snowdrifts from ten to twelve feet deep, and teams with provisions have been despatched to their relief from several points. The train which left La Crosse on Friday, has not been heard from since leaving Fulda, that night. All the cuts west of Fairmont are filled with snow, packed hard. Reports of cattle, horses etc., having perished are constantly received, but no loss of human life has yet been reported. It is the worst storm ever known in southern Minnesota and eastern Dakota, and is still raging.

SIOUX CITY, Ia., October 19 .- All the roads leading to this city, except the Sloux City and Pacific, have been blockaded by snow, but the Central of Iowa is open to-day, and the other roads are fast getting out of the drifts. The weather has not been cold, but large losses in stock are reported.

### A Singular Case.

SAN FRANCISCO, October 21,- Last night George A. Wheeler went to the police station and confessed that he had murdered his sister-in-law, Della J. Tillson, in a lodging house at No. 23 Kearney street, and packed her body in a trunk. His statement was at once verified. The circumstances of the case are remarkable. The deceased had been living with her sister, and Wheeler and the latter had subjected her to his desires, his wife being cognizant of the fact but concealing the affair to avoid a scandal. Latterly a man by the name of George W. Peckham, who became acquainted with the family some time ago at Cisco, Placer county, sought to marry Della. This created jealousy on the part of Wheeler, who yesterday, while Della was sitting on his lap, choked her to death. Wheeler and his family formerly lived in New York.

# Shot by a Hen.

Last week the Rev. Mr. Petrey, of Stanford, Kentucky, who was holding a protracted meeting at Rock Castle, went to the house of one of the brethern to spend the night. He had hardly got seated before a hen flew in the house and attempted to alight on a rifle that hung on the wall. The weapon tipped over, and falling on the lock was discharged, the ball taking effect in the thigh of the preacher and causing lockjaw, from which he died on Wednes-

The Rev. Dr. Thomas of Chicago is a Methodist preacher who doesn't believe in the Methodist theory of the Atonement, or in the plenary inspiration of the Scriptures, or in Hell; who associates with Unitarians, and who is even suspected of being on friendly terms with Agnostics. He makes no concealment of his opinions and no apology for his friendships. For years his goingson have scandalized some of the more orthodox brethren, to whom it has seemed a grievous thing that a heretic, without the fear of Wesley's Sermons or Watson's Institutes before his eyes, should be preaching at a fat salary to the wealthiest congregation in the Northwest, while they themselves are sent by the Bishop to ride circuit on the prairies, where they got less money in a year than Dr. Thomas pockets every fortnight.

In Conference on Saturday one of these brethren offered a resolution requesting the Rev. Dr. Thomas to withdraw from the traveling connectionthat is, to take himself out of the Methodist ministry. Another brother moved the appointment of a committee to find out just how heretical the Doctor is.

The despatch says that the younger preachers generally sided with the alleged heretic. This, if a fact, is a very significant fact. It may well set orthodox Methodists thinking.

After discussion, the erring brother was voted out of the Methodist church.

# Miscellaneous News Items.

CINCINNATI, Oct. 20. - this morning in the shoddy manufactory of Benjamin Hey, Second street and Broadway, caused a terrible tragedy, the flames cutting off the escape of six women who were at work in the third story. All efforts to rescue them were unavailing, and after the fire was subdued five of the bodies were recovered from the ruins. They were Mrs. Draggitt, aged 48; Mrs. Seguar, aged 50; Mrs. Jackson, aged 30; Miss Welsh and one unidentified. The loss of property is estimated at \$25,000; insurance,

A Lock Haven lady has an English walnut tree, from which she recently gathered a peck of nuts. This is said to be the only tree of this kind in this section of the country.

A boy was carrying two pounds of powder and a fuse in a cigar box at Gibralter. The end of the fuse protruded and a practical joker was at hand to light it .-The explosion killed the boy.

13 Dogs got into a herd of sheep belonging to Owen Potts at Brown's Mills, Burlington county, on Friday night, killing sixty-one outright and mutilating twenty-five so that they had to be slaugh-

Recently after two ladies had retired to bed in the Washington House, in Chambersburg, they heard a noise which led them to believe that some one was in the room. On striking a light they discovered a colored man under the bed. He immediately attempted to escape, but was captured. On his person was found a razor. He was committed to jail to answer for trial.

QUEREC, October 19 .- Morse Mounder, a laborer, residing at Point Roye, one hundred and twenty-eight miles from this city, has been arrested, charged with placing an obstruction on the track of the North Shore railway near the bridge at that place which, had it not been discovered in time, would have precipitated a train over the bridge two hundred feet below.

READING, Pa , October 19 .- At 9 o'clock this morning a tramp who was refused something to cat on the farm of G. S. Moury one mile from Tuckertown, set fire to the barn and it was dstroyed together with its contents. Three mules and all the cattle also perished in the flames. The dwelling caught fire and was partially damaged. Loss, \$10,000. The citizens are in pursuit of the incendiary.

CHA burglar undertook to rob the house of Mrs. E. W. Glover, of Port Horon, Mich., Thursday night, and because that lady woke up and yelled that enterprising cracksman tried to smother her; but her aged mother heard her screams and came to her rescue, and the two women made such a fuss that the burglar got disgusted and left.

€ A terrible shooting affray occurred in the lower part of Carrol county, Md., last week, between Milton Picket, his daughter and Luther Picket, a second cousin. It is intimated that the latter had betrayed the girl and refused to marry her. On Tuesday the father and daughter sought Luther in the field where he was at work, both being armed. On his again refusing to marry the girl firing commenced, the girl Martha emptying five chambers of a revolver. Finally Milton Picket started to run from the field, when Luther shot him in the back, the ball going clean through and causing his death on Thursday .-Luther has escaped.

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# OUR WASHINGTON LETTER.

WASHINGTON, D. C., October 20, 1880. One year from to-morrow (October 21st,) will be celebrated at Yorktown the Centennial anniversary of the surrender of Cornwallis. This event closed the war of the Revolution, though the treaty of peace was not signed for two years. The interest felt in the celebration in the South is already great. At Richmond a charter has been granted to prominent men of different parts of the country, who organize for the promotion of the celebration. The President of the organization is Judge Robert Ould, and its Vice Presidents are from Pennsylvania and Massachusetts. The name taken is the "Yorktown Centennial Association," and the principal office will be at Richmond.

The most emphatic portion of Secretary Sherman's speech at the serenade to him on Monday evening, and that which received most applause, was his attack upon the doctrine of "State rights," and his demand for a central government based upon the changed condition of our affairs. His declaration that as the States became more numerous the relative importance of each one became less, was tumultuously applauded.

Secretary Schurz is expected back from the East to-morrow. There has been since his departure a general expression of regret that he should be absent while affairs of so grave importance with the Ute difficulty need the best attention the Interior Department can

Arrangements are being made here to prevent the proposed sale, for debt, of Mrs. Fassets' painting of the Electoral Commission. Influential gentleman will, it is said, advance the necessary money, and attempt to reimburse themselves by securing an appropriation from Congress for the purchase of the painting. No offer from individuals, of amounts nearly equal to the artist's estimate of the value of the painting, have been received.

Those advocating the distribution of the Geneva Award fund by the coming Congress, are now actively engaged in preparing the merits of the different classes of claimants in which they are interested, for presentation. Though there are different plans for the final distribution of this fund, the different classes of claimants will combine in resisting the third proposition of its disposal, namely : to make it a part of the sinking fund for the reduction and payment of the public debt. This Geneva matter has claimed the attention of Congress at almost every session since the award was made ; by Great Britian much discussion has been had upon it, but not one good and valld reason has yet been advanced why the money should not be distributed to claimants, the merits of whom to be declared, of course, by Congress. The plan of using this fund to the reduction of the public debt is simply an easy way of getting out of a troublesome question. The money was paid to this country for damages sustained by citizens. The understanding plainly was that the money should be used for the purpose awarded, and it would be clearly a breach of faith, a blot upon the Nation's honor to use it for any other purpose. The award says the money is paid for the "satisfaction of all claims referred." The "claims" were for damages, hence it follows, that the money was awarded to pay these claims for damages, and to use it for another purpose would be other than contemplated when it was paid. The United States did not claim the money to reduce its public debt, but to remunerate those who suffered by the Alabama and her sister cruisers. Let every honest man in this country feel an interest in this subject, it is one not only concerning curselves, but another Nation. Let our Congressmen and Senators prove themselves men of honor, by awarding this money, not to themselves, but to those for whom it was demanded and

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