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Which Sweeps Across a Minnesota Village.

BUILDINGS DESTROYED.

Oas a Brick Saloon, in Which Several Mon Had Sought Shelter, Being Picked Up by the Wind and Crushed-Candidate Killed.

Eight persons were killed and several seriously injured by a storm which struck the village of Morristown, 12 miles west of Fairbault, Minn., Monday evening. A number of buildings were demolished, one of them being a brick saloon, in which several persons had sought shelter. The dead Elmer Brooks, Otto Gatzke, Jacob Miller, Frank Pitman, John Rohrer, Jr., H. S. Waite, Jacob Weaver, Jr., ---- Peterson. Those injured are: Paul Gatzke, Lewis Pitman, Porter White, Frank Wilder. Seven of the men killed and all the injured were in the saloon, a brick building. This was lifted into the air, falling a heap of debris. Three persons in the structure escaped as the walls left the foundation. A barn was picked up and carried a block, two horses being left standing in their stalls. Another barn on the outskirts of the town was demolished, Peterson, a hired man, being killed. The funnel-shaped cloud struck the town from the southwest, its path in the village being half a mile in length. The storm made jumps of a block, passing over many buildings without harming them, but whenever it came down everything was crushed. H. S. Waite, one of the dead, was a Republican nominee for representative.

Great Damage Done by Flood. The storm over northern and northwestern Texas was one of the fiercest rain and electrical affairs of which there is any record. The fall of rain at Dallas Friday night approximated three inches; at Fort Worth, thirty miles west, eight inches. The property loss within a radius of 100 miles of Dallas is estimated at \$2,000,000, confined largely to cotton and railway

Fields of cotton for miles and miles around Chambers creek, Mountain creek, Ten Mile creek and other branches of the Trinity river are so completely submerged that only the top of an occasional stalk can be seen above the surface of the water. All the cotton that has been picked and left in the fields was washed away. The loss on cattle and other farm animais was also considerable.

Father Phi'lips in Philadelphia. Father Phillips went to the Hazleton region Thursday night and was with Archbishop Ryan in consultation on the subject very near and dear to his heart-the quick settlement of the strike by arbitration or any other houorable means. Protestant clergymen in Hazleton have also taken up the matter and will endeavor to bring opposing elements together amicably.

Tells of Extreme Distress. A letter from Edgar Fordtran, written at Hitchcock, Tex., shows a terrible state of distress on the gulf coast mainland. He says: "The distress in this vicinity is still appalling. Everything is wiped out. Buildings were not only blown down, but have been washed away. Fifty per cent of the buildings in the coast country are de-

section will number 503 persons." First Arrest Made.

stroyed. The mainland dead in this

The first arrest in connection with the miners' strike was made Thursday afternoon, when Joseph Begos, a Hungarian of Nanticoke, was taken into custody, charged, on oath of Alexander Monsyock, with pointing a revolver and threatening to shoot him last night while he was returning from

Legislator Seed for \$15,000. Representative Leonidas H. Mull, a prominent member of the last legislature on the Democratic side of the house, was made a defendant at Rushville, Ind., is a suit for \$15,000 damages for breach of promise, filed by Miss Floe Farlow, a school mistress living at Milroy.

Mob Roles in San Juan. The plant of El Diario in San Juan, organ of the federal party in Porto Rico, was completely destroyed by a mob. The type and presses were smashed. The supposed cause of the disturbance were articles attacking Mayor Egozcuo, who is a republican. No arrests were made.

Clubs His Wife to Death. Herman Petersdorf, a German farmer living about seven miles west of Junction City, Ore., murdered his wife by brutally beating her to death with a club and then committed sucide by taking poison. He

had previously shown signs of insan-

Ships May Have Foundered. Damaged vessels continue to make St. Johns, N. F., from the Grand Banks. One reports a collision between two French fishing schooners during the gale, carrying away the masts of both. They were driven out of sight, and it is feared that they foundered, which would represent a loss of about forty lives. The crew of the schooner Kestrel made land yesterday. The ship rode out the gale, but was so leaky that she sank while endeavoring to make the land, the

men reaching shore in boats,

nd by sales

A factory for the manufacture some of the deadliest poisons know is located not far from the heart New York city and sufficient poison is being made there now to annihilate the whole population of the greater city. It is guarded carefully from all intruders and no one passes beyond its portals without a special permit and even employes have to be skilled in their work and understand the nature of the risk they take before admittance is granted them. In this factory is manufactured pure anhydrous acid, a drug that is never placed on the market in its pure state, and even in the chemist's laboratory it is handled with all the care of a poisonous reptile. If the fumes of this acid should escape the chemist would never live to tell the tale. The man who discovered it was killed by inhaling its fumes and many another has met a similar death. From 3 to 5 per cent of this acid diluted with ninety-seven parts of water forms prussic acid. Even this poison is so deadly that inhaling its fumes would mean instant death and it is never handled except in the factory or a few large responsible laboratories. Probably next in importance to this acid is the cyanide of potassium, which is manufactured in the same factory, only in another part of the building, where a fire-proof and airtight wall shuts it off from the first. The fumes of this are not poisonous and one can work in the room where it is manufactured without fear, except that he must not touch it. The slightest quantity of the poison in its pure state would kill if swallowed. The fumes of cyanide of potassium have a rather pleasant odor and it is said at the factory that it has a witching effect on workmen. For all the world the finished poison looks like crystallized sugar and as you gaze on it and smell the fascinating odor there is a strong temptation to taste it. This fascination is probably much like that which draws a man over a steep precipice. At any rate the attraction to taste of the poison is so well recognized that a workman is never allowed in the room alone. In the mixingroom, where the men toll before a buge caldron of molten cyanide the scene is like that of some old witch's cave, especially if one knows the nature of the terrible poison that th men are brewing.-New York Evening Post,

DIRECTORY OF STARS.

Astronomers Are Photographing Colestial Bodies Nowadaya.

At a congress held in Paris in 1887 it was decided that the end of th nineteenth century should see making of a great catalogue of all the stars in the sky upon a scale of completeness and precision surpassing anything previously attempted. It is impossible to exaggerate the importance of such a work, for upon our star catalogues depends ultimately the entire structure of astronomical science. The work was far too vast for the powers of an observatory alone. Therefore the whole sky from pole to pole, was divided into eight belts or zones of approximately equal area and each of these was assigned to a single observatory to be photographed. A series of telescopes was specially constructed, so that every part of the work should be done with the same type of instrument. As far as possible an attempt was made to secure uniformity of methods, and particularly a uniform scale of precision. To cover the entire sky upon the plan proposed no less than 44,108 negatives are required, and most of these have now been finished. The further measurement of the pictures and the drawing up of a vast printed star catalogue are also well under way. One of the participating observatories, that at Potsdam, Germany, has just published the first volume of its part of the catalogue. It is estimated that this observatory alone will require twenty quarto volumes to contain merely the final results of its work on the catalogue. Altogether not fewer than 2,000,000 stars will find a place in this our latest directory of the

Proof Was Apparent.

heavens.-International Monthly.

On a certain occasion when the Bishop of Oxford alighted from the train at Wheatley, the station for Cuddesden palace, an officious porter rushed up to him and asked: "Any articles in the van, my Lord?" "Articles!" said the bishop, grimly. "Yes, thirty-nine articlest" Off hurried the porter, and worried the guard almost out of his senses by the way he searched the van and detained the train. Presently he came back to the bishop with a crestfallen expression of countenance. "There are only seven, my Lord." "Only seven? Ah! you're a Dissenter, then, I should think!"-Westminster Budget.

Put Matches in Flower Pots.

The great foe to potted plants is the little white worm that feeds upon the roots and even bores up to pest the simplest plan is to stick matches, heads down, into the mill and in a short time the worms will disappear. The phosphorus which does the work is Denemial to the plant besides being disagreeable the worms. Carbolic acid may used instead. Add about five drop of carbolic acid to a cup of water ar sorinkle on the earth in the flower

POR HOMESEEKEE

The Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul tuilway will sell regular Homese Excursion tickets to all points in Sout Dakota, at one fare plus \$2 for the round trip, on September 18 and tober 2, 1900. This will enable parties to visit the Corn Belt Exposition to be held in Mitchell, S. D., September 26 to October 4, 1900, inclusive. This exposition is held to demonstrate the great agricultural resources, wealth and possibilities of this thriving state. The exposition is held in a gorgeously decorated corn palace which for beauty can hardly be excelled anywhere by a building of a temporary nature. There are thousands of acres of cheap lands left in South Dakota that will, under the present conditions in that state, rapidly increase in price, and the holding of this corn palace with its many attractions, that both amuse and instruct, should be an opportunity that all land and investment seekers should embrace.

For further information apply to any ticket agent of the Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul railway, or address Geo. H. Heafford, General Passenger Agent

The Nicaragua Canal. John D. Crimmins, of the syndicate formed to construct an inter-oceanic canal through Nicaragua under the Eyre-Cragin concession, the existence of which was proclaimed recently by President Zelya, said that the company, which had been organized under the laws of New Jersey, would proceed to carry out the terms of its contract without delay. The capital neededed had been secured, and if the es timate of cost made for this government be correct-\$13,000,000,-the canal could be built by his company for the same money, and probably for less. The route selected would probably be that hitherto called the Nica-

ragua. Mr. Crimmins said: "Our concession is perpetual. It gives us the right to police the country for ten miles on either side of the canal, whereas in the Maritime Company's concession policing was to be done by the Nicaragua government."

Queen Visits Historical Bush, Queen Victoria's knowledge of every detail, not only of the various houses, but also of the parks and gardens connected with the many royal palaces, is said to be wonderful. Within a few hours of the court arriving at Osborne, the queen makes a tour of those gardens which are close to the house, her first visit generally being paid to the lovely myrtle planted by the prince consort in 1858 from a sprig taken from the Empress Frederick's wedding nosegay. The sprig flourished and is now a fine bush, and during the last forty years it has supplied innumerable pieces of myrtle for the embellishment of royal bridal bou-

Business Offer.

Boy (to street urchin holding horse) -Say! What d' ye get for holding that horse? Street Urchin-Ten cents; what yer

wanter know for? Boy-'Cause I think you can do bet-

ter'n that. If you jest come around to our house I bet dad'll give you twice that for holding our baby.

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"Yes, and sometimes he doesn't get over the tendency even when he gets to be a college professor."-Chicago

Not the Same.

Friend-"Did fortune smile on you?" Rejected Suitor-"Well, she gave me the laugh, if that's what you mean."-Syracuse Herald.

With Rod and Gun in Arkan-

sas" and "Enroute to the Southland," the titles of two new booklets just issued by the General Passenger Department of the Chicago & Eastern Illinois Railroad for free distribution. The first deals with hunting and fishing on the St. Francis river in Northeastern Arkansas, a region abundantly supplied with game fish, stems of Manta. To get rat of the wild fowl, wild turkey, deer and bear, The second booklet contains a de scription of the points of interest, Chicago to Nashville, historical matter of the early days and many Indian legends common throughout Illinois, Indiana and Tennessee years ago. Both booklets are embellished with many fine half tone cuts and are most interseting. If you desire a copy of either send your address to C. L. Stone, G. P. AT. A. C. AR L. R. R. Chicago

curred on the New York Central the other day, when engine No. 948, one of the new Mogule, hauled out train No. 11, the Southwestern Limited, made up of two mail cars, five passenger coaches and nine Wagner cars. sixteen cars in all. The total weight of the train was 1,832,000 pounds, or 916 tons, and the length of the train, including the engine, was 1,213 feet, or nearly a quarter of a mile. This engine made the running time of the train between New York and Albany, 143 miles, in three hours and fifteen minutes.

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By Post from Paris.

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Turkey, "my government in content to drift along and ated as one of Burope's little nesses."--Washington Star.

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haustive study to the subject, and in producing her great remedy for we ills - Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound - was careful to see that contained the correct combination of herbs which was sure to control the fatal disease, woman's kidney troubles. The Vegetable Compound acts is mony with the laws that govern the entire female system, and while the are many so called remedies for kidney troubles, Lydia E. Pinkham's Ver table Compound is the only one especially prepared for women.

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Sept. 10, 1899. " DEAR MRS. PINKHAM: -- I have used Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound according to directions, and can say I have not felt so well for years as I do at present. Before taking your medicine a more miserable person you never saw. I could not eat or sleep, and did not care to talk with any one. I did not enjoy. life at all. Now, I feel so well I cannot be grateful enough for what you have done for me. You are surely woman's friend. Thanking you thousand times, I remain, Ever yours

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MINS MUNA PREDERICK.

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find language to express the terrible suffering I have had to endure. I have female troubie. also liver, stomach kidney, and blad-I tried several doc tors, also quite s number of patent medicines, and had despaired of ever retting well. A last I concluded to try Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, and now, thanks to personate in a medicine, I am a well woman. I a than it is recommendated to the second secon