

FOUND AT BALTIMORE

His Wife Was Among People in Moving Pictures.

Lost Her Five Years Ago--Finds Her Photographed on a Theatre Screen.

Boston, Aug. 1.—While sitting as a spectator in the Joliet Theatre, on Court street, Wilfrid Halstrom, of Hartnett, Kan., rushed to the manager of the theatre and said the figure of the woman on the screen was that of his wife, who left his home five years ago in a most mysterious manner. Just after her departure an uncle died, leaving her \$200, which now lies idle in a Kansas bank.

Mr. Halstrom begged Manager J. L. Roth, of the theatre, to tell him the name of the photographer that he might find out where his wife is now located. This favor was granted and several dispatches were sent back and forth from New York, Baltimore and Boston. Late in the afternoon it was learned that the moving picture was taken in the studio of one of the motion picture companies at Baltimore. Mr. Halstrom left the city for Baltimore to see if it were possible to locate his missing wife.

He then told Manager Roth that he came to Boston several months ago to an hospital in a suburb. He made an exhaustive search, but without result. He then procured employment as a clerk in a Lawrence office, coming to Boston occasionally to visit.

Halstrom arrived in this city on Tuesday evening, and went visiting with friends. The following afternoon

he was passing along Court street on his way to the Revere house, where he had an engagement with a friend. Having over an hour to spare, he and his friend went into the Joliet Theatre, where he recognized his wife's picture on the screen. Halstrom stated that he had been married but six months when he awoke one morning to find a note on the table saying that his wife had gone because she was tired of the monotony of country life. "I knew that someone must have been telling my wife stories about the great wealth in the east," he said. "I knew that she did not go of her own volition, so I started out to search for her. No clue could be found as to her whereabouts. But I never thought I would see her in a moving picture. I would know her in a thousand. No, there is no mistake. It is my Laura as sure as I am alive."

Manager Roth, of the Joliet, said: "The woman's face is one of the most beautiful I ever saw in a motion picture. The finding of a wife in the manner which Mr. Halstrom has just completed is a decidedly new one on me."

"I received a telegram from the company that made the picture that the woman Mr. Halstrom claims as his wife is living in Philadelphia, but is at present posing for characters for a series of pictures at Baltimore."

MRS. GUINNESS POISONED.

So Were Her Children--Upsets Old Theories.

Laporte, Ind., Aug. 1.—Coroner Mack announces that Dr. Walter Haines of Rush Medical College, who analyzed the stomach of Andrew Helgelein, of Aberdeen, S.D., last victim of Mrs. Belle Guinness, finding strychnine and arsenic in fatal doses has also found in the stomach of Mrs. Guinness and two of the children arsenic and strychnine in quantities sufficient to have caused death.

The discovery of poison in the woman's stomach and that of her children has upset many of the former theories in the case, and has opened up the possibility of Mrs. Guinness having killed the children in the same manner in which she took the lives of her victims and then having ended her own life with a fatal dose.

PITH OF THE NEWS.

The Very Latest Culled From All Over The World.

Dr. P. P. Burrows, Lindsay, died suddenly.

The insolvencies in Canada for this week were 26, same week, 1907, 23.

Lord Roberts has cancelled his Ottawa visit, owing to the intense heat.

Venezuela wants satisfaction from Holland for insults offered by Minister Dercks.

It is regarded as probable that Buffalo will be the centre of a big strike of railway men.

The president of Panama declares that the United States will ultimately take possession of the isthmus.

Rev. Dr. Shearer says it is absolutely appalling the extent to which electoral bribery is admitted in this country.

Two drunken sailors on a balcony at Montreal, sixty feet from the ground, started a fight. They fell over, and one is dead and the other in jail on a charge of manslaughter.

By an explosion in mine No. 2, at Coal Creek, between twenty and thirty miners were entombed. About a score were rescued and at least four are known to have perished.

Adlai E. Stevenson, former United States vice-president, may become governor of Illinois. Mr. Stevenson is a fine campaigner, and if they nominate him the democrats will add great strength to the national ticket in Illinois.

To-Night.

Campbell Bros., slaughter sale of summer hats.

DAILY MEMORANDA.

The Slaughter Sale of Summer Hats goes on at Campbell Bros., City Council, 5 p.m., Monday.

General Hospital Governors, 4 p.m., Monday.

Steamer Caspian, to Thousand Islands 10.15 a.m., Sunday.

Tenders received for City Buildings fuel till noon, Monday.

See Amusement Column for the four Moving Picture Shows and Park Vaudeville.

St. James' Church Searchlight, Monday, Aug. 3rd, America, 7.30 p.m., 35c. First-class Orchestra.

To-night will be a good chance for you to attend George Mills & Co's. Half Price Sale of Straw and Linen Hats.

The Sunday School Teachers of St. Luke's Church will hold a Lawn Social on the Church Grounds, August 4th, Band in attendance. Admission, 10c.

Bijou Theatre--Hans Anderson's famous story, "Little Match Girl," with descriptive reading. "Recent Great Disaster to Submarine Torpedo Boat," "Parson's Son in the Kingdom," "Edgar Sommers' sins," "No One Can Take Your Place."

Aug. 1st, in Canadian History.

1585--Marie de Bonnaville entered on her duties as Governor of Canada.

1849--George MacDawson, geologist and naturalist, born at Picton, Nova Scotia, died March 2, 1901.

1884--Andrew Archibald MacDonald became Lieutenant-Governor of Prince Edward Island.

1885--Conviction of Louis Riel.

1892--Crisquet, representing Halifax, Ottawa and Philadelphia, commenced a series of games at Halifax, being the second international tournament held there.

1907--One-half of the tariff reduction of 25 per cent on British goods went into operation.

1899--Sir Wilfrid Laurier's resignation of sympathy with the imperial government's South African policy adopted unanimously in both houses.

1905--Henry James Hill, former manager of the Dominion Industrial Exhibition, died at Toronto.

TO BE EMPEROR.

Berlin, Aug. 1.—The Berliner Zeitung publishes a dispatch from Constantinople saying the sultan of Turkey is preparing to declare himself emperor of the Moslems, abrogating the title of sultan.

Steamerless Seine.

Paris, Aug. 1.—The crews on the Seine steamers in Paris struck yesterday, for a twelve-hour day. Not a single boat was plying, yesterday, and the greatest inconvenience was caused to many thousands of persons.

The Stylish Derbies.

In black and colors, at Campbell Bros.

James Rousseau was digging a well on his place about two miles from Picton, when the earth caved in and buried him up to his neck. Fortunately, assistance arrived and dug him from his perilous position.

HEIR TO FORTUNE.

Harry Storms, a Wanderer Recently Arrested.

Middletown, N.Y., Aug. 1.—Henry Storms, a young man who has been tramping through this section, and whose present whereabouts are unknown, is wanted in California, where he is said to be the only heir to an estate of \$200,000, besides 165 acres of mineral land.

Some time ago Storms was arrested at Monroe, Orange county, where it was believed he and another man were attempting to enter the Erie station. They were later discharged for lack of evidence. Storms asserted he was employed by E. H. Harrison at Arden, and that he expected a remittance from his father, who has since died in California.

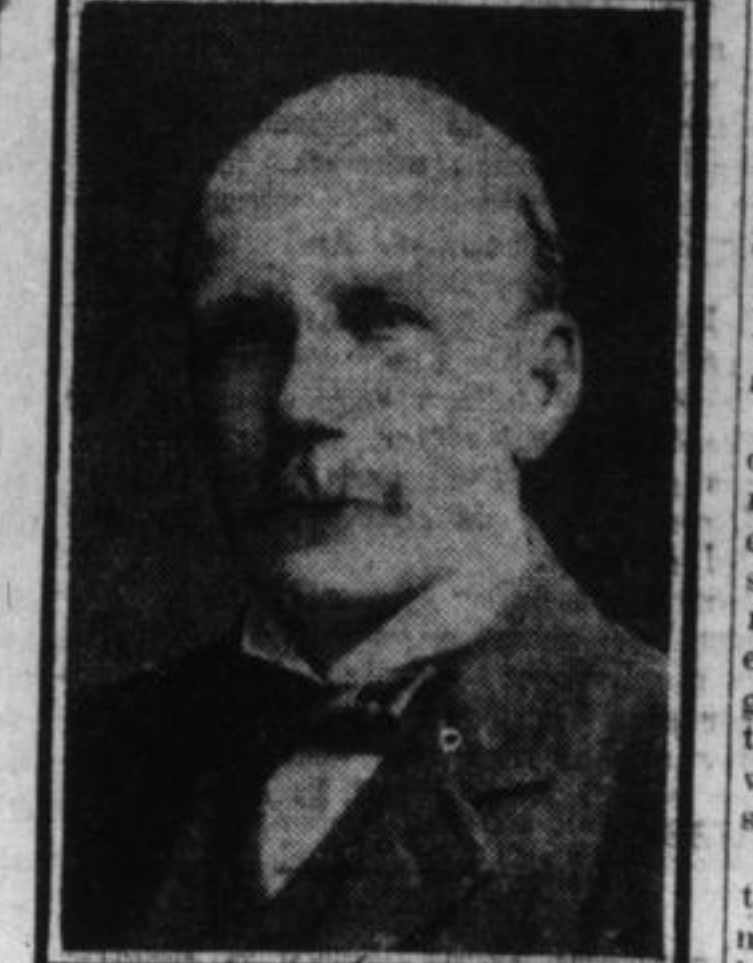
NOT DELIVERING VOTE.

President Compers Says He's Retaining His Honor.

Washington, Aug. 1.—"The report that I have ever said I would or could deliver the labor vote to any political party is an infamous lie," said Samuel Compers, president of the American Federation of Labor. "I want no political office or honor. I have nothing for sale and don't propose to begin this late day by selling my honor."

SENT HIM A MESSAGE.

Our Postmaster-General Sends Word By War Ship.



POSTMASTER-GENERAL BUXTON.

The Right Hon. Sidney Charles Buxton, postmaster general for England since 1906, is expected to preside at a meeting of international importance in postal affairs during August. He will make the address of welcome to the other delegates and explain the aims and business of the meeting. General Buxton was born in October, 1838, and finished his education at Trinity College, Cambridge University. He has been married twice, the present Mrs. Buxton having been Miss Mildred Smith, daughter of the Hon. Hugh Colin Smith, whom he married in 1896. He has two sons and two daughters. General Buxton has written a number of books on fishing and shooting, being an expert follower of both lines of sport.

Put It On Taft Now.

Hot Springs, Va., Aug. 1.—F. W. Carpenter, private secretary of Judge Taft has issued the following statement:

"Friends of Mr. Taft on returning here from Cincinnati found a story circulating that Mr. Taft had in some shape or at some time declared that a dollar and a quarter a day was enough for any workman. The story is utterly false. Mr. Taft never made such a statement or anything like it. This is made upon the authority of Mr. Taft himself."

The proposed rally of Virginia Republicans which is being arranged to take place in August will afford an opportunity for what Mr. Taft expects to be his only political speech this month.

Sheds Skin Like A Snake.

Trenton, N.J., Aug. 1.—For the twenty-eighth time in fifty-three years William L. Calk, a houlston printer, is shedding his skin like a snake, only instead of periodically casting aside the cuticle Calk is unable to shed his skin any time.

First he is taken with a chill, then the skin dries up and cracks off entirely within two weeks. During the period he suffers agony. As soon as the skin has been shed Calk is right again. He has several children, but none of them are afflicted with any symptoms of skin shedding.

Specialists have seen the man, but none of them have ever done him any good.

Come to St. Luke's lawn social.

August 4th. Band in attendance. Admission, 10c.

AFTER SEVEN YEARS

Postoffice Department Punishes Man Who Committed Theft.

Ottawa, Aug. 1.—As a warning to others who may be similarly tempted the postoffice department is spreading broadcast the story of a man who was brought to justice seven years after committing a fraud on the postal savings bank.

The offender was Andre Kasak, of Fort William, a Hungarian, who in November, 1900, stole a savings bank pass-book of John Martan, a fellow-countryman, and proceeding to Sudbury, fraudulently declared himself the depositor. By forging the name of a depositor he succeeded in obtaining a cheque for \$500, and also in persuading the postmaster to certify to the endorsement forged upon the cheque, so that he was able to cash it. He then fled to Europe via Sault Ste. Marie and New York, and had made good his escape before the postoffice department learned of the theft.

The amount thus fraudulently obtained by Kasak was made good to the depositor.

In May last the department was notified that Kasak had returned to Fort William. He was speedily arrested, and sentenced to five years in the penitentiary.

Husband Won By Macaroni.

Rome, Aug. 1.—An Italian named Marini advertised that he would marry the girl who could produce the best homemade macaroni. Among thousands of competitors, Maria Gortano was the winner, and the marriage is to take place in Rome next week.

Sent To-France.

Paris, Aug. 1.—Mme. Sargue, a French socialist lecturer, was, on Saturday, sentenced by the assize court at Milan, to fifty days' imprisonment for having used language inciting to regicide at a public meeting.

WOO, WIN AND WED.

Rapid-fire Match-making By Baltimore Couple.

Philadelphia, Aug. 1.—Meeting at four o'clock, wooed and won after fifteen minutes and married at 5.35 is the record for rapid-fire match-making set here by Charles McGregor, aged thirty, and Estelle Myers Snack, aged twenty-two, both of Baltimore. McGregor is a wealthy real estate dealer.

Miss Snack had been spending her vacation in Atlantic City and was returning home. As she stood in the waiting room of the Broad street station she dropped her purse. A few feet away stood McGregor, who sprang forward and picked it up. His eyes met the girl's for a moment and when they discovered that their homes were in the same city each was much interested in the other. At 4:10 the conversation turned to a discussion of marriage. At 4:14 it had taken on such an aspect that McGregor was able to propose without changing the subject. One minute later he had been accepted.

McGregor sent for Rev. David T. Neely, pastor of the Asquith street Presbyterian church in Baltimore. Ninety-five minutes after the couple met they were man and wife.

Moonlight Trip To Clayton.

Moonlight excursion to Clayton, N.Y., Thursday, August 6th. Steamer Altha leaves Swift's wharf at 7.30 o'clock. Tickets, 25c.

Gurney Stephens, while working

around a threshing machine at his farm, in Greenbush, on Wednesday had his arm broken by being caught in a belt. He was taken to Picton for the services of a doctor.

New Derbies.

Interest in the Island of Ceylon has been quickened to a remarkable extent by the phenomenal success of "Salsola" Tea. Naturally everyone is anxious to know more about the country that produces such a delightful and delicious beverage.

FOES OF WAR GAIN

Every Civilized Nation Joins Work of Peace Congress.

Disarmament Aimed At, But First Stop Increasing Expenditures for Vehicles of Defence.

London, Aug. 1.—"Many signs of the increasing importance of the peace movement have developed during the progress of the present Universal Peace Congress," said Benjamin F. Trueblood, of Boston, president of the American Peace Society, and head of the American delegation now here, in an interview.

"First we have seen the number of delegates grow until every civilized nation of the globe now is represented at the congress, and by men of standing in their own countries. The meetings of the congress have been exceedingly well attended and the greatest interest has been displayed in the discussions, the most important of which was that of Thursday on the subject of the arrest of armaments."

"Make it clear," Mr. Trueblood continued, "that we are not urging immediate disarmament, but a scheme by which the increasing expenditure

for armaments can be stopped. "Another incident showing the growing importance of the congress was the reception of the delegates by King Edward, a precedent which doubtless will be followed in the future. The British government has ably seconded his majesty by inviting the delegates to the congress to a banquet Friday evening at which doubtless there will be speeches which will advance the cause which we have so much at heart."

"These and other attentions we are receiving from the official heads of Great Britain insure the success of the congress in the future. The discussions in the congress, while they are doing much good, have not had so much effect as the impressions created by the recognition we have received from rulers and political leaders of countries so vitally interested in the maintenance of peace."

SHOWER FOR ORPHANS.

Effect of Sacrifice Made By a Little Girl.

Chicago, Aug. 1.—The gift of a dollar in pennies by little six-year-old Mildred Gale, daughter of the Rev. T. K. Gale, pastor of the Wicker Park Methodist Episcopal church, whose heart had been touched by the children of the Lake Bluff Orphanage, proved to be the magnet which drew other dollars at the jug breaking which formed part of the closing ceremonies of the Desplaines camp meeting.

The story was told by Mrs. A. R. Clark, who had charge of the jug breaking exercises, as she placed the little girl on a chair where all could see her.

"Little Mildred was sick last winter with diphtheria," said Mrs. Clark. "It was a trial for Mildred to have her throat attended, so she was promised a penny whenever it was done. She was saving her pennies to buy a canary bird. When she heard the story of the orphans of Lake Bluff, she said, 'I want to give my pennies to the little children at Lake Bluff so that they can buy some papas and mamas.'"

Hats were then passed and the result was a gift largely in excess of any previous year.

PRAYER FOR SIGHT.

Was Granted Just Before Death Comes.

Santa Rosa, Cal., Aug. 1.—After seven years of total blindness, Mrs. Lauretine Welch, wife of a rancher in the Red Slide district, lay dying, yesterday, at her home. At her bedside stood her husband and children sadly awaiting the end. In earnest tones the dying woman prayed that her sight might be restored before she passed away, that she might once again gaze upon her loved ones. As she reached the conclusion of her fervid prayer she suddenly raised herself in bed, her face illumined by a supernatural smile while in eyes that for years had been dim a bright light was reflected.

"I can see. Thank God, I can see," the fervently exclaimed. Tenderly her husband and children bent toward her pillow. On each she bestowed loving glances as she kissed them farewell, the tears streaming from her eyes, while they in reverence remained bowed in the presence of the wonderful miracle that had been wrought. Then slowly Mrs. Welch sank back on the bed, her lips moving in prayer. A few moments later she died.

WILL SUPPRESS IT.

Paris, Aug. 1.—The rioting at Vigneux, France, has precipitated a serious situation owing to the decision of the government to arrest the leaders of the General Federation of Labor and possibly to suppress the entire organization on the ground that it threatens public order.

Naval Militia To Turn Out.

Watertown, N.Y., Aug. 1.—One hundred and five men of the 2nd Battalion, Naval Militia, stationed near Rochester, will be at Chaumont on the gunboat designated for the purpose from August 8th to 11th, and go through a series of gunboat and small manoeuvres. In addition there will be land drills and landing parties and the handling of light field pieces.

The manoeuvres will occur at the same time as the annual regatta of the Crescent Yacht Club, when the Kingston and Bay of Quinte Yacht Clubs and the Hamilton Yacht Club will have their fleets there, affording special interest to hundreds of yachtsmen.

In Demand.

Yesterday two applications were received at the Kingston Business College, head of Queen street, from railway companies, for stenographers. Stanley Briggs accepted one of the positions and leaves on Monday. Training counts and business men know it. It pays to take a course where the graduates are in demand. Special rates to the first twenty-five registering before September 1st. H. E. Metcalfe, Principal.

Men's Cut straw sailors now \$1.

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Religion In Italian Schools.

Rome, Aug. 1.—It is announced from Rome that the municipal council has decided by fifty-seven votes to three to abolish all religious teaching in elementary schools.

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After having been an invalid for

over five years from a wasting disease, Charles Maracle was released from suffering, on Friday, by the Angel of Death. He had been a prosperous farmer on Tyendinaga Reserve, and leaves at the homestead to mourn his widow, two daughters and one son. W. C. Fredeburgh has purchased Miss Jane Forrester's farm across the bay at Westport. He intends fitting up the property and will spend \$3,000 or more in putting the house and grounds in shape for a summer hotel.

MAN'S SKELETON FOUND

Revives the Story of an Alleged Murder in Connecticut

Southington, Conn., Aug. 1.—The finding of the skeleton of a man which had long lain hidden in the bushes, by berry pickers on Wolcott Mountain to-day, revived the story of what has always been thought to be a murder by the people of Southington and Wolcott. Four years ago Robert Perry, who lived at the foot of the mountain disappeared after receiving a legacy of \$5,000 from England. Later his wife disappeared, after telling a story to the effect that Perry

had gone to England to claim more money. For weeks, townspeople searched the mountain side and even partially tore down Perry's house to find traces of his body. Mrs. Perry was married three times before she met Perry, and when the first and second husbands died the medical examiner here was called in to view the bodies, but made no report on either case. The family tried to find Perry through the British and American consulates, and this fact disproved the wife's assertion.

Probabilities
Toronto, Aug. 1.—Ottawa Valley and Upper St. Lawrence 10 a.m. — Moderate winds, mostly westerly; fine; not quite so warm. Sunday, fine and warm.

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7,000,000 Scholars.

London, Aug. 1.—According to figures compiled by the Sunday school union there are 7,395,893 Sunday school scholars in the United Kingdom. There are 707,312 teachers and 49,401 Sunday schools.

Scotch Cattle For the Argentine.

Edinburgh, Aug. 1.—A Buenos Ayres telegram states that the minister of agriculture has decided to authorize the importation for breeding purposes of pedigree Scotch cattle which have been exhibited at the English Royal Agricultural show.

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IT BRINGS HER DEATH

Gained Affections of Two Men, Neither of Whom Knew the Other as Rival.

Paris, Aug. 1.—Lucie Pantrina, washerwoman, aged nineteen, has paid with her life for trifling with the affections of two young men.

Leon Charret and Alfred Millet, who had been friends from childhood, met in the street a few days ago, after having lost sight of each other for some time. They had both the same story to tell, namely, that they were about to be married. Finally they parted after arranging a meeting between their respective fiancées.

Yesterday as Charret was walk-

ing to his sweetheart's house to keep their appointment, he met her walking arm in arm with Millet. He was too surprised to speak, but Millet joyfully introduced his companion as his future wife.

The girl thereupon explained that she had only been amusing herself and would really marry neither of them. Charret, white with rage, drew a revolver and fired at them. The girl was killed on the spot and Millet had his shoulder fractured. The murderer was arrested.