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Daniel Maloney Fell Three Thousand Feet.

Daring Aeronaut Came to His Death at Santa Clara—Helpless Crowd Saw Him Fall.

San Jose, Cal., July 18.—Daniel Maloney, who had made numerous successful ascensions with Professor Montgomery's aeroplane, today fell 3,000 feet to his death at Santa Clara.

Maloney made an ascension from the grounds of the Santa Clara college. About 2,000 persons watched with interest the machine as it shot upward from the college garden attached to a huge balloon.

At a height of 4,000 feet Maloney cut loose from the balloon and began manoeuvring the aeroplane. He sailed gracefully about, then essayed a deep dip. Suddenly the machine swerved, hesitated and then turned over. It righted itself, sank down a considerable distance and turned over again. Maloney was clinging desperately to his seat and evidently endeavoring to regain control of the aeroplane but all of his efforts were in vain. Again the aeroplane turned in the air, the wings came together and the man and the machine plunged downward while the horrible spectators gazed helplessly. A number of cadets carried him to the college hospital. His skull was fractured and blood flowing from his ears and mouth. He died within a short time. The aeroplane was demolished.

Fourteen Corpses in Her Hold For Nine Days.

Bizarta, Tunis, July 15.—The submarine boat, which sank at the entrance of Sidi Abdallah, July 6, was towed into dry dock today, after ten days' incessant efforts to raise her. The salvage operations, which were conducted by Admiral Aubert, assisted by 250 sailors and a large staff of engineers, have been attended throughout with a long series of mishaps. The hull of the submarine was covered with slime, but was undamaged. When the door of the hold was opened there was a rush of noxious gases from the decomposed bodies of the fourteen men who had perished in her, and great emotion prevailed among the naval officers and the men who had assisted in raising the vessel and the ventilators started.

An inspection of the Farfadet shows that her crew employed every imaginable device in their attempts to escape.

SPOILED HER BEAUTY.

Harriet Howard, of 209 W. 34th St., New York, at one time had her beauty spoiled with skin trouble. She writes: "I had Salt Rheum or Eczema for years, but nothing would cure it, until I used Bucklen's Arnica Salve." A quick and sure healer for cuts, burns and sores. 25c at Crawford Bros., J. F. Mackey & Co's, and Funderburk Pharmacy, drug store.

Fifty Horses Burned.

Lander, Wyoming, July 19.—A stable at Fort Washakie was burned today and fifty horses of the Tenth Cavalry, among the finest in the army, were destroyed.

Use Of Request books.

County Dispensers Called on Through County Boards to Obey the Law. Special Prices Off.

Columbia Record, 15th.

The state board of directors of the dispensary today passed a strong resolution calling upon the county boards of control to enforce the law. The resolution cites that there is complaint as to the neglect of the request books and of drinking on the premises in many counties and the county boards are informed that failure to comply with the law is reason for removal of the dispenser. The county board can also be removed for cause and the state board calls attention to see that section of the law covering the use of request books and drinking on the premises.

Recently a dispenser in Clarendon county was presented by the grand jury for failure to use the books and a member of the state board said today that this feature of the law would be looked into very close from now on.

The only other important business done by the board was in regard to the special prices on case goods. Heretofore the dispensary would often make a special price on certain lines of goods by the case, the object being to get some of the business that had been going out of the state. It was found, however, that there were several ways to violate the law under this plan and the special price will be discontinued. There is an exception in regard to clubs, but the requests must come in through the county dispenser and signed by the officers of the club.

The Chinese Boycott Goes into Effect.

Washington, July 19.—A cablegram received by the state department from Shanghai says that the boycott against American goods commenced today. Every effort was made to allay the agitation which, it is stated, is a part of the retaliation of the Chinese against the exclusion laws of the United States.

The state department has been informed by the consuls that the proposed boycott was organized by the trade guilds in five ports, Shanghai, Canton, Tien-tsin, Hankow and Newchwang. It is believed the boycott will not be successful or do any particular injury to American goods except in the cities of Canton and Shanghai where the guilds are stronger than elsewhere.

SICKENING SHIVERING FEVERS

of Ague and Malaria, can be relieved and cured with Electric Bitters. This is a pure, tonic medicine; of especial benefit in malaria, for it exerts a true curative influence on the disease, driving it entirely out of the system. It is much to be preferred to Quinine, having none of this drug's bad after-effects. E. S. Munday, of Henrietta, Tex., writes: "My brother was very low with malarial fever and jaundice, till he took Electric Bitters, which saved his life. At Crawford Bros., J. F. Mackey & Co. and Funderburk Pharmacy drug stores; price 50c, guaranteed.

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the most healing salve in the world

An Opinion On Intoxicants.

Columbia Record.

The supreme court today decided an interesting question relative to a man being drunk. B. C. Sharpton was hurt by a trolley car, near Nilom's Crossing, in Aiken county. Sharpton claimed that he was waiting on a street car, and was walking up and down the track waiting on the car he expected to board as a passenger.

At the trial of the case he was asked: Were you under the influence of liquor at the time you were hit by the car? Another question asked was: "Did you not say to Dr. Shaw at the time in that conversation that you were drunk?"

Both of the questions were held to be incompetent by the circuit court and were not answered, and it was upon this very largely that the appeal was taken. The court also refused to allow witnesses to be examined as to whether the plaintiff was drunk at the time of the accident or not.

It was not demonstrated whether the plaintiff was drunk or not, but the supreme court, in an unanimous opinion, holds that the questions were entirely competent "in support of the plea that the accident was due entirely to his own negligence, and also as tending to prove lack of accuracy in the statement of the plaintiff as to the circumstances under which he was injured."

Sharpton obtained a verdict for \$500 in the lower court and the state supreme court directs that there be a new trial of the cause, and that the lower court be reversed. About the only important reason for the reversal appears to be that the two questions cited were ruled to be incompetent by the lower court, and because no testimony was allowed as to the condition of Sharpton at the time of the accident. The opinion of the court was written by Associate Justice Grov, with a brief concurring opinion by Associate Justice Woods.

Cut to Pieces With Razor.

Special to The Observer.

Rock Hill, S. C., July 18.—Bud Alexander, who was cut with a razor by Louis Hutchinson colored, died on the W. B. Biggers farm yesterday. The man was literally cut to pieces in the fracas. One incision opened the chest and laid bare the heart. This organ could be seen performing its functions in the cavity of the chest. Some hope was held out by his physicians that the man would live, but the shock and loss of blood proved too much for him.

Hutchinson is in jail in Yorkville. Hutchinson killed Alexander for an alleged intimacy with his wife, which Alexander denied saying the fracas was over some question of payment for work and a division of the crop.

BRONCHITIS FOR TWENTY YEARS.

Mrs. Minerva Smith, of Danville, Ill., writes: "I had bronchitis for twenty years and never got relief until I used Foley's Honey and Tar which is a sore cure." Sold by Funderburk Pharmacy. Also C. O. Floyd, Kershaw.

Foley's Honey and Tar
for children, safe, sure. No opiates.

Sensation in Walterboro.

A Number of People, Well Known in the County, Presented by the Grand Jury for Pension Frauds.

Special to News and Courier.

Walterboro, July 10.—The grand jury handed in a special presentment in the case against certain parties for fraudulently obtaining Confederate pensions. This case has been and is attracting considerable attention on account of the prominence of the parties connected with it, and it is hoped they will be able to explain away certain very incriminating evidence.

It is alleged that for several years pensions have been drawn for parties not in existence by means of fraudulent applications. Pensions have been drawn for several persons, some for four and five years, aggregating perhaps five hundred dollars.

Clerk of Court H. D. Padgett discovered the alleged forgeries and fraudulent claims when distributing pensions this summer, and immediately reported it to the county board, who in turn reported it to the State board. The matter was handed to the grand jury which made the following presentment:

"State of South Carolina, County of Colleton.—The grand jury of and for the said county and State aforesaid respectfully make this special presentment. They have received of the county pension board of Colleton County a communication, accompanied by documentary evidence, which taken in connection with oral testimony of witnesses duly sworn, convinces the grand jury that frauds of a serious nature have for a series of years been connected with the distribution of pension funds in this county. In consideration whereof they present Charles W. Ulmer, J. D. Varn, Philip M. Varn and Henry J. Dubois, alias A. J. Dubois of conspiracy and other high crimes against the state of South Carolina, as indicated by said evidence, and they ask that said evidence be turned over to the solicitor and he be requested to prepare such bill or bills of indictment as he may deem proper thereon and hand them out for our further consideration besides this documentary evidence above referred to, we refer the solicitor to the following named witnesses: H. D. Padgett, C. G. Henderson, B. G. Benton, Dr. W. B. Ackerman and Walter McTeer, G. W. Way, H. E. Bryan, J. M. Ackerman and E. R. McTeer.

S. R. Perry, foreman grand jury. As a result of this presentment Solicitor Jerry has made out indictments as follows: Chas. W. Ulmer, and P. M. Varn, obtaining money under false pretences. Chas. W. Ulmer, Henry J. Dubois, Philip M. Varn, G. J. Varn and A. B. Varn, conspiracy. Chas. W. Ulmer \$500, and \$200 each for the other defendants.

They will have no trouble in securing this amount. It is not thought the case will come up for trial at this term of court.

W. W. S.

Sound kidneys are safeguards of life. Make the kidneys healthy with Foley's Kidney Cure. Sold by Funderburk Pharmacy.

Crazy Man Shoots Three

Pensacola, Fla., July 18

Crazed with drink and the thought that he was to be discharged, William F. Williams, a salesman in the clothing store of John White, late this afternoon walked up to the office where Mr. White was sitting reading and shot him dead. He turned his revolver upon another salesman, Ed Dansby, and inflicted a mortal wound in the back, then fired upon James White, the manager and son of the proprietor, the bullet passing through the lungs and causing a wound from which it is expected that he will die before morning. Another clerk was fired upon, but the bullet went wide of the mark. All during the day Williams seemed nervous, and late in the afternoon he began to imbibe to such an extent that it was noticed about the store and some remark was made by the proprietor. This infuriated Williams, it seems, and without a word he walked to his coat, took therefrom a new revolver and, walking close up to Mr. White, fired, the bullet striking him near the right ear and passing out on the left side. White never moved, the paper he was reading dropped from his grasp. Dansby, the wounded clerk, was waiting upon a customer and was bending over a trunk, when the crazed man turned and fired a shot into his back. James White leaped to his feet to defend his father, when the revolver was turned on him. After being shot he grappled with Williams in an effort to wrench the revolver from his hand, but could not do so. Officers arrived and took the revolver, placing Williams in jail.

The only statement made by Williams was that some one in the store was endeavoring to do him an injury, and that if White had attended to his own business he would never have killed him.

White was one of the most prominent business men in the city, having engaged in the haberdashery business thirty years ago.

A GRIM TRAGEDY.

is daily enacted, in thousands of homes, as Death claims, in each one, another victim of Consumption or Pneumonia. But when Coughs and Colds are properly treated, the tragedy is averted. F. G. Huntley, of Oaklandon, Ind., writes: "My wife had the consumption, and three doctors gave her up. Finally she took Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption, Coughs and Colds which cured her, and to-day she is well and strong." It kills the germs of all diseases. One dose relieves. Guaranteed at 50c and \$1.00 by Crawford Bros., J. F. Mackey & Co. Funderburk Pharmacy, druggists. Trial bottle free.

A barn belonging to Legso and Pursley on the Catawba river near the city was burned last night and a quantity of feed went up in flames. The fire is supposed to be of incendiary origin, since it cannot be accounted for in any other way.—Rock Hill Record, 18th inst.

TWO BOTTLES CURED HIM

"I was troubled with kidney complaint for about two years," writes A. H. Davis, of Mt. Sterling, Ia., "but two bottles of Foley's Kidney Cure effected a permanent cure." Sold by Funderburk Pharmacy.

Three lots with dwellings, also vacant lot on Elm Street, for sale Apply to T. S. Carter Agent.

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Commendable

making itself more active a clean and beautiful. Recently the mayor issued a proclamation setting forth a clean-up day as "clean-up day," and the result was almost a transformation.

Among the suggestions contained in the mayor's proclamation were these:

If your store front, residence or fence is dull or dingy, order it painted.
If your awning is old, torn or faded, get a new one.
If your sidewalk, fence or gate needs repairing, fix it.
If your advertising sign is old or faded, take it down or paint it.
Resolve never to throw paper in the street.

Take all dandelions out of your lawn—they spoil its beauty.
Burn all the rubbish—either no one to throw it on the streets, alleys or vacant lots.
Promise not to spit on the sidewalk.
Organize a quick improvement society, and allow no weeds to grow on sidewalk, area or vacant property in your block.

Ask your milkmen, grocery and expressmen to have their wagons painted.
Irrespective of the size of your store in the business section.
Every effort put forth or dollar spent to improve our city's appearance will be returned two-fold.

Following these suggestions, all business streets and all alleys were thoroughly cleaned, all poles, fire alarm boxes, etc., were newly painted, drinking fountains have been erected, neatly painted refuse cans were placed at convenient points, buildings were repaired and painted, trees trimmed, lawns mowed, weeds destroyed, side walks repaired, flowerbeds made or enlarged and the city received such a cleaning that its beauty and attractiveness were enhanced a hundredfold. The citizens, men, women and even the children, entered into the spirit of the movement with earnest will and enthusiasm, and every body is pleased with the result. Such work is educational, and when its benefits are seen it will not be neglected or abandoned, but will be kept up.—Nashville American.

Arrested After 17 Years.

Sam alias Sampson Cooper, arrested here Saturday morning by policeman C. E. Wood, as noted in the Sunday's paper, at the instance of Sheriff J. E. Gallant of Sumter, S. C., is a negro wanted there for 17 years for highway robbery and assault with intent to kill. Sheriff Gallant came upon receipt of a telegram from Wilmington, stating that the negro had been arrested here, and he returned with the prisoner to Sumter yesterday afternoon.—Wilmington Star.

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