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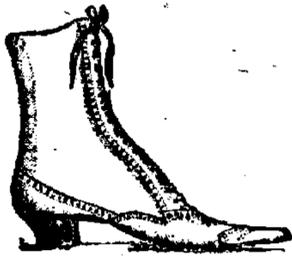
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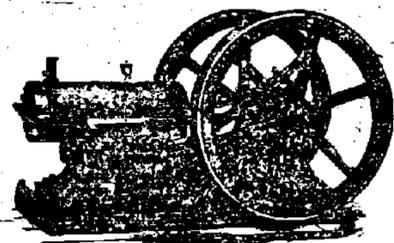
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CLARENCE A. SEWARD.

Death of a Famous Lawyer—The Funeral Will Be Held Here.

Clarence Armstrong Seward, a lawyer of New York city and a prominent American, who spent his youth at the home of his uncle, the late Secretary William H. Seward, in this city, died at his country home in Geneva on Saturday afternoon. He had been suffering from general debility for several years, but it was not until several months ago that, after an attack of influenza, his illness took an alarming turn. He arrived in Geneva with his family a few weeks ago and since that time failed gradually.

Mr. Seward is survived by a wife and two daughters, Miss Alice Seward and Mrs. Robert Endicott. His remains will be brought to this city for interment to-morrow in a special car. The funeral will be a public one and will be held from St. Peter's church at 3:30 o'clock. Rev. John Brainard, D. D., the pastor of the church, assisted by the chaplain of Hobart college, will officiate. There will also be a brief service at the home of General William H. Seward, a cousin, in South street.

Clarence Armstrong Seward was born in New York city on Oct. 7, 1823. His parents both died when he was but a child and he then came to the home of his uncle, William H. Seward, in this city. He became one of the family, attending the old Auburn academy until he graduated. Upon graduation he entered Hobart college, graduating from that institution in 1846. He then returned to Auburn and began the study of law in the office of his uncle, the firm then being known as Blatchford, Seward & Griswold. He was admitted to the bar in 1850 and subsequently aided Samuel Blatchford in the compilation of a valuable work in law known as "New York Civil and Criminal Justice."

In 1854 Mr. Seward went to New York city where he continued the practice of law. He has resided in that city ever since, actively engaged in the practice of his profession. His practice had chiefly to do with railroads, patents and express companies. During its course he, though not prominent as a politician, occupied several prominent positions in the service of the State. In 1856 Mr. Seward was appointed Judge Advocate General, his uncle, William H. Seward, having in the meantime, become the State's representative in the United States Senate. He held this position until 1860. During the greater part of the Civil war he was practicing law in New York city, but he was one of the first regiment, the 19th, raised in this section. In this regiment he ranked as colonel and served for three months. After the assassination of President Lincoln and the attempted assassination of Secretary Seward, Clarence A. Seward was called to Washington. Frederick W. Seward, then assistant secretary of State, had been wounded in the attack, and Clarence A. was appointed acting assistant secretary during his illness and convalescence. When he left Washington he resumed his practice of law in New York.

Mr. Seward was a presidential elector in 1850 and a delegate to the National convention of Republicans in 1876. He was more widely known as a lawyer than a politician, and more as a consulting lawyer than as an advocate. Recently he was senior member of the firm of Seward, Guthrie & Steele, at 40 Wall street, his partners being William D. Guthrie and Charles Steele. Mr. Seward was a well known club man of New York city. In 1861 he became a member of the Union club, and soon became a member of the governing committee of that club, continuing so for several years. He was elected president in 1880 and re-elected each succeeding year. He was also a member of the Bar association, the University club and the Players' club. Mr. Seward was vice president of the Adams Express company and counsel for that corporation.

The city home of Mr. Seward was at No. 33 Madison avenue. Although in poor health for a long time past, he was able to get into the city every day up to the time of his departure for Geneva. He was not obliged to take to his bed until he arrived there.

Many prominent New Yorkers are expected in the city to-morrow to attend the funeral. Frederick W. Seward is in the city to-day. Delegates are expected from the Union club and the Adams Express company. General W. H. Seward is in receipt of many telegrams of condolence. Among them are those from Joseph H. Choate and Thomas C. Platt.

For a sachet, put a couple of drops of Thomas' Electric Oil on a bit of cotton and place it in the ear. The pain will stop in a few moments. Simple enough, isn't it?

AN INTERESTING POINT.

There was an interesting argument in City Court this morning. It was a point raised by M. M. Pomeroy in the case of G. S. Fauning against Sarah Brady. Charles M. Baker appeared for Mr. Fauning. He had also served the summons on the defendant and it was on this that Mr. Pomeroy, who appeared for the defendant, raised the question. It was that Mr. Baker, having served the summons, could not appear for Mr. Fauning. Mr. Pomeroy held that a case similar to this had been decided as argued by Justice Adams. The case was adjourned to give Mr. Pomeroy time to present his references.

OWASCO BEACH NOTES.

Mr. and Mrs. Cuddy, of Syracuse, who have been stopping at Lake View, returned home to-day. Mrs. Stansfield returned from California Thursday evening. George Eclair has returned from his trip West. Miss Lou and Ruth Heald are visiting friends in Watkins. L. H. Taylor and son Fred and Miss Floyd, of Rochester, are visiting at Lake View.

BIKE LANTERNS STOLEN.

A miscreant got in his work on Saturday night at the lake. There was a number of bicycles up there lying around unprotected. From three of these the lanterns were stolen. The unfortunate owners were forced to walk from the city limits to their homes.

Good Blood

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SENECA COUNTY.

The Odd Fellows' Excursion Was a Success. Specially but Not Financially—Notes.

SENECA FALLS, July 26.—The Odd Fellows' excursion to Niagara Falls Saturday was a complete success in all respects except as a money maker for the lodges at this place and Waterloo. Under whose auspices it was given, they will be compelled to go into their treasuries to make up a balance on the expenses. This was not the fault of the committee, however, who worked hard to make it a success, but was chargeable rather to the weather which kept away a large number who had decided to go. The party left here about 6 a. m. on the electric cars at which time a heavy rain was falling with every indication that it would continue all day. The service on the Lehigh, however, was perfect as was the day at the Falls, where the party arrived at 10:35, 25 minutes ahead of schedule time. On the return train left the Falls at 8:02 and arrived at Geneva at 9 p. m., 45 minutes ahead of the time agreed on. From the testimony of those who went, it is evident that those who failed to go missed a rare treat.

Henry Norcott, a former resident of Seneca Falls, died at Wilkesbarre, Pa., Friday night. Deceased was a plumber by trade and had been absent from the place for several years and has not been heard of by his friends in some time. They did not know of his whereabouts until Saturday when a dispatch was received by the chief of police from Wilkesbarre asking for information about his friends. The dispatch, which simply stated that he had died at one of the hotels, was handed to his brother, Charles Norcott, who is the only remaining member of his family. The remains will not be brought here. The Republican convention will be held in the Johnson Opera house August 14.

Charles Wamby is receiving the congratulations of his friends on the arrival at his home on Friday of a son. The members of Seneca Falls Tent No. 24, K. O. T. M., will have their annual outing Saturday, August 14, by an excursion and basket-picnic to Kenwick park.

E. Brown, of Ohio, is in town for a few days, visiting friends.

Miss Bertha Metcalf is spending a vacation of several weeks with relatives in Syracuse and Gouverneur.

Rev. E. H. Dickinson, who with his family, is spending the month at their cottage at Kidders, occupied the pulpit of the Presbyterian church yesterday.

He returned to Kidders this morning.

WATERLOO, July 26.—Dr. John Saadi, delivered a very interesting lecture at St. Paul's church last evening on "Mohammedanism and Christianity or Mohammedan Warfare."

Mrs. John Edwards, residing about two miles Northwest of this village, met with a severe accident on Thursday evening. She was riding in the rear seat of a two seated conveyance, when the seat tipped backward, throwing her with great force to the ground. She sustained a fractured breast bone and was badly bruised.

A special meeting of the Waterloo cemetery commissioners was held on Friday evening for the purpose of appointing a member to fill the vacancy occasioned by the death of Jesse Snook, who was president of the board. Joseph S. Barnes was appointed to fill the vacancy and Edward Peterson was chosen president. Resolutions in memory of the deceased member of the board were passed.

The Republicans of Fayette held a lively caucus at the Hotel Lux Saturday evening. The Mongin faction was unaware of any opposition and when the old Seward element put in appearance matters became interesting. However, the Mongin faction was victorious, but by a small majority. Those who were present were Mr. Allen, George C. Thomas, John L. Boston, Millard P. Garnet and William L. Sweet 2d.

The water in the wheels mill race will be drawn off to-day preparatory to building some masonry connected with the water power.

The gold fever has struck a number of Waterloo people, who have signified their intentions of leaving for the Northwest in January or February.

Cayuga Notes.

CAYUGA, July 26.—Mrs. James T. Stevenson and Miss Emma Stevenson are at Slaterville Springs.

Master Roe Stevenson of Wolcott, N. Y., is spending a part of his vacation here.

Mrs. Georgia Smith and Master Douglas, of Rochester, are in town.

Miss Mary Koonce, a graduate of the Moody Institute, Chicago, is at home for a visit with her parents.

Miss Bessie Hallock, of Fulton, is visiting friends and relatives here.

Miss Flora Willard is entertaining Ida Wandering, of Ithaca.

Miss Bertha Mann, of Rochester, is the guest of her sister, Mrs. Frank Cole.

Hurley D. Sheldon, of Kingston, N. Y., was in town Saturday.

KILLED HIS WIFE.

Held Her Over a Log, and 1-Year-Old Boy Cut Her Head Off.

BIRMINGHAM, Ala., July 26.—George Anderson, 49 years old, a prominent farmer residing near Brookwood, and his son Wesley, aged 15, were jailed at Tuscaloosa on the charge of murder. According to a confession made by Anderson's 7-year-old son, the two murdered Anderson's wife, Wesley's stepmother.

A week ago the father, his two sons and his wife left Brookwood in a wagon for a trip to Columbiana, in Shelby county, returning the other day.

En route back Anderson quarreled with his wife and he determined to put her out of the way. A lone spot in the woods the wagon was halted and the husband seized the wife, who was an invalid, and held her head across a log, while Wesley, according to his father's command, brought an ax from the wagon and chopped her head off while she struggled.

The excited boy then strove to sever the head from the body. The corpse was hid away in an old stump hole.

The boys says he can take the officers to the spot where the body was concealed. He will be given a chance. Anderson and his only son tell conflicting stories of the woman's whereabouts. The former says she is at a hospital at Columbiana, but telegrams to that place fail to locate her.

SODA CYLINDER EXPLODED.

Two Men Who Were Charging a Soda Water Fountain Badly Hurt.

TRAYTON, N. J., July 26.—By the explosion of a soda water cylinder that was being charged in the cellar of the drug store of Oscar Davidson, at Market and Broad streets, two young men were seriously injured. They were Oliver Twist, 22 years old, and Walter Volk.

The two men were charging a 10-gallon fountain with carbonic acid gas. Both men were leaning over the cylinder when it exploded with a report like a dynamite blast. The noise was heard for blocks, and soon a large crowd collected in front of the drug store. Both men were picked up in a dazed condition and carried up stairs.

Walter Volk was broken in two places, and he was terribly lacerated in the abdomen. There were also many bruises on other parts of his body. Dr. Gallagher and Stevenson, who are in attendance, fear that the injuries will prove fatal. Twist was slightly more fortunate and, though badly bruised and suffering greatly from the effects of the shock, is expected to recover.

As yet the men have been unable to give any account of the accident, and it is not known whether they were so blame or whether there was a defect in the resort. The cellar was badly wrecked.

Campbell's Neck Was Broken.

CHESTER, Pa., July 25.—James B. Campbell, ex-city clerk of Chester, was killed in an extraordinary way. He was one of a party standing on the government pier awaiting the Wilmington passenger steambus. A steam tug which was lying at the pier, with a hawser attached to a post, began to move, and the hawser becoming taut slipped over the top of the post, and fell rapidly through the rigging of the Campbell under the chin. The rope encircled tightly about his neck, lifted the unfortunate man 10 feet in the air and then dropped him to the pier. His neck was broken and he was found to be dead when the horror-stricken spectators ran to assist him.

Richfield Springs Hotel Burned.

UTICA, N. Y., July 25.—The only part left standing of the Spring House at Richfield Springs is a small part of the western corner, the rest having been consumed by fire. When the fire broke out in the laundry there were 150 guests in the house. The flames progressed slowly through the various parts of the hotel, and except the employes, who occupied quarters in the vicinity of the laundry, everybody had ample time to get out. It is probable that T. R. Proctor, the proprietor of the hotel, will replace the burned structure with a brick building. The loss is estimated at \$200,000; insurance, \$72,000.

O'Donnell Shot Into the Crowd.

CHICAGO, July 26.—James O'Donnell, who lives the life of a recluse, shot into a crowd of small boys who were playing ball near his home. Thomas Good, 12 years old, and Frank Spears, aged 8, negroes, were badly wounded. Spears will probably die. As soon as the shooting became known a mob of neighbors surrounded O'Donnell's home. The timely arrival of a patrol wagon saved his life, but by a narrow margin, as the mob surrounded the wagon and the officers were found to fight to protect their prisoner. O'Donnell said the boys annoyed him with their noise.

Rain Destroys Crops.

SYRACUSE, July 26.—The recent heavy rains did a vast amount of damage to the crops of Central New York. The principal sufferers are in the towns of Sullivan, Madison county; Pomeroy, Cicero, Manlius and La Fayette, Onondaga county. It is estimated that crops to the amount of \$500,000 have been destroyed. Reports show that nine bridges were washed away in various places.

Killed by a Blow.

NEW YORK, July 26.—Timothy Kilmarin, a bricklayer from Newark, quarreled with a fellow named James Neely on the Bowery. Neely hit Kilmarin on the head with his fist, knocking him insensible. He died without having spoken. Neely said he struck in self-defense.

BONANZA MINE SOLD.

BAKER CITY, Ore., July 26.—The sale of the Bonanza mine has been consummated and the papers signed. The price paid was \$750,000 and \$50,000 was paid on the spot. Half of the balance is to be paid in 30 days and the remainder in 60 days, although it is understood that all will be paid within the 30 days as the buyers deposited the full amount in a New York bank and had a certified check for the full amount with them on their arrival here.

The purchasers are John M. Patterson, of Pittsburg; George Crawford, of New York; N. P. Hayes, of Philadelphia; J. S. Wallace, of Denver.

Albert, Louis, Emma, Edward and Frank Geiler had been the owners of the Bonanza for the last six years. Prior to that time it was operated by James Steele, of Portland. Two years ago the property could have been bought for \$500,000.

Wesley Donohue, aged 13, of Louisville, Ky., had brown hair just before he fell 14 feet from a ladder. The only injury he received from his fall was that his hair had turned perfectly gray.

OUR GIRLS AND BRITONS.

Why American Maidens Are Tempted to Wed Old Englishmen.

Why does the American girl marry the Briton? Has she any adequate justification? Do you suppose it pays her, and can such a choice on her part be defended on large grounds as promotive of the greatest good of the greatest number? Is it a fact, as has been diply suggested, that she moves to England to get country life because we have no good country here yet, or, on the contrary, can it be demonstrated that one reason our country roads are so bad is that the American girl cannot abide the country and promptly carries her man off to town at the earliest moment that sees his endeavors blessed with the necessary income? Is it her fault that country interests tend too much to fall to the care of a residuum that is too poor to get away, or has the country life not much to do one way or the other with her British propensities?

To be honest, there are other conceivable reasons for marrying an English gentleman besides his country roads. He may be a charming gentleman—they are said to be so once in awhile—who can win a wife by plain, personal courtship, and whom any woman would be justified in marrying on general principles and without specific excuses, or he may be a good "average" sort of man whose advantage over his American brother is a matter of size or complexion or hale appearance. I have known American women who ventured to assert that the feminine eye rejoiced more in the type of male human that treads the pavements of Piccadilly and Pall Mall than in the contemporaneous pedestrians of Fifth avenue and Broadway.

Or maybe it is his superior stolidity that electrifies in the Briton. It is to be feared that there is truth in that tale Mr. Kipling or somebody was telling of how phlegmatic merchants of the east had discovered that the way to beat the American was simply to put him off and let him fret himself rootless. Stolidity is not quite the same as repose, but to persons who are suffering from an acute dearth of repose it may appeal as a tolerable substitute, so that one can imagine an American maid, worn with the restless aspirations of her high pressure countrymen, turning with sincere relief to pillow her fair young head upon a boom behind which lurked no threat of heart failure.—North American Review.

Forest—Macready—McCullough.

McCullough did not carry the actor into everyday life, as Forrest did. Forrest was always "the great tragedian," and after his divorce generally moody and silent, but when he spoke it was in deep, tragic tones and with shakings of his black curly locks that impressed the listener with unbounded awe.

No one, I think, ever dared to joke or be familiar with the great Forrest. When "almighty day" came around and he had to pay a good, round sum to his divorced wife, it was better to keep away from him, for then he allowed his temper and "ugliness" to have full sway.

Nowhere in American dramatic history does an actor stand out with the prominence of Forrest. His individuality was so pronounced that no one who once met him could ever obliterate that meeting from his memory. Forrest is also a part of history, for there are many who remember the "Macready riots," incited primarily by Forrest hissing Macready in "Hamlet" for introducing some business he did not like—waving a handkerchief and dancing on in the players' scene—which Forrest sarcastically dubbed "the pas de monchir." This was in London, and the news spread like wildfire, so that after playing a magnificent first engagement all over England his second was made a failure by Macready's friends hissing, growling and interrupting his plays.—Overland Monthly.

A man in San Diego got a divorce from his wife and she is now keeping house for him at \$20 per month. They no longer quarrel and the arrangement appears to be satisfactory.

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