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Not only have the records been broken for the 30th and 31st of May and the 1st, id and 3d of June, but a much more important record has been smashed. This is algrand total of five record breaking days in succession. Never before in the history of the local weather department has any thing of this nature occurred before.

It is safe to say that at least 25 people have died during the past five days as a result of the heated term and that over 150 have been prostrated and taken to the different hospitals of the city. A good many of those taken to the different pub lic institutions will not recover.

The nearest to yesterday's best was June 8, 1884, when the thermometer registered 86.

The death list yesterday is one of the longest on record. Thus far 10 people have been carried off the atreets dead and Il more are in a precarious condition The following is a list of the deaths and

prostrations thus far reported for the day Deaths-John Smith, laborer, Loretto Jordan, 4 months old; William Kelly, laborer; Robert Montgomery, laborer; George Frenck, 6 months old; Freda Kroshinski, 2 years 8 months old; Louise Ravenell, 11 months old; Caroline Boit, 14 months old; Anthony Copeldie, Syears old; Kathrine Gairing, laundress, and Thomas Lance, laborer.

Prostrations-William Eganauff, Herman Lodell, unknown man about 60 years old. Policeman Edward Houlthan, Hugh Tyler, Ellen Murray, Herman Budolph, Edward Clark, Thomas Wills, James Crimmins, William Scalon.

In Brooklyn no deaths were reported. Following is a list, of those prostrated: Mrs. Florence Stone, William Devine, Spesanzo Lorenzo, unknown 12-year-old, Tony Brigande, Bessie O Connor, Robert Drummond, Henry Hoerman, unknown man 55 years old Patrick Cunning and M. Werrell.

Protection For Landlords.

ALBANY, June & - Governor Morton hos signed two bills designed to protect lodging bouse keepers. One of them provides: The keeper of a lodging house other than an emigrant lodging house shall have the same lien upon and right to detain and sell the baggage and effects of any lodger to the same extent and in the same manner as innkeepers have such lien." The other provides: "A person who obtains any ludging, food or accommodation at an inn as boarding house or lodging house except an immigrant ledging house without paying therefor, wit intent to dofraud the proprietor or manager thereof. or who obtains credit at such an inn, boarding house or lodging house by the use of any false pretente, or who, after obtaining credit or accommodation at such an inn, boarding house or lodging house, absconds and surreptitiously removes hisbaggage therefrom without paying for his of George R. Fisher and entering shot food, accommodation or lodging, is guilty him five times while he was in hed killing

Old Man Probably Murdered.

TURONTO, June 4 - Another case of murder has come to light near Peterboro. David Scollie; an old farmer, contracted with a couple named Gray, lately from Ireland, to run his farm, he to board with them, and at his death the Gray's were to get the property in payment for his keep. On Feb. 22, 1891, fire occurred in the house and Scollie was burned to death. The trunk of the old man's body was found intact, but the head is missing. The Grays sold out and left for the states. Suspicion was aroused and Saturday the government sent doctors to exhume the body. Their report has not yet been sent in but it is said it will show that murder was done.

Log Floating War.

WATERTOWN, N. Y., June 5. - A legal war which promises to end in a gentine combat at arms in the Adleondacks has been in progress for nearly a year Justice Williams has dented a motion in special term of the supreme court to grant an injunction restraining Mrs. Julia de Camp and her representatives from interfering with the floating of logs down the north branch, of the Moose river by tho Moose River Lumber company. As the courts have denied relief to either of the parties Mrs. de Camp's representatives have placed a body of armed men at Minnehaha in the north woods and any attempt to float logs down the stream will be resisted by force Trouble seems im-

Durant Pleads Not Gullty.

SAN FRANCISCO, May 80. - Theodore Durant, who was arraigned in the superior court for the murder of Blanche Lamont and Minnie Williams, pleaded not guilty in each case. Both trials were set for July 22, the district attorney electing to try the defendant first for the murder of Blanche Lamont. Counsel for the defense gave notice that they would probably apply for a change of venue before the date fixed for the trial. Durant maintained his air of unconcern throughout

the brief court proceedings.

Frederick B. Merrihew Dead. NEW YORK, June 8 - Frederick B. Merribow, aged 28 years, son of James Merrihew, general superintendent of the Western Union Telegraph company, has died at his father's residence of appendicitis and peritonitis.

Thomas Carlyle's Niece Dead. LONDON, June 8 .- Mrs. Mary Carlyle Aitken, Thomas Carlyle's niece, is dead. She acted as housekeeper and amanuensis for him after Carlyle's wife died and collaborated with Professor Norton in collecting his letters.

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SAMBO'S NARROW ESCAPE

The Enumeration Was Not Complete Except to Convict Rim.

It is not strange that the southern colored man has vagne and mistaken notions about property rights. He and his ancestors were for ages enslaved and had no rights whatever, even to their own persons. Therefore all they could gain was through treachery and deceit, and it is only natural that there traits bred by slavery remain as inherited obaracteristics, now that the negro enjoys the blessings of freedom. It may take several generations before their habit of stealing will be unlearned, for even when the colored man becomes religious his easily besetting sin will be most often found in his not respecting the prop; erty rights of others. And thereby hange A IRIA

It was a Tennessee Methodist class leader who had before him a six months' probationer whom he was questioning for admission to all the privileges of the

"Well, Sambo," said the class leader. 'I hope you are prepared to live a Christian life in accordance with your profession. Have you stolen any chickens during the last six months?"

'No, sah! I done stele he chickens.' "Have you stolen any turkeys or

Sambo looked grieved. "No, sah!" "I am very glad to hear this good report," continued the class leader, "and I trust you will continue to live an honcet Christian life.

After church Sambo hurried home with his wife, who had overheard the catechizing. When they were fairly out of everybody's hearing, he drew a long breath of relief and turned a self approving glance to his better half. 'Golly," he said in a half cautious whisper, "ef he'd er said ducks I'd be n a lost niggah, suah !"-Boston Budget.

Beaten to Death by Toughe. PROVIDENCE, R. I., June 8.—As Robert Spencer, Michael Delahanty and John McCarty of this city were going along a path through the Corliss woods, they found the body of a man who had evi dently been murdered, lying in a pool of blood. The head was battered and bruised, but there were no signs of struggle. The authorities were notified and the body taken to the morgus. It proved to be that of Patrick Gallagher of this city, a melter at the Franklin Iron foundry. The only clew to the murderers is in the fact that Gallagher attended a foresters' piculo Friday and got into row with several North End roughs. The police are looking for the North Enders, but have not yet found them. Gallagher was 86 years of age. He leaves a widow and a little girl about 2 years old.

Brutal Murder In Indiana. MOUNT VERNOR, June & - A brutal murder occurred in Walnut Bottom, opposite here. Morgon Black rode up to the house him instantiv. company with Black's sister and the latter objected. Black excepted to the intention of lynching Black if captured.

IMPORTANT BILLS SIGNED.

Eighteen New Laws Turned Out by Gov. ernor Merten.

ALBANY, May 80. - Governor Morton signed 18 bills before leaving for Now.

One was the general appropriation bill of the assembly ways and means committee providing for the expenditure of approximately 19,400,000 for the maintenance of the government and the illing of dofloiencles in former appropriations. None of the items contained in the bills was yetoed.

The tax rate bill, calling for a levy of 2,24 mills, he also signed. It is from the no word for how I felt. size of this levy that the talk of the necessity of an extra seasion of the legislature arises, the purpose of such a session to be the striking out of the .20 mills demanded by the law in placing the support of the New York and Kinga county insane in the general budget and thus making the state tax for the following: year 2.93 mills.

Approval was also fixed to the bill of Senator Raines, providing for the use of a blanket ballot at elections. The provisions of this bill have been fully published heretofore,

The governor's approval of Senator barber sliops on Sunday except in Saratoga and New York was unexpected, it being generally understood that the Pavey bill, which would allow such shops to remain open on Sunday till 1 p. m., would receive sanction.

Congregational Home Bission. SARATOGA: June 5.-The Congregational Home Missionary society began its 69th anniversary in the Washington street Methodist church. The principal address was made by the president, Major General O. O. Ho and of Burlington, Vt. Rev. Dr. R G. Butching preached the annual sermon in place of Rev. Dr. W. H. Davis of Detroit. He took as his text psalms ix. 4: "Thou bast given a banner to them

that fear thee, that it may be displayed because of the truth."

Fatal Laudelide In Montreal.

MONTREAL, June 5 -- While laborers were excavating the site of the new Dalhousie Square station of the Canadian Pacific railroad a landslide occurred, killing one man, Jean Baptiste La Flamme. He was crushed beyond recognition. Six others are badly injured. The old station building is expected to tamble down.

Prominent Baltunevean Dead. BALTIMORE, June 8 -Frederic Shriver, prominently identified with the steamboat interests of Beltimore, is dead, aged 42 New York Tribune

Plaster casts in their natural state are best freed from dust by covering them with a thick layer of starch. When the starch is dry, brush thoroughly with a stiff brush, and it will be found that the dust has been removed with the starch.

The Chattaboochee river in Georgia is so called from an Indian expression meaning "painted rocks." At several places on its banks the cliffs have peculiar markings that resemble artificial paintings.

In 1870 candles were first made from

ARE SAD FACED MEN

THIS IS WHAT ONE OF THE CRAFT SAYS OF DEEP SEA DIVERS.

A Life That Im't Exertly July A Yes eran Tells of Experiences He and Other Divers Have Had-A Close Shave-Pairyland on the Court's Button.

"I suppose you sometimes see some fearful sights in wrecks," said a veporter to a veteran deep see diver.

"Yes, but you get used to 'em when roo have been in the business long. When I first started diving, I was sent down to report a wreck. Nobedy was supposed to have been drowned when the ressel went down, but when I went into the cabin the first thing I saw was the body of a man seated at the table. The water was very clear and magnified him until he looked about four times his natural size. His hand was upon the shoulder of a little boy, who was sitting on his knee. It was my first experience with dead bodies, and it gave me a shock Now I don't mind 'em at all. Most of the tales you bear about groups of dead people sittin round quite natural in a cabin are lies. A body will rise after being in the water a couple of weeks and be found floating up against the ceiling. When they have their legs under a table, they sometimes sit right where they are until their bodies decky away, because they are held down by the table, which is usually screwed to the

"An English diver I knew once had a protty nasty experience with sharks. He was diving in a wreak which had been londed with live onttle. When she had been down at the bottom for a mouth or so, the hodies of the cettle became light and floated up against the hatchways. As soon as he started the after hatch, the cattle began to float out and up to the surface of the water. The locality was infested with sharks, and they soon began to gather round the hatchway, grabbing the cattle as they came out and following them up to the surface, fighting among themselves. Some of the cattle had been tisd, and they floated out as far as their ropes would allow. The sharks gathered round them and began to tear them to pieces. Pretty soon they began to fight, and poor Marsh—that was his name—was afraid to go up for fear he might be attacked and afraid to stay down because one snap of a shark's mouth would have severed his air hose in a twinkling. He gave the signal to be hanled up in a hurry and went bill among the school of sharks and through them. In going through a shark snapped at him and took off his right hand, so that he had to give up the business."

"What's the narrowest escape you over had?"

"Well, about the closest shave that I copper on a steamer's bottom while she was in dock. I took some plates down swamps. A posse was formed with the with me and did some work on one side. of the hull, after which I wanted to put some plates on the other side. The vessel was about three feet off the bottom. I crawled underneath, dragging some plates after me. When I had been working for some time, I noticed my air was getting short, so I went to try to get under the keel again to be hauled up. I found the steamer nearly on the bottom and squeezing my air hose between her keel and the ground. The tide was giving out, and she had gradually sunk until sho was almost aground. I had forgotten all about the tide, and when I pulled the hose I found it would not budge an inch. I can tell you scared is

"If the bottom had been soft, it would not have mattered so much, but it was rock, and the hose was gripped like a vice. There was nothing to do but wait. If she fell any lower, the air would be entirely shut off, and I would simply have to die. You can bet I shall never forget those few minutes when I was waiting to see whether she rose or fell. My head felt as though it was bursting and my nose and ears began to bleed. Presently I felt the air getting a little fresher. I took heart, and soon ababe-Coiling bill cailing for the closing of all gan to rise with the turn of the tide. There was plenty of time for me to get my nerve back before she was high enough off the bottom for me to crawl under. I didn't get it back, however, but just stood there trembling until I could squeeze under her bottom and give the signal to be hauled up. For weeks after that I was a sick man, and my

hearing has never been right since. "Sometimes, especially in tropical waters, the bottom of the sea is a lovely sight. I have seen a forest of kelp and senweed gently waving with the tide which looked like fairyland. The dim light and the bright colored fish darting about make it look all the more beaut !ful. A bit of seaweed on land does not amount to much, but if you see a regular forest of it growing it looks very dif-

ferent "If you stand still for a minute, the fish will swim all around you and examine you just as a lot of human beings would look at some strange animal. At the slightest movement they whick their tails and not a living thing is to be seen.

"It takes the life out of a man somehow, diving does, and I never knew a diver who did much smiling. They are all rather grave, sober faced men."-

Constituent Paris of a Cord of Wood.

A cord of fairly seasoned wood weight about 4,000 pounds. If subjected to a heat of between 700 and 800 degrees it resolves into three distinct productscharcoal, pyroligneous soid and gases. In order to properly bring this change about it is necessary to place the wood in a kiln and apply the heat gradually for four or five days. At the end of that time the residue will be 1,000 pounds of charcoal, 2,000 pounds of pyroligneous acid and 1,000 pounds of uncondensed gases. The aggregate weight of these products is exactly equal to the original weight of the wood.—St. Louis Repub-

MILD MR. ROCKEFELLER

The March White Mis Tout Trees a Without Getting Rulling.

I mever new a most take hife less sur! only than John D. Rockefeller, says a correspondent of the New York Press He has an case way of saying and doing things that appeal to the netbetic sature. Nothing worries him, not all his millions. At times I have known John to seem dull. I have known people to take him for a soft, slow, stopid fellow, instead of the hard, gliding, dom, rooky of the civilized would. Men and winner follow that he is. He care had an am- among the residing chance no longer planes, a nervous, irritable young man, marry in sprthing like such numbers as full of his own importance, but withal a capable clerk. He occupied an office in which there was one of these pailing and lifting machines, and regularly every raceping about 9, when he was immerged in figures of correspondence, a difficient in manner, entered, said "Good morning," walked on tiptoe to the cor-STREETS:

"How do you expect me to do my it won't worry a person to death?"

The stranger replied, with a blash: and wory sorry if it amnoys you. I will have it removed at once."

A porter took it away within an hour A ferr days later the clerk was sent for seemer, healthin; happier and more of by Mr. Flagler, whom he found in ear-public children.—Haglish Paper. nest conversation with the small black mustached man. The latter smiled at seeing him, gave Flagler some instructions and left the room.

"Will you tell me who that gentlemars is?" the young man asked, a light gered back to his office to think. It was his first acquaintance with the Standard Oil magnate.

Grevitation and the Blook. We ordinarily think of the attraction of gravitation only as producing what we call weight, and as governing the Telephone 704 motion of the earth and other planets in their orbits. But gravitation acts in a very important manner upon the circulation of the blood in our veins and arteries. An elaborate series of experiments has recently been carried out in England to determine just what effect gravitation exercises in this respect, and how its disturbing influence is compan-

sated in the bodily mechanism. It has been found that man probably possesses a more complete compensation of this kind than any other snimal, and

next to man. Injuries to the spinal cord, asphyxia, member was when I was potting some and poisoning by chloroform or carrie parmlyse, more or less completely, the power of compensation, and then the influence of gravitation on the circulation of the blood may become a serious des-

> In such a case death is more likely to result, according to the conclusions of Professor Leonard Hill, if the body is placed in such a position that the abdomen is at a lower level than the heart. But the danger may be diminished or

removed either by elevating the abdomens or by compressing it so as to drive the blood up to the heart. When the heart itself, however, has been injured, as by chloroform, there is danger in foreing the blood too rapidly into it. Professor Hill finds that, generally

speaking, the best position for the body, when the power of compensation for the effects of gravitation has been arrested. is with the feet up instead of with the feet down. - Youth's Companion.

The Hamadryad.

The keeper at the soo, describing to me the hammdryad's appearance when it rained itself to strike, said it was peroud and "bold looking." The action was as swift as thought and looked almost like a spring from the ground. How high when irritated the territo thing can strike is not known, but no other instance is authenticated of a make making good a blow so high as four feet from the ground, while marks on the glass of its onge show that the repatile lise, in its endeavors to scoope from confinement, reached up to the height of nine feet.

Supposing, then, that we were inclimed to believe all that the natives of India say about it—that it is so flaroe as to attack man at sight; so vindictive as to follow him with dogged resolution and add to it all we actually know about the reptile, that it can climb trees like an anaconda, swim like a hydra, get over a 9 foot wall and squeeze through a 5 inch hole, and that its bite is death. it would have to be conferred that the sunke eating smake is the most terrible creature in nature - Good Words.

An Ivory Mat.

Many people have never even heard of such a thing, slid it is not to by mou-dered at, for these mass are exceedingly rare, and it is said, by those who know that only three of these beautiful curi-cutties exist in the whole world. The one we now write about is the Isagest one made. It measures 8 by 4 feet, and though made its a small hill state in the north of India has an almost Greek design for its border. It was only used on state occasions, when the rajah sat on it to sign important documents. The original cost of the mest is fabricos, for 6,400 pounds of ivory were used in its manufacture. The finest strips of ivory must bave been taken off the tusks, as the man is as flerible as a woven stuff and beautifully fine.-Ladies' Pictorial

Vermalility.

Jess-Well. I must go and take off my bieyele bloomers.

Hess-Whit for? Jes-I've got to attend a meeting of be Society For the Introduction of Oresa Skirta Among Turkish Women.

New Orleans Times Democrat.

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