

# WEEKLY COURIER.

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THE Cologne Gazette declares that typhus fever is raging in the famine-stricken districts of Russia.

UNITED STATES MINISTER TO ENGLAND. LINCOLN was obliged to take to his bed, on the 11th, suffering from influenza. But the attack is said to be of a mild nature.

In the New York senate, on the 13th, Mr. Carter introduced a bill appropriating \$300,000 for the preliminary work of the state exhibit at the Columbian exhibition.

GEN. SCROFIELD received a telegram from Gen. Merritt, on the 12th, in which he stated that affairs at Tongue River agency, Mont., were assuming a more peaceable aspect.

It is expected that four different committees of the house of representatives will soon be put to work investigating the effect of the McKinley tariff law upon trade and commerce.

THE county court of Shelby county, Tenn., has ordered an appropriation of \$20,000 for the representation of that county at the Chicago World's fair, provided the state raises \$100,000.

CARDINAL MANNING, who for some time past had been ill with influenza, was reported, on the 13th, to be in a critical condition. His physicians gave but little hope of his recovery.

ADVICES from Peking are to the effect that the returns for 1891 show an increase in the foreign trade greater than for any year since Chinese ports were opened to foreign commerce.

In the Ohio legislature, in joint session on the 13th, Lieut.-Gov. Harris, presiding, declared John Sherman duly elected United States senator for the term of six years beginning March 4, 1893.

THE railroad companies entering the city of Washington have reached an agreement to charge one fare for the round trip from any point to that city during the National G. A. R. encampment.

Up to date fifteen disconsolate grass widows have put in claims to wifehood to John Anderson, who is held in Cleveland, O., under charges of bigamy and the robbery of his latest matrimonial victim.

HENRY EDWARD MANNING, cardinal priest of the Roman Catholic church and archbishop of Westminster, died in London on the 14th. He was born at Totteridge, Herefordshire, England, July 15, 1808.

CHARLES AUGUSTUS AIKEN, professor of philosophy and science in its relation to the Christian religion, and of oriental and Old Testament literature in Princeton (N. J.) college, died, on the 14th, of the grip.

EIGHTY deaths from influenza are reported as having occurred in Paris on the 10th. The announcement created considerable uneasiness in that city, indicating, as it does, the increasing violence of the epidemic.

A DECREASE of 23,500,000 roubles in the revenues and an increase of 3,500,000 roubles in expenditures, is exhibited by the Russian budget for 1892. It is expected that the deficit will amount to 7,450,000 roubles.

THE question of allowing Mexican troops to enter United States territory in pursuit of Garza and his band is pending, but the officials of the state and war departments refuse to say what action is likely to be taken in the matter.

LOUIS CLOVIS BONAPARTE, a son of the late Prince Lucien Bonaparte, was charged upon a warrant at the west London police court, on the 12th, with conspiring with Mr. Wm. Alexander Thomson to defraud Rosalie Clovis Bonaparte out of a diamond necklace and other jewels valued at \$100,000.

THE court-martial held in New York, which had been trying Maj. Charles Throckmorton, Second artillery, United States army, for issuing fraudulent vouchers and checks, met in secret session on the 11th. A verdict was found and forwarded to Washington. The penalty for several of the specifications made against the major is dismissal from the army.

ARCHBISHOP IRELAND left St. Paul, Minn., on the 14th, for New York, en route for Liege, Belgium, where he will attend the international Catholic conference. He will be abroad four months and will visit Rome. The archbishop's visit is also rumored to be in connection with the vacant cardinalate, and his appointment thereto is among the probabilities.

PRINCE ALBERT VICTOR CHRISTIAN EDWARD, duke of Clarence and Avondale, eldest son of the prince of Wales and heir presumptive to the British throne, whose happy betrothal to Princess Mary Victoria of Teck was so recently announced, died at Sandringham, a little after 9 o'clock on the morning of the 14th. He was born at Frogmore lodge, near Windsor, on January 8, 1864.

FURTHER particulars from Columbia, Mo., show the loss by the university fire to have been greater than at first reported. The geological cabinet, valued at \$15,000, and containing many rare specimens, was destroyed. The physical laboratory lost apparatus worth \$4,000. The manual training school escaped comparatively unharmed. The military department lost \$5,000. Ample accommodations for class-rooms have been secured, and the work of the university will proceed without further interruption.

# CURRENT TOPICS.

THE NEWS IN BRIEF.

FIFTY-SECOND CONGRESS.

In the senate, on the 11th, the vice-president presented a communication from the interior department asking an immediate deficiency appropriation of \$150,000 for the support of the Sioux Indians at Fort Totten, Kas. The first bill passed was a communication from the United States minister to Mexico, Mr. Ryan, suggesting a return of the trophies of war captured from the sister republic during the Mexican war. Mr. Teller introduced a bill looking to the calling of a world's silver conference. In the house Mr. Breckinridge (Ky.) introduced a resolution for the repeal of the retaliatory duties clause of the McKinley law, and authorizing the president to open our ports free to those countries which admit our products free of duty. Objected to and withdrawn. A large number of measures were introduced, among them several relating to free coinage and amendment of the tariff law.

In the senate, on the 12th, the vice-president laid several messages from the president, relating to India affairs, before the senate. Mr. Dolph, from the committee on fortifications, presented reports on two bills one of them to "provide for fortifications and other coastal defenses, which carries an appropriation of \$100,000,000, to be expended during the next eleven years. The first bill passed was that for the relief of the heirs of James C. Booth, deceased, formerly mitter and refiner in the Philadelphia mint. In the house Mr. E. B. Taylor reported from the committee on the judiciary a bill providing times and places for holding the circuit and district courts in several divisions of the northern district of Iowa, which was passed. Bills for the consolidation of customs collection districts and to encourage and develop silk culture in the United States were introduced.

In the senate, on the 13th, Mr. Paddock reported favorably from the committee on agriculture his pure-food bill of the last congress. Mr. Dolph resigned from the chairmanship of the committee on coast defenses. A bill appropriating an additional \$100,000 for a public building at Hoboken, N. J., was after much discussion, passed. In the house Mr. Wise offered a resolution authorizing the commerce committee to sit either as a full or sub-committee, and to send for persons and papers, which was modified and adopted. January 16 was fixed for the consideration of the printing bill. Mr. Holman offered a resolution against bounties and subsidies, and in favor of general economy, on which the previous question was demanded and put. Yeas, 154; nays, 80, the alliance men voting No.

In the senate on the 14th, Mr. Callum introduced a bill "to promote the safety of employees and travelers by compelling common carriers to equip their cars with automatic couplers and continuous brakes and the locomotive driving-wheel brakes." Morning business was exhausted in less than twenty-five minutes, and the senate resumed the consideration of bills on the calendar. In the house a number of executive documents were submitted and referred. The Holman resolution was then taken up, and the remainder of the session was devoted to its discussion, at the end of which Mr. Holman announced that he would to-morrow move a reconsideration of the vote by which the previous question was ordered.

## PERSONAL AND GENERAL.

MR. ROBERT BONNER, the owner of the mare Sunol, has received an offer from the president of the Columbia Driving Park association of Columbia, Tenn., of \$10,000 for a race between Nancy Hanks and Sunol. Mr. Bonner says that he will not allow Sunol to race under any conditions.

MAJ. MCKINLEY took the oath of office as governor of Ohio, at Columbus, on the 11th, and delivered his inaugural address.

REPORTS received from Scotland and the northern counties of England, on the 11th, stated that the fall of snow continued incessant and heavy, while the weather remained intensely cold.

THE ancient abbey of Fecamp, a seaport town of France on the English channel, where the famous Benedictine liquor is made, has been destroyed by fire.

THE private car of Senator Brice was damaged by fire, on the night of the 11th, to the extent of \$2,000, in the Pennsylvania railroad yards at Washington. The fire originated in the kitchen, and that end of the car was nearly destroyed.

A RUNAWAY engine at Doncaster, England, jumped the rails, on the 12th, ran through the goods sheds, and dashed into the workrooms where a number of employees were at the moment breakfasting. One man was killed and several injured.

It is said that Chicago is to have a new outlet to the southwest by means of the Rock Island railroad.

AT Louvain, in Brabant, France, 400 inmates of the insane asylum are down with the grip, while many of the nurses are also ill.

VERY REV. HENRY GABRIELS, D. D., president of the St. Joseph seminary, Troy, N. Y., has been appointed to the vacant bishopric of Ogdensburg, N. Y.

SURGEONS STITT and White of the United States cruiser Baltimore testified at Vallejo, Cal., that the death of Turnbull was directly caused by neglect in the hospital where he was carried by the Chilean police. The Chileans refused to allow the Baltimore's surgeons to treat their men and declined to do it themselves except in a very superficial way.

THE commercial travelers of the country have already begun to move on congress for an amendment to the interstate commerce law, which will permit the railroads to give them special rates of fare and an extra allowance of baggage. The house committee on interstate commerce seems favorably disposed toward the request of the commercial travelers.

THE trial of the guns and mounts of the double-turreted monitor Miantonomah has been made, eleven shots having been fired during the trial. In every respect the trial was a great success, the few delays and mishaps being only those which are always encountered in using new machinery for the first time.

BARONESS MACDONALD of Eardcliffe has instructed her lawyer to demand from the Toronto (Ont.) Globe an immediate retraction of the alleged slander connecting her name with the northwest land scandal.

WILLIAM ALEXANDER THOMSON, charged, in conjunction with Prince Louis Clovis Bonaparte, with conspiring to defraud Rosalie Clovis Bonaparte out of a diamond necklace and other jewels valued at over \$100,000, surrendered himself into custody, on the 13th, at the West London police court.

JUDGE GEORGE V. HAWK, the distinguished jurist of New Albany, Ind., died, on the 13th, after a brief illness, from the grip, aged 68 years. He was twice elected to the supreme court.

THE American Sugar Refineries Co. of Jersey City, N. J., at a stockholders' meeting, on the 13th, voted to increase the capital stock of the company by \$25,000,000.

THE American and French squadrons in Chinese waters have been instructed to winter on the Yangtze-Kiang.

JOHN G. WHITTIER, the poet, has the grip.

CHAZED by the grip, Frank Rutherford, of Cincinnati, stabbed his wife, on the 13th, with a pair of shears, killing her almost instantly.

THE friends of Dr. Graves are indefatigable in their efforts to secure new evidence in his behalf.

PRINCESS MARY VICTORIA OF TECK, prostrated with grief at the death of her betrothed, the duke of Clarence and Avondale, by whose bedside she watched until the last, immediately took to her bed, herself quite ill.

HON. ROBERT J. CHESTER, the oldest Mason in the world, died at Jackson, Tenn., on the 14th, aged 99 years.

A TRAIN-LOAD of St. Paul boomers has gone to Washington to urge the claims of St. Paul for the democratic national convention.

THE works of the Waterbury (Conn.) Brass Co. were burned on the 14th. The loss will reach \$250,000; well insured. Two hundred and fifty hands are thrown out of employment.

THE machine shop of Rose Polytechnic institute at Terre Haute, Ind., was damaged by fire, on the 14th, to the extent of \$15,000. The fire is supposed to have been caused by spontaneous combustion in an exhaust chute used for removing dust from the carpenter shop. The costly machinery with which the machine shop is equipped was not damaged to a very great extent; loss covered by insurance. The shop will be rebuilt at once.

THE steamship Fulda arrived at Genoa, Italy, on the 14th, after a tempestuous voyage full of sad incidents. A stoker jumped overboard and was drowned; a sailor died of influenza; a steerage passenger died of apoplexy and was buried at sea; Mrs. Harold Courtney, of New York, a saloon passenger, while suffering mental aberration, made two attempts on the life of her husband. During the last three days of the voyage she was confined in the cabin under a guard of sailors.

THERE is extraordinary activity in the Watervliet (N. Y.) arsenal government gun foundry. Instructions have been received to rush all orders for big guns, and waste no time in final polish or fancy finishing touches. Thirteen 8-inch guns are now being finished with the utmost speed, and a large number of Gatling guns are under way.

THE frame of the battleship Oregon, under construction at the Union Iron-works in San Francisco, having been completed, the work of putting on her outward plate has been begun. The Oregon will have a displacement of 10,500 tons, and is the first battleship to be built on the Pacific coast.

CARDINAL SIMONEI, prefect general of the propaganda, died in Rome, on the 14th, as the result of an attack of the prevailing epidemic, influenza. He was in his seventy-sixth year. Cardinal Serafino Vannutelli will succeed him as head of the propaganda.

GEORGE S. KNIGHT, the actor, died at the home of his mother, Mrs. Rebecca Sloane, in Philadelphia, on the 14th. Mr. Knight was stricken with paralysis four years ago in California, and had not been on the stage since that time.

A CABINET officer is quoted as saying that the president was growing very indignant about the Chilean outrages. "It looks," said he, "much as if we will have to give her a good licking."

## LATE NEWS ITEMS.

THE senate was not in session on the 15th. In the house Chaplain Milburn invoked Divine consolation for Queen Victoria and family, and prayed that the example of Cardinal Manning might arouse all men to higher Christian endeavor. Several bills were introduced putting salt, lumber, barbed wire and other staples on the free list. The Holman resolutions were then again taken up. Mr. Holman withdrew his motion to reconsider the vote ordering the previous question. The resolutions were then put separately and carried, and Mr. Holman made the usual motion to reconsider the vote and to lay that motion on the table. Adopted.

THE business failures occurring throughout the country during the seven days ended on the 15th number, for the United States, 287, and for Canada 43, or a total of 330; as compared with 435 the previous week. For the corresponding week of last year the figures were 411, representing 593 failures in the United States, and 51 in the Dominion of Canada.

THE injunction which Martin A. Frank, of New York, obtained in his action against the Edison Electric Light Co. and the Edison General Electric Co., restraining the Edison Electric Light Co. from declaring a dividend on an issue of debenture bonds, has been vacated by Judge Barrett of the New York supreme court.

ANARCHISTS made an attack upon the town of Boros, in Andalusia, Spain, on the 15th, and were only repulsed after considerable fighting and repeated cavalry charges. Numerous arrests have been made. The region is greatly excited by the incident, coming as it does so soon after the Xeres incident.

TWO young children of William Allen, Jr., of Millbrook, Mich., were horribly burned on the night of the 14th, and died in a few minutes. Their clothing became saturated with oil from an overturned lamp and caught fire from an open stove.

THE Prussian court will go into mourning for ten days as a mark of sympathy for the loss sustained by the royal family of England in the death of the duke of Clarence and Avondale. The agitation among the coal and iron and other workmen of Piffshire, Scotland, is becoming so intense that it threatens to culminate in a strike of 12,000 men.

RANDOLPH ROGERS, the distinguished American sculptor, died in Rome, on the 15th, of pneumonia.

# INDIANA STATE NEWS.

FRANK DAVIS, superintendent of the North Anderson gas plant, was severely burned in an explosion of gas. Both his eyes are swollen shut, and it is feared the sight is permanently injured. Davis came to Anderson from Monticello.

Over 450 rabbits were killed near Anderson in one day by a big hunting party.

BURGERS at Eckerly carried off every thing of value in Otis' general store and Brown's drug store.

MYRTLE BROWN, of Goshen, who was terribly burned in a kerosene explosion, has died, and her mother's life hangs by a thread.

At the meeting of the city council of Muncie, ex-city marshal Geo. W. Robinson, republican, was elected policeman and then made chief of police.

THE clerk of Wayne county issued 340 marriage licenses during 1891.

ALL social events at Connersville are seriously interfered with by the grip.

DAVID KINGLEY, an inmate of the infirmary at Kokomo, has received notice that he is heir to an estate in Ireland worth \$42,000.

MRS. SCANLEBERRY, wife of the late Hon. C. C. Scanleberry, died at her home in Brazil of cancer of the eye. The deceased was 54 years of age and highly respected.

THE Kokomo electric street cars are now in successful operation.

A MAD dog created a scene in Princeton a few days ago. No one was bitten. Several dogs were bitten and many have been killed.

COAL has been discovered near Oden. FT. WAYNE newspaper men will organize a press club.

THE paper mill at Anderson will be greatly enlarged.

ICE is eight inches thick on the lakes in Northern Indiana.

A MIDLAND RAILWAY engine was sold for \$333 at Anderson. No effort is being made to run trains.

A BRISVILLE man inherited \$5,000. He blew it in a few weeks and now is a waiter in an Anderson restaurant.

AT Noblesville, Thomas Booker, 23, a young inventor of note, shot himself with a revolver and died the other morning.

THE Chicago grain and produce exchange, of Anderson, failed.

CLARK BROWN, for embezzlement, was found not guilty at Paoli.

HUNTINGTON has a Young Ladies' Love society. Anderson a Coquette club and South Bend sport parties. The girls are doing right well for leap year.

THOMAS BOOKER, a gun-smith, of Noblesville, accidentally let a 44-caliber revolver fall from a shelf. The hammer struck in such a manner as to cause the discharge of the only load it contained. The ball struck Booker in the groin and ranged backward and upward and was removed from his body near the spine. There is no possible hope of his recovery.

CHARLES RIDGEWAY, a farmer near Hymers, who had been suffering with the grip, shot himself the other morning. When he got up to light a fire he took a shotgun and blew out his brains.

THE other day a son of Lee Addison, living southeast of Spiceland, ran against a clothesline with his chin and was thrown back quite a distance, the fall fracturing his skull. He died that night from the hurt.

WILLIAM STAIR, of Columbus, was given three years in the penitentiary for cattle stealing in Brown county.

AT her home near New Bellsville, Brown county, Mrs. Elizabeth Shultz passed away at the ripe old age of one hundred years and three days.

ZIP WILLIAMS, a colored farmer, living near Noblesville, was found in a deserted log cabin, frozen to death. He had been there at least five days.

MRS. MARY WRIGHT, of Anderson, who became the wife of a bigamist, has died and bequeathed \$5,000 to her husband. The latter only recently finished his term in the penitentiary and ran away, fearing further prosecution. He can not be found and the money is unclaimed.

FIVE suspects are under arrest for the March murder at Seymour.

MISS JOSEPHINE FLEMING, of Ft. Wayne, has entered the convent.

JOE EDWARDS, of Muncie, was found dead in bed.

CONRAD PIETZ, of Ft. Wayne, is insane from the grip.

SISTER ROSALIE, of the sisters of St. Francis, had her left hand mashed in a laundry machine in the convent at Terre Haute.

JAMES STREWALT, of Center Point, near Brazil, was sentenced to two years for stabbing Charles Kalber, an old man who testified against Strewalt when Mrs. Strewalt was suing for a divorce.

WARREN COLLEGE gets but 649 acres from the estate of Jacob M. Harmon, instead of 1,409 acres, as stated.

KNIGHTSTOWN's electric light plant will be completed.

JENNIE HADDON, of Indianapolis, has gone insane on religion.

EVANSVILLE saloon-keepers are receiving green goods letters from New York.

THE skeleton found at Tipton is believed to be that of Isaac Jones, who disappeared some years ago. He was probably murdered and buried.

# THE HAND OF DEATH.

Princes Temporal and Spiritual Answer the Summons.

Death of Prince Albert Christian Victor Edward of England and Cardinals Manning and Simonei of Rome.

The Death of the Duke of Clarence.

LONDON, Jan. 15.—The duke of Clarence and Avondale died a little after 9 o'clock yesterday morning. He was unconscious all night, and no hope was felt for his recovery after 1 o'clock, when he began sinking.



Prince Albert Christian Victor Edward.

England is in mourning, and preparations are already being made from one part of the kingdom to the other, from one end of the empire to the other, to show the sympathy which the loyal subjects of the queen of England and empress of India feel for her. Coupled to the sad death of the young prince is the thought that the bells which were soon to toll for his funeral were to have rung out merrily little more than a month hence upon the occasion of his marriage to broken-hearted Princess May. The nation is in sympathy with the queen, the Princess of Wales and the Princess Mary, three royal personages whose good qualities have endeared them to Englishmen everywhere. The Prince of Wales, of course, comes in for sympathy. He has until recently had a strong hold upon the affections of the masses, but recent events have somewhat cooled the degree of esteem in which he was held, though he can not be said to have lost his popularity.

Politically, the death of Prince Albert Victor will have no great effect in England, though it must be added Prince George of Wales, the second son of the prince of Wales, has enjoyed a far greater degree of popularity than the dead prince was ever able to arouse.

—Prince Albert Victor Christian Edward, Duke of Clarence and Avondale, eldest son of the Prince of Wales and heir presumptive to the British throne, whose happy betrothal to Princess Victoria Mary of Teck was so recently announced, died at Sandringham, a little after 9 o'clock yesterday morning. He was born at Frogmore lodge, near Windsor, on January 8, 1864.

January 8, 1864, and was created duke of Clarence and Avondale and earl of Athlone in 1890. The dead prince was educated at Trinity college, Cambridge, and Heidelberg university. Previous to entering college Prince Albert Victor and his brother, Prince George, passed their examinations for the royal navy, and they both served the two years' term as naval cadets on H. M. S. Britannia, the cadet training ship for the royal navy.

In 1879 the two princes went on a tour around the world. The line of succession, owing to the death of Prince Albert Victor, descends through the prince of Wales to his second son, Prince George of Wales. The latter's constitution, though not strong, is said not to be as feeble as that of his elder brother. The late heir presumptive was a major in the Tenth Hussars, of which regiment his father is honorary colonel.

In addition to being a major in the Tenth Hussars, the prince was honorary colonel of the Fourth regiment of Bombay cavalry (Prince Albert Victor's Guards), and was on the staff of the Princess Blucher de Wahlstatt regiment of Russian Hussars, a Bomanian regiment.

Prince Albert Victor has been more popular with the British public since his engagement to Princess Victoria Mary of Teck was announced.

When the End Came.

LONDON, Jan. 15.—The prince of Wales this morning sent the following dispatch to the lord mayor of London: "Our beloved son passed away at 9 o'clock."

"To this message the lord mayor, on behalf of the corporation of London, replied: "We are profoundly moved by the sad news, and have communicated it to our fellows. We tender our deep and respectful sympathy with your royal highness in this great sorrow and national calamity."

Shortly afterward the death knell was rung out from the big bells of St. Paul's cathedral, which are never tolled except on the occasion of the death of an heir to the throne, solemnly informing the people of the city that the prince was dead. Dense crowds of people immediately packed the neighborhood of St. Paul's church-yard and listened as the full metal tones told of the passing into another world of the young prince.

All Engagements Canceled by the Death of the Duke.

LONDON, Jan. 15.—The czar of Russia, Emperor William of Germany, King Christian of Denmark, the grand duke of Hesse, the king of Italy, the queen regent of Spain, the emperor of Austria, the king of Portugal, King Oscar of Sweden and King Leopold of Belgium, are among those who have already telegraphed their condolences to the Prince and Princess of Wales, and the queen.

Lord Salisbury has canceled the date of his long expected and much commented upon visit to Exeter, Devonshire.

Rt. Hon. A. J. Balfour, first lord of the treasury, and conservative leader in the house of commons has also canceled his big rallying campaign, in Ireland, which was to have been opened in Belfast on Tuesday next.

The Prince of Wales, had it not been for the death of his son, was to have gone on Monday next on a visit to the Earl of Londale, at Lower Castle, Westmoreland. This visit, of course, has been postponed. Mr. Gladstone, who was expected to stay in the south of France for some time to come, is expected back in England in time to attend the funeral of the duke.

All the cabinet ministers and liberal leaders who had engagements to appear in public have canceled their dates. Even the salvationists at Eastbourne and socialists at Chelsea are expected to cancel their engagements to take part in the usual Dav-of-rest demon-

strations next Sunday against the police and existing laws.

At Belfast the looms which are weaving the linsens for the household of the dead prince have been stopped, and at Spitalfields, where the satin for the wedding dress of Princess May was in hand, the looms also stand still by the order of death.

A Seven-Months' Child.

LONDON, Jan. 15.—The lack of strength which always has characterized the Duke of Clarence was doubtless attributable to the fact that he was a "seven-months' child." The circumstances of the premature birth of the late heir apparent was not generally known, or at least not generally remembered by the public. It is now recalled that while the Princess of Wales was skating at Frogmore, about three months before the accomplishment was expected, she twisted her foot in making a figure 8 and fell backward, sustaining a severe strain. The birth of the late duke followed within a few weeks. His weakness, amounting almost to emphysema, which was the occasion of many court gossips in the press and among gossipers, only served to draw him closer to his parents' affections, and the princess, especially, doted her eldest son.

The Princess May Ill.

LONDON, Jan. 15.—It is reported that the Princess May of Teck is ill from the ordeal which she passed through in the death of her beloved.

Death of Cardinal Manning.

LONDON, Jan. 15.—Cardinal Henry Edward Manning died yesterday morning. His condition had been hopeless for many hours, and it was hardly supposed that he would live through the night. He continued, however, to show signs of vitality, and death came very gradually. Early yesterday morning he began to fall rapidly, but he was able to join devoutly in the prayers offered at his bedside. At 7:20 he became unconscious, and he died at 8 o'clock. His death was claim and painless, and appeared like a gentle sinking to sleep.



Cardinal Manning.

Although Cardinal Manning had been suffering with a severe cold since Thursday of last week, it was not until Sunday that he took to his bed. At that time there were symptoms of bronchitis and slight congestion of the lungs. Sir Andrew Clarke authorized, on Tuesday the issue of a bulletin stating that the cardinal still maintained his strength. On Wednesday the cardinal grew worse, and the last sacraments of the church were administered, death resulting, as stated.

Early in the evening the physicians gave up, and during the night death was expected at any moment. The bishop of Salford was at his bedside at 5 a. m. He was rapidly sinking, but was able to request that music be said by the bishop in the private oratory adjoining the sick chamber.

[His eminence, Henry Edward Manning, cardinal priest of the Roman Catholic church and archbishop of Westminster, was the son of a London merchant, and was born at Totteridge, Herefordshire, July 15, 1808. He received his education at Harrow and Balliol college, Oxford, graduating with first-class honors as a bachelor of arts in 1830. He became a fellow of Merton college, was for some time one of the select preachers of Oxford college. He received the appointment of vicar of Lavington and Griffin, in Sussex, in 1834, and arch-deacon of Chichester in 1836. About this time he created a sensation by announcing his conversion to the Roman Catholic faith, and entered the priesthood in 1836. In 1842 he founded an ecclesiastical congregation at Baywater, which he called the Oblates of St. Charles Borromeo, received the degree of D. D. and the office of provost of the Catholic arch-diocese of Westminster from Rome and was also created prothonotary apostolic and domestic prelate to the pope. After the death of Cardinal Wiseman, Mr. Manning was consecrated archbishop of Westminster June 8, 1869, and was further honored by Pope Pius IX. by being created a cardinal on March 15,