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## FOURTEEN LIVES LOST.

### A TERRIBLE DISASTER AT MILWAUKEE, WIS.

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at the point of a revolver. Daniel Britton, one of those stabbed, was cut in the abdomen and his condition is critical. Peck was killed instantly, the knife penetrating the heart. Johnson had a grudge against a number of convicts and chose to clean out the cell block. Johnson, who predicted the former earthquakes, and that disturbances more serious than the recent ones would occur on April 16 or 17. His prediction has proved true, for Monday morning's shock is the worst that has ever visited Zante which is noted for its earthquakes.

Recent disorders in Belgium culminated in an attack on the Mayor of Brussels by a mob. The Mayor was seriously wounded.

The trial has begun at Bentonville, Ark., of Jim Shepard. Two years ago Shepard shot and killed Colleagues Will Dalton of Rogers, Ark., and Marshal Edward Wright of Pierce City, Mo.

During Monday night burglars entered the store of George M. Wilkinson, the leading jeweler of Mansfield, Ohio, and completely gutted it. The burglar cut the safe and secured its contents, consisting of over 250 gold watches, a large quantity of diamonds and other valuable jewelry, together with a considerable amount of money. It was the largest and most complete job in the history of Richland County. The total loss is estimated at over \$5,000.

Charles W. Hutzberg, manager of the St. Louis Biscuit and Provision Company, committed suicide by hanging himself in the slaughter house at the company's place of business. Two of the men at the scene of the accident were despondent.

A speech at Rutland, Vt., says Frank C. Almy, the murderer of Christie Warde, has confided to his lawyer that he is a fugitive.

### THE FIRE RECORD.

The pump and brass goods department of L. M. Runsey & Co.'s factory, St. Louis, was destroyed by fire. The loss is estimated at \$50,000, with partial insurance.

The origin of the fire is unknown. The Louisville Fair was held last week. The loss is \$75,000, including unknowns.

An incendiary fire at Milwaukee, damaged the Stadt Theater at \$15,000.

Fire is raging in Crystal Ridge Mine, about a mile from Hazelton, Pa. Five men are said to be in the mine. The plant of Uval City (Tenn.) Grain Company was destroyed by fire. The loss is \$30,000; insurance, \$10,000.

Fire at South Bend, Ind., was started about midnight. Monday, in George Vandever's barber shop, and before it was got under control the leading business block of the town was in ruins. It looked at one time as if the entire block would be wiped out, and the engine was asked for from Detroit. The engine from Detroit arrived, did not arrive in time to be of service.

James Miller, a member of the life saving crew, was saved. He is the only one of the selected workmen who escaped with his life.

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Following is the list of dead:

John McBride, engineer, Chicago.

Michael Dwyer, fireman, Chicago.

William Prusner, fireman, Chicago.

George Gregz, lock tender, Milwaukee.

James Murphy, miner, Milwaukee.

Joseph Pozel, miner, Milwaukee.

Gustav Liekweg, miner, Milwaukee.

John Sosnowski, miner, Milwaukee.

William Marion, miner, Chicago.

Charles Johnson, miner, Chicago.

John Healy, miner, Milwaukee.

Frank Brown, miner, Milwaukee.

John Donovan, miner, Chicago.

Edward Cambrian (colored) steward, Chicago.

### SEVERAL MEN INJURED

By a Gas Explosion in a Bank at Detroit.

A gas explosion occurred at the Dime Savings Bank, located at the corners of Gratiot and Lafayette and Michigan avenues, Detroit. One man was seriously injured, several others badly scorched and burned, and the office of the institution wrecked. Only a few of the employees were in the office when the explosion occurred. One of them entered the vault and lighted the gas, and the explosion followed.

Obituary: At Brooklyn, N. Y., Postmaster George J. Collins, aged 54. At Boston, Charles Longfellow, son of the poet at Westwood, Ohio, N. W. Park. At New York, Charles St. Wayman, of the Sun, aged 60.

Mrs. Jennie Northern, living twelve miles west of Princeton, Ky., died recently at the advanced age of 90. She contracted measles a few days previously, her first attack. She lived with her daughter, Mrs. Almonde, known on the stage as Katty O'Neill, aged 33.

—Philip Opp, 78 years old, died of pneumonia on Saturday afternoon at Brooklyn. His wife, Marcella, died just twenty-four hours later. Mr. Opp was born in Germany and came to this country in 1838. In 1847, with a number of other men, he founded the Standard Oil Company, which was to be the forerunner of Standard Oil. He died at his home in Brooklyn, N. Y., aged 77. At Buffalo, Mrs. Almonde, known on the stage as Katty O'Neill, aged 33.

—Mrs. Almonde, wife of Philip Opp, was also badly scorched and buried. All the windows and the side of the building were blown out, and the heavy front doors were lifted from their hinges and blown like feathers into the street.

The President's Plans.

The President expects to be absent from Washington about a week in attendance at the opening of the World's Fair. He will go to New York and remain until the official ceremonies connected with the review are over. A short rest will follow his return to Washington and he will then leave for Chicago to be absent three or four days. The details of the program have not been arranged. All the Cabinet ladies will be with the President and the members of the Cabinet in New York and it is probable that they will also accompany the Presidential party to Chicago.

Mrs. Hancock Dead.

Mrs. Winfield Scott Hancock, wife of the late Gen. Hancock, died after a long illness at her home in New York. Mrs. Hancock was born in St. Louis and the remains will probably be taken to that city for interment. Death has played sad havoc with the family of Mrs. Hancock. Late years. Since 1875 she has lost her mother, her only daughter, her son and her husband. These bereavements have had much to do with her illness and death.

Found Much Gold.

Men who have been pressing hay on the farm of the dead miners, Thomas and John Fagan near Holly, Mich., discovered \$7,000 in gold in a two-quart jug and an earthen quart bottle. This makes about \$34,000 in money, aside from the remains, valued at \$4,000, already found, and still the family expect to find much more.

Drowned.

J. K. Powell of Toledo, was drowned near Churubusco, Ind. He was duck hunting on Blue River Lake when his boat upset and he went to the bottom.

Condition of National Banks.

An abstract of the current state of the resources of national banks in the country—\$3,459,721,221. Among the liabilities capital stock in aggregate \$98,000,000, and individual deposits \$1,751,000,000.

Strike Extended.

All apprentices of the Federated Iron Workers have been ordered to strike by the Union Pacific Committee.

### CRIME AND CASUALTY

—Dr. Francis L. Fladorn, practicing physician, whose wealth is estimated at \$200,000, was at the Kansas City Criminal Court convicted of fraudulently securing the signatures of Ludwick and Henrie Gotts, husband and wife, to a warranty deed to certain valuable property, and sentenced to three years in the penitentiary.

—At Goschen, Ind., Mrs. Julia Cassel was given two years in prison for robbery. The crime is alleged to have been committed a month ago, when she and her accomplice snatched William Romaine's home at Goschen during the absence of the owner and secured over \$1,500 worth of furniture and household goods.

—John Johnson, known as the "Blue Negro" from Clyde, committed murder right and left among the convicts of Auburn, N. Y., prison Monday morning. Johnson worked in the brook shop. Suddenly he grabbed a long knife used in cutting wood and attacked Charles Peck, a fellow inmate. The great portion of the inhabitants fled to the plain back of the city, where they remained, without being able to tell the reason. Outside did not, however, remain to prevent sickness and starvation. Advice from the interior show that the whole island has been devastated. Many villages have been destroyed, and it is thought that the loss of life has been very

## FAIR WORK ON SUNDAY

### THOUSANDS EMPLOYED AT JACKSON PARK.

More Visitors Paid Admission Fees Last Sunday than Upon Any Preceding Day—The White City Will Open Its Gates on Time.

Going On with a Rush.

Chicago continues to be a day of rest at the World's Fair grounds. It is almost as busy as any other day. Last Sunday was perhaps the busiest one the park has known since that gang of Italian laborers went in to level off the grounds and was promptly driven out by a bigger gang of native workmen. That was about two years ago. Last Sunday there was lively scene all over the grounds. Long trains of exhibits

were taking the ticket, see that it is all right, drop it in an opening in the gate post, and press a short lever that will at the same time "shop" the ticket and unlock the gate. Then the visitors press against the turnstile and paid or visit, to cheat this contrivance, for the number of mutilated tickets in the box does not correspond to the number of admissions registered by the turnstile the gate will be held responsible for the difference, and there is no liability of the visitor's part. Through his knowledge of the gate he can look at the gate and hold the crowd back as much as he pleases.

It is going to cost a whole lot of money to make and print the tickets for the "choppers" of these stiles to destroy. A beautiful design has been selected, and the paper will be made especially for the purpose. At first thought this would

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It has been caused by chronic indigestion and dyspepsia of the stomach.

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