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NEWS CONDENSED.

Concise Record of the Week.

EASTERN.

A Uniontown (Pa.) dispatch says:

"The worst fear touching the fate of the men who were imprisoned in the coal mine at Youngstown, four miles from this place, by the explosion of fire-damp which took place there at 4 o'clock last evening has been fully confirmed. Six of the miners were taken out last evening soon after the disaster, two of them were dead and two of the other four so seriously injured that there is no hope of their recovery. This left from fourteen to eighteen men supposed to be still imprisoned in the mine. The exact number is not certainly known. The work of reaching these men was continued industriously throughout the whole night, and by this morning the dead bodies of twelve of them had been brought out and delivered to their friends and relatives at the mouth of the pit. This makes fourteen dead in all, and, together with the four injured, accounts for eighteen, or the whole number supposed to be in the mine. The scenes at the mouth of the pit as the disfigured bodies of the dead were brought to the surface and given into the hands of the wives and relatives was distressing in the extreme, and vividly recalled to mind the piteous wails of the bereaved families who waited at the opening of the Leisering mine last February for the bodies which they knew were coming lifeless to them from the uncompassionate bowels of the earth. It was a sad spectacle, indeed, and moved to tears many of hundreds who had been drawn to the place by the news of the disaster."

Sig. Pasqualine Brignoli, the noted tenor, died at the Everett House, New York. He had been suffering for the last six weeks with a complication of diseases of the liver and kidneys, and had been confined to his bed for three weeks.

Horace Deland, of Brookfield, N. H., aged 18 years, chained himself to a brush heap near his father's house, then set the brush on fire and deliberately burned himself to death. A gash was found on one side of his throat, made by a razor, which was found near by. A note was found directed to his parents, saying he was tired of living. He gave no reason for the act, but it is thought to have been caused by unrequited love.

Ellis Ames, one of the venerable lawyers of Massachusetts, died at Canton in his 7th year.

Alfred G. Luders & Co., commission merchants at New York, owe \$106,000, while their actual assets are but \$2,300.

WESTERN.

Three masked men bound James Cain in his house, near Brookston, Ind., and maltreated him when he refused to disclose where his money was concealed. They found \$400, but \$2,000, hidden in a secret place, escaped their cut-throats.

Portland (Ore.) dispatch: Two Indians are reported killed at Long Creek Grant County, by a party of unknown whites. The band had camped on the stream for the purpose of hunting and fishing, and the whites crept within rifle-range and fired into their camp, killing two braves, and made their escape. It is said these Indians took an active part in the recent Bannock war, and committed several outrages and murders among the whites. In that country hatred of the Indians is intense. The matter is to be investigated, as trouble feared, and an Indian outbreak of serious proportions is thought very probable.

Denver (Colo.) telegram: "Rumors have reached here of the lynching, by vigilantes, of a gang of seventeen cattle-thieves, captured while in camp on Rock Creek, in the Gore range of mountains, twenty or thirty miles west of Georgetown. No particulars are at present obtainable. The report is thought to be exaggerated."

A six-story building on the corner of Michigan street and La Salle avenue, Chicago, owned by Charles E. Culver and occupied by several manufacturing firms, was destroyed by fire, the loss being \$80,000. James Carr, foreman of a cigar-box factory, conducted thirty of his employees to the fire-escape, and lost his life by falling from a window-sill.

C. D. Cobbitt's People's Bank, at Canton, Ill., failed for \$100,000. The assets are placed at \$30,000.

Owing to internal dissensions, the Ohio State Dental Association, which has been in existence since 1868, disbanded at Columbus, after a two-days' session.

Lena Hagerland, aged 10, died at St. Louis of trichiniasis, the muscles and tissues of her body being found infested with pork parasites. Her little brother is ill from the same malady, and her mother, who passed away a month ago, is believed to have died of the disease.

R. Power Palmer, connected with an insurance agency in Chicago, poisoned himself in a hotel with laudanum, evidently on account of poor health.

F. J. Moses, formerly Governor of South Carolina, having been jailed at Detroit for swindling a clergyman, nearly succeeded in hanging himself in his cell. When cut down he was black in the face, and had lost consciousness. On recovering he was sentenced to ninety days in the House of Correction.

An explosion in the gas-works at Milwaukee, caused by a stoppage in a pipe leading to the purifiers, inflicted damage amounting to \$15,000.

Two men were killed at Duluth by falling from a scaffold on the side of an elevator 100 feet high.

The Federal Grand Jury at Cincinnati has indicted Police Lieutenants Michael Mullen and John Burke and Patrolmen Keating and Cunningham for preventing a party of colored men from voting, at the recent election, by locking them in the station house all day.

The Presbyterian Synod of Ohio, in session at Cincinnati, deplored the desecration of the Sabbath, and favored prohibition of the manufacture and sale of intoxicating liquors.

In a Republican procession in Taylorville, Ill., Leroy Hunter allowed his torch to hit Eugene Darner on the head. A quarrel and fight ensued, when Darner struck Hunter with a base-ball bat, breaking his neck. The murderer was arrested, and taken out of town for safety.

SOUTHERN.

George T. Jackson, President of a cotton factory at Augusta, Ga., is confessedly a defaulter. The investigating committee estimates the steal at from \$60,000 to \$100,000.

Parkerville (S. C.) dispatch: Sunday last was the white church dedication. It is reported that colored men disturbed the service by firing pistol's. A bad feeling has continued since, and to-day culminated in the killing of James Blackwell, an officer, in attempting to make arrests, by a volley fired by negroes who were barricaded in a house. There is great excitement, and further violence is expected. Gov. Thompson has been advised of the situation. Parkerville is in Edgefield County, thirty miles from Augusta.

D. Paret, of Washington, was chosen Bishop of Maryland by the Protestant Episcopal Convention in session at Baltimore. Dr. Paret who is of French extraction and a native of New York, is 55 years of age.

Albert and Charles Goodman (colored) were hanged for murder in St. Bernard Parish, La. Albert said he was guilty, but maintained that his brother was innocent.

Fort Smith (Ark.) dispatch: While Elijah Henderson, a tenant on the Arnold plantation, Choctaw Nation, was playfully presenting a pistol, supposed to be unloaded, at several friends assembled at his home last evening, it accidentally went off and killed his wife. Henderson became almost crazy and begged to be killed. To-day he surrendered to the United States Marshal, and desires to plead guilty to murder so he may be hanged.

WASHINGTON.

During the year ending Nov. 1, the national banks withdrew from the Federal Treasury \$17,320,313 deposited to secure circulation. At the prepared rate of redemption the 5 per cents will disappear by June, 1886.

Washington special: The par value of the United States bonds held to secure circulation at the close of business to-day was \$325,341,300. The value of those held for the same purposes the 1st day of July, 1883, was \$356,593,500, showing a reduction in sixteen months of \$31,255,200. The 5 per cent have disappeared from the vaults; the 6's remain substantially unchanged; the 3's have decreased nearly 25 per cent; there are no longer any of 3 1/2's, while the 4's and 4 1/2's show an increase of about \$12,000,000 and \$10,000,000, respectively. While the 3's held in the Treasury show the most marked decrease, the proportion of these bonds so held to the full amount outstanding is greater than it was a year ago. Then the ratio was as two to three; now it is about as three to four. The bond-call maturing to-morrow is the last of those already made, and there will be about \$15,000,000 to pay out on account of pensions before the close of the year. Treasury officials are of the opinion that Secretary McCulloch will not issue another call to mature before Jan. 1. The 3 per cent now held for the banks are nearly all of the lower numbers, as the banks made special efforts to secure those likely to be called last, but another call cannot fail to draw out a considerable number of them, unless Congress takes some action to prevent further contraction of national bank circulation.

MISCELLANEOUS.

The schooner Lady Dufferin, from Chicago, was wrecked on Caribou Island, Lake Superior. The crew abandoned the craft, reached another island in a yawl boat, were picked up, and landed at Port Arthur.

Assignments have been made by S. Selig, a wholesale milliner of San Francisco; George E. Hutchinson, a mining capitalist of Cleveland; William Ogle, a shoe-dealer in St. Louis.

A letter from Nassau, N. P., dated Oct. 24, says: The hurricane which swept the easterly part of the Bahamas, from the 10th to the 16th inst., caused considerable damage on land and sea. A number of vessels engaged in sponge and inter-isular commerce are known to be lost. The American schooner Jonathan Knight, from Philadelphia for New Orleans, with coal, was driven upon a reef at Palmetto Point, Eleuthera, at midnight, on the 15th, and became a total wreck. Only two of her crew were saved. Capt. Malloy and son, the steward, and three seamen were drowned. The schooner San Bias, a Baltimore trader, was lost together with her crew.

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severe type of cholera is spreading through the French squadron under Admiral Courbet, now blockading Formosa.

Admiral Courbet has telegraphed the French Minister of Marine that the sanitary condition of his troops is far from satisfactory. He fears that he will be compelled to abandon some of his projects against the Celestials.

The French Government has ordered the dispatch of two cruisers and five gunboats to China. Italy will soon send two war vessels to the Congo region to conserve commercial interests.

LATER NEWS ITEMS.

A fire along the wharves of Lubeck, Me., destroyed \$40,000 worth of property.

The Willow Springs distillery property at Omaha was totally destroyed by fire. Loss, \$25,000.

The National White Lead Works at Willow Grove, Pa., were ruined by fire.

The office of the Montreal Herald is in the hands of its creditors, whose claims aggregate \$80,000. C. H. Coddington & Co., liquor importers, of that city, have made an assignment. A petition in bankruptcy was filed at Oakland, Cal., by Alexander B. Cooper, a mining speculator, who owes \$260,000. The city of Wheeling is in default of the interest on its building loan.

A press dispatch from New Iberia, La., gives the following particulars of a bloody affray at a Republican meeting a day or two before the election: "Judge Fontenelle and eight or ten others left here for Louisville to hold a political meeting in the interest of Kellogg. After the crowd had assembled, a disturbance was created by persons hallooing 'Hurrah for Gay.' Joseph Guitaux rushed to the scene of the trouble, and was fired at, the ball passing through his hat. He returned the fire. At that moment there was a general roar, and Capt. Bell, a prominent sugar planter and a Democrat, and Joseph Guitaux, a leading Gay man, and Oliver Boutte (colored), Kellogg supporter, from New Iberia, were killed outright. The wounded, as far as known, are: Jules Mestayer, Republican candidate for Sheriff last spring, thigh broken; Sheriff T. Viator, shot twice in the abdomen. About a dozen others were slightly wounded. Six negroes were killed so far as known. The perpetrators were surrounded and kept under guard until the Sheriff arrived to arrest them. A courier was then dispatched to New Iberia, and in few minutes after he arrived the town was in the wildest excitement. All saloons were closed by order of the Mayor. Fifty or sixty-five men from here left under order from the Sheriff for the scene of trouble. All were armed with double-barreled shotguns and rifles. They arrested Fontenelle and Adolph Bienvenu, and five white men, who are now in the parish jail under heavy guard. It is said a thousand shots were fired simultaneously.

A Dresden (Tenn.) dispatch says that Taylor, who poisoned five men with cyanide near Pillowville, Weakly County, from which two have died, was taken from jail and lynched. Twenty-five or thirty masked men walked into Dresden, and with sledge hammers broke down the doors of Taylor's cell. Taking him out, they carried him about half a mile from town and shot him to pieces. The mob was sober and orderly. Taylor was a cousin of Andy Taylor, the notorious East Tennessee desperado.

The cry of "Fire" was raised in the Star Theater at Glasgow. In the rush to escape sixteen persons were killed and twenty others were wounded.

A gas vein with a flame of fifty feet was struck at Cannonsburg, Pa.

The members of the Providence Base-Ball Club, who won the championship, have each been presented by the management with a gold badge and an order for a new suit of clothes.

The lumber shipments from Saginaw have been 7,000,000 feet more this year than last.

A passenger train on the Baltimore and Ohio Road, while running at full speed, leaped the track near Alta, Ohio. Eighteen persons were injured.

Judge Anthony has decided in the Scott law cases in Cincinnati that where the suit was not commenced within a year of the time the tax was paid nothing can be recovered. Hamilton County is interested in the decision to the amount of \$400,000.

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THE MARKETS.

NEW YORK.

BEEF—Choice to Prime Steers. \$6.25 @ 6.75

HOGS. 4.75 @ 5.25

FLOUR—Extra. 5.50 @ 6.00

WHEAT—No. 2 Spring. .85 @ .95

COIN—No. 2 Red. .85 @ .95

OATS—White. .54 @ .65

DAIRY—White. .34 @ .37

PORK—New Mess. 16.50 @ 17.00

CHICAGO.

BEEF—Choice to Prime Steers. 6.25 @ 7.00

GOOD SHIPPING. 5.75 @ 6.25

COMMON TO FAIR. 4.03 @ 5.00

FLOUR. 4.50 @ 5.25

WHEAT—No. 2 Spring. 4.25 @ 4.75

GOOD TO FAIR SPRING. 4.00 @ 4.50

NO. 2 RED WINTER. .75 @ .76

CORN—No. 2. .41 @ .42 1/2

OATS—No. 2. .24 @ .25 1/2

BUTTER—Choice Cucurbita. .49 @ .50

RYE. .65 @ .68

EGGS—Fresh. .26 @ .28

EGGS—Fowl. .20 @ .23

SKINNED FLAT. .08 @ .09

EGGS—Fresh. .21 @ .22

YOGURT—New, per bu. .35 @ .37

LARD. .65 @ .70

ST. LOUIS.

WHEAT—No. 2 Red. .70 @ .71

CORN—No. 2. .45 @ .50

OATS—No. 2. .27 @ .28

WHEAT—No. 2. .72 @ .73

CORN—No. 2. .43 @ .45

OATS—No. 2. .27 @ .29

PORK—Mess. .35 @ .38

LARD. .65 @ .70

TOLEDO.

WHEAT—No. 2 Red. .70 @ .71

CORN—No. 2. .45 @ .50

OATS—No. 2. .27 @ .28

WHEAT—No. 2. .72 @ .73

CORN—No. 2. .43 @ .45

OATS—No. 2. .27 @ .29

PORK—Mess. .35 @ .38

LARD. .65 @ .70

MILWAUKEE.

WHEAT—No. 2. .70 @ .71

CORN—No. 2. .45 @ .50

OATS—No. 2. .27 @ .28

WHEAT—No. 2. .72 @ .73