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THE WORLD OVER.

INTELLIGENCE FROM EVERY LAND AND CLIME.

The History of a Week Gathered from the Wires, Embracing Political Doings, Personal Movements, Accidents, Criminal Affairs, Labor Notes, Etc.

SEABRIGHT IN ASHE.

The Jersey Village Is Swept by Fire—Over 400 Buildings Burned.

The well-known summer resort, Sebright, N. J., is in ashes. About 400 buildings were burned. The total loss will reach at least \$800,000. A gale of wind was blowing at the time, and in a remarkably short time the ruin was wrought. Women and children ran through the streets crying and wringing their hands in a frantic manner, while the men aided the firemen in attempting to check the fire. The section burned over extends from the Shrewsbury River to the ocean, thence to the point where the Jersey Southern Railroad crosses Ocean avenue. The portion in which the fishermen dwell suffered severely. Many of these hardy people lost their all, and are homeless and penniless. Many of the wealthy cottagers and the hotels which escaped destruction have thrown open their houses to the sufferers.

FROM RAIL TO RIVER.

Two Persons Crushed to Death and Many Others Seriously Injured.

The Omaha and Chicago express on the Chicago, Milwaukee and St. Paul road was wrecked about a half mile from Coon Rapids, Iowa. The engine struck a broken rail as the train was approaching the bridge over the Coon River, jumped the track and plunged down the river bank, followed by the baggage car, mail car, smoker, one passenger car and one sleeper. The conductor was badly injured, and two passengers were crushed to death. It is presumed they were from Omaha, being in the Omaha sleeper. Thirty passengers were seriously injured. A heavy rain was falling and the place was enveloped in darkness. Doctors from Coon Rapids and from Bayard and Perry were soon at the scene doing all in their power for the wounded passengers. One of the sleepers which remained on the track was turned into a hospital for the injured, and the passengers who were not hurt taken to Coon Rapids.

KILLED FOR DISGRACING HIM.

A Milwaukee Man Murders His Wife for Fusing to Stay Away from Saloon.

James Muggley fatally shot his wife in a room in the rear of the St. Elmo saloon. He tried to induce his wife to leave the saloon, but she refused. Three pistol shots in quick succession, followed a moment later by another one, were heard. People in the alley saw Mrs. Muggley rush on to the rear stairway and fall. Muggley tried to run down the steps and fell. He jumped up and ran to the police station. Mrs. Muggley was taken to the Emergency Hospital, where she died. It was found that three bullets had entered her left breast and a fourth had passed through her left arm.

ON THE DIAMOND.

How the Clubs Engaged in the National Game Stand.

Following is a showing of the standing of each of the teams of the different associations:

NATIONAL LEAGUE.

W. L.	W. W.	W. L.	W. W.
New York...22	14	Cleveland...24	24 .50
Chicago...25	22	Philadelphia's...23	44 .47
Boston...25	21	Pittsburgh...18	26 .49
Baltimore...33	10	St. Louis...23	34 .41
Omaha...25	22	Philadelphia's...22	32 .407
Brooklyn...23	23	Cincinnati...19	28 .404

AMERICAN ASSOCIATION.

W. L.	W. W.	W. L.	W. W.
Boston...31	16	Columbus...23	21 .428
Baltimore...33	10	Louisville...21	34 .414
St. Louis...25	22	St. Louis...21	28 .427
Cincinnati...27	27	Washington's...15	32 .300

WESTERN ASSOCIATION.

W. L.	W. W.	W. L.	W. W.
St. Louis...21	21	Kansas City...23	21 .428
Minneapolis...21	21	St. Louis...20	21 .417
Omaha...25	22	St. Louis...21	28 .427
Minneapolis...29	21	St. Pauls...17	34 .383

Loss by Flood and Storm.

A cloud-burst above Neumann, Tenn., swelled the creek that runs through the town to a torrent. The store and residence of T. N. King and the Postoffice were carried away. No lives were lost. At St. Louis lightning struck a tree in Forest Park, beneath which a picnic party sat. A child was killed and two ladies were badly injured.

Suicide of a Minister.

The Rev. J. N. Montgomery, a prominent Baptist minister, committed suicide at Vincent, Ala., by blowing out his brains with a shotgun. The suicide is thought to have been caused by insanity, produced by excessive mental labor.

Alleged Murderer Caught.

Charles F. Smith was arrested at Dawn, Mo., on a charge of murdering his step-son last March. He resisted the officers and was seriously shot by a constable about the head and shoulders.

Kansas Wheat Crop.

Secretary Mohler, of the Agricultural Bureau, said that the reports about a big wheat crop in Kansas had been greatly exaggerated. He says there will be three-fourths of an average crop.

Canadian Lumber Burned.

The mills of the Casselman Lumber Company, at Casselman, Ont., together with six houses and a large amount of lumber, were destroyed by fire. Loss, \$115,000; insurance, \$70,000.

Lightning's Fatal Work.

At Clarkson, Pa., a man named Taylor was killed by lightning. A bank, a dwelling and a barn were also struck, and the latter burned to the ground.

Kentucky Factory Fire.

Conrad, Peas & Co.'s hemp-hitching establishment at Danville, Ky., burned. The loss is \$50,000, and the insurance \$34,000.

Whitescapped a Toper.

At Noblesville, Ind., persons dressed in women's apparel went to the house of W. P. Witaker, took him from his bed, dragged him to the river, and threw him into it. Several times he came near drowning, but was rescued. They told him if he continued to drink intoxicating liquors he would be the subject of more severe treatment.

Limestone Quarry Strikers Fired.

At Huntington, Ind., the lime quarry strikers have yielded. Forty-four signed papers agreeing to go to work, and others signify their intention of doing likewise.

MONEY EASY.
Exports of Gold Have Had No Bad Effect—The Trade Outlook.

R. G. Dun & Co.'s weekly review of trade says:

Very rarely has such a strain been put upon productive industry and legitimate business as by the enormous exports of gold in May. It is a most significant fact that, after this severe test, the state of trade is better for the season and more hopeful than at any time since the great movement of gold had not begun. Within thirty days the largest crop of wheat over grown, it is probable, will be moving to the market. The government report and other information put the price down 33 cents, while the official report was not so favorable regarding oats, the price of which dropped 2 cents, though corn rose nearly 1½ cents. Cotton dropped an eighth at the lowest point touched for nearly forty years. Money was easier in spite of previous exports; silver was lower, and the rate of foreign exchange declined so far that bankers admit that gold can now be sent abroad at a loss to those who order it. The Treasury has added about \$2,000,000 to the circulation, and the receipts of currency for the interior have been heavy. Reports from other cities show that trade, while moderate in volume, is to be expected at this season, is fairly large, undisturbed, and exceedingly confident as to the future. These accounts show that capable business men in all parts of the country look upon the moderate shrinkage in present trade as a natural result of last year's short crops, and count with great confidence upon large business with the full yield promised this year. Through the country money markets show surprising strength notwithstanding the loss of gold to Europe, and while confidence is suffering except speculators.

In brief, the situation is not good for gamblers, but for producers and legitimate traders, decidedly hopeful. The business failures occurring throughout the country during the last seven days number 244, as compared with a total of 247 last week. For the corresponding week of last year the figures were 212.

THREE WERE CREMATED.

Fatal Fires in a New York Tenement and at Pittsburgh.

A tenement house fire in New York resulted in the death of three members of one family—Phillip Brady, his wife, and Phillip's 13-year-old son. The fire was a mysterious one and caught the tenants asleep. There were many narrow escapes. The loss of the fire was about \$12,000. At Pittsburgh, Pa., Wolf, Howard & Company's window-glass works were burned to the ground. Loss, \$30,000; insurance, \$15,000. Adam Wilgus, who had climbed on an adjoining roof to save his house, was overcome by the heat and fell to the ground, breaking his neck. Several others were prostrated by the great heat.

THE RED RIVER FLOODS.

Lives Lost and Vast Quantities of Property swept Away.

A special from Ardmore, Indian Territory, says: Reports received here give heart-rending accounts of fearful havoc to both life and property in the overflowed valleys of the Red River in Texas and the Territory. The river has been higher than known for years. Dwelling and business houses have been swept away, crops destroyed and stock of all kinds drowned. The rush of the waters was so unexpected that but few had time to seek safety on the higher lands, and it is feared that many people who are now missing have been drowned.

THE WARFARE IN CHILI.

Insurgent Ships Trying to Keep Out of Range of Balmaceda's Torpedoes.

The Chilean Legation at Washington received a telegram from Chili, saying that the naval vessels of the Government had pursued the insurgents in Tarapaca. The Condell, the Lynch and the Imperial have bombarded Pisagua and Iquique without managing to bring out the insurgent ships, which hide among the foreign vessels, so as not to be destroyed by the torpedoes. The insurgent vessels are in a very bad condition, though two were fatal—an infant and a Slav serving woman. Several iron mills were obliged to suspend operations, owing to the inability of the men to continue work.

New Brunswick's Forest Fires.

A. St. John, N. B., special says: Instead of an abatement in the forest fires which are devastating the northern portion of the province, the efforts of settlers to stop the march of the flames seem to be fruitless. It looks now, unless rain should come at once, as if the fire would only cease after having consumed all the combustible material within reach.

Bishop Knight's Funeral.

The remains of Bishop Knight were laid to rest in Forest Home Cemetery, Milwaukee, Wis. The funeral services were conducted by Bishop McLaren of Chicago, assisted by Bishop Grafton of Fond du Lac, and Bishop Gilbert of Minneapolis. Bishop Borgess of Quincy, Ill., and Bishop Kinckebrook of Indiana, were also present.

SMALLPOX SCARE IN ST. PAUL.

Three Cases Under Treatment and the Probability of More Soon.

St. Paul is greatly alarmed over the discovery of three genuine cases of smallpox at the Merchants' Hotel. While every effort is being made by the health authorities to prevent the spread of the disease, it is not improbable that several more cases will develop in a day or two, as many have been exposed in all circles, and eleven girls are known to have come in direct contact with the afflicted persons. Vaccine is in great demand, and thousands have been vaccinated.

TO SUCCEED MACDONALD.

J. J. C. Abbott Accepts the Task of Forming a Canadian Ministry.

J. J. C. Abbott has been called upon to form a Canadian Ministry, and has undertaken the task. It was in conformity with his excellency's desire that J. J. C. Abbott undertook the formation of a cabinet, and the gentleman's decision was arrived at after a full understanding with those of his colleagues who had been spoken of in connection with the premiership, and with assurances from them of their cordial support.

RIOT AT GRAND RAPIDS.

Striking Street Car Employees Indulge in a Pistol and Brick Fight.

The Grand Rapids (Mich.) street car strike broke out again with violence. A large crowd were smashing things when a posse of police arrived. A pitched battle ensued: revolvers were fired and bricks and sticks were thrown before the mob was dispersed. Officers arrested thirteen of the mob and took them to headquarters, and among them were several old car drivers. One of the crowd was fatally injured and others were wounded.

GERONIMO, THE STAGE ROBBER, KILLED.

Brutes Don't Wait to Move.

The Indians on the Lower Brule (South Dakota) reservation had a grand powwow at the agency upon matters relating to their removal to their new reservation. The Indians are much opposed to removal, and the commission will have difficulty in securing their consent to the change.

Methodist Clergymen Sue for Damages.

At Chattanooga, Tenn., the great Methodist scandal suit, in which Revs. Dr. Mankers and Sampson sue Rev. T. C. Carter, D. D., for publications in the *Advocate*, must go to trial. The clerical petitioners ask for heavy damages. Mankers claiming \$60,000 and Sampson \$25,000.

MINISTER COMPANY FA'S.

The Shakopee (Minn.) Mill Company, composed of C. T. and J. C. Buchanan, made an assignment. The estimated assets are \$35,000; liabilities, \$37,000.

Cattleman Arrested for Fraud.

George S. Elwood, a rich cattleman, of Washington County, Kan., was taken to Arkansas to answer to a charge of fraud

death blow with an ax. Woods sprang into the water and disappeared.

A FRIGHTFUL ACCIDENT.

An Excursion Train in Switzerland Goe Through a Bridge.

In the canton of Basel, Switzerland, a bridge collapsed under an excursion train. All the train men and sixty passengers were drowned, one coach being heavily loaded and entirely submerged. One hundred were injured.

Milwaukee Express Wrecked.

The Milwaukee and Northern express was derailed two miles north of New Holstein. The tender of the engine and all the cars left the track, but no one was killed. Following is a list of the injured passengers: Mrs. C. Paul, of New Holstein, right arm hurt; Wm. Gruse, New Holstein, left shoulder hurt; Mrs. C. F. Dutton, Milwaukee, two ribs broken on left side; Mrs. A. Green, Green Bay, chest bone broken; J. B. Call, Green Bay, hurt in back; Miss Lydia Sommer, Colby, slight scalp wound; C. Bonadil, Milwaukee, left side hurt; Richard Wagner, Milwaukee, hurt in the hip; C. J. Arnold, Milwaukee, right arm hurt; Engineer M. L. Clary, Green Bay, and J. G. Lamb, baggageman, Milwaukee, right arm and side hurt. The cause of the derailment is not known.

Grand Rapids Strikers Weakening.

The warm reception given the Grand Rapids (Mich.) strikers who attempted to blow up the terminal wheel of the cable line has apparently paralyzed the cause. They were not expecting it. Their evident connection with all the disorders that have marked the strike has alienated much of the sympathy they at first received.

The patronage of the street cars is increasing and that of the caravans is growing less. The strikers are beginning to quarrel among themselves and are charging their leaders with running the strike and putting the funds in their pockets. The end of the strike is not far off.

Lost in the Flood.

A special from Gainesville, Texas, says:

Near Leon, I. T., on Red River, the dead bodies of a man, woman and little babe were found in a drift, they having been drowned during the late overflow. William Lynn, a farmer, was drowned. The rise in the Red River is unprecedented. The destruction is widespread. Ten thousand acres of corn, cotton and small grain are destroyed, most of the houses swept away, and large numbers of cattle, hogs and chickens drowned.

Will Revoke the Road's Charter.

An accident at Havensville, Kan., on the Kansas Central Railroad, resulted in the death of three members of one family—Phillip Brady, his wife, and Phillip's 13-year-old son. The fire was a mysterious one and caught the tenants asleep.

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Reunions of the Bue and the Gray.

Veterans of the Union and Confederate armies will hold a reunion in Sedalia, Mo., on July 3 to 5, inclusive. A barbecue on the night of the 4th will be among the attractions.

Lopped Up by Flames.

Fire broke out in Campbell & Co.'s cotton mill at Manayunk, Pa., and the building and contents were damaged to the extent of \$250,000. The total insurance is \$350,000.

Fatal Quarrel.

Thornton J. Haines and Edward A. Hannegan quarreled while out in a boat at Fort Monroe, Va., and Haines shot and killed Hannegan. Haines is under arrest.

Bloody Work of Butchers.

John C. Emery and Joseph Salus, both butchers, quarreled at Philadelphia, when Salus struck Emery in the neck with a cleaver, killing him instantly.