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RENSSELAER, INDIANA

CUBANS TAKE A TOWN

ANOTHER GREAT VICTORY FOR INSURGENTS.

Atlanta's Fete Is On-Man Hunt Started in Georgia—Knights of Honor at St. Louis—Lynching Mob in a Kansas Town.

Mello to the Rescue.
Cuban rebels have gained a decisive victory over the Spaniards. They captured and sacked the town of Banes on the northern coast, and now have possession of the seaport and fort. Fully 5,000 rebels are encamped within sight of the town, which is the most important port on the northern coast. This information was brought to Boston by the British steamer Taff. The Taff also brought information that there was a rumor at Banes and Gibara, that the Taff left those places, that the Brazilian rebel, Admiral Mello, was expected any day with a war vessel and 500 men to aid the Insurgents, and one of the officers of the Taff, who saw Mello bombard Rio, says that there is evidently some good ground for the rumor, and he further says that Mello can whip the Spanish gunboats with even an ordinary man-of-war.

NOT BARRED.

Knights and Ladies of Honor Still Admit Bartenders, Railway Men, Etc.
The amendment to the constitution of the Supreme Lodge, Knights and Ladies of Honor, which was proposed by Dr. Withersill, a member of the society, as engaged in hazardous occupations, bartenders, railroad men, electric linemen, etc., was lost at St. Louis on a final vote. While a majority was in favor of its passage, it was not two-thirds of those present. An amendment was passed decreasing the maximum amount of insurance obtainable from \$3,000 to \$2,000. The question of selecting a new ritual for the Supreme Lodge was referred back to the committee on the state of the order for further investigation.

SHERIFF ROUTS LYNCHERS.

Prisoner at Osage City, Kan., Rescued from a Mob.
Osage City, Kan., is in a fever of excitement over an attempted lynching. Lew Thomas, a dissolute character, was in jail charged with assault. About midnight the jail was attacked by a mob of masked citizens. They made short work of the barriers and soon had the culprit out of the jail and were leading him to the outskirts of the town. The Sheriff meantime had organized a posse and gave chase. He and his men overhauled the mob and rescued the prisoner, who was hurriedly taken back to the jail.

GEORGIA FEUD STARTED.

The Brown and Stephens Families Hunting Each Other.
The male members of the Brown and Stephens families, living near Midville, Emanuel County, Ga., among the most prominent people of that section of the State, and all well-known throughout Eastern Georgia, have begun a hunt for one another, armed with Winchester rifles. News of a bloody encounter and the probable killing of several of them is expected hourly. The trouble grew out of a horse-whipping affray between Thomas Brown and Benjamin Stevens, resulting from political matters.

Great Day for the South.

At 2:30 o'clock Wednesday afternoon an electric impulse flashed into the grounds of the Atlanta Cotton States and International Exposition from Gray Gables and the pressure of President Cleveland's finger on an electric button set in motion the big engine in the machinery building. The fountains played, the flags unfurled, the great throngs of visitors cheered, and Atlanta's big fair was formally opened for 102 days. Atlanta had made great preparations for the opening day. There were many handsome decorations in the business part of the city, and a general holiday had been declared.

Quickest Divorce on Record.

Mrs. Julia A. Leonard secured a divorce in just ten minutes and two seconds in the district court at Wichita, Kan., Monday. Judge Reed drew out his watch and timed the proceedings. They occupied nine minutes less than the recent divorce suit before Judge Jennings, which was heralded far and wide as the quickest divorce on record.

Postmaster Is Murdered.

Thursday morning at daybreak G. M. Singer, postmaster at Dunlap, Ind., was found murdered in bed. The postoffice was robbed and the grocery store plundered. Deceased was an old soldier and a widower and lived alone. The Fort Wayne police and the Sheriff are in pursuit of the murderers.

Secured a Big Sum by Fraud.

A few weeks ago Sol Huggett shot a lawyer and instantly killed himself at Wellsville, Mo. He was preparing to go to the woods, and the people thought the killing was purely accidental, but the developments indicate that he was a defaulter. Bogus deeds issued by him aggregate, it is said, \$20,000.

Fights with the Court.

When Judge Moon adjourned the Circuit Court at Chattanooga and stepped down from the bench, Deputy Sheriff Poe sprang forward from the crowd and hit him in the face with his fist. The trouble grew out of the Judge's action in disallowing a fee and lecturing the deputy on some alleged irregularity.

Struck an Open Switch.

South-bound passenger train No. 224, on the Erie and Pittsburg division of the Pennsylvania Railroad, ran into an open switch Thursday morning at Sharpsville. The entire train was derailed and several of the passengers were slightly hurt, but all escaped serious injury.

Overturf Is Indicted.

John W. Overturf, president of the defunct Citizens' Savings Bank, Portsmith, Ohio, was indicted for the embezzlement of city money deposited with him as city collector when the bank failed.

Syracuse Is All Ready.

All the arrangements have been practically completed for the reception and entertainment of the delegates to the ninth triennial session of the National Council of Congregational Churches, which commences at Syracuse, N. Y., during the second week in October.

Rhode Island Storm-Swept.

At Scituate, R. I., a thunder storm destroyed \$5,000 worth of property. The famous General Lafayette tree was split in two. The tree is the one under which the General ate his dinner while the Continental armies were marching from Rhode Island to Connecticut.

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Terrible Accident at the Grand Army Celebration.

A horrible accident resulting in the death of six and the wounding of several members of the Louisville Legion occurred shortly after 5:30 Wednesday morning by the explosion of a caisson. The dead are: Corporal Al Robinson, Private Charles Oestrich, Private Charles Woods, Private McBride, Private Hutchins, Private Howard Irvin, Private Driver William Adams (corporal). The wounded are: Fred Clegg, William Hobbs. All the men excepting the colored driver were members of Battery A of the Kentuck National Guard and all resided in Louisville. The place where the accident occurred is one of the finest residential districts in the city. Few people were on the street, owing to the early hour, or the list of killed would have been greatly increased. Every window in the block was blown out. Nearly every one in the neighborhood was asleep, and as half-clad men and terrified women came running from their homes a most horrible sight met their eyes. The body of the colored driver, mangled almost beyond recognition, fell on the front porch of a residence fully 300 feet from the place where the accident occurred. Two of the bodies were blown over the house tops and were horribly mangled. The wounded have been removed to the hospitals. Two horses attached to the cannon were so horribly mangled that they will be killed. All the killed were members of the First Kentucky Artillery of Louisville, which has always been considered the finest in the State.

THE BALL PLAYERS.

Standing of the Clubs in Their Race for the Pennant.

The following is the standing of the clubs in the National League:

	P.	W.	L.	Per cent.
Baltimore	117	78	39	.667
Philadelphia	123	78	45	.634
Chicago	120	74	47	.612
Brooklyn	120	65	55	.542
Pittsburg	120	65	55	.542
Boston	119	64	55	.538
New York	120	63	57	.525
Cincinnati	117	60	57	.513
Washington	117	38	79	.325
St. Louis	118	36	82	.305
Louisville	120	30	90	.250

WESTERN LEAGUE.

The following is the standing of the clubs in the Western League:

	P.	W.	L.	Per cent.
Indianapolis	118	77	41	.653
St. Paul	118	69	49	.588
Kansas City	120	69	51	.575
Minneapolis	120	62	58	.517
Detroit	120	56	64	.467
Milwaukee	122	57	65	.467
Terre Haute	119	52	67	.437
Grand Rapids	120	38	82	.317

LARGE MEMBERSHIP.

Annual Report of Adjutant General Jones, G. A. R.

The report of Adjutant General C. Jones, of the G. A. R., made at Louisville, shows that on June 30, 1894, there were 6,432 posts, with a total membership of 353,638. The total amount expended for charity was \$198,898. He also reported that the number of posts holding the department encampments not be before Jan. 1 nor later than May 15.

SAVED A TRAIN.

Woman Prevents a Horrible Accident on the Union Pacific.

Mrs. Ostrom, wife of a section foreman, was on the east-bound fast mail train of the Union Pacific, consisting of two mail cars, a day coach and a Pullman sleeper, from a probable frightful wreck near Wolcott station, six miles from Rawlins, Wyo. While alone at the section-house, she discovered that a wooden bridge spanning a small gully crossed by the track was burning. The fast mail, nearly an hour late, was approaching at a high rate of speed, endeavoring to make up lost time. Mrs. Ostrom ran down the track and flagged the train, which was stopped within fifty feet of the burning bridge. The passengers made up a purse for her.

Now More Bearable.

Chicago will now have normal September weather. The feverish spasm of high temperature which afflicted that community in common with most of the areas of the Mississippi Valley relaxed about 10 o'clock Thursday when, on a shift of the wind to the northeast, the mercury in the thermometers began to descend, and during a quarter of an hour declined at the rate of one degree a minute. So rapid was the change in temperature that it was noted by the weather observers.

Passenger Trains Collide.
Two passenger trains on the Consolidated Road collided at Smith's Hill bridge, near Providence, R. I. Several passengers were injured.

Fast Time for a Train.

The New York Central's "Fifer" ran from New York to Buffalo, 440 miles, in seven hours.

MARKET QUOTATIONS.

Chicago—Cattle, common to prime, \$3.75 to \$6.00; hogs, shipping, grades, \$3.00 to \$4.75; sheep, fair to choice, \$2.50 to \$4.00; wheat, No. 2 red, 50c to 58c; corn, No. 2, 31c to 33c; No. 2, 19c to 20c; rye, 20c to 27c; oats, 20c to 28c; barley, choice creamy, 19c to 21c; eggs, fresh, 14c to 16c; potatoes, per bushel, 25c to 35c; broom corn, common growth to fine brush, 24c to 41c per pound.

Indianapolis—Cattle, shipping, \$3.00 to \$6.00; hogs, choice light, \$3.00 to \$4.75; sheep, common to prime, \$2.00 to \$4.00; wheat, No. 2, 57c to 59c; corn, No. 1 white, 33c to 34c; oats, No. 2 white, 25c to 26c.

St. Louis—Cattle, \$3.00 to \$6.00; hogs, \$3.50 to \$4.75; wheat, No. 2 red, 50c to 60c; corn, No. 2, 30c to 32c; oats, No. 2 white, 18c to 20c; rye, No. 2, 37c to 39c.

Cincinnati—Cattle, \$3.50 to \$6.00; hogs, \$2.50 to \$4.75; sheep, \$2.00 to \$3.75; wheat, No. 2, 62c to 64c; corn, No. 2 mixed, 33c to 34c; oats, No. 2 mixed, 23c to 25c; rye, 24c to 43c.

Detroit—Cattle, \$2.50 to \$6.00; hogs, \$3.00 to \$4.75; sheep, \$2.00 to \$3.75; wheat, No. 2 red, 61c to 62c; corn, No. 2 yellow, 34c to 36c; oats, No. 2 white, 24c to 26c; rye, 4c to 43c.

Toledo—Wheat, No. 2 red, 62c to 63c; corn, No. 2, 30c to 35c; oats, No. 2 white, 20c to 21c; rye, No. 2, 41c to 43c.

Buffalo—Cattle, \$2.50 to \$6.25; hogs, \$3.00 to \$5.00; sheep, \$2.50 to \$4.50; wheat, No. 2 red, 62c to 63c; corn, No. 2 yellow, 34c to 38c; oats, No. 2 white, 25c to 26c.

Milwaukee—Wheat, No. 2 spring, 57c to 58c; corn, No. 3, 31c to 33c; oats, No. 2 white, 22c to 23c; barley, No. 2, 42c to 43c; rye, No. 1, 39c to 40c; pork, mess, \$2.25 to \$2.75.

New York—Cattle, \$3.00 to \$6.00; hogs, \$3.00 to \$5.00; sheep, \$2.50 to \$5.50; wheat, No. 2 red, 62c to 63c; corn, No. 2, 37c to 38c; oats, No. 2 white, 23c to 25c; butter, creamy, 15c to 21c; eggs, Western, 15c to 17c.

Chili Wants a Better Navy.

Chili intend sending several naval officers to Europe to buy a new armored cruiser and four torpedo-catchers, to add to her navy.

War on American Meat.

Secretary Morton has received through the State Department a report from United States Consul General Mason at

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PAID THE MORA CLAIM.

Spain at Last Satisfies a Claim Due Years Ago.

Senor de Lome, the Spanish minister, at Washington, Sunday delivered to Mr. Adeo, acting Secretary of State, a draft for the equivalent of \$1,449,000, drawn on the Spanish financial minister in London in settlement of the Mora claim. This marked the close of an international question that has dragged along for twenty-six years, giving rise to fiery debates in the Spanish courts and protracted committee inquiries in both branches of our own Congress. Having settled the international feature of the case the State Department is now likely to encounter some difficulty at home in disbursing the money. Much litigation is threatened, as was evidenced by the taking out of an injunction by one of the assignees Saturday to restrain the State Department from paying over all the money to the claimant, Mora.

Many persons were injured Thursday night by the falling of the section of the grand stand erected on the river front at Louisville, Ky., for the purpose of witnessing the fireworks in honor of the G. A. R.

VALKYRIE HAD NO CHANCE AND DUNRAVEN KNEW IT.

Beaten in the First Race, He Fouls the Second and Demurs to the Club's Decisive Suits and Refuses to Play.

Story of the Fiasco.

New York correspondence:

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