

Important Intelligence From All Parts.

DOMESTIC.

A negro who assaulted Miss Anderson (white) at Bowling Green, Ky., was taken from jail by a mob and hanged.

An explosion of dynamite in Long Island City, L. I., killed Mary Gordon, Henry O'Brien, Mrs. Rocco, John Hopkins and Nicola Lodano.

Three dwellings in Ossawatimie, Kan., owned by William Chestnut, caught fire from natural gas and burned four persons to death.

The bank of Fairfax, Minn., J. A. Beard, president, and E. A. Gray, cashier, closed its doors and its officers left for parts unknown. Depositors will lose over \$12,000.

In a fight among miners in the San Juan (Col.) mining camp, over claims eleven men were killed and many others were wounded.

Andrew Diehl, of Columbus, O., aged 72, choked to death on a piece of bread while eating breakfast.

The African Press association of Georgia has issued an address which recommends, along with other reforms, that the word "negro" be given preference over "colored," and that it be spelled with a capital "N."

The house of Thomas Griffiths at Leon, Kan., was burned during his absence and his three children perished in the flames.

Mrs. John Griffiths, who resides in Cropsy, Ind., presented her husband with three girl babies.

A parlor car on the east-bound Lake Erie & Western passenger train blew up near Lima, O., fatally injuring the conductor and a passenger.

Ernest Cruise and Andrew Falls, two convicts, died at the penitentiary in Little Rock, Ark., from the effects of the poison taken while at Helena. These deaths swell the number of victims to thirteen.

The inspectors of the treasury department in Boston have discovered an opium smuggler's rendezvous.

By the breaking of a levee in Sutter county, Cal., over 50,000 acres of the most fertile land in the state were several feet under water, and the damage was estimated at \$1,000,000.

Wayland, Trask & Co., New York stock brokers, failed for \$150,000. Secret speculations of one of the firm caused the suspension.

Mrs. James Buford, wife of a prominent politician at Springfield, O., dropped dead from the shock of discovering in a room the dead body of a relative, who had died suddenly.

G. W. Pomeroy and C. M. Howe, Brooklyn Center (Minn.) farmers, were struck by a passenger train and killed.

The report of Pension Commissioner Raum shows that twenty widows of soldiers of the revolutionary war of 1776 still live and draw pensions.

The boiler of the saw mill of Duke & Blum at Jaken, Ga., exploded, killing three negroes, James Wilbanks, Guffin Phillips and Joe Smith.

An engine on the Fort Wayne road ran into a crowded street car at the Forty-seventh street crossing in Chicago, killing four persons and injuring eleven others.

J. H. Todd, cashier of the St. Paul & Duluth depot at West Duluth, Minn., left for parts unknown with \$2,000 belonging to the company.

Ludwig Kain, a prominent dry-goods man at Duluth, Minn., failed for \$150,000.

Three workmen were fatally injured and five others received serious wounds as the result of a dynamite explosion at Minesville, Pa.

In a drunken quarrel at Gardnersville, Ky., between John Barnes and his brother-in-law, James Kerr, Mrs. Barnes and the two men were killed.

A. G. Weissert, commander in chief of the G. A. R., has issued an order announcing the formation of a national association of ex-army and navy chaplains.

Smuggled opium valued at \$12,000 was found at San Francisco in the hold of the steamer Oceanic from Hong Kong.

Lewis Fox and Adam Grierson, both colored, were hanged by a mob at Huling, La., for murdering Emanuel Bastel, a grocery clerk.

Burglars broke into the Onondaga penitentiary at Syracuse, N. Y., and got the outer door of the safe open, but could not open the inner door.

Miss Mary E. Garrett, daughter of the late John W. Garrett, of Baltimore, presented John Hopkins university with \$350,000.

Frank Ives has sent out an announcement from New York that he is ready to play anybody in the world for any part of \$10,000 at balk line billiards.

Exchanges amounting to \$1,060,549, 436 were reported by the leading clearing houses in the United States during the seven days ended on the 30th, against \$1,512,261,277 the previous seven days.

As compared with the corresponding week of 1891 the increase was 6.4.

Work has commenced again on the monument over the grave of Mary, the mother of Washington, at Fredericksburg, Md.

While men near Tannersville, Pa., were thawing dynamite for blasting purposes four of them, two white and two colored, were instantly killed by an explosion.

A shanty on the levee in Kansas City, Kan., was burned and "Mother" Roney Simmons, its only occupant, an ex-slave over 100 years old, was fatally burned.

Frank A. Retan, a young business man at Hudson, Mich., has received \$32,514.95 from the Lake Shore & Michigan Southern Railway company for the loss of both of his feet at a street crossing.

A. J. Hudspeeth was executed at Harrison, Ark., for the murder of George Watkins in 1887.

SAN LEGGETT came across a box containing \$10,000 in the cavity of a tree he was cutting down near Denison, Tex. It was undoubtedly secreted during the days of the rebellion.

MASKED men gained entrance to the jail at Greenville, Ala., and took John Hipp and Charles Kelly out and hanged them. They were charged with the killing of Tax Collector Armstrong.

A MERCANTILE agency in New York says that the year 1892 was the most prosperous ever known in business. In New York the excess of merchandise exports has been not far from \$70,000,000, with the largest imports and the largest total of exports and imports ever known in any year.

The aggregate of United States currency, fractional and otherwise, estimated to have been destroyed since 1892 and not likely to be presented for redemption is \$14,000,000.

FLAMES at Evansville, Ind., that started in G. W. Warren's music house, caused a loss of \$100,000.

The year 1892 was remarkable for fewer failures than have occurred in any other year since 1886, the number reported being 10,344, or 2,029 less than in 1891. The indebtedness of firms failing was but \$114,000,000 in 1892, against \$189,000,000 in 1891 and about the same in 1890. The average liabilities of firms failing in 1892 has been only \$11,000, the lowest average reported since 1878.

By the explosion of a plumber's gasoline stove in a house at Orange, Mass., caused by placing it on the top of a hot cooking stove, five persons were badly injured.

The discovery was made that the timber on 3,000 acres of school lands in McDonald, Christian and La Cede counties, Mo., had been stolen.

S. V. WHITE, who fifteen months ago failed on the New York board of trade for \$800,000, has settled in full with his creditors.

The Cunard steamer Umbria arrived in New York eleven days overdue. The delay was caused by a breakage in the machinery.

JOHN LADD, living at Carpenter, Ala., threatened to kill the family of James Reid, when a young son of Reid seized a shotgun and discharged it full in Ladd's face, blowing both of his eyes out.

A. H. FAIRCHILD, one of the most skillful marine divers in the country, was killed while 35 feet under water by an explosion of dynamite which he was preparing for a blast at a pier in New York.

DURING the year 1892 in this country 3,174 lost their lives by drowning, 448 in cyclones and storms, 1,775 in fires, 790 in explosions, 515 in mines, 368 by lightning and 655 by falling buildings, etc. Total, 7,725.

The embezzlements of the past year in the United States aggregated \$8,837,547, against \$10,720,204 in 1891 and \$8,622,956 in 1890.

ARCHIBALD BARTLETT was killed and Maggie Kelley fatally injured while on their way to be married at Lexington, Mass., the carriage they were in being struck by a train.

THERE was great excitement at West Liberty, O., over the posting of white cap notices ordering all negroes to leave the valley forthwith. The attempt of a negro to marry a white girl is the cause.

The sugar crop of the south the past year is estimated at 189,500 tons, which will call upon the United States for \$7,580,000 bounty, against \$6,882,590 paid last year.

GOLDUST, the first 5-year-old stallion to trot a mile in 2:25, died at Louisville, Ky., of old age.

The number of persons who committed suicide in the United States during the year 1892 is 3,860, against 3,331 last year, 2,640 in 1890 and 2,224 in 1889. The total is much larger than that of any of the eleven preceding years.

OF this number 8,053 were males and 805 females.

The loss of life by railroad disasters in this country for the year 1892 is 4,428, against 3,261 in 1891 and 3,420 in 1890.

The total fire losses in the United States during the year 1892 was \$156,324,585, against \$166,047,000 in 1891, \$108,412,094 in 1890, \$143,002,070 in 1889, \$100,000,000 in 1888, \$130,000,000 in 1887, and \$118,000,000 in 1886.

ALTHEMER BROTHERS, wholesale and retail dry goods dealers and planters at Pine Bluff, Ark., failed for \$100,000; assets, \$300,000.

A SAWMILL boiler at Oakdale, O., exploded, blowing the building to atoms and killing Frank Smith and Lou F. Miller.

THE total number of murders committed in this country in 1892 was 6,791, as compared with 5,906 last year, 4,290 in 1890 and 3,587 in 1889. The number of legal executions during the year was 107, as compared with 123 in 1891 and 102 in 1890. Judge Lynch executed 236 victims, 231 men and 5 women, an increase over last year of 41.

ON the Great Northern railway near Java, Wash., a snow-plow was wrecked and four trainmen were killed.

KIRKWOOD, MILLER & Co., wholesale dealers in agricultural implements at Peoria, Ill., failed for \$200,000; assets, \$168,000.

CALDWELL & PETERSON'S corrugating works at Wheeling, W. Va., were destroyed by fire, the loss being \$100,000.

A STABLE owned by T. E. Moore was burned at Shawhan, Ky., and eight valuable horses perished in the flames.

TWO sons of William Smith, of Dallas, Tex., aged 7 and 8 years respectively, went rabbit hunting and were frozen to death.

PERSONAL AND POLITICAL.

LEADERS of the people's party in session at Indianapolis issued a manifesto denouncing fusion with either dominant party for the election of senators.

LORING PICKERING, senior proprietor of the Morning Call, died in San Francisco, aged 80 years. Mr. Pickering was the oldest pioneer newspaper man on the Pacific coast.

BOB SLAVIN, the comedian, died suddenly in Toledo, O. He was one of the most popular minstrel men in the country.

E. T. INGALLS, father of ex-Senator Ingalls, of Kansas, died in Haverhill, Mass., aged 82 years.

EX-COUNTY COMMISSIONER REGOR, aged 80 years, and a Mexican war veteran, died at Brazil, Ind.

JUDGE BARTON BATES, ex-judge of the supreme court of Missouri and attorney general in President Lincoln's cabinet, died in St. Louis, aged 69 years.

SENATORS ANTHONY, Hale and Morgan, the representatives of the United States at the monetary conference in Brussels, have arrived in Washington.

THREE old residents of Dubuque county, Ia.—N. J. Loes, of Key West, aged 91; James Lynch, of Washington Mills, aged 92, and E. G. French, of Epworth, aged 72—died on the same day.

THE new state officers of Wisconsin were inaugurated, Chief Justice Lyon, of the supreme court, administering the oath.

GOV. FOSTER, of Louisiana, has appointed Donaldson Caffery, of St. Mary's parish, to be senator of the United States to fill the unexpired term of the late Senator Gibson, deceased.

HANNIBAL PRICE, minister from Hayti to this country, died from typhoid fever at his home in Brooklyn, aged 51 years.

HENRY P. BALDWIN, who was governor of Michigan from 1868 to 1872, and United States Senator from 1879 to 1882, died at his home in Detroit, aged 76 years.

REV. J. L. BURROWS, D. D., the leading Baptist divine in the south, died at Augusta, Ga.

FOREIGN.

JOHNNY BOULTER and Emma Shea, aged 19, were drowned while skating at Portsmouth, Ont.

MRS. MCNAB, of Godmanchester, Can., celebrated her 110th birthday. She was in good health and possessed her faculties, except those of hearing and memory.

ANARCHISTS attempted to blow up with dynamite the police office in Paris, but only little damage was done.

The Russian minister of justice has decided to exempt female convicts in Siberia from flogging and wearing manacles and to substitute punishment by restricted diet and isolation.

WILLIAM E. GLADSTONE celebrated his 83d birthday in London. Queen Victoria was among the earliest to congratulate him.

The mail coach between Malwa and Warsaw, in Russia, was robbed of 60,000 rubles.

ADVICES from St. Petersburg and other parts of Russia show that the persecution of the Jews and the inhumanity of the czar's officials toward that race are greater than ever before.

THE cholera continues to spread in the north of France.

A CYCLONE passed over Vera Cruz, Mexico, causing great damage to property.

A FLOT to burn up Buenos Ayres was discovered, and a number of policemen and firemen were arrested on the charge of being connected with the conspiracy. Plunder was the object.

THE \$7,000 stolen some time ago from the express office in Sarnia, Ont., was found hidden in an old stovepipe in the express company's barn.

It is stated that 2,500,000 distressed agriculturists in central Russia will be offered inducements to migrate to thinly populated Russian provinces.

THE complete list of casualties in the old world and South America, where the loss of life was serious enough to be reported by telegraph, including those who perished by disease and battle, was 657,217, as compared with 270,675 in 1891 and 90,680 in 1890.

SEVENTEEN Mexicans were slain in a battle with the revolutionists near the Texas border.

LATER.

DURING the past six months the government receipts were \$195,553,880 and the expenditures \$195,350,614, against receipts of \$175,745,287 during the corresponding months of 1891 and expenditures of \$176,018,751.

SIX men were probably fatally injured in a saloon row at Cory, Ind.

In a quarrel near Salsverly, Ky., between some of Magoffin county's best known citizens, John Davis was killed and W. E. Deskins, M. Deskins, Shepherd Cole and Brick Patrick were fatally wounded.

THE electric works at Fort Wayne, Ind. were burned, the loss being \$150,000.

LOUIS WAGNER, crazed by jealousy, shot and killed Mrs. Fannie Spears, aged 32, a handsome divorced woman, at her home in Boston and then sent a bullet through his own brain.

ZIP, the \$5,000 fan-eared elephant of Ringling Brothers' circus, died at Baraboo, Wis., of heart failure.

In the United States the visible supply of grain on the 3d was: Wheat, 81,204,000 bushels; corn, 11,426,000 bushels; oats, 6,341,000 bushels; rye, 1,190,000 bushels; barley, 2,205,000 bushels.

WILLIAM H. WHITE and Bessie L. Backster were united in marriage at Columbus, O. The groom is 17 and the bride just past 13.

MAYOR BARRITT, of Taunton, Mass., proposes to promote temperance by fining every rim seller five dollars for every conviction of drunkenness.

VIOLENT snowstorms prevailed throughout Austria and Hungary and all kinds of traffic were impeded and scores of villages were completely isolated.

THE legislatures of Minnesota, North Dakota, Nebraska, South Dakota, California, Ohio, Montana, Pennsylvania, New York and Delaware convened on the 3d.

THE cashier of the bank of Laurens, Ia., was held up by two men and the bank relieved of \$500.

TWELVE more informations were made against Homestead (Pa.) strikers for complicity in the alleged poisoning of non-union men.

RAILWAYS in Illinois killed 720 persons in 1892 and injured 2,440 others.

THE public debt statement issued on the 3d showed that the interest and non-interest bearing debt increased \$518,284 during the month of December. The cash in the treasury was \$29,092,588. The total debt, less the cash balance in the treasury, amounts to \$685,432,185, or \$9,775,653 less than on January 1, 1892.

TERRIBLE DISASTER.

Workmen at Long Island City Attempt to Thaw Out a Lot of Frozen Dynamite. An Explosion Follows, and Five Persons Are Killed, Many Others Injured and a Number of Buildings Wrecked.

New York, Dec. 30.—A dynamite explosion that shook Long Island City like an earthquake, killed five persons, fatally injured three and badly hurt ten others occurred at 8 a. m. Wednesday. The police figure up that there will be ten deaths from the explosion, as all of the five reported as fatally injured will die. The dead are: Henry O'Brien, of 29 Jackson avenue; Mrs. Rook, the wife of a barber on Jackson avenue; John Hopkins, John Delaney and Barber Rook.

The explosion occurred in the rear of four tenements in Jackson avenue, a street in the center of Long Island City. Just back of these houses is the entrance to the tunnel that the New York City and Long Island Tunnel company is digging under the East river between this city and the New York Central depot. They use a great deal of dynamite in blasting in the work. Tuesday night the dynamite froze. The men needed some and placed three barrels of cartridges just back of the tenements to be thawed out. Then they built a fire beside them. Fire and dynamite were thereupon left alone and twenty men went down into the tunnel shaft to work. The fire burned near to the dynamite and set it off. The shock that followed was like an earthquake. The men in the tunnel shaft were not hurt. The persons living in the tenements made up the killed and injured. The tenements from Nos. 21 to 29 were shattered, with the stores and offices below. The post office was in No. 27. The letter cases were knocked into strips and the clerks were hurled headlong into the debris. Immediately after the crash a wave of fire swept through the lower part of the tenements. It cut off all possibility of escape through the entrances to the buildings. Some of the stunned and bleeding tenants managed to crawl to the windows and make their escape in that way. The police believe that many mangled bodies will be taken from the debris.

Three of the people killed were all in their homes, which were contiguous to the scene of the explosion. O'Brien, one of the killed, had his throat cut from ear to ear and his face was badly mutilated by flying glass. He was lying on a sofa when the explosion took place. A pane of glass was smashed directly over his head and a large piece acted as a guillotine.

Just across the street doors were blown off their hinges, counters overturned and inmates knocked senseless. Scores of persons were injured in this way that the authorities have heard nothing about. Two blocks and a half from where the explosion took place stands a five-story brick store building and tenement. The shock tore out every window-light in the front of the top floor. Business was entirely suspended in Long Island City, and 8,000 people surrounded the ruins.

When the explosion occurred all the workmen were in the tunnel except McIntire, who was placed in charge of the dynamite at the head of the tunnel. It was at first believed he had been blown to pieces. None of the men in the tunnel were injured. It was learned later that McIntire, who was in charge of the dynamite when it exploded, was not killed. He was found at his home, where he was taken after the explosion occurred. He was placed under arrest, charged with criminal negligence. McIntire was foreman of the tunnel construction company. He was badly injured and is likely to die. To a reporter he gave a brief account of the explosion. He said he had placed about forty one-pound cartridges in a box 4 feet square, through which steam pipes run, for the purpose of thawing them out. He says he cannot account for the explosion. He remembers nothing of what happened until he recovered consciousness at his home. He says that during his thirty-five years' experience in such work this is the first accident of the kind that has ever occurred.

A FREE MAN.

Gov. Russell, of Massachusetts, Signs the Pardon of James Dunlap, a Notorious Bank Robber.

Boston, Dec. 29.—The executive council unanimously voted to pardon James Dunlap, the notorious bank robber now in state prison. Gov. Russell has signed his pardon and Dunlap will leave the prison a free man at 10 o'clock this morning.

The prisoner has but a year to serve, and the members of the council feel that some recognition should be made of his behavior in restoring to the bank after his apprehension, practically all the funds stolen. At the time that he made restitution he was given to understand by the officers of the government that such action on his part would operate in his favor. Dunlap's friends have worked most assiduously in his behalf. Dunlap has not been in the best of health for some time.

James Dunlap was in 1877 sentenced with Robert Scott to imprisonment for twenty years in the state prison for robbing the Northampton national bank of nearly \$2,000,000 in cash, bonds and other securities, fully one-half of which were negotiable.

FANCY PRICE FOR PORKERS.

An Iowa Man Realizes Seven Dollars a Hundredweight in Chicago for Two Car Loads of Hogs.

Chicago, Dec. 29.—J. H. Bielenberg, of Toronto, Ia., came to the Chicago stock yards with two loads of fancy heavy hogs just in time to credit the old year with the highest price for hogs in nearly a decade. His lot of 107 extra prime 342-pounders sold to a city butcher at the rate of \$7 a hundredweight, the highest price paid for a full load of hogs since June, 1881. The late advance of 25 to 30 cents for the last three days has been the direct result of restricted supply.

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As to whether any of the baking powders are equal to the "Royal," the official tests clearly determine. When samples of various baking powders were purchased from the grocers, and analyzed by the United States Government Chemists and the Chemists of State and City Boards of Health, the reports revealed the fact that the "Royal" contained from 28 per cent. to 60 per cent. more leavening strength than the others, and also that it was more perfectly combined, absolutely pure, and altogether wholesome.

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The official reports also reveal the presence, in other powders, of alum, lime or sulphuric acid, by which their use is made a matter of grave danger to the consumer.

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JONES—"I'm going to bring my wife round to call on you to-night." SMITH—"That's right; but do me a favor, old man. Don't let her wear her new sash; it's ugly. I don't want my wife to see it just now." JONES (grimly)—"Why, that's what we are coming for!"

McVicker's Theater, Chicago.
Pauline Hall opera company close their engagement January 14. Last week the comic opera, "Erminie."
Marie Wainwright follows Miss Hall, in "The School for Scandal," January 16.

"I HAVE been occasionally troubled with Coughs, and in each case have used Brown's Bronchial Trochies, which have never failed, and I must say they are second to none in the world."—Felix A. May, Cashier, St. Paul, Minn.

TOMMY—"Paw, what is special providence?" MR. FIGG—"It occurs when some other fellow is the victim of a misfortune that would otherwise have happened to yourself."—Indianapolis Journal.

We eat too much and take too little outdoor exercise. This is the fault of our modern civilization. It is claimed that Chamberlain's Cough Remedy, helps Nature to overcome these abuses.

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THE MARKETS.

	NEW YORK, Jan. 4.
LIVE STOCK—Cattle.....	\$3.80 @ 5.20
Hogs.....	3.40 @ 4.00
Sheep.....	3.00 @ 3.75
FLOUR—Fair to Fancy.....	2.00 @ 2.75
Superior.....	1.75 @ 2.00
WHEAT—No. 2 Red.....	4.75 @ 5.00
Ungraded Red.....	4.50 @ 4.75
CORN—No. 2.....	49 @ 49 1/2
Ungraded Mixed.....	48 @ 48 1/2
OATS—Mixed Western.....	38 1/2 @ 38
RYE—Western.....	55 @ 58
LARD—Mess, New York.....	10 1/2 @ 10 3/4
BUTTER—Western Creamery.....	20 @ 22
EGGS—Fresh.....	12 @ 12 1/2
BROOM CORN.....	4 @ 5 1/2
Beans.....	4 @ 5
Peas.....	4 @ 5
POTATOES—New (per bu.).....	64 @ 69
PORK—Mess, New York.....	16 1/2 @ 16 3/4
LARD—Swain.....	10 1/2 @ 10 3/4
FLOUR—Spring patents.....	4.00 @ 4.10
Winter patents.....	3.00 @ 3.30
GRAIN—Wheat Cash.....	2.50 @ 2.75
Corn No. 2.....	40 1/2 @ 40 3/4
LARD—Mess, New York.....	10 1/2 @ 10 3/4
RYE No. 2.....	51 @ 51 1/2
Barley, Good to Choice.....	45 @ 50
LUMBER.....	16 00 @ 24 00
Shingles.....	36 00 @ 37 00
Common Boards.....	15 00 @ 15 25
Feather.....	18 00 @ 18 50
Lath, Dry.....	2 00 @ 2 15
Shingles.....	2 00 @ 2 15
KANSAS CITY.	
CATTLE—Steers.....	32 1/2 @ 35 00
Stockers and Feeders.....	20 00 @ 25 00
HOGS.....	5 00 @ 6 70
SHEEP.....	3 50 @ 4 25
OMAHA.	
CATTLE—Steers.....	32 1/2 @ 35 00
HOGS.....	2 00 @ 3 40
SHEEP.....	3 50 @ 4 25

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