

FINAL SERVICES.

St. Louis Bids Farewell to General Sherman.

THE REMAINS LAID AT REST IN CALVARY CEMETERY.

Business Suspended and the City Draped in Mourning—Miles of Streets Thronged With People to do Homage to the Honored Dead—Veterans and Comrades Seen Weeping on All Sides.

Special to the Record-Union.

St. Louis, Feb. 21.—St. Louis today had an impressive farewell to General Sherman. For the first time in several days the sun shone out gloriously, but its rays fell upon a city draped in mourning. The hearts of the people were saddened and with one accord all manner of men abandoned their earthly pursuits and assembled along the line of the funeral procession to do homage to the honored dead. It was a soldier's funeral of a General, but not alone of one whose last journey was attended with all honors due his rank, and grief-stricken body of an army and honored by the people.

For miles the streets were lined with a solid wall of people standing at least a dozen deep. The city was draped in mourning, and the grief of those in the procession was not alone genuine, but apparent to every one. The dead General's comrades of Ransom Post marched in hollow ranks about the caisson. Every face wore that solemn look which said too plainly for words, "I have lost a friend."

Following the caisson was a handful of survivors of the old Thirteenth Infantry, Sherman's first command in the war, a small and gray-haired body of men following their old leader over the road which they, too, must travel at no very far distant day. There were besides thousands of veterans of the war, members of the Grand Army, old and grizzled comrades in arms of the dead General. Slowly they walked, and only too plainly was it to be seen that they were not alone depleting the ranks. Yet none of them were so old and feeble that they would admit even to themselves that they were facing their last day in following their man to Calvary even as they had followed him to Savannah.

ARRIVAL OF THE TRAIN. The funeral train arrived at just 8:30 o'clock. As it crossed the bridge a salute from the battery announced its approach. Emerging from the tunnel the train was compelled to proceed slowly while the police cleared the way.

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HAND-TO-HAND BATTLE.

Egyptian Troops and Osman Digna's Forces Meet at Tokar.

NEARLY ONE THOUSAND LOST IN THE STRUGGLE.

Terrific Explosion in a Nova Scotia Mine—Twenty-nine Bodies Already Taken Out, and Fears Entertained That Many More Were Killed—The Emperor Will Not Prosecute Bismarck.

Special to the Record-Union.

AFATFE (Egypt), via Suakin, Feb. 21.—A severe engagement was fought at Tokar on February 19th, between the Egyptian troops and Osman Digna's forces. Nearly one thousand lives were lost. The Egyptians made an advance from Afafte. During the early dawn of Thursday the enemy was sighted near Tokar, and after an exchange of shots between the skirmishers, the Egyptians pushed forward through the brushwood to seize the old Government building, a tumble-down ruin which forms the strategic point where the infantry could hold out against heavy odds.

The derivishes, seeing the object of the Egyptian advance, made a rush for the building and surrounded it by a compact mass of Arab riflemen, who poured a hot fire into the ranks of the advancing Egyptians, the latter returning the fire as they advanced. The Egyptians fixed bayonets when within easy distance of the enemy and pressed forward for an hour a desperate hand-to-hand, bayonet to spear and sword to sword fight followed.

Finally the Egyptian cavalry made a brilliant charge upon the derivishes, who retired in disorder, suffering a crushing defeat. The derivishes numbered at least 2000 fighting men. There was about an equal force of Egyptians.

After the retreat of the derivishes the troops found over seven hundred dead around the position mentioned, while large numbers of the dead were lying in the bushes around the buildings. Nearly every Emir of importance present fell upon the field.

Osman Digna did not take part in the fight, but watched its progress from a point of vantage near Afafte. After seeing his followers had suffered a disastrous defeat Osman Digna, accompanied by about 1000 men, fled towards Temrin. The Egyptians will advance on Temrin to-morrow.

The losses sustained by the Egyptians are Captain Barrow and twelve men killed, and Captain Berry and four Egyptian officers and forty-two men wounded. After leaving a force of troops to garrison Tokar the Egyptian troops marched direct to Afafte and ascended the hills recently occupied by the derivishes.

Afate was found to have been vacated, though there were hundreds of Arabs in the vicinity. These Arabs quietly surrendered to the Egyptian forces, and their captors a number of spears and rifles. The Egyptians also captured large quantities of stores and ammunition.

GERMAN TOPICS. Emperor William Will Not Prosecute Prince Bismarck. [Copyright, 1891, by N. Y. Associated Press.] BERLIN, Feb. 21.—Since the North German Gazette gave a denial of the report that the Ministerial Council had considered the question of prosecuting Bismarck, two articles in the Federalist have been permitted to come out. Speaking of the Austrian Ambassador, the Kaiser said: "The Duke of Lauenberg (as he styles the ex-Chancellor) will not resist the justice of the law, but it never has been intended that the Emperor's tribunal should interfere to prevent him saying or writing whatever he pleases, so long as he does not violate the law."

It is understood that the Kaiser's words were in answer to informal inquiries made by Emperor William's private secretary, and does not assuage the tone of bitterness of the ex-Chancellor's papers. It is known that members of Bismarck's family have been trying to persuade him to abandon his war of opposition, but with poor results.

The position of the Emperor and Chancellor is perfectly clear. The Emperor's intention of prosecuting Bismarck, or his newspaper organ, Bismarck's personality, associated as it is with the creation of the empire, would be tantamount to placing him above measures that might be taken toward less illustrious men."

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COAST CHRONICLES.

A General Rain Falling All Over the State.

FATAL SHOOTING AFFRAY AT FORT APACHE, ARIZONA.

The Oregon Legislature Makes No Appropriation for the World's Fair—Marysville Agitating the Question of a Decisive Fruit Exposition, Instead of an Annual District Fair.

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SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 21.—A general rain has fallen all over the State during the day, prospects of continuing all night. As far as reported the rain has done no damage, and farmers are now assured of plentiful crops. Heavy snows in the mountains will also be of great benefit to miners.

The Signal Service says a general storm of marked severity is moving southeastward towards the northwest coast of California. During the day the barometer has fallen in a most extraordinary manner in Northern California and southwestern Oregon. At San Francisco the fall has amounted to nearly three-quarters of an inch in the past twenty-four hours, and nearly half an inch during the past twelve hours. The storm-center will move southward into Northern California, and thence eastward across the northern portion of California and Nevada.

The following rainfall was reported the past 24 hours: Red Bluff, 7.6; Winnemucca, 2.0; Sacramento, 2.0; Carson City, 2.0; Fresno, 1.2; San Francisco, .6; Los Angeles, .2.

NAPA, Feb. 21.—A heavy rain set in here this morning, accompanied by a heavy south wind. It has continued all day, and there is no sign of its clearing to-night.

CLATSOP, Feb. 21.—A light, drizzling rain commenced this morning, increasing to a considerable downpour during the day, accompanied by a high wind. There is every appearance of the downpour continuing through the night. While further rain is not needed by the farming interest, it is gladly welcomed as making good crops doable.

SISSON, Feb. 21.—There is a general renewal of the storm in this section. It has been snowing steadily all day. Two inches fell.

RENO, Feb. 21.—It commenced snowing this afternoon, and two inches have fallen. The first mail of consequence from Fall River for the week arrived to-day.

HOLLISTER, Feb. 21.—A fine rain commenced falling at 9 o'clock this morning. The crops could not look better.

MARYSVILLE, Feb. 21.—The rain began falling at 10:30 this morning, and prospects for a continuance. The rain is not needed, but it will do no harm.

ANDERSON, Feb. 21.—A warm rain commenced at 10 o'clock this morning, and prospects for a heavy rain. The rainfall is 11.70 inches to date. The fears for a dry season have passed.

YALALA, Feb. 21.—There is a sprinkling of rain now, with indications for a good storm.

BAKERSFIELD, Feb. 21.—It has rained here steadily since 3 o'clock this afternoon.

BISHOP, Feb. 21.—A wind and rain storm, promising to be heavy, set in about noon to-day.

MONESRO, Feb. 21.—It has been raining since 10 o'clock this morning. The rain will undoubtedly continue throughout the night.

SANTA ANA, Feb. 21.—An inch of rain has fallen since noon to-day, and is steadily falling.

STOCKTON, Feb. 21.—A heavy rain storm commenced here this afternoon, and during the day more than a quarter of an inch of rain fell. Farmers and business men are happy, and count on one of the largest grain yields for any year since 1880.

YUBA AND SUTTER FAIR. Strong Talk of Changing it to a Decisive Fruit Exhibition.

MARYSVILLE, Feb. 21.—The proposed change in the agricultural fair for this district is being agitated considerably. The recent citrus fair was such a great success that many think a decisive fruit fair on a similar plan would be highly successful.

DISASTROUS FIRE.

A Five-Story Tenement House in Brooklyn Burned.

SIX PERSONS PERISH IN THE FLAMES.

The Withdrawal of the American Association From the National Agreement Likely to Result in Its Being Left Out in the Cold the Coming Season—Floods Looked For in the Ohio Valley.

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NEW YORK, Feb. 21.—A disastrous fire in a Brooklyn tenement house to-night resulted in the death of six persons. The house was a five-story brick flat in Sands street, occupied by thirty-two families, who are left destitute by the destruction of their homes. Before the firemen arrived the fire had cut off all escape by the staircase, the whole front of the building was covered with fire, and most of the tenants came upon them and were taken down on ladders which the firemen raised.

Among the tenants on the fourth floor was the family of John E. Downey, a printer. When they found they could not make their escape down the stairs, they escaped to the roof, but as so many were covered with fire, and most of the tenants came upon them and were taken down on ladders which the firemen raised.

Death of J. T. Forbes. LINCOLN (Or.), Feb. 21.—J. T. Forbes, a well-known citizen, died to-day of Bright's disease. Deceased was a pioneer of this county, and was well known throughout Northern California and Southern Oregon. He was 55 years old. He leaves a widow.

Charged with Brilbery. VISALIA, Feb. 21.—Walter Turnbull, of San Francisco, was arraigned in the Superior Court to-day on an indictment by the Grand Jury charging him with bribery. March 2d was fixed for the date to plead.

PERILS OF THE SEA.

A SCHOONER WRECKED OFF POINT BONITA.

The Captain and Many of the Crew Supposed to Have Been Lost.

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SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 21.—While entering the harbor to-night, the American ship Elizabeth went on the beach at the North Heads. The tow-boats were sent to her assistance, but could do nothing, and had to leave her. A heavy gale was blowing to-night, and she will probably be severely damaged. The Elizabeth is commanded by Captain Colcord, and carries a cargo of merchandise from New York consigned to Williams, Dimond & Co.

The ship had twenty men on board—the Captain, two mates, a cook and sixteen sailors, also the Captain's wife and two children. Three sailors and the Captain's wife and children were rescued. The rest of the vessel's crew are all drowned.

The ship is breaking up fast on the rocks, and will be a total loss. Tugs have taken two parties of men across the bay to San Francisco, and started over the hills to search the beach for survivors. The ship Elizabeth was sighted off the heads at about 3 o'clock this afternoon, and at 4 o'clock was picked up by the Alert, which towed her as far as Diablo Point. The wind was blowing a hurricane outside, and with the tide the ship was being driven toward the beach. Finally the ship stood out to sea, but the tow line became tangled in some way and she commenced drifting in.

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HEAVY FLOOD LOOKED FOR IN THE OHIO VALLEY.

PITTSBURG, Feb. 21.—Late advices to-night from up-river points state that the weather is growing colder and the rain has ceased, with a consequent fall of the rivers. At Johnstown a violent current has been driven into the river, and has killed five victims of the great flood, and others have been particularly exposed. The greatest damage down the river has been inflicted on the railroads in the vicinity of Wheeling.

HEAVY RISE EXPECTED.

PITTSBURG, Feb. 21.—Another flood in the Ohio Valley is expected, as rain has been falling all day, with no indications of clearing weather. The Monongahela and Allegheny rivers are again rising. The damage done by the flood in this season is not yet figured up, but it is safe to say it will reach many hundreds of thousands of dollars.

QUEER PREDICAMENT.

San Diego Finds Itself Minus a City.

SAN DIEGO, Feb. 21.—This city is in rather a queer predicament to-day. For several years the title to the lots on which the municipal jail is situated has been in litigation, and a decision was rendered a few days ago by the Superior Court that the city had failed to establish its claim to the property. By this order of the court the Sheriff of the county went to the building and dispossessed the jailer, barring the institution over to Cassius Carter as referee in petition.

THE TEMPERATURE.

CHICAGO, Feb. 21.—The temperature this morning at 8 o'clock was as follows: Chicago, 29°; Cincinnati, 40°; St. Louis, 32° above, and Winnipeg, 8° below.

THE TEMPLETON MYSTERY.

TEMPLETON (Cal.), Feb. 21.—There was no new developments in the Templeton mystery, except the finding of a check for \$3,000 with the signature torn off, issued by a San Luis Obispo bank four weeks ago. Three persons, a man, a middle-aged man and a little boy, were seen in the camp. The general opinion is that a buried treasure has been unearthed, and stage robbers quarreled among themselves, and that a murder has probably been committed.

FATAL SHOOTING AFFRAY.

HOLMHOOK (Ariz.), Feb. 21.—A shooting affray occurred at Fort Apache, Arizona, to-day, in which Sergeant Richard Foster, H troop, Eighth Cavalry, was shot through the lungs and mortally wounded, by John Glass, chief of the Indian scout detachment Apache. Both men have heretofore been the best of friends. The cause of the shooting was a drunken squabble in a game of cards. Glass was discharged from the Indian service six weeks ago for killing an Indian in self-defense, while endeavoring to perform necessary police duty at the agency.

BLOODED HORSES FOR THE EAST.

CHICO, Feb. 21.—D. M. Reeves makes a shipment of five stallions and forty-eight fillies to New York next Thursday, where they will be sold at auction on March 10th. Of the latter twenty-five are by Monroe Chief and out of mares by the Black Bird (222). The remainder of the lot were sired by Black Bird and Young Stanley. Vie H. (218), by Black Bird, and Mattie Slum (120), by Director, will also be sent with the shipment.

THE LOS BANOS EXTENSION.

SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 21.—Progress is being made on the Los Banos extension of the Southern Pacific. The bridge at White is completed, tracks are laid on it, and the construction train has moved on six miles beyond, and to the east of it. Until King's River is reached, track-laying will be an easy and expeditious matter. Then there will be a stop while another bridge is built.

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