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STILL THEY COME.

Another Cholera-Stricken Vessel Arrives at New York.

ONE MORE CASE OF THE PLAGUE DISCOVERED IN THE CITY.

The Contagion Believed to Have Been Brought to the City by Immigrants Who Arrived Last Month From Antwerp—Nine Steamships Reported to be En Route to This Country With Five Thousand Immigrants From Infected Ports.

Special to the RECORD-UNION.

NEW YORK, Sept. 16.—The *Herald* this (Friday) morning says: Another plague ship is in port and another story of disease and death on the voyage. Eleven more victims were added to the long list of those who died of cholera between Hamburg and New York. This is the story of the steamship Bohemia, which reached New York last night and anchored in the lower quarantine. The *Herald's* tug, which had been waiting for her inside the Hook, drew up alongside as she steamed in, and Captain Schroeder came to the rail to tell about the voyage. He admitted the essential facts of the misfortunes that had befallen the company. "We had eleven deaths on board," said the Captain; "all little children. There is no sickness on board at present."

"Was it cholera?"

"I can't tell. The last death was five days ago. Nobody has been ill on board since then."

"How long after you left port did the first death occur?"

"About the fourth day. No adult passengers died or have been sick."

ANOTHER CASE IN NEW YORK.

NEW YORK, Sept. 15.—Mary Connerty, a 19-year-old girl, who came from Ireland six months ago, was removed to the Reception Hospital to-day from tenement No. 692 Second avenue, suffering from what was announced as genuine cholera. It is not known how she got the plague. Orders were issued to have the girl removed at once to the Reception Hospital, at the foot of East Sixteenth street.

No. 692 Second avenue is a tenement in which eight families live. The house was thoroughly disinfected to-day, and the bedding on which the sick girl laid was taken away and burned. All her clothing was also burned.

Employes of the health department visited Mrs. Finn's boarding-house, where the girl recently washed, and took away the bed which she slept in there, and whatever clothing she had. Everything was burned to destroy the infection, and the boarding-house was also disinfected. Mrs. Finn's boarders, eight in number, are professional people. They are badly scared, and a physician was detailed to watch the house from which the girl was removed. A large crowd gathered, and it took several policemen to keep the crowd back.

It is believed the girl will die. The physicians have possession of some of the girl's vomit for biological examination.

This is the first case of cholera reported in the city in which the patient was alive.

The immigrant passengers of the steamer Friesland, which arrived here August 29th, seem to have brought the disease to little Minnie Levinger, who died September 11th. The passengers are traced back to Antwerp, which place they reached from other cities of Europe doubtless infected with cholera. When they reached quarantine there was no illness reported aboard, and after a few hours' detention and so-called fumigation they were allowed to proceed. From the steamship pier the passengers scattered over the city and country. Four young women went to the house where little Minnie lived. The infection was probably in their clothing, but they escaped attack themselves.

Sanitary Superintendent Edson had a conference with Police Superintendent Byrnes to-day, and over two hundred thousand cholera circulars are being distributed through the city. They are printed in English, German, Hebrew, Italian and Bohemian.

The work of fitting the floating hospital at the foot of Sixteenth street for the reception of cholera patients is being hurried along. Among the nurses offering help are many young women of refinement and education. The attire of several indicated a life of ease and wealth. There have been many male applicants also.

J. Pierpont Morgan, Treasurer of the Chamber of Commerce quarantine emergency fund, has acknowledged the receipt of an additional $72,335 in subscriptions since noon yesterday. Previously acknowledged, $58,300. The grand total to date is $130,635.

To-morrow the Normannia's passengers will be brought by boat from Fire Island and landed at the Normannia's pier in Hoboken. The landing may be opposed by the New Jersey authorities.

It is authoritatively stated that nine steamships, carrying 5,000 immigrants, are en route to this country. Among the steamers now en route with steerage passengers are the Inman Line steamer Indiana, from Liverpool September 10th, with 600 in the steerage; the Anchor Line steamer Ethiopia, from Glasgow September 1st, with 189 steerage; the Hamburg-American Line steamer Bohemia, from Hamburg, August 31st, with 682 in the steerage; the steamer Polaria, from Stettin September 1st, with 148 in the steerage; the North German Line steamer Herman, from Bremen September 6th, with 300 in the steerage; the Fabre Line steamer Massilla, from Naples, September 12th, with 400 in the steerage.

The most rigid inspection of all incoming trains is being made by inspectors, who board them beyond the State line. If a case is found on any train the train will be run on a branch line at once to the State refuge camp, which has already been established near the State line. Five hundred tents are already there, and everything is in readiness for the reception of patients. The railway companies have notified the Health Department that no foreign passengers will be accepted at eastern points for the West unless each bears a clean bill of health.

At the hospital to-night it was stated that the men were not suffering from cholera. The hospital authorities seem to be inclined to reticence, but it is thought the Italians are suffering from a combination of acute mania and colic.

Three suspected cases of cholera were reported to the health authorities to-night, but upon investigation by experts they were pronounced to be only cholera morbus and cramps.

The Bohemia was due here about midnight to-night, but has not arrived. Much anxiety is being experienced by the health officers of the arrival of the boat, as it is feared she has many cases of cholera aboard.

A DEATH IN BROOKLYN.

NEW YORK, Sept. 15.—The first case of death from suspected cholera occured in Brooklyn to-day. Josephine Malecka, 21 years old, of 526 State street, was taken ill yesterday. At night she passed into a state of collapse. To-day she vomited, and when a physician called she was dead. The girl had eaten heartily of green corn and tomatoes, and the case was put down to cholera morbus. A bachteral examination is now being made. The girl arrived from Poland in January.

The Trave arrived at 8:45 with a full list of cabin passengers, but no immigrants. She reported all well, cleared, and about 6 o'clock she was permitted to go up.

W. R. Hearst cabled from Paris placing at the disposal of the physicians composing the medical conference appointed by the Chamber of Commerce the use of his famous yacht Vamoose.

Dr. Walser, Deputy Health Officer, issued the following bulletin to-night: "Moravia—All well to-day, with the exception of a few cases of measles; Wyoming—One infant died of marasmus this morning; Normannia—All well on board."

A report from Dr. Byron at Swinburne to-night reports one death from pneumonia, following an attack of cholera.

SUSPICIOUS CASES IN CONNECTICUT.

NEW HAVEN, Sept. 15.—About 7 o'clock this morning an Italian was found writhing in terrible agony in a field on the outskirts of the city. The police were at once notified, and when an ambulance arrived the Italian, evidently a laborer, was exhibiting all symptoms of cholera. He was removed to the hospital and isolated. The man's name is Romero Rooney. This afternoon his brother Natalue Rooney, who lived with him, was stricken with the same symptoms. He was taken to the hospital and isolated. The Health Officer and hospital authorities maintain a rigid silence as to the cases.

THE PRESIDENT HAS FULL POWER TO ACT.

LOON LAKE (N. Y.), Sept. 15.—The President sent a telegram to the Secretary of the Treasury to-day saying that the Attorney-General had sent him an opinion to the effect that he had full power under the law to prevent the landing in this country of all immigrants coming from ports infected with cholera or any other contagious disease. He suggested that the Secretary of the Treasury convey the information to the various trans-Atlantic companies, together with an official notice that unless they acted in strict accordance therewith he would issue an executive order prohibiting entirely all immigration from infected ports, without exception.

CHICAGO AUTHORITIES ACTING.

CHICAGO, Sept. 15.—Secretary Riley of the State Board of Health had a lengthy conference with the City Health Commissioner to-day. Plans have been made to meet any emergency, and everything possible is being done to ward off an epidemic of cholera. The authorities are proceeding on the theory that cholera will in all probability reach Chicago. Dr. Riley, however, does not believe it will become epidemic. A municipal cholera hospital has been established near Bridewell, and 300 patients can be cared for there alone.

CLEVELAND BARS IMMIGRANTS.

CLEVELAND, Sept. 15.—The Mayor and Board of Control of this city have decided to notify the officials of railways entering this place that no more immigrants from infected ports will be received in Cleveland. Dr. Miller of the State Board of Health has established a military medical quarantine at the eastern State line at Lawrenceburg, where all immigrants will be inspected. He has also established a camp hospital at Ashtabala with accommodations for 200 immigrants. There is talk of establishing a quarantine just outside the city limits. A hospital has been erected on the Infirmary grounds and preparations made to meet the cholera should it come.

CHOLERA IN MEXICO.

SAN ANTONIO (Tex.), Sept. 15.—J. W. Roth, a mining Superintendent, arrived here from Monclava, Mexico, to-day. He says a telegraph operator there died from cholera Tuesday, that the town was immediately quarantined, and now no one is permitted to enter or leave it. It is reported that others have been attacked by the disease there, and it is further reported that cholera is epidemic in San Luis Potosi and Vera Cruz.

QUARANTINE INSPECTION ON THE BORDER.

OTTAWA (Ont.), Sept. 15.—The Cabinet to-day decided to establish a rigid quarantine inspection at all points on the international border where trains enter from the United States. The same inspection will be carried on at lake and ocean ports where vessels enter from American ports. Should the situation become more serious, the Government will earnestly consider the advisability of preventing trains from entering Canada.

CASES AT HAMBURG.

HAMBURG, Sept. 15.—Two hundred and four new cases of cholera was officially reported here yesterday. There were eighty-one deaths, an increase of six new cases and fifteen less deaths. The hospital authorities state that the situation shows considerable improvement.

IN FRANCE.

PARIS, Sept. 15.—In this city and suburbs there were reported yesterday forty-five new cases of cholera and eleven deaths, including six new cases and three deaths in St. Ouen.

LONDON, Sept. 15.—According to a dispatch to the *News* from Toulouse, France, four cases of Asiatic cholera were reported in that city to-day, two fatal.

SPREADING AT ANTWERP.

ANTWERP, Sept. 15.—The cholera is spreading here. Since yesterday ten patients have been taken to the hospital, and others are sick at various houses. Two children and a sailor died yesterday.

THE DISEASE IN PERSIA.

TEHERAN, Sept. 15.—The deaths from cholera in this city from September 6th to the 11th were 2,335. In the Shah's camp, 150 miles north, where he and the upper classes pass the summer, there have been 130 deaths from cholera.

REV. BARTLETT AGAIN.

He Reiterates His Charges Against Sir Edward Arnold.

CHICAGO, Sept. 15.—Rev. Samuel Bartlett, the young man who attacked the character of Sir Edward Arnold at a preachers' meeting in this city on Monday, was not at all surprised when he learned that Sir Edward had denied his allegations.

"Not long ago," he said, "Edwin Arnold, in referring to the Japanese women, spoke of them as half angelic, and undertook to defend their notorious infidelity and loose morality on the ground that they were forced to marry early, without love, and hence were in all purity and innocence led by their personal inclinations to seek love elsewhere."

Continuing, Mr. Bartlett said that during his entire stay in Japan, when in Tokio, and at the summer resorts, Edwin Arnold supported one, and sometimes more than one, woman, and it was in defense of his own personal indulgences that the great author of the "Light of Asia" flew to the support of the freedom and the laxity and license which were baneful characteristics of that Oriental life. Arnold's immoralities, he said, were frequent and caused comment among the Japanese everywhere, who have been long under the delusion that Englishmen and Americans were all Christians and followed pure modes of life. Actuated by the same motive of shielding the impurities of his own life, Sir Edwin Arnold had made attacks upon the work of the missionaries.

Mr. Bartlett said he did not seek to give his opinions publicly, being drawn out only by the questions of brother clergymen, but his sentiments toward the poet were those by the whole band of self-sacrificing men who were trying to redeem that Eastern land from the blight of heathen impurities and idolatrous customs.

REPUBLICAN CLUBS.

The National League Meets in Annual Session at Buffalo.

THIRTY-FOUR STATES AND TERRITORIES REPRESENTED.

Chairman Clarkson and Governor McKinley Speak on the Issues of the Present Campaign—Governor Boies Addresses Thousands of Enthusiastic Democrats at Carroll, Iowa—Full Returns From the Vermont Election.

Special to the RECORD-UNION.

BUFFALO (N. Y.), Sept. 15.—The fifth annual convention of the National League of Republican Clubs was held here to-day, J. N. Scratcherd presiding. After prayer and welcome by Judge Haight, President Clarkson arose amid applause. He acknowledged the welcome, and explained the falling off in the expected attendance. He said it was largely due to the cholera scare, which is keeping away many delegates. Messrs. Slaighter of Nebraska and Foster of Illinois were named as Assistant Secretaries.

The roll-call was next in order. It was found that thirty-four States and three Territories were represented. It was decided to name the Committee on Credentials, each State naming a member of the committee.

On motion of Campbell of Illinois the College Club delegates were seated.

President Burke was loudly called for, and, responding, he assured the convention that on the 8th day of November they would be found doing valiant work for the Republican ticket. [Cheers.]

The convention then took a recess till 2 o'clock in the afternoon. At that hour President Clarkson delivered his address.

President Clarkson's annual address was largely devoted to the organization and progress of the league and its work as a new element in politics. In the course of his remarks he said: "The rising question of the time, the one in which the next national campaign is surely to be fought, is the labor question. By that time the McKinley bill will have fully demonstrated the wisdom of the American policy, and will have gained the approval of the majority of American homes as a permanent policy of the Republic. Next November the workingmen and farmers and business men and all elements will join in striking down the declaration of the Democratic platform of 1892 in favor of free trade as an American rule and free-trade wages for American workingmen. The same good elements, I am sure, will also strike down with equal emphasis of disapproval the Democratic declaration in favor of destroying our present system of currency and finance for a return to the wretched and disastrous form of State banks and unsound currency."

Music Hall was filled in the evening when Mr. Clarkson introduced the first speaker, Hon. J. P. Dollivar of Iowa. Dollivar spoke on the issues of the day, and on the careers of the Republican and Democratic Presidential candidates. The astonishing feature of current politics was that the Republican party had permitted itself to throw aside its past record of great achievements and fight it out on the history of the past month. If the past had no lessons and no inspirations, he would freely confess he could bring neither interest nor enthusiasm into the present campaign. "Let us, as Republicans, keep alive the memories of past years," he cried. "Let not the history of the United States become obsolete to suit the demands of the Democratic party."

Major McKinley was next introduced, and for some time the hall was in a perfect uproar, the audience rising en masse and greeting the Governor with waving hats and handkerchiefs. He spoke at some length on "two striking questions raised by the platform of our political adversaries—first, its adherence to free trade, and second, its declaration for the abolition of the tax on State banks' issue."

McKinley outlined the evils that would result from a step backward in currency matters, and said the Democratic proposal for the abolition of the tax on State banks ought to be sufficient of itself to defeat that party. He then turned his attention to the evils of free trade, etc., and said the new tariff law has vindicated itself. Oregon's election in June spoke for it, and had been followed by Vermont and Maine. As to tin plate, he told what he saw at Elwood, Indiana, on Tuesday. In that factory all the machinery used was made in the United States, and the sheets of steel used in the manufacture of tin plate were also made in this country.

"The Democrats said we couldn't make steel rails, nor pottery, nor china, nor plate glass, but we are making them as good as anywhere in the world, and so it is with tin plate. The American people can make anything they want, and with adequate protection will."

The speaker, in closing, warmly eulogized General Clarkson as a matchless leader.

Hon. John M. Thurston of Nebraska requested every young man present to vote for the party of protection. He said every leader of the so-called independent party had been a failure in some other political party.

Hon. J. Sloat Fassett and others also spoke.

GOVERNOR BOIES SPEAKS.

CARROLL (Ia.), Sept. 15. — Governor Horace Boies opened the campaign by a stirring speech in this city to-day, in the presence of thousands of enthusiastic Democrats. In his speech he declared this to be the most important campaign in recent years. The tariff question was the great issue, and the time for the farmers to demand a surcease from unjust, unequal and excessive taxation has arrived. He made an exhaustive tariff argument and produced an array of statistical facts in proof of his remarkable statement of two years ago, that, estimating farm wages at the same rate as city wages, Iowa's crops had sold for 67 cents per acre less than the cost to produce them. Governor Boies also discussed the force bill, the currency and other planks of the National Democratic platform, and denounced the present prohibitory law in Iowa.

CAMPAIGN IN NORTH CAROLINA.

ASHVILLE (N. C.), Sept. 15.—Honorable A. E. Stevenson spoke in the presence of thousands of people here to-day. His speech was entirely devoted to the force bill, which he denounces as a scheme of the Republican party and Administration to perpetuate themselves in power. He reviewed by States the carpet-bag rule in the South after the war and showed how it had bankrupted the country, stating the same result would follow the enactment of the Republican force bill.

VERMONT ELECTION.

RUTLAND (Vt.), Sept. 15.—Full returns show Fuller (Rep.) has been elected over Smalley (Dem.) by a plurality of 19,664. Compared with 1888 the returns show a Republican loss of 9,262, the Democrats a loss of 1 and a Prohibition gain of 278.

THE RESULT IN MAINE.

LEWISTON (Me.), Sept. 15.—The *Evening Journal* gives returns from 495 towns; Cleaves 67,510, Johnson 54,638, Hussey 3,318, Bateman 2,234, Union Labor and scattering 125. Republican plurality 12,572. The remaining seventeen places two years ago gave 368 Republican and 421 Democratic votes, Congressman Dingley's plurality in the Second District is 3,720.

NEVADA SILVERITES.

WINNEMUCCA (Nev.), Sept. 15.—The second convention of the Silver party was held here to-day, for the purpose of instructing its Electors to vote for Weaver and Field.

Senator Stewart, in an address to the convention, declared that both Presidents Cleveland and Harrison had disregarded their respective platforms after election and used their power to deteriorate silver. He said a vote for either Harrison or Cleveland was a vote for the enemy of the paramount interest of Nevada. Weaver was the only Presidential candidate whose position on the silver question harmonized with Nevada's interests. He declared he would vote for Weaver and advocate his election on the stump throughout the State.

F. G. Newlands, Republican nominee for Congressman, also spoke. He said he would vote for Weaver.

The platform instructed the Electors to vote for Weaver and Field for President and Vice-President; indorsed Senator Stewart for United States Senator and F. G. Newlands for Congressman.

Adjourned.

STATE DEMOCRATIC CLUBS.

SAN FRANCISCO, Sept. 15.—A convention of Democratic clubs, comprising the California Association of Democratic Clubs, was held this afternoon at Metropolitan Hall. Fully 500 delegates were present from Fresno, Napa, Santa Barbara, San Luis Obispo, Merced, Marin and other counties. The object of the convention is to elect officers for the coming year and to select eleven delegates to represent California at the National Convention of Democratic Clubs, which is to be held at Buffalo, N. Y., early in October.

The convention was called to order by John R. Glasscock, President of the association, who congratulated the delegates on the bright prospects of the Democracy in the city and State.

A letter from ex-President Cleveland, in response to an invitation to attend the convention, was read. After expressing regret at being unable to attend, Mr. Cleveland writes that he thoroughly appreciates the work being done in California by the Democratic Clubs, and the encouraging reports from California concerning the political condition of the State is greatly emphasized by the knowledge of the existence of these organizations. "If properly conducted, I believe them to be of great value."

R. P. Hammond, Jr., was elected President of the league by acclamation.

BUTTE COUNTY REPUBLICANS.

OROVILLE, Sept. 15.—The Republican County Convention met this morning in the Courthouse. P. Tople of Cherokee was chosen temporary Chairman, and H. C. Hills of Oroville temporary Secretary. Following is a list of the nominations: Assembly, A. C. Chapman; Sheriff, R. A. Anderson; Clerk, C. L. Stilson; Auditor and Recorder, S. Titus; Treasurer, R. C. Delancie; Coroner and Public Administrator, E. N. Woodman; District Attorney, Warren Sexton; Surveyor, B. L. McCoy; Tax Collector, James C. Osgood.

MRS. HARRISON.

The Disease Has Made no Progress in the Past Twenty-Four Hours.

LOON LAKE (N. Y.), Sept. 15.—Mrs. Harrison was slightly better this morning. Dr. Doughty, the New York specialist, made another call on Mrs. Harrison this afternoon. He was joined by Dr. Gardner, the attending physician. The two physicians made an examination of the invalid. Doughty agreed entirely with Dr. Gardner's diagnosis of the case and subsequently informed the family that he saw no appreciable difference in Mrs. Harrison's condition since the former observations yesterday. He said she was as comfortable as she could be made and it was encouraging to know that the disease had made no progress within the last twenty-four hours.

BICYCLE TOURNAMENT.

Fast Time Made by Cyclers at Springfield, Massachusetts.

SPRINGFIELD (Mass.), Sept. 15.—Seven thousand people gathered at Hampden Park to witness the bicycle tournament. The one mile invitation race was a surprise, both Tyler and Windle reaching the line before Zimmerman, who was evidently not in the best condition.

In the half-mile open Zimmerman won from Tyler with little trouble, Lumsden of Chicago also finishing ahead of Tyler. Windle captured the half-mile handicap from the scratch in fine style, mowing down fifteen men on the marks.

In the mile handicap George F. Taylor, who rode from the scratch with Zimmerman, finished fourth in 2:15 2-5, which, with the time for three-quarters, 1:41 1-5, broke the competition record. Taylor now holds both the mile against time and the competition record.

The two Murphy brothers, with A. T. Barker, rode an exhibition mile on a triplets afety and made new records for all distance, the mile being run in 2:14.

Several People Were Injured.

COLUMBUS (O.), Sept. 15.—A vast crowd of people attended the fair to-day, and to-night fireworks were sent up from many different parts of the city. Three or four people were seriously injured by misdirected rockets at one point, and in front of the Neil House, where a man was giving imitations of animal cries, a section of the sidewalk gave way, precipitating fifty people into the basement. Leach, the imitator, was fatally hurt, and a dozen other people badly injured.

Locomotive Firemen.

CINCINNATI, Sept. 15.—The Locomotive Firemen at their session this morning discussed the question of the federation of all railway employes. The general feeling among the delegates appears to be in favor of putting the federation into effective practice, but no vote was reached to-day. The question was referred to a committee of five with instructions to report to the convention. Another topic for discussion was the project to build a house for permanent headquarters. This was defeated.

Tornado in Virginia.

PETERSBURG (Va.), Sept. 15.—Early this morning a small tornado passed over the southwestern portion of this city. It unroofed the Center Market, demolished the huckster sheds, unroofed Venable's factory and several private buildings, and strewed the city with uprooted trees. At the wharves some damage was done to shipping. In adjacent counties much damage was done by the storm, which was accompanied by a heavy downpour of rain.

Naval Veterans.

BALTIMORE, Sept. 15.—The seventh annual reunion of the National Association of Naval Veterans of the United States has opened here with a grand reception, that is to be followed by a banquet. The gathering promises to be one of the largest of the kind ever held. The citizens of Baltimore have raised an entertainment fund of $25,000 and have pledged themselves to give the visitors a royal welcome.

New Consular Appointments.

WASHINGTON, Sept. 15.—The following Consular appointments were announced to-day by the State Department: Hon. C. M. Barre, Consul at Valparaiso, to succeed McCreary, resigned; Charles H. Cowan, Consul at Manilla, Philippine Islands.

PURSUIT OF THE ROBBERS.

A Fusillade Heard in the Direction of Sampson Flat.

BELIEF THAT ANOTHER ENCOUNTER HAS TAKEN PLACE.

A Pioneer Resident of Tuolumne County Run Over and Killed—Seven Carloads of Sealskins, Valued at Two Hundred Thousand Dollars, Shipped From Victoria to London—San Mateo Officers Capture a Couple of Cattle-Thieves.

Special to the RECORD-UNION.

FRESNO, Sept. 15.—There was nothing new here to-day except a message from the Sequoia Mills, stating that a herder on the flume had heard a fusillade in the direction of Sampson's Flat, this morning at 10:30 o'clock. The news caused great excitement here, and it was at once concluded that Sheriff Hensley's posse and the robbers had an encounter. No further particulars concerning the shooting have been received, and the people feel very uneasy.

NORTHWEST NEWS.

Large Shipment of Sealskins from Victoria to London.

VICTORIA (B. C.), Sept. 15.—A large shipment of sealskins left for London by the Canadian Pacific this morning. It consisted of 225 casks, valued at $200,000. The casks will fill six large cars. The shipment was made up by R. P. Retzet & Co., Robert Ward & Co., Carne & Mimsi, H. Hall and Captain Grant. The skins will be offered for sale at the London fall sales.

The taking of stock at the Sayward mill is completed. Everything is ready for the closing of the deal for its sale to the Northey syndicate.

The sealing schooner Aurora left the other night quietly, it is supposed, to raid rookeries.

Private advices state that the American Behring Sea cruisers have orders on the way from Washington that will keep the Bear and Adams in the sea till December 1st, by which time the seal rookeries will have little need of a guardian. Other cruisers will leave on the 1st prox., and will make directly for San Francisco.

FIRE AT PRESCOTT.

Fifteen or Twenty Thousand Dollars' Worth of Property Destroyed.

PRESCOTT (Ariz.), Sept. 15. — A fire started this afternoon from the explosion of a gasoline stove in F. B. Jacobs' assay office, on Montezuma street, and before it could be gotten under control destroyed fifteen or twenty thousand dollars' worth of property.

There was no water in the mains, and the City Engineer was absent from the engine house, so that it was half an hour before water could be obtained, and the fire then threatend an entire block of fine residences, but the city pumps started just it time to save them. The principal losers are B. M. Weaver and John Raihle, nearly $5,000 each. The residences of Mayor Howard and Patrick Barrett were also destroyed, besides several smaller building. A man, name not known, was pretty badly burned.

CUT IN THE SHOULDER.

An Affray the Outgrowth of an Elopement.

PHŒNIX (Ariz.), Sept. 15.—Colonel C. H. Gray cut C. S. Johnson with a knife to-day, cutting a severe gash in his shoulder. Johnson drew a revolver, but friends interfered and caught him before he could fire. Johnson eloped with a niece of Colonel Gray's six weeks ago and married her. The girl was raised by Colonel Gray. Johnson was arrested and placed under bonds. Colonel Gray was attending the Democratic County Convention and was allowed to take his seat, but will probably be arrested when the convention adjourns to-night. Colonel Gray is one of the first settlers, his wife being the first white woman coming to this valley.

HAWAIIAN COMMERCIAL CO.

Spreckels Claims It Will Not Pay to Raise Sugar at Present Prices.

SAN FRANCISCO, Sept. 15.—The stockholders of the Hawaiian Commercial and Sugar Company held a meeting to-day to discuss the financial affairs of the corporation.

Claus Spreckels addressed the meeting, and in response to queries said it would not pay the company to raise a big crop of sugar at the present market rates. Some of the plantations, he said, would have saved money had they burned their mills a year ago. He stated that the outlook at the island was not favorable.

No action was taken on the matter of levying an assessment, and the meeting adjourned, leaving the affairs in the hands of the directors.

BASEBALL.

The San Joses Shut Out in a Finely Played Game.

SAN FRANCISCO, Sept. 15.—The game between San Jose and Oakland this afternoon was finely played, the fielding on both sides being brilliant. It was a pitcher's game to a certain extent, and the hits were scarce. Horner pitched a fine game, and was given splendid support. The game ended in San Jose being shut out by a score of 3 to 0.

THE GAME AT LOS ANGELES.

LOS ANGELES, Sept. 15.—Glenalvin's sluggers, after making 93 hits in the six preceding games, were brought up with a sharp turn this afternoon and let down hard. Jack Fanning's brains and good right arm did the business, and the locals were shut out without a run, while the visitors worked five men around the paths, all in one inning. Fanning allowed but two hits off his delivery, and although the Angels hit the ball hard at times, they could not land it safe. McNabb also pitched a strong game, except in the second inning.

TOOK HER OWN LIFE.

No Desire to Live After Learning of San Francisco's Wickedness.

SAN FRANCISCO, Sept. 15.—John Witte, a bedmaker in the Park Hotel at 26 Turk street, made a startling discovery while on his usual rounds this morning. When he endeavored to open the door leading to the room of Anna Lange, one of the cooks, he found it locked. Procuring assistance, he forced the door and there they discovered the woman lying on the bed cold in death. She had evidently committed suicide, as the jets in the room were turned fully on, while the keyhole and the crack around the door were stopped with paper.

The deceased left a letter which plainly showed that the suicide was premeditated. From its contents it would seem that the woman lately sold some real estate on the Point Lobos road and invested the money in stocks by the advice of a friend.

A quantity of stock certificates were found in her trunk, but it was evident that the deal had not turned out as expected, for in the letter she says that she has no desire to live after learning of the wickedness of the people of San Francisco.

In another letter addressed to the owner of the Park Hotel she says that she owes no one any money, and directs him to draw $160 which she had in bank and purchase a plot in some cemetery and see that she has a decent burial.

Bell Again Convicted.

SAN FRANCISCO, Sept. 15.—Sidney Bell, the convicted murderer of Samuel Jacobson, and also awaiting sentence for robbing John Curley, a tailor, had a trial before Judge Murphy to-day on the charges of stabbing and wounding Edward Crome, after having held up and robbed the latter on November 2, 1890. No defense was made and the jury found Bell guilty after a trial lasting but half an hour. Following this Bell was tried for holding up Peter Robson on November 15, 1890, and was found guilty in less time than on the preceding charge.

Charged With Cattle Stealing.

HALFMOON BAY, Sept. 15.—Joseph Scarpa and W. J. Schuyler have been arrested here in connection with cattle-stealing cases and other warrants are out. This makes four men now in custody and the evidence, secured through the confession of Abraham Robles and otherwise, implicates altogether seven or eight persons. The people are assisting the officers in putting a stop to the cattle stealing that has been going on for some time, but no violence is threatened. Scarpa has given bail in the sum of $4,000. The others have not secured bonds yet.

Cigar Manufacturers Fail.

SAN FRANCISCO, Sept. 15. — Figel & Lewis, cigar manufacturers, have failed for $8,065. The assets in book accounts are: L. H. Lewis of Portland, Or., $4,000; S. Figel, $314; G. Figel, $225; Arthur Figel, $424; Empire Cigar Company, $1,130; Havana Cigar Company, $715; M. P. Kohlberg & Co., $591; Colombo Company, $207; and Joseph Figel, $1,700. The insolvent firm is composed of E. P. Figel and B. L. Lewis. The failure is attributed to the dullness of trade and business losses.

The Engineer of the Polar Bear.

VICTORIA (B. C.), Sept. 15.—William Christensen, the engineer of the steamer Polar Bear, who had his arm shot off when the marines of the Yorktown fired on the steamer at False Pass, has arrived here. He states that the Polar Bear was not signaled before the firing commenced. The engineer's statement is not corroborated by other reports, which states that the Polar Bear was ordered to stop several times and she refused to lay to, or to pay any attention to the orders of the marines.

A Pioneer Run Over and Killed.

SONORA, Sept. 15.—J. B. Holland, a pioneer of this county, and who has been engaged for several months in hauling sulphurets from the Dead Horse mine to the reduction works at Angels, was killed to-day. In some manner unknown he fell from his horse while coming down a hill near Sonora, and the heavily loaded wagon passed over his body, crushing it, so much so that some of the broken ribs protruded through the flesh. He was a candidate for Sheriff of this county on the Prohibition ticket.

Funeral of Deputy Marshal McGinnis.

MODESTO, Sept. 15.—The funeral of United States Deputy Marshal McGinnis took place from the residence of his mother this afternoon, under the auspices of Modesto Lodge, Knights of Pythias, the Fire Department acting as escort. The cortege was the largest in the history of Modesto. People from all parts of the county were present to show their respect to the worth of the brave and fearless officer who has long been held in the highest regard by all.

The Cabrillo Celebration.

SAN DIEGO, Sept. 15.—It is decided now to have a county division in the grand Cabrillo parade on the 28th, each locality sending a cavalry brigade for escort to its wagon train. Probably there will be a third day for the exhibition of vaquero sports, etc.

SUPPLIES OF GRAIN.

Reports Hereafter to be Withheld by the Elevator Companies.

MINNEAPOLIS (Minn.), Sept. 15.—The elevator companies have decided to withhold reports of stocks of grain on hand from Bradstreets and other commercial periodicals. The manager of one of the largest elevators say the furnishing of stocks of wheat in the country by commercial agencies and also by Government reports is absolutely detrimental to the agricultural interests of the country, and it is deemed best to withhold information. "We believe the system radically wrong, and in a great measure responsible for the terrible depression of our markets, and as a result detrimental to the agricultural interests, which are our support."

MOORISH PIRATES.

They Hold Several Spanish People for Ransom.

MADRID, Sept. 15.—The Government recently sent a gun-boat to Cape Juby to discover the fate of the crew of the Ygord, a Spanish vessel that was captured a short time ago by pirates from Morocco. Among the captives are a traveler and his wife, and it was thought they, together with the crew, had been sold into slavery. The officers of the gun-boat learned, however, that all the captives are in the hands of the Moors at Purchel and that their captors demand a ransom for their surrender. The officers notified the Government and instructions were sent to them to pay the money demanded for the release of the prisoners.

OARSMAN O'CONNOR.

Dennis Hanlan's Right to Challenge Stansbury for the Championship.

TORONTO, Sept. 15.—William O'Connor has published a letter here denying Hanlan's right to challenge Stansbury to row for the championship of the world as the premier American sculler, and offering to row him and Gaudaur singly, or enter a sweepstakes with them to decide the matter. A dispatch from Orillia says Gaudaur will accept the challenge to row in either or both ways, providing the contests take place not later than October 5th. He offers to make another double-scull match also with Hanlan and O'Connor on behalf of himself and Hosmer.

Irrigation Statistics.

WASHINGTON, Sept. 15.—The Census Bureau has issued a bulletin upon the general subject of irrigation in the Western States. It is shown that of 124,808 farms enumerated in the arid region in June, 1990, 52,584, or 42.13 per cent., contained land on which crops were raised in 1889 by the artificial application of water. The entire area of land irrigated was 3,564,416 acres, being 20.72 per cent. of the total area of 52,584 irrigated farms, 9.66 per cent. of the total area of the whole number of farms enumerated and about one-half of 1 per cent. of the total land area of the arid region.

HEAD-END COLLISION.

Two Trains Wrecked on the Chicago and Northwestern.

FOUR MEN BURIED BENEATH THE DEBRIS AND KILLED.

The Report That Five of the Dalton Gang Had Been Captured and Two Others Killed at Deming, New Mexico, is Denied by Governor Ross of That Territory—The Captain and Five of the Crew of a British Bark Lost by the Capsizing of the Vessel in a Heavy Storm.

Special to the RECORD-UNION.

MARSHALLTOWN (Ia.), Sept. 15.—A sad head-end collision occurred at noon on the Chicago and Northwestern Road, about three miles west of Marshalltown, between freight and accommodation trains. Both were running at a high speed on the curve. It is the worst wreck known in this part of the State for many years. Both engines were completely demolished and the cars piled into a ragged mass nearly twenty feet deep. Engineer's Ashton and Howes, fireman William Limebaugh and W. E. Carton, a stockman, were buried under the debris and killed. The fireman of the other engine was probably fatally injured. It is said that the wreck was caused by an error of the dispatcher at Delleplaine, and that the dispatcher has fled.

A BRITISH BARK CAPSIZES.

The Captain and Five of the Crew Drowned.

HALIFAX (N. S.), Sept. 15.—The schooner Amelia C., which arrived this afternoon from Grand Banks, has aboard three men, survivors of the crew of the British bark Hope, bound from New Brunswick for New South Wales. The bark encountered heavy weather, and the deck load turned nearly completely over. The crew got on the keel, but the heavy sea carried them off. Three of the men, William Rees, Arthur Joliffe and John Nichols, got hold of planks and made a raft, but the others succumbed. The men drifted on the raft for four days, when the Amelia C. saw and rescued them. The lost men are Captain David Jenkins, Mate David Griffiths, Cook Richard Edwards, H. P. Jones, Robert Hughes and James E. James.

San Antonio and Aransas Pass Road.

ST. LOUIS, Sept. 15.—A San Antonio dispatch says: The indications are the San Antonio and Aransas Pass Railroad will soon pass into the hands of the Southern Pacific Company. About ten days ago General Manager Krutschmitt and a party of minor officials of the Southern Pacific made an inspection trip over the Aransas Pass. Soon after they had completed their work a force of engineers was sent out by the Southern Pacific to make measurements of all the bridges on the Aransas Pass, and they are still engaged in that work.

A Schoolboy's Revenge.

VIENNA, Sept. 15.—In Larnapot, a town of Austrian Galicia, as a number of boys attending a gymnasium there were leaving the building, yesterday, after their studies for the day were ended, a lad named John Schwed drew a revolver, and, without a word of warning, fired at Professor Dr. Felix Glowacki, killing him instantly. Schwed then turned his weapon against himself and blew his brains out. The murder was due to a grudge the boy had entertained for a long time against the Professor.

Army of the Cumberland.

CHATTANOOGA (Tenn.), Sept. 15.—General H. V. Boynton delivered the annual oration before the Society of the Army of the Cumberland and a large gathering of citizens to-night. He reviewed the achievements of that army; claimed for Buell the credit of saving Grant from the disgrace of surprise at Shiloh; for Rosecrans' victory at Chicamauga, and for Thomas' success at Missionary Ridge. He reviewed Grant's and Sherman's memoirs, wherein, he said, misrepresentations concerning the Army of the Cumberland were given currency.

The Reading Coal Deal.

CHICAGO, Sept. 15.—The *Inter-Ocean* will to-morrow make an attack on the Philadelphia and Reading coal deal, known as the Anthracite Trust, calling upon the Attorney-General of Illinois to bring suit at once under the Illinois statutes, both criminally and civilly, and alleges that not one of the firms representing the trust here can legally collect a cent in the State of Illinois, and each one is liable civilly and criminally.

Hostilities Terminated.

WASHINGTON, Sept. 15.—The Indian Bureau to-day received the following telegram from Agent Dennett, at South McAllister, Indian Territory, dated September 15th: "As per conference agreement yesterday, thirteen surrendered to-day. The armed bodies are disbanding, and there is every prospect of a termination of the hostilities."

Important Decision.

BOSTON, Sept. 15.—The United States Court of Appeals has sustained the United States Government in the celebrated goat's hair case, wherein the Collector assessed duty at 12 cents per pound on goat's hair goods, which the importers contended should be admitted free. The decision is of vast importance, and involves millions of dollars.

American Interests in Costa Rica.

WASHINGTON, Sept. 15.—Secretary Foster of the State