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TELEGRAPHIC.

5 O'CLOCK P. M.

THE NEWS.

Yellow Jack Still Holds Sway at Memphis.

The Prohibitionists of Massachusetts Will Hold a Convention in September.

YELLOW FEVER.

No improvement in the situation at Memphis. Resignation of the President and Secretary of the National Board of Health.

Mobile, August 12.—Quarantine restrictions against New Orleans will be removed after Friday.

Memphis, August 13.—Eight new cases were reported to the board of health this morning. Two deaths from yellow fever have been reported by undertakers since last night.

New York, August 13.—A Washington dispatch says it is understood that Dr. Cobell, president of the national board of health, and Dr. Turner, secretary, will resign on the 19th inst.

SPORTING.

Saratoga Races—Progress of the Wheelbarrow Man.

Saratoga, Aug. 13.—The first race, three quarter mile dash, was won by Oriole; Mary Ann, 2nd; Lady Darcy, favorite, 3rd. Time, 1:17.

Gen. Phillips won the mile and three-fourths dash; Minster, the favorite, second; Clemmie G., third. Time, 3:06.

The selling race, one mile, was won by the favorite, Rhodanthe; Susehann, second; Bowstring, third. Time, 1:45.

The mile and one-eighth dash was won by Lancelwood; Bonnie Carrie, favorite, second; Verdict, third. Time, 1:59.

New York, Aug. 13.—At 1 p. m., Nredemier, the wheelbarrow man, scored 210 miles.

CRIMES AND CASUALTIES.

Baltimore, Aug. 13.—John Crampton, colored, was shot dead while at dinner with his wife and children at their home in Prince Georges country. No arrests.

Fall River, August 13.—Walter Pain, third treasurer of the American Linen company, has been dealing in futures with the mills' money, and lost \$100,000. His transactions were similar to those of Geo. B. Darrée at Mechanics mill, his brother-in-law. The stock holders will meet next week.

POLITICAL.

California Republican Nominations—Massachusetts Prohibitory Convention.

San Francisco, Aug. 13.—The republican county convention has nominated for superior court judges Davis Landerback, F. P. Dann, John F. Finn, S. D. Scripture, Jas. C. Carr, Jr., J. M. Allen, W. H. Fifield, T. K. Wilson, C. B. Darwin, R. Guy, McCellan, S. W. Dwindle and John Hunt Jr. The convention adopted resolutions pledging the candidates for a supervisor to oppose the rate of taxation in excess of one per cent; a reduction of gas and water rates and school expenses.

Boston, Aug. 13.—The prohibitory party of this state will hold a convention September 24th.

FOREIGN.

POSTPONED.

Zerjevo, August 13.—A recent great fire here postpones the inquiry of the Austrian commissioner into the occupation of Novi Bazar.

BAD STORM.

Copenhagen, August 13.—The recent storm at Denmark destroyed over one hundred farm houses, killed fifty persons and did incalculable damage to crops.

PREMEDITATED RESIGNATION.

Vienna, August 13.—Count Andrássy stated two months ago that he would retire as soon as the Russian evacuation of the Turkish provinces was completed, and the Austro-Hungarian administration established in Bosnia and Herzegovina.

LIBERAL TERMS.

London, August 13.—A Post St. Petersburg correspondent reports that in order to colonize central Asian provinces Russia has promised all her subjects residing therein unlimited land grants and exemption from military service and the payment of taxes.

WILL NOT RETURN.

General Kaufmann will not return to Turkey as Governor general. Prince Dondokoff Kerassoff will probably succeed him in that position.

ANDRASSY'S SUCCESSOR.

The Standard's correspondent at Peath says Count Shebek, conservative, Magyar, and Count Palacki, a Pole and a zealous partisan of Russia, have the best chance of succeeding Count Andrássy.

YORK MISUNDERSTANDING.

Quebec, Aug. 13.—The transfer to the government of the Grand Trunk railroad between Point Lewis and River Dulop is completed and the government was to commence running trains this morning. It appears, however, the government has not engaged any of the train hands employed by the Grand Trunk railroad company, and these men—some hundred and fifty—have refused to allow any trains to run until they are reinstated, claiming that when the arrangement was made with the government, Hickson stipulated that all employees should be reinstated, but the government evidently has no such understanding.

RATES INCREASED.

Berlin, August 13.—The imperial bank of Germany has increased the rate of discount to four per cent, and interest on advances to five per cent.

AMERICAN HORSE WINS.

London, August 13.—The race for the Runnyede plate at Epsom to-day, was won by the American bred filly, Saratoga.

UNCERTAIN FOUNDATIONS.

Vienna, August 13.—At Wicelica in the centre of the salt mining region of Galicia, in consequence of a violent movement of the waters and surface of the ground a row of houses split in several places, and the people fled in a panic.

CHOLERA.

London, August 13.—Two fatal cases of cholera here last week.

COLLISION OF STEAMERS.

The steamer Corica from Cardiff for New York, and the steamer Semiramide from Boston for Liverpool, came in collision 100 miles off Fastnet, and the Semiramide went down. The crew was saved. Both vessels were iron.

THE WAR ENDED.

London, August 13.—From a full examination of South African advices since the victory at Ulundi the Times draws the conclusion that King Cetewayo risked all on that battle, and therefore that the conclusion of the war has been virtually reached. Russia has formed an alliance with Persia.

MAIZE CROP A FAILURE.

Bucharest, Aug. 13.—The maize crop is a failure and the price of wheat is thereby stiffening.

FIRES.

A Damaging Blaze at Detroit.

Detroit, Aug. 13.—The steamer J. W. Steinhoff, and Hutchings warehouse with its contents were destroyed by fire early this morning. The fire originated on the Steinhoff and spread so rapidly that some of the officers and crew were obliged to jump into the river and were rescued by steamers and small boats without serious injury. The Steinhoff was valued at \$16,000, and was insured for \$8,000. Hutchings & Co. estimate their loss on salt stored in the house at \$4,000; insured for \$2,300. H. H. Brown's loss on hay and roofing material is \$3,000, fully insured. T. H. White, sail maker, loses \$1,500; insured for \$1,000.

TELEGRAPHIC BRIEVITIES.

SUSTAINED.

Cincinnati, Aug. 13.—The opinion of the district court, rendered this morning, sustains Gov. Bishop's removal of P. G. Hogan from the board of police courts of Cincinnati.

COTTON EXCHANGE.

New York, Aug. 13.—The national cotton exchange begun a convention to-day. St. Louis is represented by J. L. Sloss and W. M. Senter. About seventy persons were present, but not all delegates.

CARGO OF THE LOST SHIP.

Boston, Aug. 13.—The cargo of the steamer Semiramide, sunk by collision, comprised 48,358 bushels of corn, 40 cases of domestic cotton, 232 cases of canned meats, 514 sacks of dried blood, 302 boxes of bacon, 250 barrels of lard, 525 sacks of oat meal, 299 live cattle and 23 horses, the whole value at \$92, 229.

EMIGRANTS COMING.

New York, Aug. 13.—Five hundred immigrants arrived to-day, mostly for the west.

RECEIPTS OF SPECIE.

New York, August 13.—The steam ship Bytvea brought \$265,000 in gold bars and American eagles.

SALE OF COAL.

New York, Aug. 13.—At an auction sale of 50,000 tons of Lackawanna coal to-day, grate brought two dollars per ton, \$2,124; stove, \$2,324, an average decline of about 35 cents per ton from the previous sale of Lackawanna.

LATEST BY MAIL.

Havana, Aug. 11.—Ninety-three deaths from yellow fever occurred in this city last week, a decrease of forty from the previous week.

Louisville, Aug. 11.—A case of yellow fever was reported to the health officers and the victim, a young doctor, named Edward Mormon, was immediately taken to the hospital.

Washington, Aug. 11.—The U. S. minister at Monrovia, Liberia, reports the accession of a number of tribes heretofore supposed to belong to Liberia. They have issued a manifesto in which they declare: "We consider our people under the protection of England, whose flag we will fly and also call upon her in the present difficulties."

Eureka, Nev., Aug. 11.—The charcoal burner's association, numbering 2,000, mostly Italians, working about 30 miles north of town, struck for higher rates and refused to allow teams from the mills to load, ordered them back to town and defied the sheriff and posse. The governor has called out three companies of militia. They leave to-night.

Pittsburg, Aug. 11.—Owen Maloney and John Laderty, principals in a recent glove fight at Turtle creek, near this city, were arrested this morning for violation of the new act of the assembly against prize fighting, and jailed in default of \$1,000 bail. The men did not anticipate such action on the part of the law, as they claimed this meeting was a pugilistic exhibition. They fought for money and were both badly used up.

Chicago, Aug. 11.—G. W. DeHaven, R. E. J. Miles and Andrew Haight, three showmen who some years ago ran a show known as the Congress of Nations, to-day began a damage suit for \$300,000 against P. T. Barnum, alleging that he had by sinister means broken up their show, by rebuffing serious damage. Barnum, who is here, claims that the whole action is an attempt to levy blackmail and is merely a repetition of similar suits which have been begun in Pittsburg and in Cincinnati by the same parties, and that in each case the action has been thrown out of court.

Chicago, Aug. 11.—Commissioner Fink advises western lines that the managers of the trunk lines at the late meeting adopted a resolution that after August 11 no round trip tickets or reduced rate tickets issued by western lines would be honored by eastern trunk lines. James C. Clark manager of the Illinois Central railroad has sent a cir-

cular to the managers of southern roads and roads leading from and to the southern states suggesting a meeting in November to adopt measures looking to more reasonable and intelligent quarantine regulations to be established by act of congress in accordance with the suggestion offered by such a convention.

Milwaukee, Aug. 11.—A very violent storm passed over Madison and vicinity last night. Two pleasure steamers with a full complement of passengers on Lake Monona were disabled and drifted about at the mercy of the waves for nearly an hour, but finally made a landing. The passengers were all saved, but the boats were wrecked. At Marshall the rain and hail fell in torrents for twenty minutes. A large amount of window glass was broken, and trees and shrubs lost all their foliage. The tobacco crop is reported totally destroyed, and serious damage done to corn. The hail varied in size from a small bullet to that of a hen's egg.

Chetopa, Kas., Aug. 11.—Capt. John Secret, a mail contractor on the route west from Vinita, Indian territory, was found some 150 miles west of Vinita, a day or two ago murdered. He left Vinita a few days before with a considerable sum of money for the purpose of paying off his mail carriers. It is supposed desperadoes who robbed Caneyville a short time ago are the parties who committed the crime. As the United States district court, which has jurisdiction over the territory, is now powerless, owing to the lack of appropriations by congress to meet the expenses of marshals. It is thought these acts are but the beginning of a reign of crime and lawlessness in the territory.

THE CONKLING-SPRAGUE SCANDAL.

Out of the House of the Ex-Governor Retreats the Distinguished Senator—In Five Minutes More he Would have been Shot Full of Holes.

Chicago Times Special.
New York, Aug. 10.—A World dispatch from Narragansett Pier says: Early this morning there was an unusual stir in the hotels, for it had been announced that a Sunday paper which would arrive here from New York would contain a full account of the Sprague-Conkling sensation. Unfortunately for all the parties concerned, the truth has not yet fully appeared here, but I give you news from a source as to which there can be no question.

The trouble arose between Ex-Gov. Sprague and Senator Conkling. The affair occurred on Friday evening. Either on Wednesday night or Thursday morning Senator Conkling arrived at Narragansett Pier. With him, or after him, came a trunk and a large valise. These articles of baggage were taken to the Sprague mansion by the direction of Senator Conkling. He remained there as a visitor the next day, and was on a hotel piazza the next evening conversing with some ladies. During Friday afternoon Gov. Sprague was observed driving about Narragansett Pier, having been at home entertaining his guests the night previous, though he had been absent for a day or two before. He had a gun with him, which it is believed that he loaded earlier in the day. Finally he drove to the rear of his house, which is about a mile and a half from the pier, and came through the house in a somewhat excited condition. He got out to the piazza, where he found Senator Conkling conversing with Mrs. Sprague, who was at a window. Gov. Sprague then said, addressing Senator Conkling: "Are you armed, sir?"

Conkling replied: "No, I am not."
"Then," said ex-Gov. Sprague, "I give you five minutes to get off these premises. If you are not then away I will fire at you."
Ex-Gov. Sprague is said then to have made use of some further exasperating language. Senator Conkling, seeming much surprised, but remembering that he was under ex-Gov. Sprague's roof, rose and took a few steps away, while Mrs. Sprague came out of the house and stood between them. Ex-Gov. Sprague stood looking at Senator Conkling while a carriage drove up which had been ordered to take Mrs. Sprague for a drive. When Mrs. Sprague found that ex-Gov. Sprague was apparently determined on an unpleasant scene, she called for her hat and shawl, which Mrs. Martin, a friend and guest in the house, brought her. In the house at the time as guests, were Mr. Martin, Miss Martin and Mr. Alexander, as well as Senator Conkling. A story which has been circulated here that Senator Conkling carried an invalid out of the house is nonsense. He went away entirely alone.

After ex-Gov. Sprague had repeated his peremptory order to Mr. Conkling to quit his house, there was some hesitancy on the part of the New York senator as to what should be done, but he finally took his hat, and entering the carriage, went down to the pier, stopping on the way at Billington's restaurant. Scarcely had he arrived there and got out of the conveyance than ex-Gov. Sprague, who had followed, came up and it is therefore certain that the latter must have kept his horse hitched up ready for use to follow Senator Conkling. On the arrival of ex-Gov. Sprague at Billington's another exchange of words took place, but there is not the slightest testimony to show that at any time a hand-to-hand encounter, such as has been spoken of freely here to-day, took place. But it is certain there was an excited and threatening encounter between the two in one of the most public spots in the whole place and thus it came to pass that the most exaggerated rumors were set in motion. Sifted down, the foregoing are the principal facts in the case so far as Mr. Conkling and Mr. Sprague are concerned. On Thursday night, according to ex-Gov. Sprague himself, he could not sleep. He said to a business man here that he could get no rest, and that some one had to be cleared out of his house that Friday night. His movements during Friday morning were noticed by a good many people as being very strange, but no one thought that he contemplated personal injury toward any individual. After the encounter Mrs. Sprague went to a Mr. Perry's, near by, and subsequently to the Tower house, where, it is understood, she remained over night. Yesterday she gave orders to have her trunks packed at the ex-governor's house and put on the train for Providence. She sent her children and maid to the depot, nearest the Tower Hill house, and said she would take the cars at the Narragansett Pier depot,

which she subsequently did, and met her family on the line. Before her departure for Providence, however, Mrs. Sprague went to the Lakeside house, near Silver Lake, and soon afterward she went to the Pier depot for Providence. Ex-Gov. Sprague went to Providence yesterday, but did not see his wife, going on a different train.

A PRIEST'S RETRACTION.

Chicago, Aug. 9.—Theophilus Van De Moortel, the Jesuit priest who recently created a sensation by publicly renouncing Catholicism in favor of the Episcopal form of the orthodox religion, will tomorrow renew that sensation by publishing the following card:

The sympathy expressed on all sides by my old friends is so true and heartfelt that I find myself unable to resist it. I retract what I have said against the church of Rome and am resolved to return to the church that opens its arms to receive an erring child.

THEOPHILUS VAN DE MOORTEL.

THE LAKES.

There is a mystery about the American lakes. Lake Erie is only 60 to 70 feet deep, but Lake Ontario is 592 feet deep 230 deep below the tide-level of the ocean, or as low as most parts of the Gulf of St. Lawrence, and the bottoms of Lakes Huron, Michigan, and Superior, although the surface is much higher, are all from their vast depths on a level with the probable portion carried off by evaporation does not appear by any means equal to the quantity of water which the three upper lakes receive, it has been conjectured that a subterranean river may run from Lake Superior, by the Huron, to Lake Ontario. This conjecture is not impossible, and accounts for the singular fact that salmon and herring are caught in all the lakes communicating with the St. Lawrence, but no others. As the Falls of Niagara must have always existed, it would puzzle the naturalist to say how these fish got into the upper lakes without some subterranean river; moreover, any periodical obstruction of the river would furnish a not improbable solution of the mysterious flux and reflux of the lakes.

MARKETS BY TELEGRAPH.

WALL STREET.
New York, August 13.
Money—Easy, 2 1/2 @ 3 per cent.
Government—Fairly steady.
Stocks—Strong, buoyant, higher.

NEW YORK MARKET.

New York, August 13.
WHEAT—Firm higher. Winter 1 @ 1c better. No. 1 white August 1.11.
RYE—Firm; Western 50 @ 50 1/2.
CORN—Weak, easy, 33 1/2 cash, 33 1/2 @ 34 for September, 34c October.
OATS—Weak, lower, heavy, 23c cash, 23 1/2c October.
BARLEY—75c.
PORK—Firm, higher; \$8.90 cash September; \$8.30 bid for October.
LARD—Heavy, lower, \$5.40 cash, \$5.40 bid September, \$5.45 October.
BEEF—Quiet.
BUTTER—Unchanged.
EGGS—Unchanged—8 @ 14c.
CHEESE—2c @ 5 1/2c.
WHISKY—\$1.07.

CHICAGO.

Chicago, August 13.
WHEAT—Firm, higher. No. 2 red 93 1/2, spring 85 1/2 cash, 85 1/2c September, 85 1/2c bid October.
RYE—Firm, 66 @ 67c.
CORN—Firm, quiet. Western mixed 33 1/2 cash, 34 1/2c September, 34 1/2c October.
OATS—Firm, stronger, 23 1/2 cash, 23 1/2c September, 23 1/2c October.
BARLEY—70c.
PORK—Stronger, quiet, \$8.32 1/2.
LARD—Quiet, unchanged, \$5.56 for cash.
WHISKY—Lower, \$1.05.

MILWAUKEE.

Milwaukee, August 12.
WHEAT—Irregular, closed quiet. Hard \$1.00; No. 2, 87, 86 for September; 86c for October. No. 3, 78c; No. 4, 73c; rejected 65c.
CORN—Firm—33 1/2c.
OATS—Dull. No. 2, 23 1/2c.
RYE—49c.
BARLEY—60c.

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