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Several Deaths Reported. The number of red and yellow flags, indicating yellow fever about New Orleans, is increasing, but the disease is not growing any more malignant than it was ten days ago. A new case was reported Wednesday morning at an early hour on Jackson street. Reports were also received at the Board of Health of two deaths, but the names and locations were not given out. A tent 1,200 feet away from the main building has been established at the camp of detention for the care of developing cases of the fever until they can be removed to the isolation hospital. It is announced that the reported sickness on the steamer Tartar Prince is not yellow fever, but malaria. The cases were examined by Dr. Carter of the marine hospital service. Dr. John Guiteras was invited to accompany President Oliphant and Dr. Carter on their trip as far as Shreveport, to confer with health officials in the interest of more rational quarantine regulations. Arrangements are being made for the establishment of a camp of detention, to which laborers may go before leaving for the country to do work on the sugar plantations. There is a large demand in the sugar districts for labor. The Board of Health issues a notice to physicians to promptly report all cases of patients discharged.

SPANISH CABINET OUT. Resignation of Azcarraza Ministry Offered and Accepted. The Spanish cabinet has resigned, and the belief in London is that the Liberals will assume power in a few days. No one expects to see any other man than Sagasta called to the premiership, but some surprises yet remain in the situation. It is possible that Gen. Azcarraza, whose radical attitude toward Cuba is known of all men, may have sufficient influence to prevent Sagasta, the putative friend of Cuban autonomy, securing the premiership. The tottering condition of the Azcarraza government has been known for some time, and it is evident the plans for its resignation were all laid before the queen regent left San Sebastian. This is proved by the fact that the queen regent accepted the resignation as soon as tendered, with the usual request that Gen. Azcarraza continue in office until a solution of the crisis is found.

Stevenson Monument. The bronze monument that is to be erected in Portsmouth Square, San Francisco, to the memory of Robert Louis Stevenson, the novelist, has been successfully cast. The statue will represent a Spanish galleon under full sail, it being considered as the most representative emblem of Stevenson's work. It will rest on a granite pedestal eight feet high. The monument is expected to be ready for dedication Oct. 16.

Standing of the Clubs. Following is the standing of the clubs of the National Baseball League: W. L. Boston 92 38 Washington . . . 57 70 Baltimore 89 38 Pittsburgh . . . 57 71 New York 82 47 Chicago 57 72 Cincinnati 74 55 Philadelphia . . 54 70 Cleveland 51 74 Brooklyn 50 70 St. Louis 28 100

Earthquake on Mountain Peak. Park Mountain, seven miles from Greenville, S. C., was shaken by an earthquake. Hotel Altamont, a summer resort, crowns the mountain, which rises to a peak. A Proprietor W. E. Johnston and the guests were aroused and given a scare by the rocking of the building. The earthquake seems to have been local.

Small Catch of Seals. H. M. B. Wild Swan of the British Bering Sea patrol has arrived in Victoria, B. C. She brings confirmation of the small catch by the schooners in Bering Sea. Prof. Jordan's electrical apparatus for branding the seals proved a failure and hot irons were used to brand a few females.

Unites with Kansas City. The old city of Westport, Mo., which was a bustling town on the old Santa Fe trail in the days when Kansas City was known as "Westport Landing," has succumbed to the inevitable, its citizens having voted for annexation to Kansas City.

Three Children Burned to Death. The farmhouse of A. L. Gordon at Alma, Neb., was burned, the entire contents being destroyed and three children consumed. Gordon was dangerously burned in his efforts to save his children and may die.

Ready to Pay 10 Per Cent. Receivers Seymour and Lightner of the Bank of Minnesota, whose failure at St. Paul last December precipitated so great a financial crisis, have made their first report and asked orders to pay a 10 per cent dividend.

Treaty with Creeks Signed. The treaty between the United States and the Creek Nation has been signed at Muscogee, I. T., by the two commissioners and made public. The treaty consists of twelve typewritten pages.

Name Tracy for Mayor. Republicans of Greater New York nominated H. P. Tracy for Mayor, Ashbel P. Fitch for Comptroller and R. R. Appleton for president of the Council.

Illinois Girl Gets the Prize. The awards of scholarships at the New England Conservatory of Music in Boston have been made. The greatly coveted Ebon D. Jordan scholarship, the most sought after of all, was awarded to Miss Pauline Wolmann of Rock Island, Ill., over some 300 competitors.

New Lord Mayor of London. Horatio D. Davies, conservative member of parliament for Chatham, was chosen lord mayor of London, England, with the usual ceremonial, succeeding Sir George Paulet-Phillips.

Made a Quick Trip. Kaiser Wilhelm der Grosse has proved himself not only the largest but the fastest steamship afloat. On her initial trip to New York she broke the record from Southampton one hour and forty-six minutes, making the distance in 5 days 22 hours and 45 minutes.

TROUBLE BREWING IN HAITI.

Statesmen Threaten the Peace of the Black Republic. The political horizon in the black republic (Haiti) is again becoming very cloudy. Under the regime of Hyppolyte, the late president, who ruled with a firm but brutal hand, the uneasy spirits were kept to some extent in check, and suspects were either punished by imprisonment or at once exiled. The new president, Tiresias Augustine Simon Sam, is not a man of the same caliber, either mentally or physically, as his predecessor, and the constant disagreements with his ministers, the unjust and corrupt administration of his dependents, and, above all, the terrible depression from which the country has been suffering during the last twelve months, have combined to rouse the populace into a state of ferment, which unless promptly quelled will have serious results.

WRECKED SAILORS RETURN.

Crew of Lost Whaler Brought Back from Japan. The American schooner Progress arrived at Port Townsend, Wash., thirty-two days from Yokohama, having on board nine members of the crew of the American whaler bark Cape Horn Pigeon, which was wrecked on a rocky coast eighteen miles from Hakodate the night of July 13. The Cape Horn Pigeon, Captain Scullion, left San Francisco early in the season for a whaling voyage in Japanese waters. The first part of the season was successful, and when the bark was wrecked she had 1,000 barrels of sperm oil and a lot of whalebone in her hold. Her officers and crew escaped in small boats, with no effects save the clothes on their backs.

CHAOS IN GUATEMALA.

Insurgents in Possession of Chomperico and San Felipe. A letter from the City of Guatemala has been received. The writer declares that everything, at the time of writing, was in a state of chaos. Barrios, he says, has lost his head from fright, and in a feeling of terror is imprisoning and shooting all who evince the slightest leaning toward the insurgent cause. Loans are collected by force and death is the penalty for refusing financial assistance to the dictator. Barrios himself is in the arms of a man, and a hundred soldiers sleep in the palace day and night, and he is constantly attended by a guard of picked men.

FORMING A WINDOW GLASS TRUST.

Organization with a Capital of \$20,000,000 Being Perfected. Representatives of window glass manufacturers from all parts of the country have been in session at Pittsburgh for the purpose of completing a plan by which the window glass manufacturers of the country will be formed into one organization, which will be known as the American Window Glass Association. The new combination represents a capital of \$20,000,000, and includes all of the principal plants of the United States. The output of the consolidated concern is estimated at \$10,000,000 worth of glass a year.

Peary's New Plans. Lieut. Peary, the arctic explorer, while in Philadelphia said: "In addition to securing the big meteorite I laid the plans for next year's expedition, and when I leave again, which will be about the end of next fall, it will be to remain up to the pole or to reach the pole or lose my life in the attempt if it takes five years to accomplish this object. Next summer I shall take my vessel up to Sherard Osborn fjord and make that place my base of supplies. On the last trip I made arctic expeditions with the Arctic highlanders, a tribe of Eskimos, consisting of 230 men, women and children, known as the most northerly tribe of human beings on the earth, to put in this coming winter obtaining bear, seal and deer skins for our clothing and in securing all the walrus meat they can for dog food. I have singled out eight young men of the tribe, with their wives, canoes, sledges, tents, to accompany me to Sherard Osborn fjord, which is about 300 miles farther north than the present base. My party will consist of an surgeon, possibly another white man and myself, the rest will be Eskimos. The latter know how to drive dogs; they can go hungry and know how to get food. The conditions under which I shall make the coming expedition are of the most satisfactory character. The American Geographical Society has assured \$150,000 to meet all expenses and I have been given five years' leave of absence. I shall probably buy a new ship for next year, though we may use the Hope again. Mrs. Peary will not accompany me. I am quite sure I shall succeed in reaching the pole."

A Picky Woman. The announcement that the widow of Dr. Rial, the murdered leader of the Philippine revolt, was in Philadelphia arranging a filibustering expedition, created widespread interest among Cuban patriots. General Emilio Nunez, when seen a few hours after he arrived in the city, after leading a successful filibustering expedition to Cuba, spoke enthusiastically of the courageous woman who plans systematic patriotic support with a desire for revenge of her husband's death. General Nunez said: "Dr. Rial was a wonderful man, with great intellectual ability, combined with the highest courage and patriotism. He was the life and soul of the Philippine revolution. His inception was his work and the active campaign was under his immediate direction. Grave mistakes were made at first from a mistaken idea that the Spaniards could be met in pitched open battle. Advice was sent from Cuba upon guerrilla warfare, and they are now in a fair way to win their struggle."

Can't Bring Back Hides Free. Assistant Secretary Howell has declined to reopen a case upon which the department has already ruled in the matter of the return of hides of exported cattle. Certain Chicago interests desired to ship live cattle abroad and bring back the hides duty free. This the department declared could not be done.

\$35,000 Fire Loss. Five acres of buildings comprising the works of the Chicago Bridge and Iron Company, at One Hundred and Fifth and Throop streets, Chicago, were damaged by fire. The machine shop, the plant where was wholly destroyed, entailing a total loss of more than \$35,000.

For Mrs. Stowe's Grave. A cross of Scotch granite twelve feet high has been ordered over the grave of Harriet Beecher Stowe at Andover, Mass. It is copied after one in the possession of the Duke of Argyll, which Mrs. Stowe greatly admired while visiting in Scotland.

Had an Organ in His Church. Rev. C. S. Sapindig of Franklin Grove, charged with the offense of having an organ in his church, was reprimanded by the Illinois Free Methodist conference.

Milwaukee's Marrying Minister. In spite of the opposition of a faction of the Grand Avenue M. E. Church in Milwaukee to the return of Rev. W. A. Hunsberger, he will be sent back to that church.

Central American Politics. The Central American republics, according to Pan-American diplomats at Washington, are undoubtedly on the eve

of a general political upheaval. The success of the revolutionists in Guatemala, entailing the downfall of Dictator Barrios and the elevation of Prospero Morales to the presidency, is believed to be inevitable and is likely of itself to bring about a revolution in several of the sister republics. The imprisonment of the Costa Rican consul general, Don Eduardo Bosch by the Nicaraguan authorities is regarded as a serious breach of international courtesy. The seeds of revolution are easily sown in Honduras and the uncertainty in that country seems likely to develop into open revolt against President Bonilla as an indirect result of the success of the revolution in Guatemala. Salvador alone, of the Spanish-American states, at present appears quiet and likely to remain so. A successful revolution to either of the three republics composing the Greater Republic of Central America would mean the dissolution of the feeble diplomatic bonds which now unite them, and from present indications another coalition of this nature might be difficult to bring about.

WILL RUN FOR MAYOR.

John L. Sullivan Determined to Defeat Josiah Quincy. "Yes, I'm going to run for Mayor of Boston. And I won't get it, see? It's a million to one shot, a horse to a horsehair. I won't be elected. But I'll turn down Josiah Quincy, and I'm out to do him." It was John L. Sullivan who did the talking. The big ex-champion was found at Williamsville, New York, where his show was billed for the evening. "What was the trouble between you and Quincy?" was asked. "He threw me down," replied Sullivan, "at Faneuil Hall, the night of the Ten Eyck reception. I sticks out my hand, but Quincy don't see it. He thought it would be a good chance to make a little reputation of his. I heard Quincy make a speech that night, broad on the level. I was sorry for the sucker."

TRAGEDY IN BALTIMORE.

Michael Simmonds Shoots His Sweetheart and Kills Himself. Michael Simmonds, a railroad brakeman, aged 28, shot and tried to kill his sweetheart, Miss Jennie Long, aged 19, at Baltimore, Md., and committed suicide a few hours afterward when he heard the police trying to effect an entrance to his hiding place. The girl, who was shot four times, has a chance of recovery. Simmonds had been attentive to the girl for several months, but she appeared inclined to repulse him.

Kills His Father-in-Law.

James Kelley, 29 years of age, residing in Lewisboro, N. Y., shot and instantly killed Charles Mead, his father-in-law, aged 50 years, at the latter's home in Lewisboro. According to the story which has reached this place, Kelley three weeks ago eloped with the 18-year-old daughter of Mead. The couple returned to Lewisboro after their marriage, but failed to receive the blessing of the bride's father. Kelley was arrested.

Trouble in Wilmerding Family.

The gossip in New York are whispering that Mrs. John C. Wilmerding, Jr., great-granddaughter of old Commodore Vanderbilt, is separated from her husband. These gossip even declare that the young woman will bring a suit for divorce against "Jack" Wilmerding, a Knickerbocker, whose mother was the beautiful Miss Hecksher, related to the Berrymans, the Winthrops, the Lorillard Spencers and the Lydies.

Canada Will Buy More Guns.

The Birmingham (England) Post says the Government of Canada, early in 1898, will make large purchases of heavy field batteries and a number of defense guns, the latter being for a new scheme for the defense of Montreal and the river below that city. Special instructions to this effect, the Post adds, were issued immediately after the return to Canada of Sir Wilfrid Laurier, the premier.

Canal to Be Ready in 1898.

Chief Engineer Randolph has reported to the Chicago Drainage Board that the canal will be ready for use in the fall of 1898. Among other things, Engineer Randolph says in his report that about 95 per cent. of the work on the big ditch is finished, and submits plans for cleaning the west fork and providing a flow of 30,000 cubic feet of water a minute through the Chicago River.

Sensation in Mexico.

Ex-Chief of Police Eduardo Velasquez was found dead in his cell in the Federal prison, City of Mexico. In his forehead was a bullet hole and in his hand was a derringer, such as he used to carry when in office, and like those which are furnished to all police officers. Velasquez confessed that he ordered the murder of Arroyo, giving as his excuse love for the president.

Bitter Toward Americans.

News from Madrid indicates that United States Minister Woodford is made to feel the bitterness of the Spanish people at every turn. Spurious reports of an ultimatum having been given regarding the Cuban war by America have inflamed the Spanish public. Specific denials from officials of the truth of these reports have done little to soften the bitter feeling.

Will Wed Prince Esterhazy.

The announcement that Mrs. Lily Langtry will marry Prince Esterhazy is confirmed.

MARKET QUOTATIONS.

Chicago—Cattle, common to prime, \$3.00 to \$5.50; hogs, shipping grades, \$3.00 to \$4.50; sheep, fair to choice, \$2.00 to \$4.50; wheat, No. 2 red, 90c to 92c; corn, No. 2, 27c to 28c; oats, No. 2, 19c to 20c; rye, No. 2, 47c to 48c; butter, choice creamery, 25c to 26c; eggs, fresh, 13c to 15c; new potatoes, 45c to 50c per bushel. Indianapolis—Cattle, shipping, \$3.00 to \$5.50; hogs, choice light, \$3.00 to \$4.50; sheep, common to choice, \$3.00 to \$4.00; wheat, No. 2, 94c to 96c; corn, No. 2 white, 30c to 32c; oats, No. 2 white, 22c to 24c. St. Louis—Cattle, \$3.00 to \$5.50; hogs, \$3.00 to \$4.50; sheep, \$3.00 to \$4.00; wheat, No. 2, 98c to 99c; corn, No. 2 yellow, 26c to 28c; oats, No. 2 white, 22c to 24c; rye, No. 2, 45c to 46c. Cincinnati—Cattle, \$2.50 to \$5.50; hogs, \$3.00 to \$4.50; sheep, \$2.50 to \$4.25; wheat, No. 2, 92c to 94c; corn, No. 2 mixed, 30c to 32c; oats, No. 2 mixed, 20c to 21c; rye, No. 2, 46c to 48c. Detroit—Cattle, \$2.50 to \$5.50; hogs, \$3.00 to \$4.50; sheep, \$2.50 to \$4.25; wheat, No. 2, 93c to 95c; corn, No. 2 yellow, 30c to 31c; oats, No. 2 white, 22c to 24c; rye, 48c to 49c. Toledo—Wheat, No. 2 red, 94c to 96c; corn, No. 2 mixed, 28c to 30c; oats, No. 2 white, 22c to 24c; rye, No. 2, 47c to 49c; clover seed, \$3.35 to \$3.40. Milwaukee—Wheat, No. 2 spring, 87c to 89c; corn, No. 3, 27c to 28c; oats, No. 2 white, 22c to 24c; rye, No. 1, 47c to 49c; barley, No. 2, 40c to 45c; pork, mess, \$8.00 to \$8.50. Buffalo—Cattle, \$3.00 to \$5.50; hogs, \$3.00 to \$4.75; sheep, \$3.00 to \$4.00; wheat, No. 2 winter, 94c to 96c; corn, No. 2 yellow, 32c to 34c; oats, No. 2 white, 25c to 27c. New York—Cattle, \$3.00 to \$5.50; hogs, \$3.00 to \$4.50; sheep, \$3.00 to \$4.50; wheat, No. 2 red, 97c to 98c; corn, No. 2, 34c to 35c; oats, No. 2 white, 24c to 25c; butter, creamery, 15c to 22c; eggs, Western, 18c to 19c.

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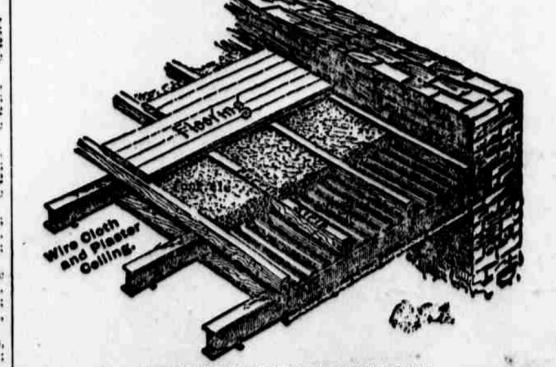
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