

FOREIGN NEWS BUDGET.

MORTALITY IN SPAIN BY CHOLERA.

Nearly Sixty-Three Thousand Deaths Since the Beginning of the Disease—The Zulu-ear Dispute Amicably Settled—Other Foreign Matters.

MADRID, Aug. 23.—Throughout Spain yesterday there were 5633 new cases of cholera and 1723 deaths from the disease. Since the beginning of the epidemic there have been 156,977 cases and 61,521 deaths. To-day's cholera returns from all the infected districts show a total of 4887 new cases and 1708 deaths.

Senor Villaverde, the minister of the interior, who went to Grenada recently took with him the sum of \$20,000 which will be used in relieving cholera sufferers and in establishing hospitals and cemeteries.

MAISELLES, Aug. 23.—There was a marked decrease in the cholera mortality yesterday. For the 24 hours 46 deaths were reported. At the Pharo hospital eight patients died, sixteen were admitted, six were discharged, cured and eighty-eight remained under treatment.

A later Marseilles despatch says: The cholera is assuming a form with which the doctors are unable to cope. The victims die suddenly without the occurrence of diarrhoea or vomiting. The patient feels a coldness which cannot be counteracted by the use of reactives or even by the most violent friction. Two hours after death the body becomes black. Although the epidemic is not contagious, it is feared that 1000 deaths daily will soon be recorded.

ANTI-GERMAN DEMONSTRATION.

A Large Assemblage Marched the Streets of Madrid and Denounced Bismarck.

MADRID, Aug. 23.—An anti-German demonstration was begun in Madrid to-day. At 4 o'clock 40,000 persons had assembled on the parade with banners and other emblems. Speeches were made in Spanish and French denouncing Bismarck's action in annexing the Carolines. A procession marched through the chief streets arousing great enthusiasm. It did not pass through the street upon which the German legation is situated. At a meeting of the military club it was unanimously agreed and intense excitement to expel the German honorary members.

Man and Two Children Burned to Death.

LONDON, Aug. 23.—There was a fatal fire to-day at Hoxton, a poor and crowded quarter of London. Owing to the lack of room it was impossible for the firemen to work effectively. There was a terrible scene when a lodging house full of people took fire and in spite of valiant efforts to rescue the inmates a man and two children were burned to death.

Quarantine has a Good Effect.

GIBRALTAR, Aug. 23.—Quarantine bills of health are now issued to vessels sailing from Gibraltar. There is no cholera at the Spanish lines, and the two days' quarantine established there by the Gibraltar authorities has been abolished.

Zulficar Pass Dispute Settled.

LONDON, Aug. 23.—The settlement of the Zulficar pass dispute is a great victory for the Marquis of Salisbury. The particulars of the arrangements have not been made public but it is known that Russia has abandoned her claim to the Eastern ridge and that the Afghans have obtained a position which they can defend. The Standard this morning confirms the statement that Russia has abandoned her claims to Zulficar pass and says that peace is thus secured.

Dongola Occupied by Derivishes.

CAIRO, Aug. 23.—Information has been received here that Dongola has been occupied by 4000 derivishes who are armed with 80 rifles.

Political Crisis in Denmark.

LONDON, Aug. 23.—The political crisis in Denmark is reviving. There are four deputies already in prison on the charge of treason. The trial of the leader of the opposition is impending.

Bismarck Issues Orders.

LONDON, Aug. 23.—The Standard's correspondent at Berlin says: "In consequence of the failure in Spain Prince Bismarck has ordered the German minister at the different foreign courts to hold over the notes intimating Germany's occupation of the Carolines."

Religious Festival at Boulogne.

BOULOGNE, Aug. 23.—The religious festival of the crowning of our lady of Boulogne and queen of the Basille took place here to-day. The ceremony was performed by the nuncio in the presence of 2000 persons. The statue of the Virgin was carried in a procession through the town.

An Official Commits Suicide.

TURN, Aug. 23.—The guardian of the royal armory, who was arrested on suspicion of being implicated in the recent robbery of jewels from that building, has committed suicide.

Collision on An Underground Railway.

LONDON, Aug. 23.—A terrible collision occurred this evening on the Metropolitan District underground railroad at Earl's Court. The signals had broken and became unmanageable and two trains collided, causing a serious engine. One engineer was killed and the stoker and five others were so badly injured that they cannot recover.

Munir Pasha Calls on Minister-Cox.

CONSTANTINOPLE, Aug. 23.—Munir Pasha, the minister of finance, has visited United States Minister Cox on behalf of the Sultan and expressed the Sultan's regret that the press of state affairs should have compelled his majesty to postpone an audience with Mr. Cox.

British Grain Trade.

LONDON, Aug. 21.—The Mark Lane Express in its weekly review of the British grain trade says: Forty-two per cent of the returns received represent the wheat crop to be over the average. Fifty-six per cent of the oats returns, 53 per cent of the beans returns and 81 per cent of the peas returns show these crops to be under the average. There will be an average crop of barley. Wheat growers are of the opinion that the crop of 1885 was better than that of 1884 and that the trade in foreign wheat is almost nothing. The huge visible supply in America is depressing trade here.

Committee of Inquiry in the Pain Affair.

PARIS, Aug. 24.—At a meeting of the peace society to-day it was resolved to demand the formation of a committee of inquiry into the Olivier Pain affair, the committee to be composed of French and English citizens and to apportion the blame of those who are guilty.

Extending a Railroad.

MILWAUKEE, Aug. 21.—The Wisconsin Central railroad to-day contracted for the construction of 116 miles of road which will take the line to Chicago. The work is to be completed by December 1, and will form another through route between St. Paul and Chicago as well as between Chicago and Lake Superior.

THE NEW ORLEANS EXPOSITION.

As Explained by Commissioner Mead.

Col. John B. Mead of Randolph, State commissioner of the late New Orleans Exposition, met some of our representative business men in the parlors of the Van Ness house last Thursday, in behalf of the Northern, Central, and South American Exposition which is to be opened at New Orleans, La., Nov. 10. He explained that a new organization has bought, at less than one-tenth of its original cost, the buildings and plant of the World's Industrial and Cotton Centennial Exposition, and will open a new exposition having for its object the furtherance of the commercial interests of the United States, with a view more especially to developing trade relations between the countries of the two American continents, and the finding of a market for our surplus products. Colonel Mead desires the co-operation of the manufacturers and business men of Vermont, and asks them to contribute their products to the new Exposition, which is to be held at New Orleans. No State aid is asked or expected. The Exposition will be conducted on strictly business principles, large cash prizes will be awarded and a treaty will necessarily be stimulated by such an international exhibit. If the new exposition proves pecuniarily profitable, it promises to pay in addition to its own premiums the \$50,000 of premiums, which the former New Orleans exposition awarded to the State of Vermont, to be paid to the State of Vermont. Mead will be pleased to send circulars and blank applications for space, and to furnish information to any who desire to know more of this exposition.

State Temperance Campmeeting.

Thursday's exercises at the State temperance campmeeting at Morrisville, were opened with a love feast at 9:30 a. m. The annual meeting of the State association was held at 1 p. m., President Johnson in the chair. Secretary Rev. G. L. Story of St. Albans made a report, which was adopted. Treasurer C. W. Wyman of Brattleboro made a report in regard to finances. Nominating committee presented the following list of names as new officers of the association, which were voted upon and elected separately: President, Rev. R. Morgan, St. Albans; vice-presidents, H. F. Austin, Vergennes, Frank Plumley, Northfield, Mrs. Hadden, Lyndon, C. W. Wyman, Brattleboro; treasurer, C. W. Wyman; finance committee, R. Bartlett, W. H. Hyde, W. L. Pearl; executive committee, W. J. Johnson, W. H. Hyde, A. A. Niles, W. L. Pearl, J. R. Bartlett.

A. F. Whitney, president of Morrisville Camp Ground association, presented a resolution inviting the State association to the grounds another year. Remarks were made in regard to the future meetings of the association as to their time and place, and the matter was finally referred to the executive committee. A meeting of the W. C. T. U. was held at the same time, in the Morrisville society tent. There were regular services at 2 p. m., and an interesting address by Mrs. Lathrop, president of Michigan W. C. T. U. These services were attended by about three thousand and they closed the regular programme. It was expected that Rev. Mr. McKenzie would preach in the evening, but he was obliged to return home.

Fire Thursday Morning at South Burlington.

A fire of unknown origin, broke out about 1 o'clock Thursday morning in one of the barns on a farm in South Burlington, belonging to S. H. Weston of Winouiski. No facilities were at hand for extinguishing the fire and the flames spread with such rapidity that a dwelling house and two barns were destroyed before their progress could be stayed. With the exception of most of the furniture, the contents of the house were lost and fifty tons of hay burned in the barn. Two horses were rescued with difficulty. Mr. Weston roughly estimates his loss at over \$2000, on which he has \$1250 insurance in Good Hope S. P. C. agency in this city. It is supposed the fire was the work of incendiaries which, since this is the second mysterious fire which has visited Mr. Weston's premises, all in a very short time, is a very profitable theory. There would seem to be an opportunity for some interesting detective work at Winouiski.

The Rutland County Papers, as Described by One of Them.

[Fair Haven, Vt.] The Era stands to-day as the only advocate in the county of that which is best for the Republican party in the State and nation. The brains of the Herald and Globe and Clevelandism are identical. The Review on account of its owner's friendship for Blaine is inimical to Vermont's strongest and best legislator, Senator Edmunds. The Poultney Journal when it dares express a political opinion, which it seldom does, is Democratic and the Brandon Union is a conservative, non-committal, both sides-of-the-fence at once, purely local sheet.

The Smallpox in Montreal.

Montreal despatches say the epidemic is spreading in the western portions of the city. There are about 300 known cases, but there is reason to believe that there are 300 or 400 more unreported. The mayor has prohibited Barnum's circus from entering the city on account of the danger from large crowds of people gathering together. The clergy also urge from the pulpits the members of their churches who have the disease in their houses not to attend divine worship. The prevalence of the disease is affecting the trade of the city. The greatest obstacle to checking the disease is the ignorance of the population. They move about among the people sick with the smallpox apparently without fear.

Smuggling on the Northern Border.

That smuggling is a paying occupation along the line may be inferred from the following advertisement, which appears in Canadian papers: "For sale—A farm within two miles of the boundary line at Lacolle, Province of Quebec, on which a row of buildings has been erected especially for trade purposes. No other house within two miles on either side of the line. Coal house, under sheds, stables, hay scales etc. The stand is well known to the Americans, and all kinds of goods, such as liquor, butter, hoes, grain, hay, etc. and in easy channel to the States at all times. A good active business man can clear his \$100 a day, or night, making an average of \$10,000 a year of net profits."

Rumor Respecting the President Unfounded.

CINCINNATI, O., Aug. 24.—A special despatch from Toledo, O., says: "Mr. Bacon, brother-in-law of President Cleveland, says there is no foundation whatever for the announcement that the President proposes to visit Ohio during this campaign."

Ely's Cream Balm

Ely's Cream Balm was recommended to me by my druggist as a preventive to Hay Fever. I have been using it as directed since the 9th of August and I have found it a specific for that much dreaded and loathsome disease. For ten years or more I have been a great sufferer each year, from August 9th till frost. I have tried many other remedies for my cure, but Ely's Cream Balm is the only preventive I have ever found. Hay fever sufferers ought to know of its efficacy. Publishers, of F. R. Answorth & Co., Indianapolis, Ind. 10c, and 25c.

MANY SHIPS DESTROYED.

A CONFLAGRATION AMONG CRAFT.

Terrible Fire at Plum Beach, L. I.—Nine Vessels Burned to the Water's Edge—Loss \$145,000—Distances Fires in Other Places.

PORT WASHINGTON, L. I., Aug. 21.—A large fire, causing the loss of \$125,000, broke out on board the steamer Colorado lying off Plum Beach near here this evening and the flames spread to the following ships, all of which were burned to the water's edge and sunk: Minnesota, Susquehanna, Congress, South Carolina, Iowa, Lotta, Grant and Fairplay. All, with the exception of the last two, formerly belonged to the United States navy, but had been condemned and sold to Stannard & Co. Fire broke out on the forward deck of the Colorado, where men were at work burning up planks to get the iron spikes. The schooners Lotta, Grant and Fairplay were anchored close to the government vessels and they too sank. The loss on the schooners amounts to about \$25,000.

Destructive Fire in Arkansas.

NEW ORLEANS, Aug. 21.—A fire at Texarkana, Ark., this morning destroyed the Arlington hotel, telephone office, post-office, Pacific and Southern Express office, the Western Union Telegraph office and two squares on the Arkansas side. The loss is estimated at \$150,000. The insurance is not known. Col. C. E. Dixon, proprietor of the Arlington house, was badly burned, and Frank Varney and Pat Dorian dangerously injured.

Heavy Fire in Maine.

BANGOR, Me., Aug. 21.—The loss on the John MacGregor's wool factory, burned in South Lincoln this morning, together with the machinery, was \$50,000. The shed contained a million feet of lumber worth \$20,000. The buildings were one-half covered with insurance and the lumber in the shed only partially covered.

Flames at Montreal.

MONTREAL, Aug. 20.—Fire broke out this morning in the Bell Telephone Company's works on Craig St., and flames worked up through the premises of the bank note company, causing damage estimated at \$80,000. A watchman named Bradley had fallen asleep and was smothered.

Thousands Say So.

Mr. T. W. Atkins, Girard, Kan., writes: "I never hesitate to recommend your Electric Bitters to my customers, they give entire satisfaction and are rapid sellers." Electric Bitters are the purest and best medicine known and will positively cure Kidney and Liver complaints, Purify the blood and regulate the bowels. No family can afford to be without them. They will save hundreds of dollars in doctor's bills every year. Sold at 25c per bottle by Deapre & Lowrey.

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You are allowed a free trial of thirty days of the use of Dr. Dye's Celebrated Voltaic Belt with Electric Suspensory Appliances, for the speedy relief and permanent cure of Nervous Debility, loss of Vitality and Manhood, and all kindred troubles. Also, for many other diseases. Complete restoration of health, vigor and manhood guaranteed. No risk incurred. Illustrated pamphlet, with full information, terms, etc., mailed free by addressing Voltaic Belt Co., Marshall, Mich. 25c, enclosing

Advice to Mothers.

Mrs. WISLAW'S SOOTHING SYRUP should always be used when children are cutting teeth. It relieves the little sufferer at once; it produces natural, quiet sleep by relieving the pain, and the little cherub awakes as "bright as a button." It is very pleasant to the taste. It soothes the inflamed gum, and soothes the inflamed bowels, and is the best-known remedy for colic, and is the best-known remedy for all other ailments arising from teething or diarrhoea. Twenty-five cents a bottle. Marlow's-wy

An eminent physician of large practice says.

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DON'T WANT A DOCTOR!

I have tried them, and they have only soothed me. I have figured up what they cost me for the last four years, it was just \$24.51. If I had it now it would be a fortune for me. This year my bill for medicine was only \$100 dollars, for which I purchased six bottles of Siphon Bitters. They cured me of Scrofula after suffering four years.—E. J. Cummings, Troy, N. Y.

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As a reliable remedy, in cases of Croup, Whooping Cough, or sudden Colds, and for the prompt relief and cure of throat and lung diseases, Ayer's Cherry Pectoral is invaluable. Mrs. E. G. Elderly, Council Bluffs, Iowa, writes: "I consider Ayer's Cherry Pectoral a most important remedy for home use. I have tested its curative power, in my family, many times during the past thirty years, and have never known it to fail. It will relieve the most serious affections of the throat and lungs, whether in children or adults." John H. Stoddard, Petersburg, Va., writes: "I have never found a medicine equal to

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