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## DEATH AND DEVASTATION FROM ITALIAN EARTHQUAKE

### HUNDREDS DEAD WHOLE TOWNS RUINED

The Known Fatalities Now Number More Than 347 and List Is Still Growing.

ENTIRE VILLAGES ARE DEVASTATED AND WRECK, RUIN, DEATH AND SUFFERING IS EVERYWHERE—INHABITANTS HURLED INTO ETERNITY WITHOUT WARNING.

By Associated Press. Rome, Sept. 8.—The details of the earthquake in Calabria indicate an enormous disaster. The known dead already number 347, many are injured and entire villages are devastated.

Latest Details. Monteleone, Di Calabria, Italy, Sept. 8.—The latest details obtainable show that many houses were entirely destroyed by the earthquake at Stefani, and hundreds of persons were killed. At Piscopio, all the houses were destroyed and seven people were killed. At San Gregorio sixty-five were killed. The village of Zammaro was entirely destroyed. At Mileto eleven are dead and two hundred are injured. The villages of Brattico, Santio, San Cosimmo and Cohnio are all completely destroyed and more than seventy lives were lost at these places.

### ADVISED TO SELL COTTON SLOWLY

COTTON ASSOCIATION ADOPTS RESOLUTION LOOKING TO RAISE IN PRICE OF PRODUCT.

By Associated Press. Asheville, N. C., Sept. 8.—The first annual convention of the Southern Cotton Association adjourned tonight. A resolution was adopted to raise the membership dues from twenty-five cents to one dollar a year. A resolution was also adopted urging the minimum price fixed, instead of shoving it all on in sixty days, as heretofore.

The matter of Vice-President Peter's resignation was discussed tonight in secret session. It is understood that no action was taken, but the matter was left with President Jordan.

### COTTON GINNED TO SEPTEMBER 1

CONSIDERABLE EXCESS OVER REPORT FOR SAME PERIOD LAST YEAR.

By Associated Press. Washington, Sept. 8.—The census office today issued its report of the cotton of the new crop ginned to September 1. Counting round bales as half bales, it makes a showing of 459,600 bales against 374,821 bales for last year. The report by states shows the bales ginned this year as follows: Florida, 2,380; Georgia, 107,679; South Carolina, 37,733; Texas, 258,801.

Admitted to Naval Academy. Annapolis, Sept. 8.—Lee P. Johnson of North Carolina has been admitted to the naval academy as midshipman.

Postmaster at Chattanooga. Washington, Sept. 8.—W. S. Raulston has been appointed postmaster at Chattanooga, Tenn.

### Hester's Cotton Report Gives Comparison for Two Years

By Associated Press. New Orleans, Sept. 8.—Secretary Hester's annual report on cotton was issued today. It puts the cotton crop for the year just closed at 13,565,835 bales. An increase of 3,554,511 over

## THE TARPON MUST ENTER SAYS GOVERNOR BROWARD

HE WIRES AUTHORITIES AT CARRABELLE AND APALACHICOLA THAT THEY ARE VIOLATING STATE LAW AND ASKS THEM TO ASSIST THE STATE HEALTH AUTHORITIES.

By Associated Press. Tallahassee, Sept. 8.—The steamer Tarpon, plying between Pensacola, Apalachicola and Carrabelle, has been refused permission to land at the last two named places. Moved by a telegram today from State Health Officer Porter, Governor Broward wired the authorities of the two towns that the Tarpon had not been in Pensacola harbor since August 29th, and referred them to the law forbidding the quarantining of one town against another within the state without the permission of the state board of health, and asked them to act with the state health authorities.

No News Received Here. No message was received in Pensacola yesterday regarding the coast steamer Tarpon, which left the quarantine station during the early portion of the week for points along the coast with a cargo of freight, but it is presumed that the vessel is still standing off waiting for the owners or state officials.

The vessel had been refused permission to land at either Apalachicola or

Carrabelle, although she had pratique from this port, but this was not recognized by those in charge at the above named ports. State Health Officer Porter wired Governor Broward regarding the matter, and although he received no reply last night, the Associated Press dispatch above shows that the governor is acting in the premises. It is very probable that the parties who held up the Tarpon have gotten themselves into more trouble than they imagine, as a very severe penalty is imposed by the state laws for such acts, and this will probably be applied in this case.

The owners of the Tarpon will send out another vessel this morning, the schooner Blanche, loaded with freight, bound for both of these points. The Blanche has been in quarantine for five days and will be given pratique when she sails from there on her trip. Should permission be refused her to land it is very probable that the two towns will be sued by the owners of the vessels, who have suffered large losses by the refusal to allow the vessel to land and discharge cargo.

## DISAPPEARANCE OF SAILORS FROM SHIP

Took Life Belts and Jumped Overboard from the Steamer Hohenfelde.

Two young sailors, both of the German steamer Hohenfelde, have disappeared from that vessel, and although a vigorous search has been made for them by the United States authorities, no trace whatever can be found.

It was the evident intention of the two men, who signed under the names of Hans Ritter and Joseph Judson, to desert the ship, but whether or not they lost their lives in the attempt is not known.

The Hohenfelde arrived here last week from Port Arthur, Texas, where she loaded a cargo. She put in here for bunker coal, but was sent up to quarantine for detention and fumigation.

The vessel anchored about a mile off the station, as she was drawing too much water to enter. Two or three days after her arrival the two men disappeared, and a search showed that two life belts were also gone. Their disappearance occurred at night. Whether or not they were able to reach shore is a matter which has been under investigation by the authorities. If they went towards the island they could have been traced by the authorities who have searched for several days to find the men. Those acquainted with the circumstances do not believe that two men could have swam to Pensacola, although this is possible should the tide be coming in. It is the general belief that both men were either the victims of sharks or were drowned in their bold attempt to get away from the ship. The men were both under twenty years of age and were Germans.

## THE CHOLERA IS STILL SPREADING

By Associated Press. Berlin, Sept. 8.—The official bulletin shows that within the twenty-four hours ending at noon today, nineteen new cases of cholera and seven deaths were reported, making a total to date of 123 cases and 39 deaths.

## CORPORAL TANNER COMMANDER G. A. R.

By Associated Press. Denver, Colo., Sept. 8.—Corporal John R. Tanner was elected commander in chief of the G. A. R. today and Col. Geo. W. Cook, of Denver, was elected vice commander. Minneapolis was chosen as the meeting place for next year.

## PUBLIC PRINTER HAS BEEN REMOVED

By Associated Press. Washington, Sept. 8.—Public Printer P. P. Palmer has been removed and Oscar J. Ricketts, foreman of printing, has been designated to succeed him.

## NEW ORLEANS YET FIGHTING

New Cases Increase and Deaths Decrease Is Yesterday's Fever Record.

## TRIAL OF DR. BERGE

Was Charged With Failing to Report a New Case of Fever.

ITALIANS ARE STILL GIVING TROUBLE AND PREVENTING DISCOVERY OF NEW CASES AND MORE INTELLIGENT OF THEIR COUNTRYMEN ARE WORKING TO SHOW THEM NECESSITY FOR OBEDIENCE.

By Associated Press. New Orleans, Sept. 8.—The fever record at 6 p. m. was as follows: New cases, 44; total to date, 2,221. Deaths, 4; total, 308. New foot, 12. Cases under treatment, 306; cases discharged, 1,607.

Dr. Berge's Trial. New Orleans, Sept. 8.—The interest among the yellow fever fighters centered today in the trial of Dr. Berge, who was arrested a week ago, charged with failing to report a case of yellow fever. Dr. Berge is of excellent reputation, but Dr. White wished to prosecute the case as an example to other physicians who are unwilling to co-operate with the authorities. Dr. Berge's defense was that he had reported the cases to the emergency hospital by telephone. It was shown that all physicians were required to report to Dr. White's headquarters. Dr. Berge on the stand intimated that he was not required to report suspicious cases and that a diagnosis of yellow fever was impossible before the expiration of twenty-four hours. Dr. Berge finally pleaded guilty to (Continued on Page Five.)

## ENRAGED PEOPLE BURN CHURCHES AND SCHOOLS

Japanese Populace Grows Angrier at Government for withholding News of the Peace Treaty.

By Associated Press. Tokyo, Sept. 8.—New disorders have occurred at Kobe. The statue of Marquis Ito was dragged from its pedestal last night and pulled through the streets. Church property was destroyed and damaged here Wednesday and Thursday, and the Catholic church, school and priest's residence at Tokyo were burned. The protestant church at Monjo and the residence of three mission churches in the Asakusa district were burned or wrecked. Similar reports come from Nibon, Bashi.

The press holds the government responsible for the attacks on Christian church property, charging that it is enraging the people by its obduracy and by withholding information of the peace settlement.

Will Publish News. Tokyo, Sept. 7, (Thursday, delayed).—Responding to the popular desire and urgent request of the political leaders, the government has decided to publish the terms of peace tomorrow.

## FLORIDA BOYS CAUGHT IN THE LINE

Youngsters Tried to Cross Perdido and Were Intercepted by Alabama Officers.

Bay Minette, Ala., Sept. 8.—State Quarantine Officer A. J. Giddens, who is stationed on the Perdido river on the line between Baldwin county and Escambia county, Florida, brought into Bay Minette this morning two boys, young Beck and Matthews, both of whom were working over the line but found the bridge they approached guarded. They went away, but afterwards crossed at a point where the guard could not see them. Knowing the boys, Giddens suspected that they might take such action and they were promptly captured. They were brought here to Dr. J. C. McLeod, who is acting for Dr. Mohr, of Mobile, in so far as this county on Perdido river is concerned. Dr. McLeod sent the boys back across the line. Whether they will be arrested for violation of the quarantine laws or not has not been made public. The reports here are that the several guards on the Perdido river are turning people back every day and night.

## WASHINGTON CO. SUSPECT IS ARRESTED

Man Wanted in Florida Is Picked Up by Authorities at Birmingham.

Birmingham, Ala., Sept. 8.—Police-men Disheroon and Baker yesterday arrested Eli Johnson, a negro who is wanted by Sheriff C. G. Allen, of Washington county, Florida. The charge against Johnson is unknown to the policemen but in view of the great anxiety exhibited by the Florida sheriff to catch the negro, the officers believe that the offense is a serious one. The arrest was made on Fourteenth street. Johnson stated to the officers when taken into custody that if the Florida people got him back there they would do him harm. All that is known concerning Johnson is that he is charged with being a fugitive from justice.

## SUIT FOR BREACH OF PROMISE FILED

Macon, Sept. 8.—Miss Lillie Hyman, a school mistress of about 22 years, filed a suit in the superior court here today against Rasdale Hicks, a young clerk in this city, for the recovery of \$5,000 damage on alleged breach of promise. The two were to have wedded, according to the young woman, on last Monday morning. Tuesday morning steps were taken to file suit, and today the paper became a public document. This is the first suit of this character to have been filed in Bibb for more than a score of years, and promises to prove an interesting one on account of the prominence of the parties involved.

## BASEBALL

September 8  
By Associated Press.  
American League.  
Washington 6, New York 5.  
Boston 3, Philadelphia 5.  
Detroit 1, St. Louis 0.  
Chicago 12, Cleveland 2.  
National League.  
New York 6, Boston 3.  
Pittsburg 5, Cincinnati 8.  
St. Louis 3, Chicago 8.  
Philadelphia 6, Brooklyn 0.  
Southern League.  
Atlanta 2, New Orleans 0.  
Montgomery 10, Little Rock 3.  
At Chattanooga: Shreveport 9, Birmingham 4.  
Memphis 3, Nashville 8.  
South Atlantic League.  
Jacksonville 2, Savannah 3.  
Macon 3, Charleston 6, (first, second).  
Macon 3, Charleston 1, (six innings, second).  
Augusta 2, Columbia 5.

## TEN NEW CASES AND ONE DEATH

Fever Situation Took a Spurt When Suspicions All Developed Into Fever Yesterday.

## QUARANTINE RULES

Persons in Infected District May Leave During Day Time.

NO ONE, HOWEVER, WILL BE PERMITTED TO LEAVE THE CITY FOR ADJOINING COUNTRY AND ALL PERMITS HAVE BEEN REVOKED—MUST EITHER STAY IN OR STAY OUT.

A summary of the fever situation up to last night is as follows:  
New cases, 10; total to date, 29.  
Deaths, 1; total to date, 3.  
Cases under treatment, 19;  
cases discharged, 7.

Ten new cases and one death was the yellow fever record in Pensacola yesterday. All of the new cases are traceable to the original infected district. This large increase was due to the fact that no report was made for Thursday as at that time there were a number considered as suspicious cases, but the physicians could not pass upon them as being yellow fever. These have all now been pronounced fever.

The New Cases. The new cases reported during the day are:  
Horacio Coberger, East Church street.  
Frank DeVilliers, 215 East Intendencia street.  
M. Christman, 1164 1/2 South Tarragona street.  
H. D. Brook, Park hotel, East Government street.  
Nina Williams, 117 East Intendencia street.  
Chas. Noel, Jr., 130 B street.  
W. H. Ketterer, 202 East Zarragosa street.  
Gussie Ketterer, 202 East Zarragosa street.  
Susie Ketterer, 202 East Zarragosa street.  
J. E. Reed, 24 West Intendencia street.

There are also a large number of suspicious cases, the physicians pending in reports last night to the state health officer, showing ten in number.

To Treat Patients. The State Board of Health has just completed arrangements for the care of the yellow fever patients who may be taken sick and who have no nurse or homes. A ward especially prepared for this purpose has been secured at St. Anthony's hospital. The board has men at work screening the windows and doors and will provide for nurses and attendants, as well as medicines. Drs. Byrd and Hargis will have charge of this department. A screened ambulance has also been provided in which patients will be transferred to the hospital.

Winters Expires. C. P. Winters, who has been under treatment for several days at the old National hotel, died last night, and was buried in St. Joseph's cemetery a few hours afterwards. The deceased was formerly a member of the Ninth Company of Coast artillery, having enlisted at Louisville on August 28, 1902, as a second-class gunner. He was honorably discharged over a week ago and secured employment in the saloon of Joseph Roth, corner Tarragona and Government streets, where he contracted the fever. He was attended by Dr. McMillan, and had two nurses, J. C. McGowan and E. E. Seward. The deceased was 28 or 29 years of age and his home was in Harrison, Ohio.

Fisher Very Low. Police Officer William H. Fisher is very low. In fact it is not expected that he will survive, as he has been sinking rapidly all of yesterday. He had formerly been in the employ of

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## James Jeffries Will Referee Britt-Nelson Contest To-day

By Associated Press. San Francisco, Sept. 8.—James J. Jeffries will referee the Britt-Nelson contest at Colma at 1:30 to-morrow afternoon. The developments of the last twenty-four hours strengthen the opinion that all is not right between the boxers. The declaration of last night that a ten thousand dollar bet was made and that the boxers have a secret agreement to divide the purse, winner to get sixty and loser forty per cent of the purse, stems the enthusiasm.



Old Acquaintances Have Their Little Joke Again

THE COAL TRUST—I DIG UP THE COAL AND YOU DIG UP FOR THE COAL.