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THE TELEGRAPH SUMMARY

NEWS OF THE WORLD IN BRIEF.

A Complete Review of the Events of the Past Week—in This and Foreign Lands—Taken From the Latest Dispatches.

Holdsup in New York are becoming frequent.

Arnold Becklin, the Swiss painter, is dead in Frisoole, Italy, aged 71.

The business portion of Hoanoe, Ind., recently was destroyed by fire. Loss, \$75,000.

Adelina Patti denies that an American agent is negotiating with her for a concert tour of the United States.

The president has nominated Franklin Moss of Alaska to be registrar of the land office at St. Michaels, Alaska.

At Montreal fire gutted the extensive wholesale millinery establishment of Thomas & Co., Victoria square. Loss, \$100,000.

A concurrent resolution was passed by the senate in Kansas condemning the practice of hazing at West Point Military academy.

The navy department has been informed that the Iowa, the flagship of the Pacific squadron has left Annapolis for San Diego, Cal.

Terry McQuinn, world's champion, tried to stop London Campbell, Pittsburgh's lightweight, in four rounds recently, but failed.

The Bank of Bristol, I. T., was recently held up by outlaws and the president of the bank was shot five times and mortally wounded.

At New York Arthur Townsend defeated Frank Gardner, 200 to 252, in the tournament for the championship of the National Association of Amateur Billiard Players.

The Live Stock Association meets next year at Chicago. The last of the four days session at Salt Lake brought out the best attendance. Several resolutions favoring the industry were read. One condemns Secretary James Wilson.

Frederick A. Gilbert, president of the Boston Electric Light Company and a millionaire, dropped dead of apoplexy while dining with some friends recently at the New York club.

General Leonard F. Ross of Galveston, Ill., is dead, aged 77. He was a hero of two wars, having served with distinction in the United States army during the Mexican and civil wars.

General Andrew Jackson McKay, a distinguished veteran of the civil war, is dead in New York. He was quartermaster general on the staff of General George W. Thomas in the army of the Cumberland.

An engine and two cars loaded with mail ran off an open switch on the Chicago & Alton at Broadwood, Ill., killing Frank Parmelee, switchman, and seriously injuring Fireman Ryan. Conductor Frank Kingstrey and A. E. Miller.

Fire in the three-story and basement structure at 817-819 Fourteenth street N. W., at Washington, caused \$130,000 damage. The building was owned and occupied by the Pope Bicycle Manufacturing company and Stephens & Co., claim and patent attorneys.

The London Gazette announces that Major Sir Henry Edward Colville, who recently commanded the Ninth division of the South African field force and later was in command of an infantry brigade at Gibraltar, has been placed on the retired list with full pay.

The American board has received a cable dispatch from Constantinople announcing the death of Rev. Elias Riggs, January 18, the oldest member of the missionary board. He was 90 years old and had been in the service for 69 years.

The two men in jail at Plymouth, Ind., recognized as Marvin Kuhns, desperado and escaped life convict from the Ohio penitentiary at Columbus, and his brother, John Marvin, will be taken to the Ohio penitentiary tomorrow. A reward of \$1,000 offered by the Ohio authorities will be paid.

Jeha will be tried in Indiana for horse stealing. Active recruiting for the army is in progress in all the principal cities of the country. The authorized strength of the regular army at present is 65,000 men and the recruiting in progress is with a view to making it of that strength after the discharge of 25,000 volunteers in June next. They are recruited for three years' service and the number of recruits averages about 2,000 a month.

The senate has finally disposed of the army reorganization bill. The measure having originated in the senate, the final question was not upon its passage, but upon agreeing to the senate amendments. They were agreed to, 43 to 22. A determined effort was made to amend the bill so as to provide against the sale of liquor in the Philippines and to prohibit the importation of any kind of intoxicants into the islands, but it was defeated.

At Paterson, N. J., Walter C. McAllister, Andrew J. Campbell and William Deah, three of the four persons indicted for the murder of Jennie Boschechter, a mill girl of Paterson, N. J., who was murdered on the night of October 18 last, were adjudged guilty of murder in the second degree. According to the New Jersey law the maximum penalty for the prisoners is 30 years.

The Arkansas legislature has formally selected James H. Berry to the United States senate.

Shelby M. Cullom has been reelected to the United States senate by the senate and house of Illinois in joint session.

Queen Victoria was the owner in fee simple of much real estate below Grand street. At one time she owned the Bowling Green offices, No. 11 Broadway.

The Tennessee legislature in joint session elected E. W. Chalmers to the office of

United States senator, made vacant by the voluntary retirement of Senator Thomas B. Turley.

The senate has passed the legislative appropriation bill, and on motion of Senator Frye the ship subsidy bill was taken up. There was a viva voce vote, but not a roll call.

The West Virginia legislature met in joint session and declared the election of Stephen B. Elkins to the United States senate, he having received 61 votes and Colonel McGraw 23.

Senator Jones of Arkansas called attention to the Indian appropriation bill, which had been reported, and which remained for the senate to consider, and which contained much debatable matter. Senator Jones thought the Indian bill should therefore be considered.

A dispatch to the Havas agency of Paris from Peking says 25,000 Chinese regulars have assembled near Chuan-tung, a day's march from the French troops. General Veyron is closely watching them, and M. Pignon, the French minister, has previously requested their immediate dispersal.

Munich, Ind., Jan. 23.—Two freight trains on the Clover Leaf (Toledo, Kansas City & St. Louis railroad) collided in the yards at Warren, Ind., as a result of a misunderstanding of orders. Trainmen Pittman, Brackstaff, Mills and Harmon were fatally injured.

At the instance of the attorney general the war department has taken steps for the preservation of law and order at Alton, Ill., where the snake Indians are making trouble for the authorities. The war department has telegraphed General Fitzhugh Lee, commander of the department of the Missouri, at Omaha, authorizing him to act in his own discretion in the matter of sending the troops.

The duke of York will not necessarily become the prince of Wales, now that his father has ascended the throne. The principality was granted by Edward I. to his son, Edward II., and his heirs, kings of England. Consequently when the prince of Wales succeeds to the throne his princely title merges in his sovereignty. The new sovereign's eldest son is still duke of York, but he becomes also duke of Cornwall, this title descending to him from his father.

At North Yakima, Wash., three men, armed with revolvers, entered Shardlow's saloon, held up bartender Hamer and robbed the drawer of \$100. They also secured \$700 from Pyburn & McHenry, who were running gambling games in a rear room. These three were the only men in the place at the time. The robbers went from Shardlow's to Pete Agur's bar and took a valuable team and buggy. The robbers were not masked and the victims can identify them if captured.

War department officials state that when navigation opens in the spring the American forces in China will be almost entirely withdrawn. The understanding is that Major General Chaffee, who is now in the volunteer service, will be appointed a major general in the regular establishment, and will be ordered to Manila with the one regiment and the one battery of artillery now in Peking. Upon arriving in Manila he will succeed Major General MacArthur as governor general of the Philippines.

General Kitchener is disposing great forces semi circular, his extreme left resting on the sea, to circumvent the Boers. The columns move simultaneously, in touch with each other. The greatest danger of the situation is the possibility of General Dewar's appearance in Cape Colony. It is believed that none of the Dutch would risk his personal coat of arms. They think the fame of Napoleon and Wellington pale in the presence of his military genius. Among the number of captured letters is one from General Hering to President Steyn asking for 1000 unmarried young men to enter Cape Colony and beat up recruits.

In the Senate.

Washington, Jan. 22.—At the opening of Monday's session of the senate the chaplain in his invocation referred with deep pathos to the condition of Queen Victoria, paying tribute to her virtues and tendering sympathy to all the members of her family and to the people of her realm.

An act to conform in trust to the city of Albuquerque, N. M., the town of Albuquerque grant was passed.

Senator Turner of Washington offered a resolution requiring the president to transmit to the senate, if not incompatible with public interest, information of what steps have been taken by the state department to protect the rights of R. E. Brown, a citizen of the United States, in the matter of his claim against the South African republic, together with copies of all correspondence and papers relating thereto. The resolution was adopted.

Prices Paid Producers.

Poultry and eggs—Chickens, old, 8 @ \$1 1/2 per lb. live weight; springs, 12 @ 45¢ per doz; ducks, \$4 per doz; geese, dressed, 12¢ per lb.; turkeys, live, 10¢ @ 12¢; dressed, 12¢ @ 13¢; eggs, fresh, 17.50 @ 19¢ per case.

Vegetables—Potatoes, 90¢; onions 85¢ per cwt.

Live stock—Beef, live steers, 41¢; dressed, 8¢; live cows, 34¢; dressed, 75¢; milk calves, dressed, 70¢; nut, 10¢; ewes, 3¢; wethers, 21¢; hogs, live, \$4.75 per cwt.; dressed, \$7 per cwt.

Sheepskins—Shearings, 10¢ each; short wool pelts, 30¢ @ 50¢; medium wool 50¢ @ 75¢; long wool, 75¢ @ \$1.

The Spokane mills pay the following prices for grain, delivered: Club wheat, 44¢ bulk, 44¢ sacked; bluestem, 47¢ bulk, 47¢ sacked; red, 42¢ bulk, 42¢ sacked.

Wheat.

Portland—Wheat—Walla Walla, 54 @ 55¢.

Tacoma—Wheat—Steady and unchanged; bluestem, 57 1/2¢; club, 55¢.

Tomorrow will obey you more readily than yesterday.

A raffle is not redeemed by being run by religion.

QUEEN OF ENGLAND IS DEAD

AFTER A SHORT ILLNESS.

England Has a Gloomy Day—Many Messages of Condolence—Her Death is Mourned by All—Victoria Was 80 Years Old.

Osborne House, Jan. 22, 6:45 p. m.—Her majesty, the queen, breathed her last at 6:30 p. m., surrounded by her children and grandchildren.

JAMES REID, R. DOUGLASS POWELL, THOMAS BARLOW.

Announced by the King.

London, Jan. 22, 7:03 p. m.—A telegram from the prince of Wales to the lord mayor, timed at Osborne 6:45 p. m., says the queen has passed away. The text of the prince of Wales' dispatch is as follows:

"Osborne, 6:45 p. m.—My beloved mother has just passed away, surrounded by her children and grandchildren."

The Lord Mayor's Reply.

London, Jan. 22, 7:33 p. m.—The lord mayor replied to the prince of Wales as follows:

"Your imperial highness' telegram announcing the nation's great loss I have received with profound distress and grief, and have communicated this most sad intimation to my fellow citizens. Her majesty's name and memory will forever live in the hearts of her people."

At the Deathbed.

Coves, Jan. 22.—The queen is said to have bade farewell in a feeble monosyllable to her family assembled at her bedside at midday. She first recognized the prince of Wales, to whom she spoke a

few words of great moment; then Emperor William and the others present filed past and heard a whispered goodby. All those in the bedroom were in tears.

Prayers Were Read.

Coves, Jan. 22.—With the members of the royal family gathered at the queen's bedside, the bishop of Winchester and the rector of Wippingham read prayers for those in extremity. Happily the queen was able to recognize those around her. They came to her bedside, but the physicians had warned them against attempting to speak to her.

The Funeral.

There is little doubt that the funeral of Queen Victoria will take place at Frogmore, though nothing in regard to this matter has yet been announced.

Her majesty was closely related to the European courts and the gathering of royalties at the obsequies was unprecedented.

The news of the queen's death reached all the towns in the kingdom a few minutes after it had been received by the lord mayor of London, and was quickly spread throughout the country districts by the tolling of bells.

Prince and Princess Louis of Battenberg arrived at Osborne just too late to see her majesty alive.

King Albert Edward.

London, Jan. 22, 1:40 p. m.—The arrangements are already practically complete for meetings of the privy council and parliament, the statutes providing that they shall assemble immediately on the death of a sovereign. The privy council could gather together within a few hours. The ministers will attend, give up their seals of office, be sworn, receive the proclamation of the new king, pass votes of condolence and adjourn. After giving up their seals the ministers will receive them back from the new ruler. The privy council will also be sworn in afresh.

Parliament will assemble within 24 hours of the death of the queen, in accordance with the precedent in the case of King George III.

Received at Washington.

Washington, Jan. 22.—The news announcing the death of Queen Victoria was conveyed to President McKinley simultaneously with its receipt by the newspapers. Although he had been conversant with her condition since it became known her case was hopeless, the startling news of her death was a great shock to

him. As soon as word is received from Ambassador Choate the president will send a message of condolence to King Edward VII. The official announcement is expected at any moment.

President to the King.

President McKinley has sent the following message of condolence to King Edward VII.:

"Telegram sent from Washington, Jan. 22, 1901.—His majesty, the King, Osborne House, Isle of Wight: I have received with profound sorrow the lamentable tidings of the death of her majesty, the queen. Allow me, sir, to offer my sincere sympathy and that of the American people in your personal bereavement and in the loss England has suffered, in the death of its venerable and illustrious sovereign, whose noble life and beneficent influence have promoted the peace and won the affection of the world."

"WILLIAM MCKINLEY."

Secretary Hay.

Washington, Jan. 22.—Secretary Hay, upon being assured through the physician's certificate, as furnished him by the Associated Press of the demise of Queen Victoria, promptly telegraphed the following message to Ambassador Choate at London:

"Choate, London: You will express to the government and people of the United States at the death of the queen and deep sympathy we feel with the people of the British empire in their great affliction."

"JOHN HAY."

Place at Half Mast.

The flag on the executive mansion was placed at half mast at 3:30 o'clock this afternoon. So far as any record goes this is the first time in the history of this country that that mark of respect has been paid to the memory of a foreign ruler.

Resolution by the Senate.

Washington, Jan. 22.—In the senate this

IS NOW KING OF ENGLAND

PRINCE HAS TAKEN THE TITLE.

Is King of United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland and Emperor of India—Made a Short Speech—Parliament Obligated.

London, Jan. 23.—At the meeting of the privy council at 2 p. m. the king took the title of Edward VII., king of the united kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland and emperor of India.

The house of lords and the house of commons assembled at 4 o'clock and took the oath of allegiance to the new sovereign.

King Spoke Extemporaneously.

The king at the accession ceremony wore a military uniform. His brief speech was delivered with great earnestness and was quite extemporaneous. It is expected it will be published later in official form.

The king had decided to assume the title of King Edward VII. in accordance with the wish of his beloved mother, who, his majesty added, united the virtues of a supreme domestic guide with the affection and patriotism of a wise peace loving monarch. He had a respectful desire to leave the memory of his father's name—Albert—the exclusive treasure of his beloved mother, notwithstanding the renown and virtues associated with Prince Albert's name, but he would do his utmost to be worthy of his great position.

The proclamation of the accession of his majesty was signed by the prince consort, the duke of York first, then the duke of Connaught, the duke of Cambridge, Prince Christian, the archbishop of Canterbury, the lord chamberlain, the lord chancellor and the other representatives of the city of London.

Berlin in Mourning.

Berlin, Jan. 23.—The court has been ordered to go into mourning for four weeks. The emperor has arrived at Homburg and proceeded to the royal castle in order to see near Dowager Empress Frederick.

Lisbon, Jan. 23.—King Charles intends to attend the funeral of Queen Victoria personally. Court mourning for a month has been ordered. The papers are filled with eulogistic articles on Victoria and her reign.

Funeral Ten Days Hence.

Coves, Isle of Wight, Jan. 24, 1 a. m.—At 11 o'clock this morning the members of the royal family will gather around the body of the late queen, which lies in a simple coffin in the private chapel, which is festooned with red and white hangings. The bishop of Winchester, standing before an altar at the private chapel, will read a portion of the service for the dead. The coffin rests on a specially erected platform, draped with royal purple, the feet lying to the east. The head faces the simple altar. Over the features is a thin veil. For a few hours before this service the public will be admitted to the room and allowed to view the remains of the sovereign who for so long ruled over them. The body will rest there until Sunday, and it is probable that no removal will occur for 10 days.

Fire in Montreal.

Montreal, Jan. 24, 1 a. m.—One of the most destructive fires from which this city has ever suffered began at 8 o'clock last night and notwithstanding the efforts of the entire fire department the progress of the flames was not checked until 1 o'clock this morning. By that time it had destroyed property estimated at between \$2,500,000 and \$3,000,000 and was still burning, though the appearance was that the firemen have at last got it under control.

Included in the property burned is the splendid Board of Trade building, which cost \$800,000, and housed over 100 tenants and half a dozen business houses, and two scores of smaller buildings. The weather was cold and the firemen were greatly hampered in this respect. Outside of the Board of Trade building there was not a modern structure among those burned. Crowds of people jammed the narrow streets and the police could not control them. Women fainted and their clothes were torn and a few slightly injured in rushes for safety.

Starved to Death.

Helena, Mont., Jan. 22.—Joseph Shaw, a placer miner, was found dead in his cabin on the mountains, six miles from Wall creek, a few days ago. Justice Steunmetz, after investigation, has decided that death was due to starvation and exposure. The roof of the cabin was caved in and snow had drifted around the cabin, the windows of which were covered only with four sacks. Shaw had apparently been dead a month. The body was found by Ed Barentine, his former partner, who had missed him and went in search of him.

King Oscar is on His Throne.

Stockholm, Jan. 22.—At Monday's council of state King Oscar of Sweden and Norway resumed the reign of government after the recent illness, the crown prince, Gustav, retiring from the regency, which he had held while his father was incapacitated from attending to business.

Miners on a Strike.

Hazleton, Pa., Jan. 22.—The 1300 men employed at the Lattimer colliery of C. Fairlee & Co. have struck because of the alleged unwarranted discharge of two drill runners and the company's refusal to reinstate them as requested by a committee.

Young Edison in Contempt.

New York, Jan. 21.—Thomas A. Edison, Jr., has been adjudged in contempt by Judge Freeman of the supreme court for failing to obey an order which directed him to secure \$400,000 of stock of the Steel & Iron Process company and an order has been entered against him, requiring his imprisonment until he does so.

MINING NOTES.

F. T. Barton of Lewiston, Idaho, has some samples of asbestos from a claim which he located January 1, about three miles from the railroad on Bed Rock creek. The fibre which he exhibited is very fine in texture and coloring, though it was secured very near the surface. Mr. Barton says there is quite an extensive deposit of this mineral on the ground which he has secured.

Capital from Denver and other large mining centers is gradually being attracted toward the possibilities of the mining industries in the Baker City (Ore.) section. The latest property to be secured by Colorado speculators is the Turner Oliver group at Engleton, about 30 miles northeast of this city.

J. J. Hill of St. Paul has bought one-third of the capital stock of the Crow's Nest (British Columbia) coal mines, amounting to \$2,500,000. He also entered into an agreement with the railroad companies who have built and are to build to parallel the Canadian Pacific. Hill also agrees to build a spur line from the Great Northern to the Crow's Nest coal mines and guarantees to purchase 6,990 tons of coal per day. The whole scheme contemplates a gigantic struggle with the Canadian Pacific, for which J. J. Hill receives valuable government concessions.

The Walter Scott mine at Northport, Wn., shows the widening of a stringer of ore that practically amounts to a strike, and which has caused considerable excitement at Northport. The latter stated that the stringer of ore in the face of the tunnel had widened to 12 inches and was rapidly gaining in width.

A wonderful ore body was recently opened in the Bonanza mine. It is said to be the most marvelously rich and extensive strike that has ever been made in the eastern Oregon gold fields. Another new 10-stamp mill has been made in the eastern Oregon gold fields. Purchased. Another producing mine is to be added to the growing list of the Sumpter, Ore., gold fields.

J. C. Jensen, one of the directors of the Oro Fino Quartz Mining and Milling Company, now operating on the Klondike mine near Fairview City, Idaho, reports the completion of the buildings for the mill on the Klondike mine. All the machinery has arrived, excepting the concentrator and will be installed in the spring.

The latest news from the Leslie, near Wallace, Idaho, is that there is four feet of ore in the face of the tunnel, it being a good grade of copper. Although the tunnel is in 400 feet it has attained but 50 feet of depth. The next 200 feet will, however, increase the depth 150 feet.

The directors of the Boston & Montana Mining Company have declared a quarterly dividend of \$5 per share and \$5 extra.

At Beaumont, Texas, the owners of the Lucas oil geyser, which has been shooting off 50 feet high for a week, have succeeded in controlling the well.

Oscar Bates, ex-sheriff of Stevens county, was fatally injured at the Drummers' mine, near Curlew, Wash. Having set three shots in the 1250-foot level, he started to climb the ladder, but missed his footing on the second landing and fell back 20 feet. The shots exploded before he could regain the ladder.

The report on the gas and oil fields of eastern Washington in the country near Rosalia made by Professor Samuel Aughey of Alabama has been completed. Prof. Aughey's conclusions are, as predicted, most favorable. He states with confidence that the gas found is petroleum gas and his conclusion is: "From all these considerations my own deliberate judgment is that the oil and gas prospects are sufficiently strong in the Five Creek district to warrant drilling half a dozen prospect wells."

The Spokane Stock Exchange has adopted its new constitution and by-laws.

Although the output of the Coeur d'Alene for the last year, detailed as to the different mines, or by months, has not yet been made public, the total shipments of crude ore and concentrates for the past year are known to have been 175,000 tons. In 1898, the last previous year for which figures were obtained, the amount was 112,500 tons, showing an increase of 52,500 tons or 55 per cent over the output of two years before.

An explosion in the Koenig Ludwig mine at Recklinghausen, Westphalia, has caused the death of 10 persons.

A report from Delta, Idaho, is that the old paystreak on Trail gulch has been discovered just above Myrtle by Jerry Savage, Ben Hammett, George A. Wood and others, who have been hunting for it for years, and that they are taking out all kinds of money from the gravel there.

Strong indications of oil have been discovered on the farm of J. B. Harris, a mile from Colfax, Wn.

Reports of new strikes in the West Fisher country, Mont., are creating considerable excitement.

W. W. Walte of Colfax Wn., has per kind of machine drill for mining and all kinds of work requiring drilling in rock. The machine is operated by one man, who simply turns a crank, which revolves a wheel to which is attached four 4-pound hammers, which strike the drill with terrific force, each blow being harder than that struck by a man.

Republic.

The miners at the Adimari Dewey mine killed another cougar recently. This is the fifth one killed in that vicinity inside of two weeks.

Articles of incorporation of the Keystone Gold Mining Company have been filed. The capital is in 1,000,000 five-cent shares. The incorporators are D. A. Mills and John Sanburn.

The mart is a good place to develop the mart.



THE LATE QUEEN VICTORIA.