

GENERAL NEWS.

An Ocean Wreck Reported Near Quebec, With Loss of the Crew.

Further Particulars of the Steamer Disaster in the Mediterranean.

Financial. New York, Nov. 27.—The treasury today succeeded in getting \$25,000 of 6s of 1880 at \$1.02 1/2.

Fallure. Baltimore, Md., Nov. 27.—Israel M. Parr & Son, one of the largest grain houses, suspended.

Bank Statement. New York, Nov. 27.—The bank statement shows a balance of \$116,675 less than the legal requirement; a decrease during the week of \$2,047,000.

Fatally Struck. Norfolk, Conn., Nov. 27.—Last night James Good was mortally injured, and Mrs. Kelly fatally stabbed during a quarrel between Good and James Kelly and his wife.

Destroyed by Fire. New York, Nov. 27.—During a slight fire in a boarding house, 154 Grant St., Jas. Dewitt was suffocated in bed. Mary Hawks threw his body into the street, and then jumped. Neither were injured, a fireman catching them.

The Weather. Washington, Nov. 27.—The indications for the upper Mississippi and lower Missouri valleys are as follows: Falling, followed by stationary or rising barometer, rising, followed by stationary or lower temperature, south to west winds, clear or partly cloudy weather.

Released from Custody. New York, Nov. 27.—Brooklyn Omes and Smythe, the alleged counterfeiters arrested in Brooklyn in connection with Doyle, who had been taken into custody at Chicago, were released to-day, the secret service officers being unable to connect them with any crime.

Murdered. Pembroke, Ky., Nov. 27.—Col. M. D. Brown, a well known citizen of this place, and a member of the last legislature of Kentucky, was shot and instantly killed last night by Cass Wilkins, clerk in a livery stable. The shooting was the end of a quarrel about the care of Col. Brown's horses, kept at the stable where Wilkins was employed.

Railroad Accident. New York, Nov. 27.—A carload of passengers on the 42nd street Grand ferry line street cars had a miraculous escape to-day. The car was turning in 23d street from 4th avenue, when a freight car of the Harlem railroad crashed into it, smashing one entire side, but although the passengers were hurled against each other, and cries of distress were heard, not a person received more than trivial damage.

Railroad Report. Colorado Springs, Nov. 27.—At the meeting of the Denver & Rio Grande stock holders, President Palmer in his report gave the following interesting points: "Six hundred and thirty-five miles are now completed. We expect nine hundred and two miles to be open in April, unless delayed by snow. The last named mileage would have been in operation already but for the impossibility of getting enough laborers, winter having approached. All the men required are now at work."

Telegraphing For Assistance. Quebec, Nov. 27.—A dispatch from the keeper of the southwest point Anticosti light house says a messenger arriving there from the Brethire river, reported that the bark Bristol was ashore there since last Monday night. Four of the crew are dead. The remaining, including the captain and mate are badly frozen. The survivors are destitute of everything. The schooner Wasp, of Gaspe, is ashore in Collis bay. The crew and passengers were saved. Sent a steamer at once as the case is very urgent.

The Sandringham Trouble. Washington, Nov. 27.—The Virginians say that the secretary of the navy consented to the necessary repairs upon the Sandringham at the navy yard. The vessel leaves for Baltimore this morning, where she will be repaired. The British consul here expresses great surprise and says that even had the result occurred, which the captain denies, an apology in person and an explanation would be submitted, especially when the secretary of the navy was informed that it is required. Otherwise Capt. McKay would be relieved of his command of the vessel.

On the E. & O. R. R. Pittsburg, Pa., Nov. 27.—Intelligence has just been received here of an accident on the E. & O. R. R. at Bauman's station last night about 10 o'clock, to the Baltimore express No. 3, which left this city at 8:05 p. m. When nearing Bauman's station, which is thirty miles west of Cumberland, the train encountered a broken rail, and the engine, with the entire train went over an embankment, and landed upon its side. Fireman Ruth was instantly killed, and the engineer, whose name could not be learned, was badly scalded. The passengers escaped without injury, though shaken.

Suicide. Detroit, Nov. 27.—Thanksgiving day seemed to have been observed in Michigan by several persons as the means of riding themselves of care. A man who quarreled with his wife, in Graham county, disappeared Thursday, threatening to shoot himself, and has not been found since. A wealthy farmer in Mayfield, Lapeer county, hung himself to a barn the same day. A woman, east of Saginaw, also hung herself in her woodshed the same day.

New York, Nov. 27.—Bernard J. Beck, a merchant and stationer at 136 Williams St., killed himself to-day in Brooklyn.

FOREIGN.

Paris, Nov. 27.—Five million francs were withdrawn from the bank to-day for America.

To Congress in January. London, Nov. 27.—The cabinet decided

to summon parliament on the 6th of January for the dispatch of business.

The Irish Land Bill. London, Nov. 27.—The News in a leader says: "The new Irish land bill will be beyond question, a genuine and practical effort to settle controversy."

Camels Captured. London, Nov. 27.—A dispatch from Donques announces that the Tekko-Corman have captured four hundred camels laden with stores near Beurema.

Antagonism. Paris, Nov. 27.—A scene in court during a decision of a libel suit reflects antagonism between the communists and the moderates, which had become very sharp and bitter.

American Competition. Vienna, Nov. 27.—During the debate of the budget in the Hungarian diet, the question of the regulation of the Hungarian rivers was discussed. The formidable competitor of America in supplying grain and flour had directed attention to the regulation and improvement of water carriage, as the most efficient aid in meeting the competition.

Sinking of the Orco Joseph. Rome, Nov. 27.—The first mate of the steamer Orco Joseph, which sank the Orco Joseph, states that seeing a single mast headlight about a kilometer ahead, he deemed it to be the light of a merchantman, and ordered the Orco Joseph's helm ported, expecting the merchantman to do the same. But the Orco Joseph starboarded her helm, until she saw the Orco Joseph bearing down upon her, when she parted, resembling a semicircle, and exposing her plank. The mate of the Orco Joseph then ordered her engines reversed, and the Orco Joseph drove inside of the Orco Joseph. The sleepers on board of the Orco Joseph had time to rush on the deck before the vessel sank.

THE NEW NORTHWEST.

The skating rink at Davenport is in full blast.

The first snow of the season fell at Burlington, Iowa, on the 13th.

It is reported that gold has been discovered in northern Minnesota.

The Ada people are working for a division of Polk county, Minnesota.

The corn crop of Cherokee county, Iowa, averages forty-six bushels per acre.

The Winona, Minn., mill company holds one hundred thousand bushels of wheat.

Scarlet fever has broken out among the school children of Lake City, Minnesota.

The cost of the new hotel in Benson, Minnesota, when furnished will be about \$20,000.

The question of sinking an artesian well in Cherokee, Iowa, is being agitated.

In the vicinity of Clarence, Iowa, school houses are to be closed, on account of a fuel famine.

Ten marriage licenses were issued yesterday from the Ramsey county, Minnesota, district court.

Iowa City claims that since the census was taken it has increased from 1,000 to 1,500 in population.

The diphtheria is raging in Linn, Iowa, in a most malignant form, and with great fatality.

Des Moines polled four hundred more votes at the late election than any other city in the state of Iowa.

A free night school was opened in Keokuk, Iowa, on the 17th, with an attendance of ninety-eight pupils.

One of the missing lunatics at St. Peter, Minnesota, has been found in a pile of straw in a pig-sty, nearly dead from cold.

Up at St. Vincent, Minnesota, on the British American line the thermometer has touched the zero mark but once this winter.

Edward Pite was chased by a wolf in the streets of Davenport, Iowa, Thursday last. Pretty wild country around Davenport.

There have been fifty-two deaths from diphtheria in Dubuque county, Iowa, during the season of children under ten years of age.

Sara Barnhardt, the slim French actress, has been engaged to open the new opera house at Cedar Rapids, Iowa, about April 1. Her pay for one evening will be \$2,500.

A shot tower is to be erected and a shot factory established in Council Bluffs at an early day. The shot to be manufactured will be of iron instead of lead and made under a new process.

Great suffering from lack of fuel is reported in many sections of Minnesota. In some places fences and outbuildings have been torn down and burnt to save the women and children from freezing.

A mortgage given by the St. Paul, Minneapolis & Manitoba railroad company to the New York Trust company for \$5,000,000 is being recorded in Moorhead. It will take three days to transcribe the bulky document.

The section hands near Rock Rapids, Iowa, discovered the head of a calf propped up in a snow drift the other day. Upon shoveling it out the critter proved to be alive, and immediately began eating. It belonged to Hoval Olesen, and had been tightly bound in the drift for ten days.

Wolves are swarming in Washington county, Minnesota. A few days ago Myron J. Clark shot three large ones in the town of McLean within five miles of St. Paul. About Langdon and Newport their howlings fill the air at night, and the farmers have had to kill or sell off all their sheep and smaller stock.

Four million two hundred thousand tons of bituminous coal, averaging 135 E., are annually pumped from the Company's mines. To heat this mass of water by artificial means would require a consumption of over 50,000 tons of coal a year. The water from some of the deep-set shafts, 8,000 feet, has a temperature of 157 F.

The assessment rolls of the city of Denver show eighteen million dollars worth of property, upon which they have levied ten mills on the dollar, a net of one hundred and eighty thousand dollars; and in addition to this, the licenses and revenues from all other sources will aggregate sixty thousand more, making a grand total of tax to collect for the city of two hundred and forty thousand dollars.

The new capitol at Des Moines presents the following measurements: Length, north and south, 245 feet; height

from ground to top of main dome, 275 feet; height of first story, 21 feet. In the second story are the house of representatives, 79x61 and 49 feet high; the senate chamber, 49x91 and 42 feet high; the library room, 42x108 feet, besides a number of smaller rooms for offices. The building is made fire proof throughout. The total cost to date is \$1,577,943.34.

AN INVESTOR SATISFIED.

A New York agent of a western silver mine which has paid no dividends for the last year or any other year, received a call the other day from a Long Island farmer who had invested several hundred dollars in stock, and who was anxious for returns. He was a blunt, plain-spoken man, and he came to the point at once by saying:

"All my neighbors tell me that they believe this mine was salted."

"Were any of your neighbors ever in Colorado?" queried the agent.

"I guess not."

"Were you ever out there?"

"No, sir."

"Do you know anything of the climate?"

"No."

"Then, sir, let me tell you that our mine was salted. That's the reason that we get no dividends; we had to send to Chicago for all our salt, and the cost of transportation has been enormous. I forget how many barrels it took; but the executive officers of our company are not the men to let a mine like ours spoil for the want of a few barrels of salt."

"Then the salt was to save the mine?"

"Of course; the sudden changes out there must be guarded against. Hang on to your stock and have patience."

"Yes, I guess I will. I did feel pretty blue yesterday. We've got some chaps up our way who think they know it all, but when I go back and tell 'em we've got our mine salted from top to bottom, and don't care a copper what kind of weather comes whooping along, mobbe they won't feel quite so smart. If they have to use any more out there, tell 'em for me to rub it in with the hand; it goes further and gives better satisfaction."

SCHOFIELD'S QUALMS.

An Argument Against His Colored Cadet Theory.

The Independent.

General Schofield's annual report proves that he is not a fit man to be at the head of West Point academy. He does not represent civilization, but barbarism.

We do not complain of Gen. Schofield's summary of the case of Whittaker. The evidence sustains the conviction that this silly fellow bound and mutilated himself. We have no words of excuse for him. He was unworthy the sympathy he received. But General Schofield's treatment of the question of prejudice against color is unworthy of a christian, not to say gentleman.

It is "social intercourse" which is General Schofield's bugbear. He says: "The military academy cannot be made a favorable place at which to first introduce social intercourse between the white and black man. West Point will at the most, only be able to follow the example of the country at large in this respect."

What is this "social intercourse" he is afraid of? He explains its most troublesome feature:

"In their zeal and sincere desire to carry out the policy of the government, the authorities of the military academy have heretofore endeavored to enforce personal associations between white and black cadets, without regard to prejudice, especially at the mess table. In respect to quarters, the more reasonable rule has always been observed of not requiring any cadet, against his will, to occupy the same sleeping apartment with another. The same rule should have been adopted in respect to seats at the mess table."

This is the worst of it, then, that the colored cadets are allowed to sit at the same table with their white fellows, and in this thing the general imagines that West Point has been forcibly put in advance of the country.

But this is not the fact. It is not true that at our leading institutions generally a colored man is not allowed perfect social equality. Harvard and Yale stand at the head of our universities. At both of these institutions colored students sit by the side of white in recitations; and at Harvard where the public mess systems prevails, at meals. There is no social proscription at either place. The prejudice is, to this extent, already conquered at our best schools.

The question will, to occupy the same sleeping apartment with another, reform, but whether it shall be the last refuge of proscription and ostracism. The nation, which has decreed that the colored man shall be free, has decreed that he shall have equal educational privileges at the schools supported by the nation. If General Schofield cannot support that policy, then he had better be relieved.

We want no favor, showed to a black man more than to a white. If a negro cannot hold his own on fair terms with a white at West Point, let him go, and let the road be made no smoother to him than to a white boy. But he must have a fair chance if he must have equal privileges; and General Schofield's argument against admitting the negro to West Point until the social prejudice has been socially overcome is what the American people cannot for a moment allow.

MARKETS BY TELEGRAPH

NEW YORK. New York, November 27. WHEAT—Fairly active, 1 1/2c lower. No. 1, white, December, \$1.21 1/2; January, \$1.24; No. 2, red, December, \$1.20 1/2; January, \$1.23 1/2. CORN—Quiet, 1/2c lower; mixed winter, spot 47 1/2c; future, white 63. OATS—Western \$2.61c. Pork—Bull, \$12.15. LARD—Firm \$9.15.

CHICAGO, November 27. WHEAT—Weak, lower, \$1.08 1/2 cash; \$1.10 December; \$1.11 1/2 January. CORN—Weak, lower, 2 1/4c cash; December, 6 1/2c; January, 6 1/2c. OATS—Weak, lower, 32 1/2c cash; 32 1/2c January. RICE—Higher, 91c. BARLEY—Strong, \$1.05. Potatoes—Weak, lower, \$1.20 November and December; \$1.17 1/2 January. LARD—Weak, \$9.05 1/2. WHISKY—\$1.12.

MILWAUKEE, November 27. WHEAT—Lower, No. 2 November, \$1.06 1/2; December, \$1.09 1/2; January, \$1.09 1/2. OATS—No. 2 \$2.25c.

WANTED. LOCAL AGENTS everywhere to sell THE LITTLE BOOK, "How to Buy and Sell in the Stock Market." Price, 25c. People's Pub. Co., 201 N. 3rd St., St. Paul, Minn.

SPECIAL NOTICES.

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For Sale Cheap. A NEW Mason & Hamlin Organ, style 23, J. R. SANBORN & SON.

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For Sale. THE one story frame building adjoining the store of Jacob Max, and formerly occupied by Moore & Hand as a law office. To be moved from the premises. Inquire of JACOB MAX.

For Rent. A COMFORTABLE dwelling house with five rooms on Pearl street near Fourth. Good well of water and small barn on premises. E. P. WILCOX, Mulberry street, between 4th and 5th, Yankton, Dakota.

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