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Great Storms for the Last Forty Years.

The great storms of the last forty years are given in the following list by the Chicago Times Herald. It shows the appalling figures of upward of 100,000 lives lost in storms. The great storm of 1881 along the coast of China destroyed 300,000 lives and is on record as the greatest storm in history where any estimate of the loss of life is given: 1864—Calcutta, India; 45,000 lives and 100 ships lost. 1881—Haifong, China; 300,000 lives lost. 1881—England; great destruction of property and many lives lost. 1882—Manila, Philippine Islands; 60,000 families rendered homeless and 100 lives lost. 1886—Madrid, Spain; thirty-two killed; 620 injured. 1887—Australian Coast; 550 pearl fishers perished. 1888—Cuba; 1,000 lives lost. 1889—Apia, Samoan Island; German and American warships wrecked and many lives lost. 1890—Muscat, Arabia; 700 lives lost. 1891—Mauritius; 310 lives lost and \$10,000,000 worth of property destroyed. 1882—Ravigo, northern Italy; several hundred lives lost. 1892—Tonnatay, Madagascar; several hundred lives lost. 1893—Great storm on the north west coast of Europe; 237 lives lost off English coast and 165 fishermen off Jutland.

A hunting Story.

I too had fallen asleep under a gooseberry tree beside a creek. When I awoke the first object that met my gaze was a great big buck deer I put my rifle to my shoulder and took aim. Just then I heard a terrible quacking off to my right and turning saw a great flocking of ducks. I took aim at the deer again when my attention was attracted by a quacking off to my left. It came from a large flock of geese. I took aim at the deer again and this time my attention was claimed by a hissing and rattling at my feet. I looked down and saw a big rattlesnake. Without stopping to take aim I pressed the trigger. "What was the result?" "The gun burst. The bullet killed the buck the trigger entered the rattlesnake's throat and killed it; the barrel of the gun buried in the other direction struck the flock of geese and killed forty; and I was blown two miles into the woods fell into a drove of rabbits and smashed the life out of 317 of them."

THE SITUATION

All is Quiet at Hazelton, Where the Storm Center of Coal War Is.

STRIKER'S MEETING.

Addresses are Made in Order to Strengthen Cause and Encourage Mine-Workers.

DISTURBANCE THREATENS

Some Threats Have Been Made, But Leaders are Doing Their Best to Prevent any Outbreak

Philadelphia, Sept. 16.—That the strike of the mine workers in the anthracite regions of Pennsylvania which President Mitchell of the United Mine Workers of America has officially ordered to begin tomorrow, will be one of considerable magnitude, seems certain tonight from reports received from the region affected. It seems equally certain that a number of operators will make an effort to run their mines, even though they be successful only can be determined when the breaker whistles sound the call to work.

Today was one of quiet throughout the coal district.

SOME FOREIGNERS AT WORK

In Some Sections Mines are Running as Usual.—Many Mines Start Short Handed.

Philadelphia, Sep. 17.—The tie-up caused by the strike for higher wages of more than 140,000 mine workers is at least as complete as that of the Union claimed at any time. Companies and individuals owning mines who had claimed that their workings would operate as usual, despite the strike order, ap-

parently reckoned without accurate knowledge of the attitude of their men. It is true that some operations in the Hazelton region were working today with as high as 80 per cent of the men at work, nevertheless the greater number of men in the district were idle.

In the Scranton and Wilkesbarre districts the tie-up was practically complete. As was expected the Scuykill region with Pittsburg for a central point, was at work with very few defections. These men have not the same grievances that in other districts and if they go on a strike it will be largely through sympathy.

President Mitchell of the United Mine Workers, who has established headquarters at Hazelton and is personally directing the strike, estimates that over 100,000 men struck and that 15,000 more will join them tomorrow.

Wilkesbarre, Pa., Sept. 17.—The coal miners strike in almost general in the Wyoming valley. Some of the Pennsylvania Coal company's collieries of Pittston started to work this morning short handed. A Delaware and Hudson Coal company mine at Plains is working, but the big mines at Nanticoke, Plymouth and Parsons are completely tied up.

Geer County Quarantined.

Texas Fever Reported to Exist Among the Cattle There.

Guthrie, Ok., Sept. 16.—Special inspectors of the Department of Agriculture, who have been investigating violations of the live stock sanitary laws of Geer county have quarantined the entire county until Nov 1 and no cattle can be shipped out of the county north except to quarantine yards for immediate slaughter. This action is based upon the prevalence of Texas fever in the county brought by a herd of Texas cattle driven across the country in violation of law. They are now investigating similar conditions in Dewey County.

On October 1 the cattlemen will meet in Ardmore to adopt a constitution and by laws, and to perfect the organization recently begun at Sulphur.

REFUGEES QUIT

Every Train Leaving Galveston Takes Out a Steady Stream.

BOATS INADEQUATE.

Eyes Are Moistened With Tears as They Depart From the City.

RELIEF STATION OPENED

At Texas City for Refugees.—Lots of Work on Hand for Many More Laborers.

Galveston, Sept. 17.—The steady stream of refugees from Galveston is kept up. There is not a departing train from across the bay which is not packed to its platforms. There will be refugees leaving for a week to come.

No sadder sight could be imagined than the picture presented by a boat load of refugees, when the ropes were cast off and the craft swung out into the bay and away from the storm swept city. There was not a face that was not turned toward the ruin. There was not an eye that was not moistened by tears. So great has been the rush to leave behind the scenes of the storm that the Houston boats which connect with the trains at Texas City, has not failed to leave her wharf a single day without denying passage to a portion of those who wanted to get away.

KRUGER'S VISIT.

He is Authorized To Negotiate Settlement.

London, Sept., 17.—A special dispatch from Naples says an agent of the Transvaal states that the object of Mr Kruger's visit to Europe is to negotiate a settlement with Great Britain and that he has full power to act to that end.

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