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YANKTON, DAKOTA TERRITORY, WEDNESDAY EVENING, DECEMBER 26, 1877.

Number 206.

TELEGRAPHIC.

5 O'CLOCK P. M.

THE NEWS.

A Batch of Items About Christ-mas Fires.

Another Bad Failure Reported from New York City.

Exciting Encounter's In Arizona and Mexico.

Death of Judge Heaton, of Dixon, Illinois.

FIRE.

AT FRANKFORT.

Philadelphia, Dec. 26.—White & Son's cutlery works at Frankfort, and West & Co., shoe dealers, Chestnut street, was damaged by fire to the amount of \$33,000, the former slightly, and the latter fully insured.

A BREWERY.

Cincinnati, Dec. 26.—Lafayette brewery was damaged by fire yesterday to the extent of \$8,000. Insured fully by the German Mutual, Enterprise and Eureka Farmers.

MOTHER AND DAUGHTER BURNED.

Rondout, N. Y., Dec. 26.—W. H. R. R. R. building burned last night. The wife and daughter of James Brohhy perished in the flames.

INCENDIARY WORK.

Nashville, Tenn., Dec. 26.—An American socialist, Tusculum, Alabama, says that the dwelling of ex-Congressman J. H. Sloss, burned last night. Supposed to be the work of incendiary. Insured for three thousand dollars in Home company of New York.

FOUR PERSONS PERISHED.

Central City, Col., Dec. 26.—This morning between 1 and 2 o'clock, a fire was discovered in an unoccupied building between Central City and Blackhawk. It was extinguished without damage, and while the firemen were returning another fire was discovered in the residence of Thos. Terril. The first ones to arrive heard screams of the inmates, but the fire had such headway that nothing could be done to save them. Four persons perished in the flames: Mrs. Terril, Johnnie Terril, Wm. John Terril, and Robt. Jefferson. There is a strong suspicion of incendiary. A strong smell of coal oil was about both buildings. Both fires seemed to have started from the outside, and a man was seen running away from the first building.

NEW YORK.

FAILURE.

New York, Dec. 26.—The Evening Post says that the firm of Netter & Co., Exchange place, has notified the stock exchange of its inability to meet its contracts. No failure has occurred in Wall street for many months that has caused more comment. The firm was supposed to be wealthy, and doing a large business in lending money and in gold loans. It also sold puts, calls, straddles and other speculative privileges on stocks and gold. After the failure was announced, the office of the firm was thronged with persons who had these speculative privileges; also with those who had borrowed money on time, inquiring if their collateral were safe. The members of the firm came originally from Cincinnati, and brought a large amount of money. The firm has made an assignment.

MISCELLANEOUS.

THE FRONTIER.

New Orleans, Dec. 26.—Steamer Harlan arrived at Brazos yesterday morning with three companies of United States troops, from New Orleans, which were disembarked and reached this city by railroad last evening. They are the first of the additional force recently ordered to the Rio Grande, and are regarded as an evidence that the power of the government is to be more effectively enforced on this frontier in the future. The lower Rio Grande has been remarkably quiet for several months past. In fact, since the raid on the Rio Grande city jail, four months ago, there has been no depredations of any kind worthy of mention.

SURPRISED THE RANCHEROS.

San Francisco, Dec. 26.—The following dispatch was forwarded to Washington by Genl. McDowell, to the adjutant general. Genl. Kautz has just received the following dispatch from camp Bowie, Arizona, dated Dec. 24:

Lts. Rucker and Toney of the Sixth cavalry, have returned. They struck the party that killed mail rider Drember on the 14th east of Steila peak range, and killed one. Five days later they struck them in Old Mexico, surprised the rancheros of 34 Wickup, destroyed the camp, captured 16 horses, 50 saddles and lots of stuff, which the renegades had taken from the train. Fifteen dead bodies were found on the ground, with evidences that more had been killed. The mail matter, was recovered.

Denver, Ill., Dec. 26.—D. W. Rose, of Springfield, Ill., a well known railroad man, died here this morning.

DROPPED DEAD.

Chicago, Dec. 26.—Judge Heaton, of Dixon, Ill., and chief justice of the recently organized appellate court of this city, dropped dead of heart disease this morning, at 11 o'clock, in the office of A. M. Herrington, solicitor of the Chicago & Northwestern railroad company. Judge Heaton was ascending the stairs when he hailed Herrington, who was passing through the hall. He seemed out of breath. He entered the office and said: "My daughter is to be married" to-morrow, and I would like a pass for the minister from Chicago to Dixon, and return. Mr. Herrington was about to comply with the request, when he turned and saw the Judge falling. He caught him before he reached the floor. His body was taken to a private office. He lived about ten minutes, but was unconscious all of the time.

JOSH BILLINGS' NEW PROVERBS.

"This life is like a game of cards. We must play the hands dealt to us, and the credit is not so much in winning as in playing a poor hand well."

"When I hear a man bragging about what he did last year and what he's going to do next year, I can tell pretty near what he's doing now."

"Don't despise your poor relations. They might get rich some time, and then it would be so hard to explain the thing."

"The reputation a man gets for his ancestors wants about as much altering to fit him as their clothes would."

"There is no woman stationed on the face of the earth who tries so hard to do right, and fails oftener, than the average mother-in-law."

"An enthusiast is an individual who believes about four times as much as he can prove. A d can prove four times as much as anybody else will believe."

"Falling in love is like falling down stairs; it's hard work to find out just how the thing was done."

"A man who has been waiting for the last fifteen years for something to turn up, is still in the same business."

"A poodle is a woman's pet, and I have seen some I would like swap livings with."

"Mice can live anywhere comfortably but in a church; they fat very slowly in a church. This proves that they can't live on religion any more than a minister can."

"The worst tyrant in this world is a woman who is superior to her husband, and lets everybody know it."

"Love is like the measles; you can't have it but once, and the later in life we have it, the tougher it goes with us."

"Great thinkers are not apt to be great whistlers. When a man can't think of anything, he begins to whistle."

"The man you can have to work on the farm for nothing and board himself, just about equals his wages."

"Neatness, in my opinion, is one of the virtues. I have always considered it twin sister to chastity, but none work so hard as the victim of ecstatic neatness. I have seen a neat person who would not let a weary fly rest long enough on the best wall-paper to take breath, and who would chase a single cockroach up and down stairs until his legs were worn off."

THE CZAR AT ST. PETERSBURG.

The Daily News correspondent at St. Petersburg telegraphs that a tremendous reception greeted the emperor on Saturday morning. "It was said in the dark days," continues the correspondent, "that the czar dare not return to the capital except behind bayonets, but I am now convinced that after a great defeat, the emperor would be as warmly welcomed by the loyal-hearted Russian people. Bands of music paraded the streets, which contained numerous triumphal arches. The buildings were festooned with bunting, and, taken altogether, the city presented a splendid exhibition of joy and thanksgiving."

The pupils of the conservatoire sang a hymn of welcome, and presented the czar with a laurel crown, which his imperial majesty gratefully received. Amid the roar of artillery and the wild clanging of bells the emperor of the Russians drove to Kazan cathedral. Tiers of crimson seats had been erected in the open space in front of the cathedral, and these were filled with prominent citizens of the capital. Many people slept all night on the marble floor of the cathedral waiting. Peasant women and princesses bent before the shrine together. The cathedral blazes with splendor and light. The altars are aglow with diamonds. Vast as the cathedral is, there seems no niche in which even another waxen taper could be burned. Accompanied by glad-some cheers, which drown for the time the sobbing heard in undertone of mothers who have lost sons, wives mourning for husbands, sisters waiting for brothers, all lost on the battlefields, the doors are flung open. In solemn majesty the emperor enters. The noise is only partially hushed as the czar walks with solemn tread to the altar. Suddenly the vast cathedral becomes hushed. The czar advances to the altar and kisses the Holy Virgin. On his return to the floor of the cathedral the crowd breaks all restraint. It envelops him in its embraces. The people fall down and kiss his garments. So great is the pressure that it is with great delay his imperial majesty can reach his carriage. The emperor drives to the winter palace amid the wildest cheering of the vast crowd which lines the entire road. All day long multitudes cheer before the palace, and soldiers hurrah at the barracks. The city was illuminated until long after midnight.

NOTICE.

The partnership heretofore existing between E. H. Hudsmith, L. L. Tyler and J. Nissin, doing business under the firm name of Hudsmith, Tyler & Co., is hereby dissolved by mutual consent. L. L. Tyler and J. Nissin will continue the said business, and E. H. Hudsmith will continue in the employ of L. L. Tyler and J. Nissin. Yankton, D. T., Dec. 18, 1877.

MARKETS BY TELEGRAPH.

WALL STREET.

New York, Dec. 26.
Money—6@7.
Gold—1.02c.
Governments—Firm.
Stocks—Opened lower at 1/4c; afterwards recovered.

NEW YORK MARKET.

New York, Dec. 26.
WHEAT—1/4c better at call; 1.33c for No. spring January.

RYE—quiet; 75@77c for state.

CORN—old, firm; new, dull and declining; 54c for mixed western.

BARLEY—quiet.

OATS—steady; 35@40c for mixed western.

PORK—firm; 13.00@13.05.

LARD—firm; 8.75.

WHISKY—10.

CHICAGO.

Chicago, Dec. 26.
WHEAT—unsettled; 1.10@1.10c for January; 1.11@1.11c for February; 1.10 bid for cash; No. 3, 1.03.

CORN—quiet; nominally; 44c for cash or December; 43@43c for January; 42c for February; 44@44c for May.

OATS—quiet; 25c for cash; 25c for January; 28c for May.

PORK—11.75 for January; 11.90@11.92c for February; 12.05@12.07c for March.

LARD—7.72@7.75 for January; 7.80 for February.

WHISKY—6.

MILWAUKEE.

Milwaukee, Dec. 26.
WHEAT—advanced; hard, 1.14c for No. 1; 1.14 for No. 2; 1.10c for cash or December and January; 1.11c for February; No. 3, 1.05c.

CORN—steady; 45c for No. 2.

OATS—firm; 25c for No. 2.

YANKTON PRODUCE MARKET.

BUYER'S GRAIN PRICES.

Wheat, per bushel, 74@75.
Corn, per bushel, 25@26.
Barley, per bushel, 25@26.
Rye, per bushel, 25@26.
Flax, per bushel, 85@90.

RETAIL PRICES.

Corn, shelled, per 56 lbs., 50 cts.
Corn, ear, per 56 lbs., 50 cts.
Oats, new, per 32 lbs., 25 cts.
Barley, per 48 lbs., 40 cts.
Bran, per 100 lbs., 40 cts.
Mixed bran and meal, per 100 lbs., 31 cts.
Corn Meal, unbolted, per 100 lbs., 31 cts.
Corn Meal, bolted, per 100 lbs., 31 cts.
Flour, patent, per 100 lbs., 4 1/2 lbs.
Flour, Pearl White, per 100 lbs., 3 3/4 lbs.
Flour, Golden Drop, per 100 lbs., 3 3/4 lbs.
Flour, Le Souer, per 100 lbs., 3 3/4 lbs.
Flour, per dozen, 30 cts.
Flour, Graham, per 100 lbs., 2 1/2 lbs.
Butter, per lb., 25 cts.
Eggs, per dozen, 25 cts.
Potatoes, per bushel, 30 cts.
Onions, per peck, 25 cts.
Green Apples, per bushel, 84@85.

PROBATE NOTICE.

TERRITORY OF DAKOTA, ss: In Probate Court.

In the matter of the appointment of an administrator of the estate of Curtis A. Bost, deceased.

WHEREAS, J. R. Sanborn, one of the creditors of the estate of the above named Curtis A. Bost, deceased, has filed his petition in this court, praying that letters of administration upon the estate of Curtis A. Bost, deceased, may be granted to him.

Now, therefore, notice is hereby given, that the said application will be heard at a special term of the probate court, in and for said Yankton county, which is appointed to be held at the probate court room in the city of Yankton, in said county, on Monday, the 14th day of January, A. D. 1878, at ten o'clock a. m. of that day.

Dated Yankton, D. T., Dec. 26th, A. D. 1877.

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STOCKHOLDERS MEETING.

A meeting of the Stockholders of the First National Bank of Yankton, D. T., will be held at their banking house on January 4th, 1878, at 7 o'clock p. m., to elect a board of directors to serve for the ensuing year.

W. H. McVAY, Cashier.
Yankton, D. T., Nov. 26, 1877.

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