

# Stevens County Tribune.

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MORRIS, MINNESOTA

## NEWS SUMMARY.

### CRIMES AND CRIMINALS.

The trial of Cox, the negro murderer of Mrs. Dr. Hulls in progress in New York; and the trial of Buford, the Kentucky desperado for the murder of Judge Elliott, is in progress at Owenton, Ky.

In the case of the negro Cox, tried for the murder of Mrs. Dr. Hull, in New York, the jury, after being out about an hour, brought in a verdict of murder in the first degree, where the judge sentenced him to be hung on Friday, the 29th of August next.

### CASUALTIES.

There was a \$90,000 fire at Macon, Georgia, July 18.

There was a \$60,000 fire in Indianapolis, July 19.

A telegram from Calcutta states that the cholera has appeared in Calcutta.

July 15 there was a \$30,000 fire in New Orleans, and a \$35,000 fire in Philadelphia.

Miss Mamie Daniels was found drowned in Lake Winona, Minn., on Monday July 18. Accidental.

At Buffalo, N. Y., July 19, a section of the new round house of the Erie Railway company fell and a number of workmen were injured.

A Halifax telegram of July 17 gives an account of the loss of the steamer State of Virginia, from New York City Glasgow, which went ashore at St. John's, Saturday, July 12. Three women and five children were lost in the surf while landing. The vessel had 74 passengers, 104 head of cattle and a general cargo. Sixty cattle were saved.

A terrible hail storm and hurricane passed over Wells River, Vt., July 14, lasting fifteen minutes, followed by a thunder storm. Hail stones were two inches in diameter. A third of the glass in the place was broken. Large trees torn up, fences destroyed, houses unroofed and barns blown over. It was the most severe storm ever known there. The people were much alarmed.

Edward R. Adams, a discharged soldier, his time being out, is in jail at Cincinnati, O., at his own request, he confessing to having committed a murder. He says he killed Harvey Brewer, in November, 1870, about one mile from the village of Rome, and yet claims that he did it in self-defense. Adams' general appearance is that of a disappointed man, and it is alleged that he has been frank about him, calculated to awaken sympathy.

July 16 advices from St. Louis, Mo., say, the temperature of that day was very trying. In the middle of the day the mercury stood at 96, and at 4 o'clock at 92. It was not until after dark that any relief was experienced. Four cases of sunstroke were treated at the dispensary, none fatal. Four other cases occurred in the southern suburbs of the city. Three deaths from sunstroke were recorded with the mortuary clerk. The distribution of free ice among the deserving poor was commenced to-day, and on Saturday a series of free excursions on the river under the auspices of the fresh air mission for the benefit of the sick children, will be given.

A Boston, July 16th, telegram says, one of the severest tempests ever experienced here swept over the city this afternoon. The duration of the storm's greatest violence was about twenty-five minutes, and in that period great damage was done to life and property. Reports from various points down the harbor contain accounts of serious damage and distressing accidents. Many small yachts and other boats were capsized. The most serious disaster yet reported is that of the small schooner Myrtle, of Charlestown having on board six persons, consisting of four women, a man and a boy. The schooner was capsized off Bird Island, and all excepting the man, Thos. Dunham, who clung to the topmast, were drowned. The women were Margaret Dunham, wife of Thomas, Mary Ann Dunham and Susan Dunham, sisters, Lizzie Dunham, his niece, and a boy named Arthur Ryan. A boy named Walker Hittman was also drowned by the capsizing of a boat off Hull. The damage throughout the city was hardly ascertained at present. Other towns were visited with death and destruction, such as Pittsfield, Fitchburg, Springfield, Worcester, East Hampton, and others.

### PERSONAL AND POLITICAL.

The French residents of England will erect a memorial monument to the Prince Imperial.

F. J. Boes, lumber dealer at Reading, Pa., has made an assignment. Liabilities, \$150,000.

Prince Jerome Napoleon intends visiting ex-Empress Eugenie as soon as she has recovered.

A Paris correspondent alleges that Prince Jerome Napoleon, wholly disavows any intention of becoming pretender to the imperial throne.

Cardinal Manning preached the funeral sermon of the Prince Imperial on Sunday July 19, in presence of the imperial family and large congregation.

George F. Bragg, a prominent merchant, and Major James T. Hoyt, quartermaster in the army during the war, died at San Francisco, on the morning of July 18.

Col. Girard Hewitt, a prominent business man of St. Paul, Minn., died after an illness of three weeks, at the early morning of July 14. He was born at Hollidaysburg, Pa., Oct. 21st, 1821, and was consequently in his fifty-eighth year at the time of his death. He read law in his native town with Hon. Samuel Coburn, and after being admitted to the bar removed to Selma, Ala., in 1845. He engaged in the practice of law at Selma, and in 1866 was induced to visit Minnesota for health considerations. In March 1867, he came to St. Paul to reside permanently. The real estate excitement being then at its height he did not resume the general practice of law, save as it was connected with real estate transactions. From that time until his death he devoted himself to a real estate and loan agency business, being one of the largest dealers and certainly the most continuous in the business of any one who ever resided in St. Paul.

### MISCELLANEOUS.

Warlike preparations on the Greek frontier continue.

In some quarters, the war in Zululand is declared virtually at an end.

A dispatch from Berlin says Russian military authorities estimate the Tekke Turkomans in arms at 40,000.

At Yankton, Dakota Territory, the thermometer stood at 100 in the shade on Monday, July 14, and for the week previous ranged from 96 to 98.

The entire debt of the Minnesota State Agricultural Society has been paid off, and vigorous action is in progress preparatory to the holding of a State Fair in St. Paul, the first week in September.

Owing to the incapacity of the sub-treasurer at Baltimore to store the silver received, the assistant-treasurer has been ordered to put out standard silver dollars for national silver coin offered for exchange.

The *Stevens County Tribune* declares that the United States are in favor of a treaty of commerce with France, but not on the basis of free trade. In any case no treaty will be made with the United States until that now under negotiation with England is concluded.

The negotiations between Russia and the United States relative to the fisheries near Alaska, resulted in an arrangement by which vessels of the United States are allowed to fish in Russian waters in return for the payment of a money compensation.

A special from Henderson, Ky., of July 19, says that on the line of that country with Union, James Lattrell killed Elisha Thompson by a blow on the head with a gun. Thompson was in the act of preventing Lattrell from shooting a man named Wedding. Cause—whisky.

A Springfield, Ill., dispatch of July 18, says Gov. Cullum has received a letter inviting him to attend a reunion of soldiers of the Northwest, to be held at Aurora, August 20th, 21st and 22d. The convention, by resolution, requested the Governor to invite the Governors of all the States and Territories.

The purser of the steamship *Etna*, which arrived July 17th at New York from Port au Prince, reports as follows: At Port au Prince, Monday, June 30, Petit Canal, brother of the president, shot D'Lorne, a member of the legislative chamber. A general shooting affray ensued in which ten other members and some of Canada's adherents were killed. The shooting commenced Monday and was kept up until our departure at 4:30 p. m., July 2d. Business was suspended in the meantime. There was report in circulation that the rebels would have to submit to the government's demands.

A London telegram of July 18, says in the House of Lords the Marquis of Huntley complained of railway companies for carrying American meats at lower rates than English because of the larger quantities in which the former are sent. He pointed out that such action was protection for American farmers, and asked whether it had been brought before the attention of the board of trade and commission on the agricultural depression. The Duke of Richmond, lord president of the council, replied that the granting of preferential sales was a violation of law, but Lord Shelborne doubted it.

### YELLOW FEVER.

MEMPHIS, July 18. The yellow fever is again becoming worse. All trains going out of the city are crowded, and many more are leaving to-day. While a majority of the physicians do not apprehend that the fever will rage in an epidemic form, they all advise those who can to leave the city. The weather is warm and sultry after a thunder storm of last night. Three new cases are reported to the board of health this afternoon, these make 16 as the total number of cases reported since the 9th inst. Fred Eckers, who reported the first case, died at 11 this afternoon and was buried immediately afterwards. Total number of deaths from fever to date is seven, including the death this afternoon. Business is almost entirely suspended, especially with the wholesale merchants. Large crowds of citizens are leaving on every train that departs from the city. The Manhattan and Emmett banks closed their doors to-day, leaving their collections and deposits to the care of other banks. A detachment of the Chickasaw Guards and Tenth City Greys leave to-night for Clarksville, Tenn., where both companies will go into camp. Mrs. Robert Hester and one of her children are reported to be in a critical condition. The other members of the family are progressing favorably. Quarantine regulations are again being rigidly enforced against Memphis at various points.

MEMPHIS, July 19.—The weather is warm and sultry with occasional showers. The development of new cases has given fresh impetus to the exodus of citizens, and another genuine stampede is in progress. Business is paralyzed, and many retail merchants are closing their stores. In New Orleans strict quarantine is enforced against Memphis. Up to this date it is declared that there has not been a case of yellow fever in New Orleans this season. Movements are being made in Louisville, Ky., and St. Louis, Mo., to intercept the fever, and a detachment of the latter city, especially, has been manifested.

MEMPHIS, July 20.—The yellow fever is on the increase. Ten new cases are reported to-day. A member of the board of health says the outlook is bad. The people continue to close their places of business. Full 2,000 people have left the doomed city since yesterday noon. City officials and physicians urge upon all citizens who can to leave at once. The Memphis and Paducah railroad closed running to-day.

### MINNESOTA STATE FAIR.

The Reorganization.—Mr. Kelley's Letter of Resignation.—Sam. E. Adams Chosen President.—His Official Announcement of a State Fair During the First Week in September.

It has been generally understood that Mr. P. H. Kelley, the well known large grocer of St. Paul, had declined to accept the presidency of the State Agricultural Society, tendered him last February; but there has been no official announcement made of the fact until this time, when the following letter is published:

St. Paul, March 20, 1879.  
R. C. Judson, Esq., Secretary State Agricultural Society, Farmington, Minn.  
Dear Sir: I duly received your notification of my election as President of the Minnesota State Agricultural Society, and in reply to your flattering resolution of your executive board on February 6th, placing the entire management in my hands. I fully appreciate the confidence reposed in me, and I am deeply indebted to you for the honor conferred. If it were possible for me to do your association and the fair I would willingly accept the position so kindly offered, but my business so engrossed by time and attention, and taxes my energies to such an extent, that it really would be a physical impossibility for me to act in the honorable position to which I have been elected.

I should have responded earlier in this matter, but have been in hopes that arrangements would be perfected whereby the cities of St. Paul and Minneapolis would unite with all the people of the State in making this State Fair a grand success. I had hoped to see this accomplished before making my determination to decline public office. I regret to say that this I was greatly disappointed and Minnesota having declined all honorable overtures and reasonable concessions on the part of St. Paul, it now remains for this city, supported by the State at large, to make an exhibition worthy of our great and growing State.

In declining the Presidency of the association, I beg to assure you that no man in the State will do more in proportion to his ability, nor feel a deeper interest in making the Fair of 1879 a brilliant success than myself, and assuring the society of my sincere thanks and deep interest in the enterprise, I am, very respectfully yours, P. H. KELLEY.

A meeting of the Executive Board was called a few weeks ago and Sam E. Adams, of Monticello, Wright county, was chosen President, to fill the vacancy Albert Schaeffer was also elected treasurer at the same time to fill a vacancy in that office. Mr. R. C. Judson, of Farmington, continues to fill the position of secretary.

These officers have been at work since their election, preparing the premium list and making other arrangements and

Mr. Adams has now issued the following formal announcement of the next State Fair:

TO EDITORS OF MINNESOTA NEWSPAPERS: Frequent inquiries have arisen relative to the probability of a fair this fall, to be held on the auspices of the State Agricultural Society.

Please inform the public that the owners of the St. Paul driving park have tendered the use of the grounds and ample buildings, where the annual exhibition will take place during the first week in September; that last year's premium were fully realized at the end of the fair; that the remaining liabilities have been liquidated; better railroad facilities are assured, and that the prospects for a good old fashioned exhibition which shall redound to the fame of our rapidly growing State were never better than now.

Although the accommodations have been decidedly improved, yet nearly every stall and shed is already engaged and more will be built if required.

It should be borne in mind that ours is emphatically an agricultural State. Its chief wealth consists in the products of its rich soil, its blooded stock, and the healthful influence of its pure air. It should be the aim, therefore, of our enterprising, patriotic citizens, incited by a laudable desire to excel and to display our industries, to put forth their earnest efforts to the encouragement and aid of the State society, so as to make the coming fair the most useful and most instructive ever held in the center of this great country.

The exhibition of our products in every corner in the State should feel a pride and personal interest. It is not a local matter, but pertains to the whole State, and every citizen should by an exhibit or by his presence, or in any other manner, be aiding in advancing his own locality in common with the State. A splendid State fair, reflecting credit upon our town and county in the State. It advertises to the world what Minnesota can produce in the most effective manner, and will add to the value of every citizen's property. It will also show the stock raisers, fruit growers and all classes of citizens from one end of the State to the other, the most successful methods of cultivation and contribute to make it worthy of them.

Instead of being handicapped with debt as in previous years, the society presents a clean sheet, and is in a position to make every thing favorable for an exhibit of agricultural products and stock superior to any previous year.

May we not reasonably expect the hearty co-operation of the county societies, and a favorable and united response from every section of the State, to make this fair one that history shall show the fair of 1879 to have exceeded all previous exhibits in its magnificence, abundance and solid worth?

Very truly yours, S. E. ADAMS,  
President Minnesota State Agricultural Society.

Monticello, July 15, 1879.

### A SECOND MAMMOTH CAVE.

Discovery and Exploration of a Wonderful Hole in the Ground Near Nashville.

(Nashville Special to Cincinnati Enquirer.)

News reached this city a few days ago of the discovery of a new cave at Newsum's station, seventeen miles out on the North-Western railroad. Many were inclined to doubt the truth of the report, and the wonderful accounts of the interior. Yesterday, with four of the neighboring farmers, a newspaper representative made a visit to the cave and made a lengthy exploration. It is about a mile from the end of Newsum's, on the farm of Mr. Hutton. The entrance opens on a rough country road, running around the foot of an immense hill four or five hundred feet high. The opening is about four feet by two, and is almost covered by a large boulder. Two men passing along the road noticed the hole, and through curiosity enlarged it sufficiently to admit of passage and explored the cave some distance. They reported their find at the station, and in a day or two parties for miles around began to visit the cave. To-day the exploration was made under most favorable auspices. Preparing themselves with lanterns, candles and ropes, the party of five started on the expedition. For seventy-five yards the passage was so small that they had to crawl on their hands and knees, and then the passage opened into a large chamber the roofs of which could not be seen nor struck with rocks thrown upward. All along the sides were beautiful formations, white and sparkling in the dim light. A mile from the entrance there was a fork in the passage, one branch leading north and the other south. Selecting the northern route first the party proceeded something over a mile, when they came to what seemed to be the end. All along walking was easy, the idea could be formed of the high top of the cave, and large, widening into large chambers the roofs of which could not be seen nor struck with rocks thrown upward. All along the sides were beautiful formations, white and sparkling in the dim light. 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