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SCHOONER CUT IN TWO

Run Down by an Ocean Steamer.

FOUR OF THE CREW DROWNED

One Miner Taken Out Dead and Several Injured—Another Fight Over the Breckinridge Campaign.

NEW YORK, Sept. 11.—The steamer Portia, from Halifax, reports that in a dense fog yesterday she ran into and sunk the three-masted schooner Dora M. Fauch, four miles from Cuddyhunk light. Four of the schooners crew of five were drowned. The steamer was running at full speed, blowing a whistle. She struck the sailing vessel just forward of the foremast and cut her in two. A boat was quickly lowered by the steamer and Jeremiah Murphy, of New York, mate of the lost vessel, was picked up. By a strange fatality Dr. Cooke and seven members of the ill-starred Arctic expedition were on board of the Portia. This is the third serious marine disaster in which they have had a part within two months. The Portia was a sister ship to the lost Miranda, on which the Cooke party sailed for the Northern seas, and which was sunk in the ice.

An Electric Lineman's Perils.

DETROIT, Mich., Sept. 11.—On Woodward avenue right in front of the city hall, just before noon yesterday, away up 150 feet in the air at the top of an electric tower, lay a man rigid and helpless, his feet tangled in the meshes of wire, his head hanging downward. He was a trimmer and had gone up there to fix the lamps, when he grasped a live wire and became unconscious. A crowd of 5000 persons saw him and expected every minute that his feet would slip and that he would fall. His name was Frederick French, and there in the air he hung until his partner, George Wideman, joined the crowd and saw him. Up the slim supports of the tower went Wideman, hand over hand, to the prostrate man, whom he grabbed and tried to lay on the tower. But French was like a madman. He was frothing at the mouth and the two men away up in the air began a struggle which looked as if it might end by one or both of them coming to the ground. French endeavored to bite Wideman and once nearly threw him over, but Wideman finally got a piece of rope over French's neck and choked him into insensibility. Then he put him in a basket by which French made the ascent, and lowered him to within a few feet of the ground, where others helped him, and French was taken to the hospital. He was crazy from the shock. The doctors say he will recover.

The Island of Lombok War.

SAN FRANCISCO, Sept. 11.—D. T. Timons, a graduate of Cambridge, England, who has been traveling for the past eight months, arrived here from Batavia, Java, yesterday, in company with several friends. He says there is a violent insurrection of natives on the island Lombok against the Dutch rulers. The native island king has joined forces with the natives and unitedly they are doing all they can to throw off the Dutch yoke. War is in actual progress. How many have been killed on each side is not known, but in the last engagement the Dutch forces were repelled. In Batavia there was great excitement. "Everybody expected," said Timons, "that the revolution would spread, and it was thought the war might be long and bloody. A month ago when I was there communication was almost entirely cut off. The reason for this was that the Dutch government had seized all the steamers and sailing vessels and pressed them into service. There was a single French steamer running, and on this I managed to get away. The Dutch were then collecting all their forces and forwarding them to the island as fast as possible. Up to the time I left Batavia they had sent 6,000 from that port. The island is large and contains rich tin mines. It also produces a very large amount of coffee, sugar, indigo, fruits and other crops. It is very thickly populated.

The Wooten Case Again.

FRESNO, Sept. 11.—A beginning has been made in the search for Wooten's body. Detective A. B. Lawson, who conducted the search last spring, is here again from Los Angeles. He will work in conjunction with Sheriff Scott. It is said that they have clues which may lead to the discovery of the body, but they are keeping their plans secret for the present. The water is now out of

nearly all the canals, and the deep ponds which afforded such obstacles to the search early in the season are now nearly dry. Wooten's neighbors will soon begin searching them for the body, which they believe is buried in the mud some place between Reedley and the foothills.

War News Hard to Get.

YOKOHAMA, Sept. 11.—The mikado and several of his ministers will go Thursday night to Hiroshima, the embarking place of the Japanese troops sent to Corea. The headquarters of the mikado will be transferred to Hiroshima after that date. Authentic news of the war cannot be obtained. The native press is subject to censorship and reporters of foreign papers are not allowed to approach the seat of war. It is also impossible to transmit private advices in regard to the warlike operations, as the telegraph lines and mail routes are controlled by the government.

Attacks of Natives Repulsed.

ZANZIBAR, Sept. 11.—Mr. Beasley and Rev. Mr. Firminger, who reached Dar-es-Salaam, German, East Africa, in a dhow from Kilwa, off that coast, September 9th, have arrived here and report that the governor's house at Kilwa was attacked by 2,000 natives armed with flintlock rifles, on September 7th. The fight lasted two hours. One Soudanese soldier was killed, and one German wounded. When Messrs. Beasley and Firminger left the island, a renewal of the attack was expected.

A Decision by Carlisle.

WASHINGTON, Sept. 11.—Secretary Carlisle in a letter addressed to Senator Caffery of Louisiana, officially decided that under the new tariff law it will be unlawful to appoint inspectors, weighers and testers of bounty sugars under the McKinley act, and further, that congress having made no appropriation for the employment of such officials, the laws of the United States prohibit the employment of such persons to serve without pay.

General Booth Coming to America.

LONDON, Sept. 11.—Detachments of the Salvation Army from all parts of London assembled at Euston railroad station today to bid farewell to General Booth, who started for America. The general will reach New York about October 20, and proceed to the principal Northern and Western cities of the United States until reaching San Francisco and finishing his tour at Seattle, Wash., December 28.

Spokane County Primaries.

SPOKANE, Sept. 12.—At the republican primaries in this county today a heavy vote was polled and everything passed off harmoniously. The delegates elected are unanimously for S. C. Hyde for congress. The senatorial question only figured incidentally, the contests being almost wholly of county officers; but the friends of John L. Wilson claim that a legislative delegation will be elected favorable to his aspirations.

Wrecked by an Explosion.

ALEXANDRIA, Ind., Sept. 12.—At Alexandria about 5 a. m. a natural gas explosion wrecked the express and telegraph building. Samuel I. Meyer, wife and one child, and sister-in-law, who live upstairs, were buried in the ruins. All will recover except Meyer. The Free Calloway bank and the Alexandria hardware buildings were also wrecked. Property loss, \$22,000.

Last of the Blythe Cases.

SAN FRANCISCO, Sept. 12.—Mrs. Alice Edith Blythe's appeal from the decision of Judge Coffey in favor of Florence Blythe was argued before the supreme court yesterday and submitted. This is the last appeal of the various Blythe heirs which the supreme court has to pass on, the others having been disposed of some time since.

Keeleyites in Convention.

COLORADO SPRINGS, Col., Sept. 12.—About 800 delegates were present at the national convention of the Keeley League today. The executive committee reported in favor of disbanding the state leagues. Harrisburg was selected as the place for holding the next convention. President Andrew J. Smith was re-elected.

A Protest to Nicaragua.

COLON, Sept. 11.—The republic of Colombia has presented Nicaragua with a second protest, claiming sovereignty over the Mosquito reservation under old Spanish titles. It is reported President Nunez will go to Bogota to calm the rising troubles there.

Count of Paris' Funeral.

LONDON, Sept. 11.—The remains of the Count of Paris will be taken to Weybridge tomorrow. Cardinal Vaughan will conduct the funeral services. The Duke of York and Duke of Oporto will be present at the funeral.

A GREAT SWINDLER

A Real Estate Shark Who Has Robbed Thousands.

MEMPHIS HAS A BAD CYCLONE

The Last Appeal in the Blythe Case Now Before the Supreme Court of California.

Too Many Seals Killed.

SAN FRANCISCO, Sept. 12.—J. Stanley Brown, special United States treasury agent for the seal islands, has arrived from Pribyloff islands after an absence of several months. He was accompanied by several other agents. He says the seals were in good condition this year, and the weather was not unusually unpleasant. The continued taking of seals in the open sea is tending steadily to reduce the seals. Unless a stop is put to this seal-killing at sea, the number of seals that annually visit the islands will be greatly reduced. "The contractors killed this year," said Brown, "about 16,000 of the 20,000 that the government permits to be taken from the rookeries. Besides these, sealers who were taking seals in the open sea killed 30,000. These are far too many. At this rate seals will be exterminated. It should be remembered that, while the government does permit the taking of any but immature males from the rookeries, the mariners who go after seals in the open sea kill males and females indiscriminately. At present the killing of the seals in the open sea cannot be under the laws entirely prohibited. It is not poaching, for hunters do not come upon the islands or within a marine league of them. At least, this is not the rule. It is very fortunate that Assistant Secretary Hamlin visited the sealing grounds this year. He worked very hard to gain an exact knowledge of the conditions. This was just what we, who have been visiting the islands for years, desired. One might write and speak incessantly, but he could not depict all the facts as they exist. Mr. Hamlin is a high official, and now he thoroughly understands the situation. His report is certain to be a very important and interesting document."

Seal Estate Swindler Caught.

NEW YORK, Sept. 12.—A man was arrested in this city yesterday who, it is asserted, has made in the neighborhood of \$1,400,000 by getting men to invest in remarkable land schemes. His victims are scattered all over the country. One was the Rev. George Stanberry, an Episcopal clergyman, formerly of Lexington, Ky., from whom he secured about \$30,000. The administrators of the clergyman's estate caused the arrest. Algernon H. Wilson is the name of this promoter. He made his headquarters in Philadelphia. The methods of his operations were similar in each case. He bought Western property of little or no value, organized companies with an exaggerated capital stock and sold stock to investors. He captured Wall-street men and Long Island farmers. He drew heavily upon the carefully hoarded savings of New Englanders. No fewer than thirty clergymen are among his victims. The action upon which Wilcox was arrested was brought by Charles N. Coddling, a lawyer at 29 Broadway, and Phileman B. Stanberry, an administrator of the estate of the Rev. Mr. Stanberry. They have been following Wilcox since June. The Rev. Mr. Stanberry was the son of Henry Stanberry, who was the attorney-general of the United States in President Johnson's cabinet. When Johnson was impeached, Stanberry resigned his office and helped to defend Johnson. Of the many companies which Wilcox organized he persuaded the Rev. Stanberry to invest in four.

Fool Li Hung Chang.

LONDON, Sept. 12.—A dispatch from Shanghai states the power of Viceroy Li Hung Chang has steadily decreased. Every day's delay in providing the promised victory over the Japanese adds to the danger of his downfall. Reinforcements from the more remote provinces en route to Corea are at a standstill, terrorizing the cities in which they are halted. Almost a reign of terror prevails even in Tien-Tsin. The savage soldiery are everywhere plundering and maltreating the wretched populace, and native merchants are fleeing from Tien-Tsin to save their lives.

The Czar's Illness.

LONDON, Sept. 13.—The correspondent at Vienna of the Chronicle says: "News received from St. Petersburg indicates the Czar's illness is cerebral, complicated with an ailment of the kidneys. Prayers for his recovery have been ordered twice at court. The czar is mentally depressed. He gets tired after the shortest period of work. His stay in the desert, as reported, has been beneficial."

Bandits in Guatemala.

OAXACA, Mexico, Sept. 13.—Late advices from Chiapas state the troubles on the Guatemalan border are growing more serious, and the indications are favorable for bloodshed unless the two governments reach an understanding as to what is to be done with the brigands and cutthroats, who make the border country their rendezvous and pray upon peaceable citizens. Several villages along the border in Guatemala have been sacked by outlaws, and murders and other outrages committed.

Egyptian Slave-Dealers Convicted.

CARRO, Sept. 13.—Ali Cheriff, president of the legislative council, and Hassan Waccliff, a retired general of the Egyptian army, arrested August 28 charged with purchasing slave girls, recently brought here from Wadai, have been convicted. Sharawi Pasha, charged with the same offense, has absconded.

has been erected on the heights and numerous sick Japanese are treated there. Constant conflicts are taking place between the outposts, but few badly wounded have been taken to Seoul.

The Wooten Mystery.

FRESNO, Cal., Sept. 12.—Charles E. Lilley of England this morning filed two complaints in the superior court to set aside the conveyance claimed by Professor W. A. Sanders to have been executed by William Wooten, the missing Reedley rancher, to the mythical John Knusch and a second conveyance from Knusch to Sanders. The consideration alleged to have been given was \$45,000, but there is no proof that a cent of money was ever paid. Lilley is acting under a power of attorney for Thomas Wooten of England, a brother of the missing rancher. No traces of Wooten's body have yet been found, though an active search is being continued in the canal section, which is now nearly dry.

The Nina Safe in Port.

QUEENSTOWN, Sept. 12.—The little schooner Nina, Captain Frietsch, arrived today from New York. Frietsch was the only man on board.

NEW YORK, Sept. 12.—The Nina sailed from New York Saturday, August 5th. She thus makes the trip across the Atlantic in 38 days, remarkable time for such a craft, and only nine days behind the time made by the yacht Valkyrie when she returned to England from this port. She was brought here by Captain Frietsch from Milwaukee in June. In shipping circles considerable doubt was expressed as to the ability of the Nina to cross the ocean in safety.

The Phillips-McCoy Feud

HUNTINGTON, W. Va., Sept. 12.—Reports reached here today of fresh trouble in Logan county between the Phillips-McCoy factions. On Saturday evening the parties met near Williamson, and several shots were fired on both sides. Three men were seriously injured. On Sunday evening the McCoy's followed the Phillips faction to church at Thacker, and another riot took place. John Phillips was shot, and cannot recover, and two of the McCoy crowd were also injured. No arrests have been made. It now looks as though one side or the other will be annihilated before the trouble is at an end.

Chinese Warships Gathering.

HUANO, Sept. 13.—Reports are that the Chinese admiralty has determined to order to Pei Yang from the Yang-Tse coast all warships of a certain tonnage and armament. The dispatch adds that a number of torpedo-boats from the squadrons at Foo Chow, Canton and Nanking will also be ordered to Pei Yang. The intriguing enemies of the viceroy, Li Hung Chang, have reported to the throne the presence at Tien-Tsin of Chang Pei Lun, the viceroy's son-in-law, banished in 1884. The throne has ordered his return to exile.

Cyclone in Memphis.

MEMPHIS, Sept. 12.—At 11:50 a cyclone passing from southwest to northwest struck North Memphis, near the Louisiana & Nashville shops, and swept away everything in its path. Trees were uprooted, an iron bridge over Gayoso bay taken up and carried a distance of 100 yards, and a number of houses wrecked. The full extent of the damage is not yet known. Robert Culp, colored, was fatally, and Wilkes Yambell, white, seriously, injured. Other casualties are reported, but the names are not yet ascertained.

Bank of England Dividend.

LONDON, Sept. 13.—The Standard's Vienna correspondent telegraphs: Emperor Francis Joseph was in Vienna this afternoon, and drove out to Schoenbrunn. On a corner of the Prater a youth sprang to the step of the carriage, holding a petition. The emperor was startled, but he took the paper. The youth was arrested. He said he was a clerk, 21 years old, belonging in Lemberg. He said he had a grievance against the authorities. It is not believed that he intended an attempt on the emperor's life.

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TWO DAYS' FIGHTING

Chinese and Japanese Have a Battle

NOT DECIDED AT LAST ACCOUNTS

Mohammedans and Hindoos Killing Each Other—Egyptian Slave-Dealers—Convicted.

SHANGHAI, Sept. 13.—Rumors have reached here that a battle was fought between Chinese and Japanese near Kair Cheng, Corea, about September 2. Native newspapers of September 10th say the fight lasted two days and was still undecided when the news was forwarded the native press. Chinese papers of September 12th announce that General Yeh, Chinese commander, reports having gained a victory over the Japanese. It is supposed here, however, that the Chinese have met with a reverse at Ping Yang.

The floods in Corea still prevent the Chinese troops from crossing the Imchin river to attack the Japanese intrenchments. Another report current here says the Kirino division of the Chinese army has crossed the Kulin river and is now holding the city of Sunning, while awaiting the advance of the main body before attacking the Japanese right flank. No reliable news, it may be added, is obtainable here regarding the progress of the war.

Mother and Children Starved.

CAMDEN, N. J., Sept. 13.—Mrs. Kate Massey, her three-year-old child and infant were found starving yesterday, in their house in Westminister avenue, Stockton, near Camden. A month ago Mrs. Massey's husband died while undergoing an operation in a Philadelphia hospital; two weeks later Mrs. Massey gave birth to a child. She was left destitute, but she would not ask for aid, and her neighbors did not know her condition until yesterday, when Overseer of the Poor John Renner visited her house and found her and the children apparently dying. Mr. Renner immediately summoned Dr. O. L. Greenbrecht, but the doctor said the women and her children were too exhausted to recover, but he took them in hand immediately. The infant died soon afterwards. Its death was entirely due to lack of nourishment. Mrs. Massey can live but a few days at the furthest and the other child is very low. The mother had starved herself and given the trifling food she had to her older child.

About Franz Joseph.

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LONDON, Sept. 13.—The Daily Chronicle says that 21 Ruchenian Semarites have been arrested in Tarnapol, Galicia, for having formed a treasonable conspiracy during Emperor Franz Joseph's visit in Lemberg.

Bank of England Dividend.

LONDON, Sept. 13.—The governors of the Bank of England, at the half-yearly meeting today declared a dividend of 4 per cent. The reason for the reduction is a decrease of profits, said to be due to the unprecedented increase in the reserve and the low value of money. Since February 28 one result of the Baring liquidation has been a reduction of £1,075,000, making the liability £2,481,985, and the debt due the bank £2,409,000. It is believed no loss will fall upon the guarantors.

A Reconciliation Remote.

LONDON, Sept. 13.—The Standard's Rome correspondent telegraphs that the language of the clerical papers is calculated to render a reconciliation between the government and the vatican remote.

Highest of all in Leavening Power.—Latest U. S. Gov't Report

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Crispi's recent action was to foreshadow an alliance of all the conservative elements in the government at the next election, in which the radicals and socialists have a good chance of succeeding.

Religious War in Bombay.

BOMBAY, Sept. 13.—Some Mohammedans listening to the reading of a koran in a mosque at Hohwa City at midnight, objected to the music in a procession of Hindoos. The latter persisted and the Mohammedans raised the war cry. A fight ensued lasting three hours, 40,000 people, mostly Hindoos, participating. The mosque was sacked and an attempt made to destroy it by fire. One man was killed and many injured.

A Million-Dollar Fire.

LONDON, Sept. 13.—The fire last night near the Leath market, Bermondsey, S. E., by which the stores of Marget, Son & Company, John Dixon & Sons and Bouchere & Taylor, leather dealers, were destroyed, was not extinguished until the flames had consumed £250,000 worth of property.

A Dental From Cries.

PARIS, Sept. 13.—A Rome dispatch to Le Temps says the Crispi organ denies that he is making overtures for a reconciliation between the king and the vatican.

Severe Storms in Spain.

MADRID, Sept. 13.—Southwest Mediterranean towns of Spain have been visited by severe storms. Cata and Javea were flooded, and many lives lost. Several vessels in the Bay of Galla were wrecked.

Against the Government.

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