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NEWS OF THE WORLD.

AFRICANS REVOLT AND GIVE BRITISH SOLDIERS BATTLE.

Promised Revolutionizing of Telegraphy—Cuban Soldiers Occupy the Outskirts of Havana—The Leader of the Non-Miners in Pennsylvania Killed.

The price of wheat in the eastern market continues to rise.

M. C. McCord has been installed in office as governor of Arizona.

Four boys were drowned in the river at Kansas city, Mo., while bathing last Sunday.

Ex-Postmaster James McKean of Atlantic city, N. J., was killed Sunday in a runaway accident.

The city of Waterbury, Conn., is deluged, caused by the overflow of the Naugatuck river.

Captain Hatfield, the notorious West Virginia outlaw, has escaped from the jail at Huntington, and is still at large.

A Manitoba, Can., farmer claims to have seen Andree's balloon passing over his place at White-mouth on the 29th ult.

Garrett E. Anderson, a retired banker and broker of New York, died from the heat and exhaustion, while crossing the desert eight miles from Phoenix, Ariz.

Nearly all of Leadville's (Col.) officials have been indicted by the grand jury, on charges connected with the gambling that is being carried on there.

Heavy tribal fighting has been taking place up the Nile, Egypt, between Dervishers and Jaalins. The Jaalins had 2000 killed in one battle a short time ago.

King George of Greece has declared his intention to abdicate if a system of European control of Greek finances is established.

A race war took place at West Lake, La., between laborers employed in a stone quarry and resulted in two negroes being mortally wounded and several seriously.

H. C. Mellon, an old and respected resident of Boulder, Col., shot and killed his son James, during a quarrel over the right to use a pasture.

A Missouri Pacific passenger train crashed into four freight cars that had been carelessly left on the main track, at El Dorado, Kas., and caused the death of two trainmen.

Captain-General Weyler has ordered George Bryson, a newspaper correspondent expelled from Cuba, owing to some of his reports being offensive to him.

William Cummings, the leader of the non-union miners that were taken to Scottsdale, Pa., to take the place of strikers, was shot and killed while he and several of his companions were fighting with strikers.

A row occurred at a negro dance in Guthrie, O. T., and in attempting to make an arrest a policeman struck a man on the head with a revolver. The blow caused the weapon to discharge, killing a negro named Lowe.

A dispatch from Cape Town says that a report has reached there from the Bini district saying that the Port-

uguese had been badly routed by the natives. The natives claim that there is not a Portuguese left alive in the district.

Floods in New Jersey last week left a long trail of wrecked barns, ruined crops and impaired railroad tracks. At Elizabeth the water filled the streets in some places to a depth of several feet. The electric light plant was flooded and the city was in darkness.

The Cuban army is closing in on Havana despite the efforts of the Spanish soldiers to check them. A few nights ago a large body of insurgents swept through the suburbs of the city carrying everything before them. They gave battle to the Spaniards wherever they met them, killing and wounding many.

A Spanish statesman, commenting on the fact that Spain will soon lose Cuba to the insurgents, said that to provoke war with the United States would be Spain's only salvation for future existence. Such a course would be an excuse for losing the island, and would prevent a home rebellion and the overthrow of the Spanish monarchy.

The Cuban insurgents have captured the town of Las Puntas, a suburb of Havana city. They plundered a military station there, secured the money that was to pay the Spanish troops and a large quantity of medicine. They have seized all the trains running into Havana and no provisions can be sent to that city. Residents of the Havana are leaving for the United States as a matter of safety.

A 23-year-old London lad named Marconi has made a discovery that promises to revolutionize telegraphy. He telegraphs without wires and messages can be sent a distance of twelve miles. He has discovered a method of preventing collisions at sea and has made communication so certain, so superior to the obstructions devised by any enemy that the whole scheme of modern warfare may be changed thereby.

Great Britain is having serious trouble with the natives in parts of Africa. During the week a number of battles were fought, with considerable loss to each side. From 12,000 to 15,000 natives are now in arms. The government has ordered the Reserve brigade at Simla to be in readiness to move to the seat of trouble. To relieve the surrounded garrison at Dargai troops were compelled to make a forced march, which resulted in 19 of them dying from sunstroke. The natives are desperate and heavy fighting is looked for.

Colorado Springs, Col., will be connected with the Cripple Creek gold camp by a short line electric road. A franchise was granted to Irving Howbert and associates. Work on the grades has commenced.

Two women, giving their names as Mrs. Maria M. Cicotte and Mrs. Martha Alt and claiming California as their home, were arrested and fined at Chicago for disturbing the peace and resisting an officer. Being put out of a hotel for not paying their bill caused the trouble.

The Naval board of construction does not deem it advisable to report upon the use of fireproof wood for deck planking, but for bulwarks, furniture, joiner wood, etc. It is recommended that the present process be continued.

Miss Grace Allen, the Kansas teacher on trial at Chandler, O. T., was acquitted of the charge of poisoning her rival, Miss Paronia Eekes, and the latter's mother. It was shown that the women were poisoned with ague medicine.

Mr. and Mrs. William Webb were indicted and jailed at Memphis, Tenn., on a charge of conspiracy to rob and blackmail the Citizens' Railway company. Mrs. Webb boarded a car several days ago and fell in the aisle. She has sued for \$25,000 damages.



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