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GENERAL NEWS.

Disastrous Cyclone Sweeps Over Northern Texas.

SCHOOL CHILDREN KILLED. A Steamer Arrives in Port With Her Cargo of Cotton.

The Herald's Special Dispatches. ST. LOUIS, May 18.—A storm of the cyclonic character swept over northern Texas yesterday afternoon.

AT THE MORMONS. A Church in Alabama Broken Up Indignant Citizens.

BIRMINGHAM, Ala., May 18.—A flourishing Mormon church in Clay county has been broken up by indignant citizens of the neighborhood, and the elders in charge of it have been warned to leave the county without delay.

THE RUSSIAN CONSPIRACY. It Proves to Be a Plot of Gigantic Proportions.

LONDON, May 18.—Advices from St. Petersburg state that the conspiracy among the military officers against the czar, recently unearthed, has many widespread ramifications.

STEAMER ON FIRE. Arrival of a Vessel With Her Cargo of Cotton Burning.

QUEENSTOWN, May 18.—The steamer Amelien, from New Orleans, has arrived with her cargo of cotton on fire between the main hatchways.

THE GRAVESEND RACES. GRAVESEND, May 18.—The first race was for one mile. Sam Wood won. Long Island second, Madison third. Time, 1:42 3/4.

THE REPORT CONFIRMED. WASHINGTON, May 18.—The attorney-general has received a telegram from General Miles, who is at San Francisco, confirming the associated press report of the capture of Cyclone Bill, and Cunningham-Frank, and their identification by Frank Stratton, as paymaster.

THE PRIZE RING. New York, May 18.—McAuliffe has covered Myers' forfeit for another fight to a finish for the championship. Myers proposes that the fight shall be near New York, or under the auspices of one of the California athletic clubs.

EDISON'S FIRST BIG CHECK. It Was for \$40,000, and He Thought of Selling it for \$2000.

The other day a smooth-faced man, wearing handsome clothes and displaying a sealed collar and a necktie all awry, and shoes that never experienced the skillful manipulations of a bootblack, and finger nails that never met a manicure, leaned his elbow on a Washington counter and conversed in the jolliest way with a circle of newspaper friends.

He looked like a tramp, but he really is one of the most famous men in the world, and his name is known in every part of the globe. Of course he is an Ohio man. His name is Thomas Alva Edison, and he was once a pennant boy and news butcher on a railway in the Buckeye state.

During a little luncheon Edison, between hearty drinks of beer, his favorite beverage, told in his quiet way the story of his first acquaintance with any large sum of money.

It was in the days when he was struggling alone with his earlier inventions, and didn't have a big capitalist to back him. In fact he didn't have any bank account himself, and hardly knew what one was. Bank checks were things he

PACIFIC COAST.

A Hawaiian Princess Arrives in San Francisco.

THE OUTLOOK FOR SUGAR. A \$50,000 Fire in the Mendocino, Cal., Saw-Mill—An Opium Smuggling Barge Released on \$7000 Bonds.

The Herald's Special Dispatches. SAN FRANCISCO, May 18.—Princess Victoria, aged fourteen years, niece of King Kalakana, of the Hawaiian Islands, arrived here today on the steamer Umatilla from Honolulu.

AN OPIUM SMUGGLER RELEASED. SAN FRANCISCO, May 18.—Advices from Honolulu today state that the San Francisco brig Consuelo, recently seized by the Hawaiian authorities for having smuggled opium on board, has been released on \$7000 bonds.

MENDOCINO (Cal.), May 18.—A coal oil lamp exploded in the engineer's room of the Casper Lumber Company's saw-mill and the mill was completely destroyed. Loss, \$55,000, partially insured.

TEMPERANCE NOTES. Contributed by the W. C. T. U. More than \$6,000 worth of temperance literature has already been shipped to Paris for the W. C. T. U. exhibit at the World's Fair, which opened on the 5th of May.

Mrs. M. C. Leavitt, round the world Missionary of the N. W. C. T. U. has reached Harrisburgh, the first town in the Orange Tree State, Africa, and organized a union there Feb. 13th.

The wine for the Centennial dinner in New York is said to have cost \$16,000, and that for the ball, much more. No wonder that as reported by the New York correspondent of the Chicago Tribune, "the noise and drunkenness increased so much that about twenty minutes past one o'clock Sergeant Schmittberger entered the room at the head of some twenty policemen, and announced that the sale of wine must cease."

Read the accounts of the disgraceful scenes there witnessed, and ask yourself if the remedy for intemperance prescribed by the prophets of the Vitae pura Society, namely "free use of pure wines," has not proved an utter failure!

It has been well said, "the occasion had unrivaled opportunity to indicate wine as the promoter of true temperance. If wine could ever stimulate the higher faculties and make men nobler, it would have joined hands and kept step with art at the centennial ball. If ever wise drinking could be restrained and its effect refined, it would have been under spell of an occasion calculated to awaken and energize to controlling power the pure emotion."

Verily "wine is a mocker," and its advocates must show us a better object lesson than this, to convince us of its value as a remedy.

Dr. H. G. Tanner, who astonished the world a few years since, by surbiving his "forty days fast," thereby proving, as he says, "the medical profession in error on two important physiological questions," in a recent article makes this further statement: "I claim that one of the important lessons taught by my fast is, that conservative doctors have very greatly over estimated the value of alcohol as a food and as a medicine. They claim that alcohol is indispensable in all diseases of a wasting character. What disease can be more wasting than total abstinence from food for forty days? Yet I passed through the ordeal without the aid of this so called indispensable, proof that the assumptions of alcoholic doctors, have no solid foundations on which to rest. Had I taken intoxicants during my fast I should have failed long before the forty days had expired, I affirm positively and emphatically, that I could not have been sustained one fifth of the forty days had I indulged in intoxicating drinks, or had I previous to my experiment been in the habit of using alcohol or tobacco. From the unrelenting logic of facts that came to my observation during my fast, I am prepared to state, unequivocally, that alcohol is a "mocker" when prescribed as a restorer and sustainer of strength in weakness, as well as when used as a beverage."

Lovers of good cheese should all own Gann Bros. They have just received a lot of full cream, fresh and sweet.

Delicious dried beef at Brownell & Starke.

A new line of solid silverware, gold-headed canes, beautiful diamond rings, gold and silver watches, has just been opened by Will & Stark.

Everything has its use in this world. Even the fly that persistently refuses to be caught teaches the bald-headed man patience.

It is said "The devil seeks for a man in a passion." In that case the devil is too fresh. When a man is hopping mad he is generally able to speak for himself.

"Why do you pour that vile liquor down your throat?" asked the philanthropist of the toper. "I am seeking for-get full-ness," said the toper to the philanthropist.

Mr. Brown—Nonsense, child; there are no such things as ghosts. Miss Brown (emphatically)—I tell you, pa, I've seen one. Mr. B. (Incredulously)—Where? Miss B. (In the play of "Hamlet.")

Yabley—I saw a cute thing in the paper this morning. It said the easiest way to get ride of a bore was to lead him a quarter. Wack-wire—I'm awfully sorry, Yabby, but I haven't a cent on me.

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