

# Late General News

Los Angeles, May 21.—A week ago Mary Paine, 17 years of age, married Rolla Fullerton. The girl's father took her away from her husband. Her father instituted court proceedings to annul the marriage on the grounds that she was not of age. Fullerton instituted habeas corpus proceedings to get his bride. The father secured an injunction to prevent her husband living with his wife. This morning Judge Smith awarded the bride to her husband and they left the court room together.

Copenhagen, May 21.—The Norwegian expedition to the north pole, sailing June last, has arrived at Dalrymple. Capt. Amundsen reports that Eriksson's Greeland expedition arrived on the west coast after fearful hardships.

Denver, Colo., May 21.—Meager reports from Cache La Poudre valley in northern Colorado and southern Wyoming this morning show that water sports Friday afternoon did immense damage.

Four are known to have lost their lives, and scores are missing. At Cheyenne four bodies have been recovered from Crow creek. Edith Sproul, Archie, Charles and Henry Clayton, children.

The Cache Lapoudre river widened from fifty feet to nearly a mile, and scores of frame houses at the Russian settlement at the sugar factory were carried away. The railroads report serious washouts.

The bodies of Charles and Archie Clayton have been found. Harry Clayton, given up for dead, has been recovered. Two Fort Russel battery men are missing. An unknown woman and baby were seen floating away, and many others are missing.

A wall of water many feet high came down the valley and caught the people like rats. Heavy loss on railroad ranch property.

Denver, Colo., May 21.—Communication with Fort Collins was resumed this noon. The first reports of losses were under estimated. One man lost his life at Fort Collins.

All head gates in irrigation ditches and the Mills irrigation canals were

washed out. It is feared they cannot be repaired in time to irrigate this year's crops, making total losses of two millions.

All bridges were washed out on several miles of track of the Colorado Southern.

No word has been received from Tinianth, Livremore, Bellevue of Laporte. All were reported under three or four feet of water last night. It is believed the casualties list will be largely increased.

Washington, May 21.—At today's session of the general conference of the Methodist Protestant church, consolidation with the Methodist Episcopalians, as well as the United Brethren congregation, was urged, and a resolution was wired to the Los Angeles conference, asking consideration of the prospect.

Topeka, May 21.—A member of the boiler makers union, high in authority in the councils of the Federation of Labor believes that the boiler makers of the Santa Fe will strike within thirty days, and the engineers might follow.

Owensboro, Ky., May 21.—Rev. Norman Armour, who murdered his son by striking him with a fence rail, was arrested this morning. The jail is guarded as farmers talk of lynching. Armour is cool and willing to take the law's penalty.

The boy refused to quit work in the field when ordered by Armour and a quarrel followed.

Redding, Cal., May 21.—Frederick Clifford, a man 50 years old, appeared in the sheriff's office this morning and confessed to burning the Terry Lumber Company's yard here yesterday morning. He is now in jail.

Clifford said he set fire to attract the attention of the police to the north end of town, so he could rob the bank of Northern California, but in getting away from the fire he lost his kit of tools. They were found this morning. Clifford comes from Portland.

London, May 23.—The gravity of the Tibetan situation is causing uneasiness in the cabinets. It is believed that Colonel Young will be forced to retire from his position near Gyantse soon, which will not only be a blow to British prestige but will arouse the frontier tribes for conquest of the whole Himalayan hinterland.

Camden, N. J., May 23.—An explosion in the mixing house of the Independent Fireworks, Company in Woodlyn, this morning caused the death of two Italians and the injury of five workmen. Arms, legs and portions of flesh were scattered for yards in every direction. No sign of the building remains. Half an hour later fifty girls would have been at work.

The explosion was caused by one man dashing a scoop in a keg of chloride of potash.

Manila, May 23.—The report that bubonic plague, has gained headway beyond control is causing apprehension here. It is feared that the disease will spread throughout the Philippine archipelago. Extraordinary precautions are being taken.

Seattle, May 23.—The Government officers and local police seized two thousand pounds of contraband opium this morning. This is one of the biggest hauls ever made in Seattle. Three arrests were made Saturday and one of the men confessed to where it was hidden later. The value is eleven dollars per pound.

Manila, May 23.—News reached here today of the massacre May 12th of fifty-three Philippine men, women and children employed by the military government at Malabang, a town in the province of Gotabato, Mindano, by a band of Moros.

Rising Sun, Ind., May 23.—Myron Barbour, brother-in-law of James Gillespie, on trial for alleged murder of his twin sister, Elizabeth, and indicted as accessory before the fact, went on the stand this morning.

He gave a clear statement of his whereabouts on the night of the murder. He said he did not remember seeing Gillespie on the day of the murder and entered a general denial of all testimony offered by the state.

Bedford, Ind., May 23.—The State rests its case in the Schaefer murder trial this morning and the defense began the opening statement.

San Francisco, May 23.—The three masted schooner Fannie Adele, loading gasoline, was almost entirely destroyed by an explosion at the foot of Sixteenth street shortly before 8 o'clock this morning, blowing six men into the water. All were rescued but two were seriously burned, and were taken to the hospital in a serious condition.

A few seconds after the explosion, which were four in number, the vessel broke her moorings, and went adrift in the bay, greatly endangering shipping.

She made straight for the Golden Gate, narrowly missing a number of vessels at anchor. The vessel and \$25,000 cargo are a total loss.

In addition to her cargo of oil and gasoline, a large quantity of powder, all consigned to Cape Nome, was on board. The powder failed to explode with the gasoline, creating great apprehension as the fire hulk drifted toward the golden gate. The Adele was built at Eureka, Cal.

This afternoon the vessel was off Blossom rock and is still burning.

Shamokin, May 23.—The Sterling colliery was set afire this morning by a dynamite blast. Three hundred miners escaped before the black damp collected. A fierce conflagration is raging with all available men fighting it.

New York, May 23.—The strike of freight handlers on the New Haven railroad and sound steamers threatens to spread to all the coastwise steamers within a few days.

It is reported that the firemen and oilers on the Mallory line have demanded an increase and will strike to enforce it. Thirty thousand truck drivers also may be drawn into the struggle.

The New Haven company has engaged scores of Pinkertons to protect its property.

Madrid, May 23.—Court gossip reports an immense doubt of the engagement of Alfonso to Princess Louise, of Orleans, sister of Queen Amelia, of Portugal, and of Alfonso's sister, Maria Theresa to the crown Prince of Portugal.

## Savings Bank Goes Up

New Ark., O., May 21.—The Newark savings bank was placed in the hands of a receiver this morning on petition of its president. Liabilities \$200,000, assets two-thirds of that amount. The Homestead Building and Loan Association is involved.

## Big Check Passed

Washington, May 21.—A check for nine millions, the remainder of the ten millions to be paid for the Panama canal concession, was handed to Morgan's representative this morning.

## Illinois Candidate Dead

Springfield, May 21.—Robert B. Fort, State Senator and candidate for Lieutenant Governor in the Republican convention, died this morning in a hospital. He was taken ill during the convention.

## Royal Debauchee Dead

Brelin, May 21.—Duke Paul Frederick of Meckleburg, the reigning grand duke, was found dead this morning after a night's carousal incident to a dinner given to his corps.

## Battleship Kentucky Returns

New York, May 21.—The battleship Kentucky returned from China the station today.

## Dominion Liner Ashore

Quebec, Ont., May 23.—The Dominion liner Vancouver is ashore on Matane bank. No danger is anticipated.

## MUST HOLD HIS JOB

Rome, May 23.—At a meeting of the college of Cardinals today it was de-

ecided that the papal Secretary of State Delval must retain his post at least until the situation he created has cleared.

The Pope today granted Satelli permission to start for America Friday.

## AMBASSADOR RETURNS

Paris, May 23.—The French Ambassador to the Vatican, Nissard, arrived in Paris today.

## Range War Threatened

Cheyenne, May 23.—A range war is threatened near Hillsdale, twenty miles east of this city. The Warren Livestock Company of which Senator Warren is president, has driven several bands of sheep, aggregating 20,000, into Hillsdale country against the wishes of the small ranchers and settlers who claim that the Warren Company threatens to drive them out and take possession of the country. The flooded condition of the country has prevented a clash. The feud is of long standing.

## Bank President Sentenced

New York, N. Y., May 23.—David Rothchild, former president of the defunct Federal National bank, was convicted of grand larceny and sentenced this morning to nine years in Sing Sing.

# News of the War

## Russian Cruiser Lost

London, May 21.—The St. James Gazette today reports that the Russian cruiser Bogatyr is lost at Vladivostok, being blown up after grounding, to prevent her falling into Japanese hands.

## Report Confirmed

Tokio, May 21.—The report that the Russian cruiser Bogatyr is ashore at Vladivostok is confirmed here.

## Reconnoiter at Port Arthur

Tokio, May 21.—Vice-admiral Togo reports that Japanese gunboats and torpedo destroyers reconnoitered toward Port Arthur Friday, steaming close to the entrance of the harbor. They sustained little damage from the fire from the shore batteries, despite a hot cross fire. There were no casualties.

## Lying in Wait

St. Petersburg, May 21.—A Lio Yang dispatch states that Kurapatkin has been strongly reinforced at that place and intends to await the Japanese and engage them in battle there.

## Driving Russians Back

Tokio, May 21.—A force of Japanese which landed at Takushan on the 19th defeated the Russian navy in the neighborhood of Wang Chitung Friday. The Japanese sustained no losses while the Russian loss was increased by the capture of their captain.

Japanese have captured Kachew, twenty miles south east of New Chwang, and are driving the Russians back.

## Koreans and Russians

Seoul, May 21.—The Japanese consul at Gensan reports a collision with Russian troops at Kankow, center of northern Tong Hak. In the disturbance one Korean was killed and several Russians wounded.

## Japanese Repulsed

St. Petersburg, May 21.—It is reported today that the Japanese have been repulsed in the rear of Port Arthur. Stoessel sallied out to protect a train bringing ammunition and a skirmish with the Japanese followed. Japanese loss heavy. The train arrived safely.

## Stoessel's Sortie

Paris, May 21.—The Temps St. Petersburg correspondent states that Stoessel's sortie caused casualties of a thousand Japanese. The Russians being one hundred and fifty.

## Small Engagement

St. Petersburg, May 21.—It is reported that General Tak engaged two Japanese divisions near Kinchow today. The Russian casualties were seven officers, including General Nadeyin wounded and 1500 men killed and wounded.

St. Petersburg, May 23.—The report that the Russians blew up the Bogatyr ashore on the rocks off Vladivostok is confirmed.

Chefoo arrivals from Dalny say the entrance to Port Arthur harbor is clear and the forts on the land side are completed, battleships repaired and everything ready for the Japanese attack.

On the 20th Japanese gunboats and torpedo boats returned, when the Russians sunk a small gunboat and two torpedo boats, the Japanese fleet keeping out of sight.

Several unsuccessful attempts were made by the Japanese to land at Dalny last week.

A wreck, reported by the Japanese in the gulf as dangerous to navigation, is believed to be one of the Japanese battleships.

Civilians are leaving Dalny daily in junks, in the expectation of an attack on the town.

St. Petersburg, May 23.—There is a report current on the Bourse this afternoon that the Japanese army made a combined attack on the outer defenses at Port Arthur today and were repulsed, the Japanese, according to the report, lost fifteen thousand, the Russians three hundred.

## TRANSPORTS WRECKED

London, May 23.—The Central News' St. Petersburg correspondent reports a dispatch has been received stating that several Japanese transports were wrecked during a typhoon in the Yellow sea; also a report that typhoid has become epidemic in Kurapatkin's army.

## CRUISER INJURED

London, May 23.—The Central News has a report that a Russian

cruiser at Kronstadt has suffered additional disaster by an explosion in the bunkers, killing ten stokers and doing considerable damage to the vessel.

## JAPANESE ADVANCE CHECKED

St. Petersburg, May 23.—Advice from Mukden state that news of a Japanese disaster has just reached the Russian camp there. It is believed that the Japanese advance has been suspended.

## VLADIVOSTOK SQUADRON

St. Petersburg, May 23.—A Russian cruiser squadron from Vladivostok is reported to be north of Gensan, Korea.



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## OTHER WORLDS.

Our sole knowledge of the people on other worlds and how far the people there differ from our inhabitants, can only be guessed by comparison with animal nature on this small sphere of ours. More important to us is a knowledge of ourselves. "KNOW THYSELF" was an old Greek thought. How to take care of one's own body is not so simple as some think; the human mechanism is a wonderful thing and requires watching.

One man who has done more to teach the American people how to care for their bodies than almost any other, is Dr. E. V. Pierce, of Buffalo, N. Y., the Author of the "Common Sense Medical Adviser." He says: It is not the quantity of the food eaten which produces strength and health (for some people can keep strong on a very meagre diet), but it is how much food is absorbed and assimilated by the blood and carried to nourish every organ of the body. It is, therefore, vitally necessary for the body that the stomach be in a healthy state. If disease of the stomach, or what is called "stomach trouble," prevents proper nutrition then the heart, liver, lungs, and kidneys do not get proper food—they are not fed on rich red blood, and in consequence, begin to show signs of distress. Outwardly these signs may be pimples and eruptions on skin, pale face, sleepless nights, tired, languid feelings, or, by reason of the nerves not being fed on pure blood, they become starved, and we receive a "nerve" in the pain we call neuralgia. Rheumatism, too, is a blood disease. After years of practice and study Dr. Pierce found that an Alterative Extract, which he named "Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery," made from the extracts of several plants, invariably produced a tonic effect upon the system. It helped the process of absorption of the healthy elements in the food and increased the red corpuscles of the blood, as well as eliminated the poisons from the system.

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