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Thousands of People in South Dakota Famishing.

A FRANTIC FATHER'S AWFUL DEED

He Forces His Dying Family into Cannibalism—The People in Need of Food, Clothing and Fuel.

DEVIL'S LAKE, N. D., Oct. 30.—

The extent of the distress prevailing among the farmers of Ramsey, Nelson and Walsh counties in this state and Miner, Lake, Sanborn and Beadle counties in South Dakota is simply appalling. Twenty thousand people are now reduced to the last stage of destitution, and unless relief comes quickly measures will have to be taken to prevent the starving multitude from devouring one another to satisfy the pangs of their hunger.

Not only do these people lack even the commonest necessities of life, but in the localities in which they live food cannot be obtained at any price, and even if it were purchasable there is no money among the army of distressed settlers wherewith to buy it. Many of these settlers are pioneers from the thickly settled districts of Minnesota and the Eastern states—men and women who would scorn to seek relief unless compelled by the direst necessity.

The keenness of their distress will be appreciated from the fact that hundreds of them are almost as naked as savages, suitable clothing being an unheard of luxury.

A TERRIBLE NARRATIVE.

Reports horrible in their details, have reached here from along the borders of Devil's Lake reservation as to how the starving settlers there try to sustain life. On Saturday the twelve-year-old son of Eric Lundgren, a Scandinavian, living near Kildahl, fell from the roof of a shed and sustained injuries which resulted in his death Sunday afternoon. Mrs. Lundgren and three other children were suffering from scarlet fever, were in bed unable to move and had not tasted food for two days. The father in his desperation severed an artery in his son's arm as the latter drew his last breath, and, squeezing the blood from the wound, gave it to his famishing household as nourishment.

Archie Grant, a thrifty Scotchman, who came to North Dakota from Erie, Pa., three years ago and located at Tracy, inaugurated a wolf hunt Sunday, as the only means of staying off what seemed to be certain death by starvation. Two hundred people led by Grant succeeded in killing one gaunt wolf. Without the formality of dressing the game, it was cast into a kettle used for boiling potatoes, and was converted into soup. This was doled out to the hunters in sparing quantities, there being barely enough to go around.

NOT A DOMESTIC ANIMAL ALIVE.

Such is the strait to which these farmers are reduced.

So far as known there is not a single living domestic animal or fowl outside of the small villages in either of these vast counties. Cattle that did not die of starvation were long since killed for food. Now the people are depending upon aid from the outside to enable them to survive the winter. There is no timber for fuel within a hundred miles except upon the Devil's Lake Reservation, and this is not available, as the military authorities refuse to allow the settlers to cut a stick.

Runners who came in to-night from the reservation state that unless food and clothing are furnished the people at once hundreds will die within the week of hunger and exposure.

Killed With An A. S.

MENDOCINO, Cal., Oct. 23.—Two woodsmen—John Clements, alias Log John, a tall, muscular Irishman, and Andrew Dacosta, a Portuguese of medium build—working in the woods about two miles above here, had a desperate fight this morning just after having breakfast. Clements had been drinking heavily last night and was quarrelsome. He quarreled in the cabin and then went out exclaiming, "I will fix him."

Securing an axe he returned and struck Dacosta on the breast, making a deep gash. Dacosta, dangerously wounded and bleeding, succeeded in getting possession of the axe and

then struck Clements in the face, killing him instantly. Dacosta will probably die.

THE LAW DEFIED.

Double Murder a Sequel to the Notorious Hatfield-McCoy Feud.

WHEELING, W. Va., Oct. 30.—Lincoln county, or at least that part of it around the county seat, is now in a ferment of excitement concerning the fearful tragedies enacted within the borders of the county on Thursday night of last week. There is quite a degree of interest manifested to get accurate details of the double killing at Green Shoals on the above night. Intelligence from that station is meager, but enough is known to satisfy the most credulous that Green, McCoy and Mill Haley were riddled with bullets on the night in question by an organized force numbering sixty determined men.

The latest report direct, and from a reliable man who was detained there several days, is to the effect that McCoy and Haley implicated other prominent parties in the Brumfield tragedy, alleging that they (McCoy and Haley) were hired to kill Al Brumfield, his wife and Paris Brumfield, and that they received \$500, or were to when the job was completed.

The attempt on "Little Al" and his wife is well known, and that the programme was not fully carried out was because the Brumfields were too hot on the track of the assassins. The report further says that the result of these disclosures has brought about open hostilities, and that the entire district is arrayed either on one side or the other.

Afraid of Premature Burial.

LOS ANGELES, Oct. 30.—When David L. Stern, a painter of this place, was on the eve of starting for his fatherland in April last, he told a number of his friends that he felt sure he would never come back, for he believed that he would die through foul play. Part of his prophecy came true, for he died in Germany a short time ago. His will was filed here to-day and contains some provisions which are peculiar. He seemed to fear being buried alive and his will provides accordingly that on his apparent death his remains shall be exposed for three days and then laid on ice for fifteen days more, and then, if the indications are that life is really extinct, the body should, if in the vicinity of a crematory, be burnt to ashes, and if it could not be cremated further precautions should be taken that he should not be buried alive. Stern's estate is valued at \$200,000, the bulk of which, after a number of small legacies, is left to a sister and her five children, who live in Germany. The will also states that no woman has any claim of any kind on the estate.

The New Cruisers.

WASHINGTON, Oct. 30.—Secretary Tracy this afternoon awarded the contract for building two of the 2000-ton cruisers to the Columbia Iron Works of Baltimore for the sum of \$1,225,000. The contract for the third one will be awarded either to Harrison Loring of Boston or N. F. Palmer & Co. of New York, each of which bid \$674,000.

Lynching Feared.

GUTHRIE, Ind. T., Oct. 30.—In a quarrel in a house of ill-fame to-night Charles Taylor, a butcher, shot and killed Sergeant T. C. Baron of Company D, Thirteenth Regiment of Infantry. The excitement among the soldiers is great. Parties of them are searching for Taylor, and if caught he may be lynched.

The Concrete Bridge Again.

JOHNSTOWN, Oct. 30.—Beyond the washing away of the pieces of the Cambria Iron Company's railroad bridge, the damage has not yet been serious. The public bridge across the Conemaugh is in a very bad condition, and it is feared it will go if the river continues to rise. Wood-ville is considerably flooded, but no serious damage is yet reported. It has been raining steadily all day.

W. H. Hosmer has contracted to kill the rats in the White House at \$10 per day. He began his work last week with a small rat terrier and three ferrets. He began in the garret, it being his purpose to drive the rats down in the cellar of the mansion, where they can be more easily dispatched.

President Harrison last week appointed Edward O. Leech, of the District of Columbia, to be Director of the Mint in place of Dr. J. P. Kimball, resigned.