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THE WORLD AT LARGE.

Summary of the Daily News.

WASHINGTON NOTES.

The President and Secretary Windom were in conference on the 3d and decided that there were no funds in the treasury which could be used to aid the Johnston sufferers.

JUSTICE GRAY, of the United States Supreme Court and Miss Jeannette Matthews, daughter of the late Justice Matthews, were married at Washington on the 4th.

The President has made the following appointments: Charles F. Fox, of South Carolina, to be United States Attorney for the Western district of North Carolina; H. C. Niles, of Mississippi, to be United States Attorney for the Northern district of Mississippi; John V. Moran, of Louisiana, to be United States Marshal of the Western district of Louisiana.

ACTING LAND COMMISSIONER STONE proposes to abolish the board of review and the contest division in the General Land-office as soon as possible.

The Solicitor of the treasury has decided that under the Alien Contract Labor law foreign professors can not be permitted to take positions in American institutions.

JOHN A. REVEZ has been appointed special inspector of customs at the port of Chicago.

The President has appointed Emma Clayton, daughter of Colonel Clayton, postmaster in Arkansas at winter, postmistress at Pine Bluff, Ark.

The President is reported as saying that while he was opposed to an extra session he thought the sentiment of the party leaders was strongly in its favor that he might find it advisable to call that session and call a session in October.

The resignation of John H. Oberly, Commissioner of Indian Affairs, will take effect July 1.

COLONEL J. C. KELTON has been appointed by the army to succeed General Drum, retired. He was born in Pennsylvania in 1828 and is a graduate of West Point.

JAMES H. STONE, editor of the Detroit Tribune, was appointed internal revenue collector of the First district of Michigan. He was removed from the place by President Cleveland.

THE EAST. The official of the Cambria iron works have posted a notice to the effect that their works would be rebuilt at once.

DOBERTY & WADSWORTH'S silk mills at Paterson, N. J., were destroyed by fire the other night.

The murder of Williamsport, Pa., has lapsed an appeal for help. Hundreds have been rendered destitute by the recent flood.

It is understood that the New York Stock Exchange has leased both the Gold and Stock and Commercial Companies' wires and instruments for its own use.

At the meeting of the National Brewers' Association at Niagara Falls a resolution to contribute \$10,000 to the Johnston sufferers was passed unanimously.

D. H. GODDALL, Republican, has been elected Governor of New Hampshire by the joint assembly, no candidate having received a majority in the popular election.

A MESSENGER from Phillipsburg, Center County, Pa., brought news to Philadelphia on the 5th that the flood had inflicted terrible destruction, 300 lives being lost.

The New York Sun says that A. Swan Brown, a merchant well known in the dry goods trade, was killed in the flood at Johnston.

A YOUNG lad named Eddie Fisher, whose mother and five brothers and sisters had lost their lives in the flood at Johnston committed suicide while in a fit of despondency by hurling himself from the top of a building.

The Cambria iron works, the second largest in the United States, were supposed to be injured to the extent of \$3,000,000, but a careful examination demonstrated the real extent will not exceed \$300,000.

At the meeting of the American Home Missionary Society at Saratoga, N. Y., it was decided to admit the Southern white churches to fellowship. The \$63,000 appropriation was restored.

SIXTY thousand assistants and others have resumed work in the Clark "O. N. T." mills at Kearney, N. J., and the two months' strike is at an end.

The Commercial-Advertiser says a deal is being arranged between the County Democrats and the Republicans with a view of increasing the strength of the Republicans in the Legislature and ousting Tammany from the control of New York.

A MOST disheartening feature at Johnston was the registration of the survivors of the disastrous flood. On the 6th only some 18,000 persons had registered out of a total population of the valley numbering 45,000.

E. J. HAGAN, the aeronaut of Jackson, Mich., had a narrow escape from death at Auburn, N. Y., recently owing to his parachute falling to work. He fell 2,500 feet when the parachute partially opened and somewhat broke the fall. He was badly injured.

The Governor of Connecticut has vetoed the bill providing for a secret ballot.

An earthquake shock was felt at New Bedford, Mass., on the 7th, but no damage was done.

It transpires that the skiff that was missed from Chicago about the time of the disappearance of the murdered Dr. Cronin was picked up by the tug West and towed into Racine, Wis., three days after the occurrence.

The first council of the Sioux Indians of Dakota was held at the Rosebud agency on the 2d. Ex-Governor Foster spoke on behalf of the commission.

A PRIVATE cablegram reported that a hurricane at Hong Kong has caused a loss of 10,000 lives and great damage to property.

JUDGE SULLIVAN, of the Superior Court, San Francisco, has rendered a decision settling July 15 as the date for hearing of the case of the late Justice Matthews.

The first election by ballot at Guhris, I. T., occurred on the 4th. D. B. Dyer was elected mayor over A. V. Alexander by the 499 majority.

THE San Francisco Chronicle says that Tascotti, the murderer of Millionaire Sueli, at Chicago, is now in China.

THE wife of General Lew Wallace was said to be the youngest daughter as had been reported.

THERE was much fear at Council Bluffs for several days last Congressman Reed, of Iowa, had been due in the Johnston disaster, as he was due to leave Washington early the next day.

SECTION FOREMAN SMITH was killed and two of his hands fatally injured near Albuquerque, N. M., recently by being struck by a work train.

D. GAMBEL, of Knoxville, has been elected grand master of the Iowa Masons.

BURRELL, the operator at Silver City, eighteen miles from Helena, Mont., was killed, and F. C. Frost, the Montana Central agent, probably fatally wounded by robbers the other night.

WINNERS at the St. Louis races on the 5th were St. Leger, Hindoofer, Terra Cotta, Kona, Stoner and Montgomery.

THE gold medal prize in the Italian class of the Chicago Musical Convention has been awarded to Mrs. Nina Van Zandt, widow of the Anarchist August Spies.

AT the Iowa State convention of the Progressive League, Hon. John A. Farren, in a speech, said that when the Cronin murder had been sifted to the bottom it would be found that it was done by an Irishman paid by English gold.

THE St. James Hotel at Stevens Point, Wis., was destroyed by fire, involving the loss of three of the employees—two girls and the clerk.

AN Indian runner has arrived at Fort Pierre, Dak., direct from Rosebud agency with word that the Indians at the agency were about to sign the treaty, and that the commission would get them all.

QUITE a number of relics of the Johnston disaster have been found near Portsmouth, O.

A SOUVENIR negro horse-hothead named Wiley was carried recently thirty miles west of Paul's Valley in the Chickasaw Nation. In attempting his capture Deputy Marshal Williams was killed. Walker was immediately shot dead by the other marshals.

THE International Indian Council at Purecell, I. T., adjourned on the 6th after a four days' session. Considerable indifference was manifested, the convention being entirely ignored by the Seminoles, Choctaws and Chickasaws.

THE cowboys of the Indians from British Columbia are reported to be on their way to the Crow reservations in Montana on a horse stealing expedition. A company of cavalry has started after them.

THE fire at Seattle, Wash. T., on the 6th was caused by a short circuit of electricity, rather than as first reported. The place was said to be nothing but a smoking ruin and the damage was estimated at \$1,300,000.

FOREST fires are raging again to the north of Duluth, Minn., all through the Vermilion iron range, and great loss is expected. The train from Ely was stopped by fires several times, once by a huge log coming free that had fallen across the track.

GENERAL CASEY, chief of engineers, has sent to Lieutenant Carter, in charge of the river and harbor improvements at Savannah, Charleston and Jacksonville, a Washington newspaper article in which an attempt is made to charge Carter with negligence as a result of corrupt combination between Lieutenant Carter and the contractors. The latter will be called upon to explain.

A DISPATCH from Little Rock, Ark., says Deputy United States Marshal Faulkenburg has arrived here from Pike County having in charge H. Faulkner and J. M. Horton, two of the most noted moonshiners in the State and leaders of a notorious gang of desperadoes. A number of unsuccessful efforts have been made and many lives lost in the attempt to capture this gang. The still house was found in first class order with a capacity of 120 gallons per day. Nearly 2,000 gallons of whisky and a quantity of whisky were also captured.

THE damage about Harrisburg, Pa., by the floods was estimated to be over \$400,000.

A SPECIAL from Paris, Tex., says a cyclone was struck recently thirty miles from the town of Lamar, causing great damage to crops, leveling fences, overturning houses and burning a number of people.

FIRE in Biloxi, Miss., the other night destroyed twenty-five stores, causing a total loss of \$75,000, on which the insurance was only \$15,000.

AN earthquake was felt in Tennessee on the evening of the 5th.

SIXTY buildings, mostly the houses of colored people, burned at Jacksonville, Fla., on the morning of the 6th. Loss, \$200,000; insurance lost.

In the graduating class of the Annapolis Naval Academy Robert Hocker, of Minnesota, was first; Creighton Churchill, of Missouri, nineteenth; Herbert L. Draper, of Kansas, twenty-seventh; Samuel P. Edmunds, of Missouri, thirtieth; and James G. Ballinger, of Kansas, thirty-third.

A STORM swept through Arkansas City, on the night of the 5th. Kate Walton, aged fifteen, and her sister aged seven, were killed and their mother and another one of the family seriously injured.

MARGARET CARROLL, aged twenty-two, and Marie Thomas, aged thirty-one, and Maggie Thomas, aged two years, were drowned in the Monongahela river, Pittsburgh, Pa., on the 9th. The party, in company with two men, who were intoxicated, were crossing the river in a skiff, which was upset.

THERE are fears that the British steamship, Danish Prince, Captain Potts, which sailed from Swansea May 28 for Montreal has foundered. The coast guards at Skibberene, Ireland, have picked up the log books of the steamer, the latest entry of which was made in May.

INSTRUCTIONS have been sent to Halifax to release the captured schooner, Mattie Winslip, upon Consul Phelan giving security for her release.

A CORONER'S inquest on Liverpool into the death of Mr. Maybrick, who is supposed to have been poisoned by his wife, Dr. Hopper stated that Mrs. Maybrick had expressed to him her repugnance towards her husband and wished that she could obtain a separation from him.

NAVIGATION in Chesapeake bay was reported badly obstructed by the immense quantity of logs and lumber and other drift material through which vessels can pass only after great delay and with extreme care.

THE Municipal Council of Paris, France, has donated \$500,000 francs to the Johnston sufferers.

THE Municipal Council of Dublin has adopted resolutions of sympathy for the Johnston flood sufferers.

DONOVAN won the English Derby. Miguel was second and Eldorado third.

HON. HAMILTON GRAY, Supreme Justice of British Columbia, is dead.

CONSIDERABLE money has been raised in England for the relief of the Johnston sufferers.

THERE was a severe storm in the Gulf of St. Lawrence on the night of the 4th. Several schooners and one steamer at least were ashore.

MISSIONARY letters say that the Mahdists have made Western Abyssinia a desert. Thousands of Christians have been thrown into slavery and thousands of others have been butchered.

THE Rock Island annual report shows a deficit of \$74,334.23.

CARL SPEER, from London says: "Great consternation was caused in the West Coast region by the news of the Johnston disaster as quite a colony of Cornish people had settled around Johnston. One man whose sister and six children lived there and who had himself only recently returned from the States died upon suddenly hearing of the catastrophe."

THE National white lead trust has succeeded in purchasing the plant of the Collier and the Southern White Lead companies for \$4,000,000.

THE dock laborers at many ports in Great Britain have joined the strike of the steamship men the other day.

DISASTROUS floods are reported from different parts of Bavaria with considerable destruction of property. The crops are ruined in many sections.

THE cotton mills in Offenburg, Baden, were destroyed by fire the other day, involving a loss of \$3,000,000. Several workmen were killed.

THE switchmen, brakemen and firemen have formed a federation under the name of United Order of Railway Employees.

THE Kurds still continue unchecked their horrible barbarities in Armenia. Almost daily reports come of the roasting and outraging of victims.

THE official text of the terms agreed upon by the Samoan conference have been announced at Berlin. The island is to have a republican form of government. Malietoa is to be recognized as King, subject to an election by the people, and the United States is ceded the right to establish a port at Pago Pago.

NEWS from Samoa to May 28 reported every thing quiet on the island.

ENGINEER BOUCEK, of the British warship Calliope, the only ship which escaped from Apia during the terrible March storm, has been promoted to be fleet engineer by the British as a reward.

BUSINESS failures (Dan's report) for the seven days ended June 6 numbered 225, compared with 215 the previous week and 235 the corresponding week of last year.

GERMANY threatens to restrict frontier intercourse with Switzerland unless the official concerned in the affair of the German police inspector, Wolgenmuth, are approved.

AUSTRALIA is taking steps to take its mails from the United States railroads and send them by the Canadian Pacific.

A DISPATCH from Morocco says that the Sultan has ordered the execution of the rebel leader, Abd el-Kader, who has been captured and killed several members of his escort. This outrage has increased the Sultan of Morocco, and he is raising an army to crush the rebels.

QUITE a violent shock of earthquake occurred in Northern France on the 7th. Much damage was done but no lives were lost.

CLEARING house returns for the week ended June 8 showed an average increase of 281 compared with the corresponding week of last year. In New York the increase was 465.

IT is reported in St. Petersburg that during the Shah's visit there a secret treaty was made between Russia and Persia for the temporary annexation of Northern Persia to Russia in certain cases.

THE status of Bruno was unavailing in Rome on the 9th with imposing ceremonies. Deputy Bovio eulogized the memory of the martyr.

LEONARD SWETT, the well-known Chicago lawyer, died suddenly on the afternoon of the 8th.

THE eight-hour committee of the Trade and Labor Assembly of Chicago has decided to make the short work demonstration on the Fourth of July.

A BETTER SHOWING.

Registration Reduces the Number of Johnston Victims.

Gov. Beaver Objects to the Relief Funds Being Used Up in State Work—Thirty People Lending Up With Provisions.

JOHNSTOWN, Pa., June 10.—The work of registering the survivors of the flood is going steadily on. Up to last evening there were about 21,000 registered and the list is still increasing.

THE loss of life has been so great that forty bodies found in one day, even if it were the tenth, was considered a light showing.

THE remains that are now being removed are far advanced in decomposition and physicians in charge are advocating their cremation as fast as found, as it is impossible to handle them safely.

THE bodies of the men recovered yesterday many were identified but not claimed. Forty of them were buried immediately and the undertakers say that all bodies will be hereafter buried as soon as found.

AMONG those recovered were Charles Kimple, undertaker of this city. He had a wallet in his pocket containing \$3.00. The body of another undertaker, John Henderson, of Henderson & Alexander, was also recovered.

THE body of Silas Schick, one of the best coal miners in the county, was found in the ruins of the Hurbit House. He was in the employ of the Reading Store Company.

RELIEF MATTERS. JOHNSTOWN, Pa., June 10.—Governor Beaver, Capt. Schoonover, William McCree, S. S. Marvin, H. J. Gourley, W. R. Ford, J. H. Scott, Thomas M. King, Mr. McCoy, Captain W. R. Jones, Adjutant-General Hastings, Rouben Miller and Sheriff McCandless held a consultation yesterday afternoon at the State house.

THE Governor said all the necessary money could be raised. There were 200 men who would be responsible for \$5,000,000. He would give his bond to the State Treasury for \$1,000,000 with 200 men as bondsmen and the State Treasurer would then pay out the \$1,000,000 for the necessary work.

THE Governor said the money withdrawn from the treasury could be appropriated to the relief of the sufferers and the money from the State Treasurer be used for restoring the vicinity to its condition before the flood.

ALL debts already contracted for the relief of the sufferers, if already paid, but all money paid out for this purpose from the relief fund should be refunded, so that every cent subscribed for relief of the stricken people should be used for that purpose alone.

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THE BURNING OF SEATTLE.

The Loss Said to Foot Up to \$50,000,000—Description of the Fire.

SEATTLE, W. T., June 8.—The loss by the terrible conflagration will sum up \$50,000,000, of which \$10,000,000 is in buildings, and \$40,000,000 in stock. It is as yet impossible to work in the smoldering ruins, and engines from Portland and Tacoma have been working all day, pouring streams of water on the burning mass.

The ruin wrought is beyond all description. The city is practically in ruins and there is every reason to believe that several persons were killed by falling walls. The wharves are still burning and vessels that put out to sea to escape destruction are still unable to make a landing in the heart of the city.

Miles upon miles of wharves has been destroyed. The city bank hotel and place of amusement, all the leading business houses, all the newspaper offices, the railroad depots and miles of steamboat wharves, coal bunkers and freight warehouses, and the telegraph offices were destroyed.

The fire started in the basement of a two-story frame building on the southwest corner of Front and Madison streets. The building was soon ablaze.

The volunteer fire department found it impossible to make headway against the flames. This building was at the corner of a row of frame buildings of various heights. Adjoining it was a wholesale liquor store, and as soon as the fire reached the barrels of liquor they exploded with terrific force, scattering flaming timbers far and wide.

The Denny block was soon licked up. This cleared out the entire square. The efforts to flood the Coleman building on Front street to the west were utterly without effect.

The flames leaped from Front street and less than thirty minutes another square was burned.

While this square was burning the Opera House block, on the east side of Front street between Madison and Marion streets, caught fire. The block, owned by George F. Frye and valued at \$120,000, it burned with several other buildings, clearing up another square.

The Kenyon block, to the north of where the opera house stood, was the first to be destroyed. The block, consisting of a number of two-story frame buildings occupied by business concerns.

The fire department tried to save the most valuable part of Front street, the block between Columbia street and Yeller, which contained a magnificent row of brick buildings, two and three stories high, including the Bank of Commerce and the First National Washington and Savings banks, Tokas-Singerma & Co.'s big wholesale dry goods emporium, the Union block, the Parin building, the San Francisco clothing house, the Star block, the Arcade building and the Vester block in Central square.

THE OCCIDENTAL Hotel was an easy prey to the flames. The hotel, already injured by the falling walls of the Tolson-Singerma dry goods block. There is great destruction here, and food and clothing is arriving from neighboring towns.

ANOTHER KANSAS TRAGEDY. Particulars of the Wife Murder and Suicide on the Harbort House—Result of a Family Quarrel.

PITTSBURGH, Kan., June 8.—The Harbort farm, six miles northeast of this city, where the horrible wife murder and suicide occurred early Wednesday morning, consists of 240 acres under a high state of cultivation, the grain fields clear of weeds, the fences in good repair, and all the other surroundings those of a frugal farmer.

THE front room, with the exception of a cheap bed, a small heating stove and a child's crib, was destitute of furniture.

ON the bed, which was the property of the murdered wife and mother of the child, were found the nightgown and night clothes. The right arm lay on the outside of the bedclothing, the head thrown slightly to the left showing the white teeth encircled by a livid streak.

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