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BOSTON, 14.—Capt. John M. Cushing, of Bath, Me., states that the deck hands and petty officers of the *Narragansett* went off in the first boat, disregarding the claims of women and children. He also states that three other boats were manned by strangers and that the Captain was not seen after he shouted to the *Stonington* immediately after the crash to "back up alongside." Some of the bodies at Niantic have been partly identified. One is E. J. Horton, of Attleboro, Mass., one woman is supposed to be Mrs. William Stevens, of Hoboken, N. J., and another Mrs. J. K. Little. The officers claim that signals were made and answered according to regulations. L. K. Smith, of Louisville, Ky., is among the saved. Some of the rescued have severe wounds. Herman Zeydel, while in the water, received a pocket book from a drowning man with instructions to give it to the police authorities should he survive. It contains some money and his will.

PROVIDENCE, R. I., 14.—Alfred A. Reed, whose body is reported recovered from the *Narragansett*, was not on the boat. He is alive and well. Mrs. E. Rounds and child, reported lost, are safe. James Thompson, whose pocketbook and will were brought to this city by a man who received it from him while drowning, arrived to-day and claimed his property.

NEW YORK, 14.—Inquiry was made at the *Stonington* line office to-day for Charles Wilson, of 98 Clinton street, this city. He left Friday night for Boston and has not since been heard from.

WASHINGTON, 14.—Consul General Farman announces by cable dispatch to the State department from Alexandria, that Commander Gorringer sailed at 2 o'clock to-day in the steamer *Dessouk*, having on board the obelisk. There was a great crowd to see the steamer off. Salutes were fired and the American and Egyptian flags were displayed together.

The Census Bureau has information that one of the Astors at New York has declined to answer questions put by the census enumerator as to the ages of female members of his family, and that the Census Supervisor has ordered the bringing of suit for the penalty prescribed by the acts.

CHICAGO, 14.—Some excitement exists among Congressmen at a report that the President contemplates refusing to sign the river and harbor bill, but the panic is probably unfounded.

The heat for the past three days has been very severe, the thermometer at noon indicating 90 in the shade or a trifle over. It is much cooler to-night, but several cases of sunstroke are reported, of which three have proved fatal. A few cases are now under treatment in the hospital.

CHICAGO, 14.—Denis Kearney, who has been confined to his room by sickness since the adjournment of the Greenback convention starts for Boston to-morrow via New York, accompanied by his brother. They go thence to Cincinnati, remaining there during the Democratic Convention, after which they return home.

A special from Eau Claire, Wis., says: Sixty million feet of logs have gone down the broken portion of the dam, besides many houses, barns, etc. The river rose 21 feet, reaching the highest point ever known. It began to subside at 8 p.m. yesterday. There are 150,000,000 feet at the big eddy at the Dells dam, which seems likely to break any moment. The loss in the Chippewa valley will probably reach half a million dollars, and if the immense jam moves and allows the 250,000,000 feet of logs to pass out it may amount to a million dollars. Many houses in the lower parts of the city are flooded and the greatest excitement is among the inhabitants.

NEW YORK, 14.—Mr. J. Wigert, of Kentucky, owner of Hindoo, received a dispatch this afternoon from August Belmont, of New York, offering him \$15,000 for his colt, but after the race he raised the price of Hindoo to \$20,000, and said he would run him at Chicago, and if he could not obtain that amount for him he would take him back home.

The *Tribune's* cable says: The new French minister to London is regarded with disfavor.

An effort will be made next month to settle the amnesty fusion in

France by pardoning exiled Communists.

The *Times* Washington says: The President is represented as feeling dissatisfied with the commissioner, not because of his individual preference for any particular candidate, but because he openly disregarded the civil service order after his attention had been specially directed to it, and because he violated the personal order of the President in this matter. It is further reported that the President has virtually decided to suspend the commissioner soon after the adjournment of Congress.

The *Sun's* Washington special says: Sherman will not be satisfied with the decapitation of Raum but that several collectors and other officers will have to go.

The *Sun* says: There is an absurd story of a republican conspiracy in the electoral count bill, whereof the following are the chief features: First, to prepare, in the event of the election of a democrat, a contesting list of electoral votes from the States which have been carried by small majorities by the democratic candidates; second, to insist upon the power of Wheeler, Vice-President, to open the count and declare the result of the votes; third, to insist that Wheeler, acting in a ministerial capacity, but for the occasion vested with judicial powers beyond right of appeal or review, shall declare the result as may seem good for him to do; fourth to maintain that Senators representing the States and the members representing the people of the States, shall submit to the decree of Wheeler; fifth, in the event of both houses failing to concede this arbitrary power to the Vice-President, the minority will attempt by revolutionary means to inaugurate Garfield.

The *Herald's* Washington special says: It interviewed Sherman, who said, he knew nothing of the reported removals. If removals were made the President would make them. He refused to speak further.

W. C. Staines, the Mormon immigration agent, who has recently arrived from Salt Lake City, told a *World* reporter yesterday, that notwithstanding Etart's anti-Mormon circular of last year, the movement towards this country of European Mormon proselytes is more active than ever. "I expect," said he "that the arrivals this season will be larger than for many years past. Our church authorities sent abroad, early this season, forty additional missionaries, who will not return for two years. We have now in England, Scandinavia, Germany, Switzerland and Holland about one hundred propagandists of our faith who have left Utah for the sole purpose of making converts in Europe, they are assisted by several hundred local elders, who are commissioned as such in every community where Mormon interest gains the slightest foothold. Very few of the new comers are settling in Utah. It's best farming lands are all taken up and are held at higher prices than the immigrants can pay. Agents are therefore sent from Salt Lake City into Arizona, Colorado and Montana, who select land for the incomers. At Salt Lake they are formed into new parties and taken to their future homes. Contributions to the immigrant fund, aggregating large sums, are turned into the general treasury in Salt Lake City and transmitted by telegraph to Staines upon the arrival of the company here, to be disbursed as the necessities require. He has paid the Union Pacific Railroad Company \$10,000 in one check for the transportation of one large party with their effects.

DENVER, 14.—The Leadville situation remains unchanged excepting that the governor, in response to a telegram signed by 100 Leadville citizens of both political parties, sent a telegram declaring martial law, with Major-General D. J. Cook in command. The excitement is still intense and strong. Fears of violence are still entertained.

SAN FRANCISCO, 14.—A Portland dispatch says: Several fishermen were reported drowned yesterday on the Columbia River bar. It is believed seven are surely lost, their boats having been picked up and the occupants not reported, and it is believed a number of others have perished. The bar has been very rough for several days.

A Tucson dispatch says: Marquez was completely beaten a few days ago at Ures by the federal troops and arrived Saturday afternoon at Tucson. He refuses to be interviewed in regard to his late expedition.

BRADFORD, Pa., 14.—At 3 o'clock, a 5,000 barrel tank at Titusville, belonging to the Acme works, exploded with terrible force, endangering the lower part of the city. The wind has changed unfavorably. Three other tanks of huge proportions are in danger of taking fire. The firemen have been on duty 36 hours and are so thoroughly fatigued they have left the grounds, and citizens have taken their places.

To-night, the town is again in almost as great peril as at any time since the commencement of the fire. The night is lighted up with the brilliancy of day by the blazing tanks. Great excitement prevails. The heat is so intense and the smoke so dense that men cannot go into the burned sections.

GALVESTON, 14.—The *News* special from Fort Davis says: Lieut. Mills arrived yesterday from Ysleta with a detachment of Pueblo scouts. He reports having discovered a fresh Indian trail, which he followed until night and then camped on the Vijoh Pass. At daylight, on the 11th, the camp was attacked by the hostiles and Simoon the old Pueblo guide was killed. The Indians were flanked and routed. Lieut. Reid, with a detachment of troops, is now following up the trail.

BOSTON, 14.—The American schooner *Eunice P. Newcomb*, arrived to-day from Port Irtonio, and reports that on May 30th, when 12 miles off the Cuban coast she was fired upon by a Spanish frigate, which fired two shots. The schooner hoisted the American flag and hove to, when an officer boarded her and searched for arms.

SAN FRANCISCO, 14.—The committee on transportation of the Knights Templar, of the Pacific Coast, adopted resolutions to go to a tri-annual encampment of the order at Chicago, in August next—to number about 500—via Chicago, Burlington & Quincy Railroad.

PETERSBURG, 14.—A cyclone leveled crops, trees, fences, barns and telegraph wires over a large portion of this section to-day, and unroofed several dwelling houses and factories.

JERSEY CITY, N. Y., 15.—A train on the Pennsylvania road ran from Philadelphia to this place, 90 miles, in 93 minutes, stopping four times and slowing up twice to cross bridges.

A London dispatch says: The following are the total scores in the Edinburgh international rifle match—England, 1,733; Scotland, 1,700; Ireland, 1,591.

CHICAGO, 15.—The *Inter-Ocean's* Washington special says: The first instalment of politicians left for Cincinnati last night. To-morrow night, if it is reasonably certain that Congress will adjourn the following day, there will be a stampede of statesmen. The Field boomers, from appearances, are supplied from a large barrel, as quite a number of strikers are going to Cincinnati in special cars and with their expenses paid. They are very confident and fear but one man, Seymour. Senator Kernan, who went to get the latter's definite reply regarding the use of his name, is expected back in the morning, as he made the trip at the solicitation of many democrats who are for Seymour. If the latter will accept, much depends upon the word Senator Kernan brings.

The *Inter-Ocean's* Washington special says: The best information is that Seymour will most emphatically refuse the use of his name on account of his health. Your correspondent has carefully compared the estimates and submits the following possible result of the first ballot at Cincinnati: Tilden 200, Field 150, Bayard 150, Thurman 75, Hancock 70, Morrison 18.

The statement was positively made last night that Tilden will not be a candidate.

WASHINGTON, 15.—General E. D. Townsend, Adjutant-General of the army, will be placed on the retired list to-morrow. He will be succeeded by General Richard C. Drum, at present Adjutant-General.

The Senate has confirmed James Longstreet, of Georgia, minister resident at Said, Turkey, without discussion, and by a very decisive vote of 39 against 3.

A second committee of conference on the sundry civil bill last evening, substantially effected an agreement.

The conference committee on the general deficiency bill reached an agreement this afternoon.

J. E. Ellicott, C. H. Maddox, W. W. Foote, Wm. P. Frost and R. D. Stejens, all delegates to Cincinnati, arrived here last night. Delegates Carr and Metcalf registered on Saturday. Governor Johnson, Senator Givens and E. J. Coleman,

Harry Thornton and Judge Cope also put in an appearance in Washington, yesterday; all of them have been busily engaged to-day in scanning the political horizon with the aid of Washington friends and acquaintances, in and out of Congress, but the delegation have not yet held a meeting for an exchange of views or a decision as to how the unit vote of the States shall be cast. They all say their desire and purpose is to try to find out who will be the best and strongest man to nominate and then to vote for the nomination. The majority of the delegates appear to be in favor of Judge Field's candidacy, provided he shall display sufficient eastern strength at Cincinnati to make his nomination a fair possibility. Gen. Johnson and Senator Given emphatically prefer Judge Field to any other candidate now talked of, and are giving him their earnest support. The chances of Senator Thurman, like those of all other Ohio candidates since Garfield was nominated, have dwindled to such a small dimension in the general opinion of Washington politicians that his friends in the California delegation since their arrival here have apparently given up all hope of being able to do anything for him unless it be to favor his nomination for the vice-presidency. Judge Field went to New York by last night's train. Several of the California delegates will proceed to the same city to-morrow.

MILWAUKEE, 15.—The *Sentinel's* Oconto, Wisconsin, special says: The damage by the flood amounts to \$150,000. The water is falling and no more danger is apprehended.

The *Sentinel's* Chippewa Falls special says: From Friday night to Sunday the Chippewa river rose 24 feet and the entire upper river was cleared of logs. Both bridges at Chippewa Falls were swept away and all on Duncan Creek, except one. The grand locks of the dam were swept away and fears are entertained that they will carry off the lower part of the city. The total loss will probably reach a million dollars. The Chippewa Lumber Co. lose nearly all the logs, piers and booms, but commence as soon as the water subsides to repair. About twenty million feet of logs remain in the pocket at Dells Eauclaire, but will probably go out with the rest.

The Badger mill below the city is carried away. The French Lumbering Co's big mill at Grand Island is badly damaged.

The *Sentinel's* Grand Rapids special says: The unprecedented raise of the Wisconsin River is working untold damage. Most of the merchants lost heavily, approximating \$25,000. The main business portion of the city is an island only reached by boats. Several buildings have been swept away. The rear part of the store of Brundage & Ferguson was swept away carrying with it Ferguson who was drowned. His body is not recovered.

LEADVILLE, 15.—Ten companies of infantry and two of cavalry are on duty. The committee of safety are in constant session. The mines have been crowded all day with miners wanting work. Ex-Mayor James is brigadier-general. The strikers passed resolutions to assassinate Governor Tabor and other prominent men.

PITTSBURG, 15.—Garfield passed through at 9 o'clock last evening for Washington.

UTICA, 15.—Mayor Harrison, of Chicago, has been to see Horatio Seymour. He finds that the latter says he is in no sense a candidate, but no man has authority to say he will not accept the nomination.

PITTSFIELD, N. H., 15.—The estimated loss of property by the tornado yesterday, amounted to \$100,000. Acres of trees from two to four feet in diameter were snapped like pipe stems.

MARSHALL, Texas, 15.—The jury in the Currie case is filled out. The defendant plead not guilty. Three witnesses on the part of the State were examined. The testimony of Maurice Barrymore, the principal witness, who was present with Miss Cummins and Porter, the actor, when the latter was shot, clearly fastens the guilt upon Currie.

TITUSVILLE, Pa., 15.—The great fire has now spent itself and the city is quiet. A relief committee has been around all day and raised funds for the relief of the indigent.

NEW YORK, 15.—Tilden last evening said he could not be kept busy making denials of statements. He would only say he is in the hands of his friends.

Judge Field has some western supporters on the ground that his opinions, as the Judge would help the ticket on the Pacific votes, and would secure the favor of corpora-

tions, but there is an aversion to taking a candidate from the Supreme bench.

The *Times* Washington special says: It is reported that the surveyor of the port of New York, Graham, has been asked to resign, not for any fault committed, but to make way for a more active man.

The death roll of the terrible sound disaster now numbers 39 persons, of whom six still remain to be identified.

The *Herald's* Washington special says of the morning Cincinnati Convention, that both the New York delegations will be admitted and given a vote each.

The *Herald's* Paris cable says: Our Alexandria (Egypt) correspondent telegraphs as follows: Minister Maynard, in pronouncing the final judgment in the Mirzan case to-day, declared that Mirzan was guilty of murder and sentenced him to be hanged at Alexandria on the first of next October. The defense was impulsive mania, which it was hoped would reduce the crime to manslaughter. A motion to arrest judgment on the ground of a want of jurisdiction of the ministerial court was refused. Mirzan's counsel then gave notice of an appeal to the Circuit Court of California, in accordance with section 4,955, and 4,125 of the Revised Statutes, which put the Minister of Turkey in the position as the Minister to China and Japan, as regards the appeal to the Circuit Court of California.

The *Herald* San Francisco special says: The chief objections to Field are that he is not sound on the Chinese question, now the paramount issue in this State, and that his decisions have always been in favor of the great railroads and other monopolies. The delegation is here, counted nine for Tilden, two for Thurman and one for Field.

The *World* has had strong leaders for several days past arguing the manifest unfitness of Tilden for the Cincinnati nomination. It also publishes prominently everything unfavorable to his candidacy it can glean from other journals throughout the country.

For the 24 hours ending at noon yesterday, 108 deaths were reported in the city. This is an unusually high rate.

The artision well at the Fifth Avenue Hotel is now down 1,108 feet, and is still going.

The newspaper train was run from Jersey City to Philadelphia yesterday morning in 93 minutes. The train made four stops. The distance run was 90 miles. Taking out time for stops, the average run was over one mile a minute and is the fastest on record.

The Brooklyn City Directory, published yesterday, contains 2,835 names more than last year, and indicates the population of the town over 625,000.

The census enumeration closed yesterday in New York and has been satisfactorily done. The enumerators report they found more trouble in wealthy sections of the city than in the districts inhabited by the poor. The carelessness, laziness and indifference of the rich were greater obstacles to obtaining the required information than the ignorance of the tenement house population.

Thirteen hundred and forty immigrants arrived from Europe yesterday.

The weather is warm, but threatening.

FOREIGN.

LONDON, 14.—Tsin, the dragoman of the Chinese ambassador, the Marquis Tseng, who is still in London, arrived at Paris yesterday with his wife, who is the first Chinese female that has ever been seen there. Tsin is the interpreter who on the occasion of the treaty of Tientsin, assisted the unfortunate Chung How, who is at present lying in prison, under sentence of death in China. He will act again as interpreter in the discussion of difficulties which at present exist between Russia and China on the subject of Kuldja, and the result which naturally disquiets the Russian Embassy at St. Petersburg. The date of Ambassador Tseng's arrival is not yet fixed.

An Imperial ukase gives to the Czarevna all the regiments of which the late Empress was chief.

The Russian government has decided to hold an elaborate exhibition of photographs, next autumn at St. Petersburg. Photographs of display will be received. Inventors of photographic appliances will be invited to send their latest inventions.