

other parts of the building. Before the brick partition was removed, struts were put in position to support the roof, and when they were taken away after the truss was fixed, the roof fell in. Why, I cannot clearly say until after an investigation has been made, but my impression is, that there must have been a flaw in the iron."

Mullett, the supervising architect, states his opinion of the cause of the accident to be, that an error was committed in using the suspensory truss as a girder, and he affirms that Mr. Hill, the supervising architect, is responsible for this, as he was consulted upon the matter by Oakshott before the position was decided upon.

William M. Tweed, to-day, denied the statement that he was about to dispense with the services of John D. Townsend. He assumes full responsibility for everything contained in the statement called his confession, which is now in the hands of the Attorney General.

ST. LOUIS, 1.—The most extraordinary game of base ball on record was played here to-day, between the St. Louis Browns and the Syracuse Stars. There were fifteen innings without scoring a run on either side. The game was remarkable throughout for heavy batting, splendid fielding, and the unusual brilliancy of individual play.

LOUISVILLE, 1.—The celebration over the withdrawal of the troops from Louisiana was a great success, and was non-partisan.

JACKSON, Miss., 1.—On Thursday evening, John W. Gully, a prominent citizen of Emporia, was assassinated by an unknown party. The excitement is intense, and every means is being taken to discover the murderer. On Saturday two negroes made an affidavit that Benjamin Rush, a white man, did the deed, and that Judge Chisholm, republican candidate for Congress from the third district, his son, and Gilmer Rosenbaum instigated the crime. Chisholm and son were arrested, and with the women of the family, who wished to share the imprisonment, were put in jail. On Sunday Gilmer came to the jail to see if Chisholm's warrant was ready for him, but when he got to the jail a mob set upon and killed him, overpowered the jailor, attacked Chisholm, mortally wounding him and killing his son. Miss Chisholm shot and killed Doctor Rosser, and Mrs. Chisholm severely wounded the son of Gully who was assassinated. Miss Chisholm was also seriously wounded. Rosenbaum and Hopper, and another alleged conspirator, were carried to the woods by the mob, to extort from them the whereabouts of Rush, the alleged assassin of Gully. When last heard from, some weeks ago, Rush was in Arkansas. It is supposed that Rosenbaum and Hopper were hanged. It is reported that a horrible state of affairs is existing throughout this section. The people are wild with excitement. Other hangings will probably follow.

CHICAGO, 1.—The *Inter-Ocean's* Washington special says the Mississippi republicans are considerably excited over the murder of Judge Chisholm and others, last Sunday. These men are leading republican natives and very wealthy; and ex-confederates Chisholm and Gilmer have held responsible positions in Mississippi since the war, and became reconstructed early. It is believed the assassination was the result of a pre-arranged plan, and that the assassination of Gully, a short time before, was seized on for arresting Chisholm and Gilmer that they might be disarmed and killed. Both of these men testified before the Senate elections committee last February, and before leaving here expressed to friends the conviction that they would be murdered because of their testimony.

NEW YORK, 2.—The *World's* Washington dispatch from San Francisco, announcing that a party of capitalists had secured large tracts of land in that State under an act of Congress passed last session, providing for the sale of desert lands in certain States and Territories, and intimating that the act itself was a "job," has caused inquiries into the bill itself and the manner of its passage. It was approved by the President on March 3rd, and came out of the conference committee and passed both houses on that day. Senators Sargent, Oglesby and Kelly were managers of the conference on the part of the Senate, and Messrs. Luttrell, Lane, and Cronan for the House. The act only applies in California, Ore-

gon and Nevada, and the Territories of Wyoming, Idaho, Montana, Utah, Arizona, New Mexico and Dakota. It provides that it shall be lawful for any citizen of the United States, on payment of twenty-five cents per acre, to file a declaration in the United States land district, that he intends to reclaim a tract of desert land, not exceeding one section, by conducting water upon the same within a period of three years thereafter; provided, however, that the right to use the water shall depend upon a *bona fide* prior appropriation, and all surplus of water shall go to the public use; at any time within the period of three years after filing the declaration, and upon making satisfactory proof, to the register and receiver, of the reclamation of said tract of land, and upon payment to the receiver of an additional sum of one dollar per acre for a tract of land not exceeding 640 acres, which shall be in compact form. All lands, exclusive of timber lands and mineral lands, which will not, without irrigation, produce some agricultural crop, are deemed desert land within the meaning of this act, which fact shall be ascertained by the proof of two or more credible witnesses, under oath, whose affidavits shall be filed in the land office in which the land may be situated. It is very evident that a combination of persons could secure lands which could be made valuable under this act, and there is no doubt that this act was smuggled through Congress without its real purport being known. At the time it is said Morrison denounced it as a "job," though the *Record* fails to record it.

The *Herald's* Kischeneff special says the Russians crossed the Pruth in ordinary ferry boats, which occasioned a delay of three hours. Formidable earth-works have been thrown up at Vastouch, which command the Danube. The whole army is in motion. In the Caucasus the army crossed the frontier at three different points. In all cases the Russians have been successful in taking their positions without serious loss.

W. W. Newcomb, the well-known negro minstrel, is dead.

Auditor Ogden testified before the custom house investigation committee, to-day, that there were ninety-nine men in the department, most of whom knew nothing about their duties when appointed. If competent and well paid men were employed, the department could be managed with twenty per cent less help.

Jno. T. Daly, the reputed millionaire and proprietor of Windsor Hall, is missing, and it is feared that he has committed suicide, owing to the depreciation in real estate and the determination of the Park Commission to obtain from him a large amount of money.

CHICAGO, 2.—Gen. Crook arrived here last night, and will hold a consultation with Gen. Sheridan on matters relating to Indian affairs.

The *Post* has had an interview with Gen. Crook concerning the Indian question, the substance of which is that Gen. Crook considers that Indians are like white men in respect to acquisitiveness; that if these are given a start in the way of lands, cattle, and agricultural implements, they will keep adding to their wealth and settle down into respectable steady citizens.

SAN FRANCISCO, 2.—In connection with the recent expose of the manner in which advantage has been taken of the construction of the desert land law by speculators, it is ascertained that steps are being taken, and will soon be consummated, to secure a large and valuable tract in Gila Valley. Gen. Phineas Banning is reported as being the projector of the enterprise. The land lies in the river bottom, and is of the richest quality, as has heretofore been proved on the occasion of an overflow of the river, when a rank growth of vegetation at once sprang up. A ditch nearly fifteen miles long is already nearly completed, and will furnish water for irrigation.

WASHINGTON, 2.—The work of converting eleven-inch smooth bores to eight-inch rifle bores has been suspended for want of funds. If Congress votes the needed money, the ships of war fitted out for sea this year will be armed with these approved guns.

FOREIGN.
LONDON, 30.—The *Times* continues to depreciate unnecessary alarm, and says even if we had the most positive assurances that Rus-

sia intended to besiege Constantinople, there would be ample time to take the needful precautions long after her army crossed the Danube. But to assume that the Russian leaders have any such design is to suppose they have taken leave of their senses. It is not Turkey alone they would have to meet, nor Turkey and England, but the whole of Western Europe. We may safely assume that Russia is not altogether devoid of common sense, and meanwhile we may keep ourselves cool.

The Queen issued a proclamation stating that she is determined to maintain a strict and impartial neutrality in the war between Russia and Turkey, and commanding her subjects to abstain from violating the laws relating thereto. Then follows the English statute instituted to regulate her Majesty's subjects during the existence of hostilities. The proclamation concludes with an admonition to British subjects not to disobey the command at their peril.

The Russians, having concentrated their siege train, have attacked the Turks before Kars. The battle commenced at day break on Sunday. The details are momentarily repeated.

The Czar has telegraphed the Prince of Montenegro: "I am fully resolved this time to realize the sacred mission of Russia and of my predecessor. God will aid us."

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