

NEWS OF THE WEEK

Three Finlanders were drowned on the 25th, near Minneapolis, by the upsetting of a sail boat.

The heaviest rain of the season at Raleigh, North Carolina, fell there on the morning of the 27th. From three to nine o'clock the rainfall was 4 1/2 inches.

Two earthquake shocks were felt at Columbia, South Carolina, on the morning of the 27th, the first shortly after 12 o'clock, and the second at 56 minutes past 4.

Samuel Sparks, once wealthy, committed suicide in Indianapolis, on the 26th, by swallowing poison, because of his loss of fortune.

The Herald Building in Montreal, occupied by the Herald newspaper of that city and several firms, was burned on the evening of the 26th.

John G. Seltzer and C. P. Moyer, of Womelsdorf, Berks county, Penna., recently bought a number of car loads of cattle at Buffalo, and sold them to different farmers at Reading.

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A sharp earthquake, lasting about 30 seconds, was felt in the City of Mexico about 7 o'clock on the morning of the 29th ult. In some of the streets the people ran out of their houses.

As a freight train on the Cleveland and Marietta Railroad approached Oldham trestle, near Cambridge, Ohio, on the morning of the 29th ult., the bridge was seen to be on fire.

Robert Martin was killed and five others badly injured by an explosion of dynamite at the bottom of the Draper colliery slope, at Gilberton, Penna., on the 29th ult.

Albert Howell, 30 years of age, a letter carrier, was held in \$1500 bail in Boston on the 29th ult., on the charge of stealing letters.

John Golden, aged 44 years, was killed on the morning of the 29th ult., in Dayton's nut and bolt works, at Newport Kentucky.

It is officially reported that Colorado and all his followers are at Ouray Agency, and show a disposition to remain on their reservation.

goats, which should also be recovered with the horses. "These Indians when attacked in Colorado were on a peaceful hunting expedition, and they believed that they had a right under the treaty of 74, and as understood with them and the Commission, to hunt upon these lands in Colorado."

Joseph McLaughlin and Patrick O'Brien, arrested in Brockton, Massachusetts, on the 27th ult., on the charge of conspiring to injure the business of Douglass' shoe factory, by inducing lasters to stay away, were held on the 30th ult. in \$1000 bail each for their appearance at court.

The Secretary of the State Board of Agriculture of Illinois, has received from Professor Forbes, the State Entomologist, a discouraging report in reference to the distribution of the chinch bug throughout the State.

The Boyd Manufacturing Company's mill and more than twenty dwellings, in Levanua, Ohio, were destroyed by fire on the 29th. Loss, \$100,000.

Samuel Bremer, a boss mason in Hoboken, New Jersey, several weeks ago discharged one of his employees for incompetency. The man belonged to the mason's union, and a boycott was declared against Bremer.

The Baltimore Manufacturer's Record prints five pages of special reports from the entire South, giving a favorable account of the crops and business prospects of that section.

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The Railway Age says it now seems probable that the number of miles of new road constructed in the United States during 1887 will be about 12,000. These figures have never been approached, except in 1882, when the total was 11,568 miles.

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to secure an issue of \$10,000,000 six per cent. bonds, payable in fifty years from October 1st, 1896. The main fact revealed by the transaction is that \$10,000,000 of bonds were authorized to be issued in January, 1885, to pay floating debts of the company.

A slight fire occurred in a drug store in Brooklyn, on the evening of the 30th ult., and George F. Ringler, a clerk, suffering from heart disease, dropped dead from the excitement.

Israel Lucas, Treasurer of Anguila county, Ohio, left Wapaketta the county seat, on the evening of the 27th ult., with his wife, and has not yet returned. Meantime, it has been discovered that money to the amount of \$31,000 is missing from the treasury.

A scaffold at the new Catholic Church of the Annunciation, in Williamsport, fell to the ground, sixty feet below, on the morning of the 31st ult. Raphael Boka and Charles Norbert were killed. John Winner and Thos. Raibley were mortally injured, and died in the afternoon.

The 1st, was the great day of the Grangers' Picnic, at Williams Grove, Penna., the attendance being estimated at 40,000. In the morning, W. A. King, of the Agricultural Department at Washington, explained the system of seed distribution, and Colonel Victor E. Piolet made an address. The speakers in the afternoon were D. H. Thing, of Maine; C. C. Kaufman, of Lancaster county; W. A. Armstrong, Master of the New York Grange, and State Senator Brown, of York county.

The eleventh biennial reunion of the Empire State Association of Deaf Mutes was held on the 31st ult., in Syracuse, New York. About 150 delegates were present. President E. A. Hodgson, of the Deaf Mutes' Journal, delivered an address. There are now 1200 pupils and eight institutions in New York State. There are 5000 deaf mutes in that State, and 38,000 in the country.

An attempt was made on the evening of the 31st ult., to wreck a passenger train on the Indiana, Bloomington and Western Railroad, at Leslie Station, near Pekin, Illinois. A large stone, weighing about 200 pounds, had been placed between the rails of the main track. The train, which left Pekin at eight o'clock, was fortunately signalled at Leslie to take on a passenger, and the slowing up for this purpose prevented a wreck.

A passenger on the steamer Knickerbocker which arrived at New Orleans from New York on the 31st ult., several days overdue, says the steamer encountered a cyclone and was blown three hundred miles out of her course. Then a pipe burst and she was further delayed 48 hours, going under sail. During the cyclone the water broke over the ship, and at one time there was considerable water in the engine room.

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with their contents, were swept down the Bosque river. A number of bridges, including three iron ones, were destroyed.

Henry King, a prominent merchant of Georgetown, Ohio, was fatally injured by falling from a second-story window of his brother-in-law's house in Cincinnati on the evening of the 31st ult. Henry Pletcher, 23 years of age, was blown to pieces by an explosion of dynamite, while blasting stumps, near Logansport, Indiana, on the 31st ult.

An excursion train on the Kansas City and Pacific Railroad was thrown into a ditch, near Moran, Kansas, on the 1st. A number of persons were injured, one, it is thought, fatally.

A despatch from Koshler, Michigan, says terrible forest fires are raging in that vicinity. The prevailing drought is the worst known for years. There has been no rain since July 4th. All vegetation is scorched and late crops are a total failure.

Later reports of the great storm in Texas say that all the bridges in Hill county were washed away, and the damage to crops and farms will reach \$100,000. In Basque county and along the line of the Santa Fe railroad much damage was also done.

"Frank" Hammond and "Lizzie" Tate were found dead in English's woods, near Cincinnati, on the morning of the 2d. A letter was found on Hammond, saying: "Frank Hammond and Lizzie Tate are both willing to die, and it don't make any difference to us what they say of us."

During August there was a decrease of \$737,870 in the total circulation and an increase of \$10,216,200 in the Treasury.

A despatch from Flag Staff, Arizona, says reports received on the 21, reiterate the report that Sheriff Mulvenon was shot in the encounter with the Tewksbury-Graham outlaws in Tonto Basin. He died soon after the fight and five of the deputy sheriffs with him were wounded in the same fight.

Thomas Foster and George Miller, prominent grocers of Cincinnati, were arrested on the 2d for selling oleomargarine for pure butter. The substance, on being analyzed, was found to contain 2 per cent. of butter and 98 of tallow, lard and salt. It was sold for 25 cents a pound.

A despatch from Tucson, Arizona, says a heavy earthquake shock was felt there at 9 o'clock on the morning of the 1st. It lasted seven seconds. The oscillations were northwest to southeast.

An epidemic of black diphtheria is raging at Lockport, Penna., a town of about 200 inhabitants. Nearly half of the population are reported down with the disease, and thirteen deaths have occurred within the past five days. The victims are seized with black vomit and usually die within two or three days.

A typhoid fever epidemic prevails at Robertsdale, Huntingdon county, Penna. There are about fifty cases, and there have been nine deaths. The physicians attribute the disease to unclean wells.

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UNITED BY FIRE.

How Colonel Desmond Won His Wife

Mrs. Raynor was the envy of the country. Her dresses were copied by her less fortunate neighbors, and her country place was a dream of pastoral beauty. About her past little was known, except that she had been an old man's darling who had died and left her in possession of a great estate.

There lay the contradiction of this pretty woman's character. She liked him well enough and would have been glad of his gentle attentions all her life, but to marry him was quite another thing.

On the day before Desmond was to leave Merton Hall he came upon Mrs. Raynor reading in the library. She started up as if to leave the room, her face flushed, her eyes bright.

"Do not send me away with a refusal. Let the rest of my life be spent by your side. I have not led a happy life, as you know, and I long for love and the ties that other men own."

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FOOD FOR THOUGHT.

Economy is of itself a great revenue. There must ever be a place for virtue. The more you say the less people remember.

An open countenance, but close thoughts. A man's folly ought to be his greatest secret.

What makes life dreary is the want of motive. A good man cares not for the reproofs of evil men.

It is easier to be wise for others than for ourselves. Our sorrow is the inverted image of our nobleness. Ingratitude and misfortune make men imperious.

On life's highway slander takes toll from reputations. Solitude dulls thought; too much society dissipates it. Admiration, when not guided by reason is ridiculous.

The greatest business is that which has the longest countenance. No man is more severely punished than he who is subject to the whip of his own remorse.

The hands that were silken once are apt to become iron fetters when we desire to shake them off. It is the easiest business in the world to do a thing. The learning how is where the difficulty exists.

Good sense and good nature are never separated, though the ignorant world has thought otherwise. Contentment is a good thing until it reaches the point where it sits in the shade and lets the weeds grow.

Whatever become of my body or my estate I will ever labor to find somewhat added to the stature of my soul. All the crimes on earth do not destroy so many of the human race, nor alienate so much property, as intemperance.

The one who will be found in trial capable of great acts of love is ever the one who is doing considerate small ones. Praise is what we generally get for doing that which ought to mortify us. A really good deed is seldom recognized even by common civility.

Teach self-denial, and make its practice pleasurable, and you create for the world a destiny more sublime than ever issued from the brain of the wildest dreamer.

Those men who destroy a healthful constitution of body by intemperance, do as manifestly kill themselves, as those who hang, or poison, or drown themselves.

Spurious silver of speech is current, but base gold of silence is not unknown. A man may transgress as truly by holding his tongue as by speaking unadvisedly with his lips.

He that provides for this life, but takes no care for eternity, is wise for a moment, but a fool forever, and acts as untowardly and crossly to the reasons of things as can be imagined.

To-day's duty, fight to-day's temptations, and do not weaken and distract yourself by looking forward to things which you cannot see, and could not understand if you saw them.

"God giveth grace to the humble." He pours it out plentifully on humble hearts. His sweet dew and showers slide off the mountains, and fall on the low valley of humble hearts, and make them pleasant and fertile.

Eternity is crying out to you louder and louder as you near its brink. Rise, be going! Count your resources; learn what you are fit for, and give up wishing for it; learn what you can do, and do it with all the energy of a man.

Every man who builds should remember that everything which commonly goes under the name of sewage is dangerous to the health of his household, and should be removed as quickly and completely, and to as great a distance from his home, as possible.

THE MARKETS.

Table with market prices for various commodities including provisions, flour, and sugar.