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BOROUGH OFFICERS. Burgess—K. C. Heath. Councilmen—Joseph Morgan, J. T. Dale, W. F. Blum, Jas. D. Davis, Chas. Clark, T. E. Armstrong, H. H. Shoemaker.

FOREST COUNTY OFFICERS. Member of Congress—J. K. P. Hall. Member of Senate—A. M. Neely. Assembly—Dr. S. S. Towler. President Judge—W. M. Lindsey.

Regular Terms of Court. Fourth Monday of February. Third Monday of May. Fourth Monday of September. Third Monday of November.

BUSINESS DIRECTORY.

- TIONESTA LODGE, No. 369, I. O. O. F. Meets every Tuesday evening, in Odd Fellows' Hall, Partridge building. WASHINGTON CAMP, No. 429, P. O. Meets every Friday evening in A. O. U. W. Hall, Tionesta. CAPT. GEORGE STOW POST, No. 274 G. A. R. Meets 1st and 4th Monday evening in each month, in A. O. U. W. Hall, Tionesta.

MENACE TO VETERANS.

Yellow Fever in the Hampton Soldiers' Home.

Seventeen Deaths Have Already Occurred In a Total of Thirty-Seven Cases—Every Effort Being Taken to Control the Dread Disease—A Strict Quarantine Has Been Established.

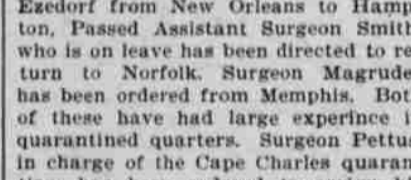
WASHINGTON, Aug. 1.—The last official advices received show a total of 37 cases and seven deaths from yellow fever at the Soldiers' home at Hampton, Va. Thus far the disease has been confined to the home, but all surrounding towns are excited and a vigorous quarantine is being maintained.

From this as a possible cause, the outbreak is as follows: Preceding Friday, the 21st, there had been noticed nothing of a suspicious nature. The weekly death rate was as usual. But on the 21st and 22d there became ill during the night with sharp or less chill, high fever, some eight or ten inmates, men of usually good health.

HER CAREER ENDED.

Death of Mrs. Kate Chase Sprague, Once Noted in Washington Society.

WASHINGTON, Aug. 1.—Mrs. Kate Chase Sprague, wife of a former governor of Rhode Island and the daughter of the late Salmon P. Chase, governor of Ohio, United States senator and



Mrs. Kate Chase Sprague, chief justice of the United States supreme court, died at her home, 'Edgewood,' in Washington's suburb. She was 59 years old.

ATTACKED BY FILIPINOS.

The Rebels Try to Retake the Town of Calamba.

Severe Fighting Follows, But After One Hour's Duration the Rebels Retire Carrying Their Dead and Wounded With Them—American Loss Was Two Killed and Six Wounded.

MANILA, Aug. 1.—After concentrating their forces for two days the Filipinos attacked Calamba, the town on Laguna de Bay captured by General Hall last Wednesday. The engagement lasted an hour and the Filipinos were driven off, carrying away their dead and wounded.

BETTER THAN TRAMPING.

Jacob S. Cooney is Now Interested in the Manufacture of Steel.

PITTSBURG, July 29.—The old Graf, Bennett & Co.'s plant, at Millvale, once worth hundreds of thousands of dollars, which was abandoned several years ago as an iron mill, has been sold and will be taken out of the site.

SUMMARY OF THE NEWS.

Short Items From Various Parts of the World.

Record of Many Happenings Condensed and Put in Small Space and Arranged With Special Regard for the Convenience of the Reader Who Has Little Time to Spare.

DEWEY IN WASHINGTON.

McKinley Will Give the Admiral a Reception in the White House.

WASHINGTON, July 31.—President McKinley will give a reception to Admiral Dewey at the White House when the latter arrives in Washington. The management of the reception will be very simple, and will differ in no important respects from regular affairs of that character at the White House.

Two Killed in Railroad Collision.

PORT JERVIS, N. Y., July 31.—The accident on the Erie railroad growing out of the landslide a mile east of Lackawanna was not as serious as at first reported. An Erie freight train, eastbound, which turned over on the westbound track, however, caused the death of the fireman and engineer of a derailed engine belonging to the west-bound Chicago express No. 7, the vestibule passenger train which passed from New York. A number of the passengers on the express train were also injured.

First Bale of Cotton For Charities.

NEW YORK, Aug. 1.—The first bale of the new crop of Texas cotton, grown at Sinton, Patricia county, and shipped by Governor Sayres, was sold at public auction in front of the Cotton Exchange for the benefit of the sufferers by the floods in Texas. It brought \$2.00. The market price is \$5. The bale was redolent and will be sent to the Boston exchange.

His Second Ascension Fatal.

DUNKIRK, N. Y., Aug. 1.—Frank Reynolds, an aeronaut, aged 39 years, met his death at Findlay Lake, near this city. He made an ascension in a balloon and dropped with a parachute into the lake. He was drowned before help could reach him. It was Reynolds' second ascension. He lived at Ripley.

Electoral Bills Rejected.

BRUSSELS, Aug. 1.—The parliamentary committee of the Belgian government electoral bills which had been referred to it.

MARKET.

New York Money Market. Money on call, 3 1/4 per cent. Prime mercantile paper, 3 1/2 per cent. Sterling exchange, actual business in bankers' bills at 4 1/2 per cent for demand; and at 4 3/4 per cent for sixty days. Posted rate, 4 3/8 per cent.

New York Produce Market.

WHEAT—Winter patents, \$1.00 1/2 per bushel; winter low grades, \$1.00 1/2; Minnesota patents, \$1.00 1/2; Minnesota low grades, \$1.00 1/2. RYE—Western, 80c; Ohio, 75c; Canada, 70c.

Buffalo Provision Market.

WHEAT—No. 1 hard, 70c; No. 2 red, 71c; No. 3 yellow, 72c. CORN—No. 2 white, 35c; No. 3 mixed, 36c. BUTTER—State and creamery, 15c; inferior, 14c.

Little Falls Cheese Market.

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CASUALTIES REPORTED.

Only One Man Killed According to General Otis' Report.

WASHINGTON, Aug. 1.—General Otis has cabled the following additional casualties: Killed: July 25, at Calamba, Quartermaster Sergeant Fred Suple, Twenty-first infantry.

WANDERER RETURNED.

After 36 Years as a Sailor and Soldier Cannon Came Back.

GREENVILLE, Pa., July 28.—The return of Archibald D. Cannon, first sergeant of the United States army, late of Manila, clears up a mystery of 36 years' standing as to his whereabouts.

In the Courts.

HARRISBURG, July 29.—Attorney General Ekin made application to the Dauphin county court for a receiver for the North American Life and Surety company of Philadelphia on the ground of insolvency.

Last Official Acts.

England and Germany Among Those Who Have Not Yet Signed. THE HAGUE, July 31.—The final act and conventions of the peace conference were signed by the delegates who have been instructed by their respective governments.

Santo Domingo Revolution.

WASHINGTON, Aug. 1.—Count Vinti, the Italian charge, called at the state department and conferred with Secretary Hay respecting the killing of Italians at Santiago, La., recently. He called at the consul general at New Orleans, and there is reason to believe that some discrepancy will appear between that account and the reports made by the Louisiana authorities.

Atlantic City.

Distinguished Ethnologist Dead. ATLANTIC CITY, Aug. 1.—Daniel Garrison Brinton, a distinguished ethnologist of Philadelphia, died here, aged 62. In 1886 Dr. Brinton was awarded the medals of the Société Américaine de France for his numerous learned works upon American ethnology.

Jumped From a Steamer's Deck.

TORONTO, Aug. 1.—A man aged about 50 years, jumped from the steamer Chippewa while she was en route from Lewiston to Toronto and was drowned. 'Leopold Zock, Toronto,' was the address on an envelope found in his pocket, while on another was the name 'Ambrose Vitton, 733 Haskin street, Newark, N. J.'

Another Tragedy in Kentucky.

KNOXVILLE, Ky., Aug. 1.—Cleveland Smallwood met his nephew, William Smallwood, in a mountain road in Lettler's under suspicious circumstances; that in Milwaukee he married Maximilian A. Snerk, a Chicago woman; Elizabeth Schmidt and Carolina Schneider, both of Milwaukee. Upon obtaining their monies, the allegations runs, he left them. In this city he took to wife a woman worth \$12,000. She died suddenly, willing her property to Dotz, then known as Fred Holt. His next wife was a south side woman possessed of \$1,000.

Storming the Winning Post.

WASHINGTON, July 31.—The monthly statement of the government receipts and expenditures shows a deficit for July of about \$5,518,000, which is slightly in excess of the estimate made by the officials a month ago.

Started to Ride 313,000 Miles.

LONDON, Aug. 1.—Teddy Hale, the Irish bicyclist racer, started from Holborn viaduct here in an effort to ride 100 miles daily for a year. Sunday rides excepted.

Swam a Ton-Mile Race.

OTTAWA, July 31.—Dr. Newman of Chicago and M. McGlynn of Ottawa swam from this city down the Ottawa river to Bessie's grove, a distance of 10 miles, for a wager. Newman won the race by about 15 minutes. The distance was covered in three hours and 30 minutes.

Wilmington Fire in a Village.

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CLONDIKE STORIES.

Some of the Hardships Endured by Returned Cattlemen.

VICTORIA, B. C., July 28.—H. Y. Jones, the only man who made a financial success crossing Edmonton trail, is in the city. Jones started from Swift Current, N. W. T., on April 9, 1898, taking with him a band of 75 beef cattle and four assistants, one of whom, Joe Butler, will never return. He was drowned while going down Lizier river in a small boat, being caught in Cranberry rapids before he and his partner could divert disaster. The two men jumped for their lives, while only one managed to reach footing. Butler failed, and the next instant was in the rushing waters.

Time of a Mother.

WEST CHESTER, Pa., July 28.—Mrs. Fannie Stevenson, colored, of Hanornton, was discovered crashed her infant child's head with an ax, after which she threw the body into a pen of hungry hogs, by whom the remains were devoured.

Desperate Fight in a Mine.

GREENSBURG, Pa., July 28.—A desperate encounter in a dark corner of the Trauger mine, 200 feet from the surface, with a Hanganian named Cokeney, Michael Pitt seized a pick and plunged it into the abdomen of his antagonist. The wounded man was brought to the hospital in a dying condition. Pitt is in jail. A dispute arose between the two miners as to the ownership of a pit rail.

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