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TORNADO DEALS DEATH

Fearful Gale Strikes Alabama Towns, Killing Many People.

Twenty-Five Men Killed in Birmingham and Many Injured, While in Other and Smaller Cities the Death List Was Equally Large—Property Damage Near Half a Million.

BIRMINGHAM, Ala., March 26.—Shortly before 10 o'clock yesterday morning a fearful tornado swept over the southern section of this city, traveling in an easterly direction.

The number of killed is estimated at 25. Only five of them are white. The destruction of property is placed at a quarter of a million dollars. Eighteen bodies had been recovered from the debris up to dark, and scores of injured have been removed to the hospitals.

Among the dead are: Dr. G. C. Chapman, of the firm of Tally & Chapman, who conducted a private infirmary in this city, and the wife and infant child of Jim. Robert J. Lowe, chairman of the executive state committee.

Following is the list of identified dead: Dr. G. C. Chapman, Mrs. Robert J. Lowe, infant child of Mrs. Lowe, J. Alexander, little daughter of B. B. Hudson, F. Myro, colored, colored, Union Mutual association of Mobile; Carrie Hudson, colored; Maggie Blevins, colored; Carrie Henry, colored; Lizzie Glenn, colored, cook for B. B. Hudson, colored; unknown carpenter, struck by flying lumber.

The storm struck the city in the extreme southwestern corner and plowed its way eastward, leaving a path 150 feet wide through the entire southern section, extending from Green Springs on the west to Avondale on the east, and contained its centre until its fury was spent in the mountains beyond Irondale, a small town six miles east of the city. The morning dawned cloudy and entry and grew more threatening as the day advanced.

Two Killed at Irondale, BIRMINGHAM, Ala., March 26.—A reporter who went to Irondale to investigate the storm damage telephoned that three persons had been killed at that place and ten injured. The dead are: G. W. Gardner, a carpenter, two children of Calarsene Hunter, colored.

Half a dozen stores were blown down and there were many narrow escapes.

POWERS INCREASE FORCES

United States the Only Country to Reduce Peking Military to Legal Guard.

WASHINGTON, March 26.—Mr. Rockhill, our special commissioner at Peking, has been heard from further respecting the conditions there and it is said that his report is confirmatory of the latest press advices. Touching the question of size of legation guards, which appears to be a live issue, it is pointed out that the United States was the first of the powers to reduce her military force in China to the status of a legation guard and that now our guard is of the proper proportion, namely, two companies.

The European powers in some instances have in contemplation several times this number for their own guards, and it is that fact that leads to the conviction that the Chinese court will not resist to Peking unless all powers reduce their contingents to the proportions of our legation guard.

The advice from Peking and other quarters are beginning to clear up some misapprehension of the indemnities claimed by the different powers. A recent published report was that Germany's claim amounted to \$80,000,000. This proves to be erroneous. The actual amount of the German indemnity, it can be stated positively, is \$90,000,000. The basis for this is the large military establishment which Germany sent to China and has maintained up to the present, amounting to 17,800 men.

Russian Agreement Signed by Li

LONDON, March 26.—Questioned in the house of commons yesterday in regard to the Russian concession at Tien Tsin, Lord Cranborne said Li Hung Chang signed an agreement granting to Russia a considerable tract of land, which the Russian military authorities had previously claimed by right of conquest. The British foreign office was not aware by what authority Li Hung Chang signed the concession, but the Chinese government had declared its validity and therefore it cannot be reserved for future examination. Count Lamsdorff made a similar declaration March 20.

CAST LOTS TO KILL CZAR

Student Selected Told His Father Who Warned the Emperor.

LONDON, March 25.—The Daily Mail publishes the following, dated March 24, from St. Petersburg correspondent: "Yesterday (Saturday) 500 workmen from the Obushover Metal works paraded on the Nevsky prospect. On the march they demolished the state seal drawn swords, met the workmen and a sanguinary encounter ensued. The number of killed and wounded is kept secret.

"The police have discovered a plot against the life of the czar. It appears that a group of students drew lots and that the fatal choice fell to the son of a prominent general. The student told his father and the latter informed the czar, inspiring him to leave St. Petersburg."

British Shippers Benefit.

LONDON, March 26.—Sir Theodore Duxford, speaking yesterday at the annual meeting of William Duxford & Sons of Sunderland, said that as long as the heavy import duties on steel continued in the United States, British shipbuilders would be able to get American steel at from 20 to 40 shillings less per ton than the price the same steel sold for in America. Hence the steel combination, selling its surplus production in Great Britain, would keep up the cost of American-built ships and keep down the cost of ships built in Great Britain.

Count of Arrests.

ALBANY, March 26.—Count of arrests for today: Nos. 92, 30, 35, 110, 173, 178 and 179.

LAWSON WILL NOT RACE.

Seannell Agrees to Terms, but Boston Man Says It Is Too Late.

NEW YORK, March 22.—Fire Commissioner John J. Seannell announced yesterday that he had decided to agree to the condition stipulated by Thomas W. Lawson of Boston, that the proposed race between the trotters, The Abbott and Borama, should be four heats in seven. Mr. Seannell made the following statement: "A misunderstanding having arisen between Mr. Lawson and myself as to the terms and conditions of the proposed match for \$25,000 a side, with the privilege of increasing the sum to \$50,000, between The Abbott and Borama, and being anxious to gratify the desire of the public for a contest, I am willing to waive my objections to the proposition of Mr. Lawson that the race should be for four heats in seven. I do not believe in subjecting a good horse to such a strain, but as I have already conceded everything else contended for by Mr. Lawson, I have decided to make this last concession and have deposited a certified check for \$10,000 to bind the match. I am sorry that any misunderstanding should ever have arisen, and I am sure that the owner of Borama will appreciate my sincerity when he realizes that I have conceded everything he has asked for."

Lawson Will Not Reopen the Matter.

BOSTON, March 22.—Thomas W. Lawson said last night, when asked if there was any possibility that a race might be arranged between Borama and The Abbott: "I will not reopen the matter. As I said in my statement of Wednesday evening, the incident is closed. When Mr. Seannell said he would race any horse in the world for any number of heats from seven to twenty, I took him at his word. It was immaterial to me how many heats there were in the race. I would have been willing to race three in five heats if he had so stated but when he said he would race The Abbott four in seven, I accepted that offer. When he talked with me over the telephone this was perfectly understood. Then when my representative was ready to sign the agreement, objection was made to four heats in seven and he was told that The Abbott would not be raced four heats in seven. Now I do not do business in that way. When I give my word I keep it and when Mr. Seannell announced that he would not race The Abbott as he had agreed to, then as far as I was concerned the race was off. Under no circumstances will I take up the matter again, no matter in what form it comes to me."

Borama Match With Crescens and Herr

BOSTON, March 22.—A race for a \$30,000 purse, made up of \$10,000 a corner and \$20,000 added by Thomas W. Lawson, between Charley Herr, Crescens and Borama is announced by Mr. Lawson. A statement issued by the latter says the race will be at Readville in the week beginning Sept. 16, all the gate receipts to go to charity. The race will be handled by the New England Trotting Horse Breeders' association.

Mr. Lawson said that as soon as the proposed race with The Abbott was called off he proceeded to arrange a triangular race, doing it before he knew that The Abbott's owner had changed his mind. The arrangements were immediately completed between Crescens, Charley Herr and Borama.

The race is to be best three in five heats, first horse to take \$30,000, the second \$20,000, each owner to deposit \$2,500 and the balance the night before the race; all gate receipts to be divided equally between the West End Nursery and Infants' hospital and the Industrial School for Crippled and Deformed Children.

WANT PROTECTIVE DUTIES

Commons Committee Says Serious Injury Is Being Done to English Ports.

LONDON, March 25.—The house of commons committee in charge of sugar interests visited Lord Lansdowne, the foreign secretary, yesterday and represented that serious injury was being done to the colonies and the home ports by foreign sugar bounties.

The committee pointed out what the United States had done for the Jamaican sugar trade by the imposition of protective duties, and trusted he would take such action as the situation demanded.

The visit was due to the endeavorers to compel Sir Michael Hicks-Beach, chancellor of the exchequer, to introduce countervailing duties.

KRUGER HERE NEXT MONTH

If His Health Permits He Will Visit the United States.

LONDON, March 25.—The Geneva correspondent of The Daily Mail says it is reported that Mr. Kruger, if his health permits, will visit the United States next month.

Running Down "Bob" Veal Shippers.

ALBANY, March 26.—The state department of agriculture has a large corps of special agents at work in New York city running down violators of the anti-veal law. Last week they seized nearly 100 carcasses which had been shipped to New York city from various points, some outside of the state. Cases are being formulated against the guilty parties, and as soon as all necessary evidence is obtained proceedings will be instituted and several arrests made. At present information as to who the violators are will not be disclosed by the state officials. The agricultural department will do all in its power to stop the traffic.

Left to Diplomacy.

PEKIN, March 22.—Count Von Waldere, General Barrow and General Wogack have been in consultation and General Wogack has agreed to withdraw the Russian troops from the disputed ground at Tien Tsin provided the British also withdraw. He insisted also upon a guarantee that work on the railway siding should not proceed until the matter had been diplomatically adjusted. This proposal and stipulation were satisfactory to General Barrow and were accepted by him.

Justice Will Take Its Course.

BALTIMORE, March 25.—Wiley Kirk, a negro, 19 years of age, was yesterday found guilty of felonious assault upon Mrs. Barbara Green and sentenced to be hanged. The crime was committed at Sparrow's Point, near this city, on the seventh of this month. Kirk escaped, but was arrested several days later and has since been kept in the Baltimore city jail to avoid lynching. He confessed on the witness stand to having committed the crime.

CRUSHING BOER DEFEAT

General Babington Scores Signal Victory Over Delarey.

Battle Was Fought Southwest of Ventersdorp and Many Boers Were Captured by British, Who Also Took 140 Prisoners—Many Boers Were Killed and Wounded.

LONDON, March 26.—The war office has received the following dispatch from Lord Kitchener: "Pretoria, March 25.—Babington's force, including Shickelton's column, attacked Delarey, 1,500 strong, southwest of Ventersdorp, and, having defeated him, followed him up rapidly, with the result that the Boer rear guard was driven in and their camp, including the guns, captured at Vaalbank.

"Our troops displayed great gallantry and dash. They captured two 12-pounder guns, one pom-pom, six Maxim 320 rounds of small ammunition, 15,000 rounds of small ammunition, 100 rifles, 53 wagons and 24 carts, besides taking 147 prisoners. "Our losses were slight. Many Boers were killed or wounded."

Will Not Protest Against Annexation.

LONDON, March 25.—Sir Robert Balfour yesterday laid upon the table of the house of commons a petition from Messrs. Merriman and Sauer, respectively the former treasurer of public works and former commissioner of public works of Cape Colony, asking for permission to address the house with respect to the peace settlement in South Africa and especially against the establishment of a crown colony form of government. The petitioners have dropped the idea of protesting against annexation.

RECIPROCIITY THE LINK.

Cubans Will Accept Platt Amendment, But Ask for a Trade Treaty.

HAVANA, March 25.—The action of the Republic in Santiago in endorsing the Platt amendment and instructing Senors Gomez and Ferrer of the Santiago delegation to the constitutional convention, to vote for the amendment, together with the letters of General Sanguly and the mayor of Cienfuegos, advising acceptance, were incidents of the week just past that have tended to clear up the political atmosphere, until now there are few who do not expect the convention to approve the amendment.

The visit of American senators and congressmen has had an excellent effect as in no instance have the radicals received any encouragement in the notion that if action is delayed until the next congress there might be a change in the demands of the United States.

The radicals, however, insist that they cannot recede from their former position without loss of dignity, and they still hope that some concession, no matter how insignificant, may provide a sufficient excuse.

Already the radicals are taking their cue from the Conservatives and pointing out that commercial interests demand recognition. There is a possibility of uniting the convention along this line.

The platform of the Conservatives calls for a reduction of American import duties on tobacco and sugar and approves any scheme of relations which the United States government sees fit to impose. In fact the situation is leading to a point where commercial interests will be chief question under discussion at the next session of the convention, and it is not unlikely that a resolution will be adopted asking for a reciprocity treaty.

IRONMASTER'S BOUNTY.

Offer of \$5,000,000 For Libraries Said to Have Been Made to Philadelphia.

NEW YORK, March 21.—The World says: "Another magnificent gift from Andrew Carnegie will be announced within a few days. It became known yesterday that Mr. Carnegie has offered \$5,000,000 to another American city, also it is said, for the purpose of building libraries.

Philadelphia, it is understood, will be the most recipient of the ironmaster's bounty. It is believed that Mr. Carnegie has offered to build libraries aggregating \$5,000,000 in value on conditions similar to those which accompanied his offer to the New York. It is also understood that the official announcement of the proposition be made within a week.

COLLIDED IN FOG.

Head-on Collision in Which Many Were Injured, Train of Whom May Die.

WASHINGTON, March 26.—A head-on collision between two passenger trains on the Washington, Alexandria and Mount Vernon railroad occurred yesterday about four miles south of this city. No one was killed, but many passengers were injured, two possibly fatally.

The accident occurred in a dense fog which prevented each motorman from seeing the other train. The motorman saved themselves by jumping. Both motor cars were demolished. The seriously injured are: William Jones, Philadelphia, internally; may die; William J. Simpson, Alexandria, internally; may die.

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Change In Compulsory Education Act.

ALBANY, March 26.—Assemblyman Davis of New York last night introduced a bill amending the compulsory education act to provide that it shall be unlawful to employ children under 14 years of age instead of from 8 to 12, as the law now provides. The bill also limits confinement in a truant school to two years.

WOLCOTT IN THE CABINET

Said President Will Appoint Him a Secretary of Interior, Succeeding Hitchcock.

PUEBLO, Colo., March 21.—The Daily Chieftain says: "It is definitely known here that ex-Senator Edward O. Wolcott of Colorado, will in a few days be appointed by the



EX-SENATOR WOLCOTT.

president to be secretary of the interior, to succeed Mr. Hitchcock. The news was received by friends of Mr. Wolcott in this city, the statement being made unequivocally and it is believed that the announcement will be made in Washington today.

MARTHUR UPHELD

Acted Wholly Within His Authority In Reporting Editor Rice.

WASHINGTON, March 25.—General MacArthur's report giving the details of the deportation of George L. Rice, the editor who was ordered out of the Philippines in consequence of articles published concerning Lieutenant Commander Braunerweiser, has been received at the war department. Mr. Rice has made no application for a review and reversal of the action of General MacArthur, although it had been asserted that he would do so. Secretary Root says that General MacArthur was acting clearly within the scope of his authority as military governor of the Philippines. Not only this, but General MacArthur has had special authority, under direction of the war department, to remove from the Philippine islands such persons as menace the peace and good order of the islands.

General MacArthur's report gives in detail what he has heretofore cabled concerning the publication by Rice and the other deporting him.

The report of General MacArthur was submitted to Judge Advocate General Lieber, who rendered an opinion that General MacArthur acted wholly within his authority in the deportation of Rice. So far as the war department is concerned it is now regarded as a closed incident.

To Relieve Military.

WASHINGTON, March 22.—The transfer from the military to the civil government in the Philippines is expected to occur about June 30, according to calculations made at the war department upon information received from the Taft commission and General MacArthur.

It is known that even while civil governments are being established by the Philippine commission the military will be necessary for some time to support the civil authorities.

It is the intention to withdraw the military as far as possible, however, from any participation in the governments established and the soldiers will be more of a police than a military force. Wherever possible native police will be organized.

EDITORS ELECT OFFICERS

F. F. Hall of Jamestown Is Elected President.

ALBANY, March 21.—The Republican editorial association elected the following officers for the ensuing year: President, Frederick F. Hall of The Journal, Jamestown; vice presidents, W. A. Smythe, Times, Oswego; Louis McKimstry, Censor, Fredonia; C. S. Manger, Citizen, Herkimer; J. F. Herrick, Breese, Bolivar; secretary and treasurer, A. O. Bunnell, Advertiser, Danville.

Aldridge Gets Handsome Job.

ROCHESTER, March 26.—George W. Aldridge has accepted the position of general manager and overseer of the Citizens' Light and Power company in Rochester and other cities. The Young-Brady syndicate owns the company and operates extensive lighting interests in Brooklyn, Connecticut and throughout New York state. In addition to his salary Mr. Aldridge is said to have acquired a considerable financial interest in the way of stock in the Rochester company. Mr. Aldridge will pay little attention to the office or mechanical work, his position being that of personal representative of Messrs. Young and Brady in their deals throughout this and adjoining states.

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BRIEF NEWS ITEMS.

Pointed Paragraphs Chronicling the Week's Doings.

Long Dispatches From Various Parts of the World Show of Their Particulars and Only the Facts Given in as Few Words as Possible For the Benefit of the Harried Reader.

Mrs. Lola Reed of Geneva, N. Y., died. She had lived 100 years, 1 month and 7 days.

The French troopship Vinh-Long is ashore near the entrance to Singapore. She is not believed to be in a dangerous position.

Russian and English forces still face each other in Tien Tsin, according to a special cable dispatch.

According to a cable dispatch from London, the Shamrock II is declared by a member of the Bertheloff family who has seen her to be somewhat similar to the Columbia.

President Diaz, of Mexico, said his illness had been slight and he had entirely recovered.

John Mitchell, president of the United Mine Workers, said that if the operators failed to answer the union by April 1 a strike would be declared.

Thursday.

According to a special cable dispatch Lord Cadogan will remain viceroy of Ireland until after King Edward's visit.

Friction grows at Tien Tsin, according to a special cable, and the troops of all nations are under arms.

Georgiana, Lady Dudley, is contesting a claim of over \$30,000 for repairs to her London house.

Owing to a vote of no confidence in the cabinet of deputies, the new Chilean ministry resigned.

In the fight for the Gilman millions a slight victory was won by a minority of full blood Irish.

Frederick M. Baker, a marine, who deserted to the Philippines and then surrendered in a vain effort to save a friend's life, was sentenced to life imprisonment.

Secretary of War Root assumed full responsibility for General Wood's course in Cuba and commended it.

Friday.

General Wogack, the Russian commander at Tien Tsin, in a statement says the British must withdraw from their position. Count Von Waldere personally attempted a compromise, but failed.

According to a special cable dispatch from London, General Botha's rejection of the terms offered to the Boers is due to the fact that Sir Alfred Milner was connected with them.

A special cable from Paris tells of a discovery by Drs. Robin and Rinot which enables them to detect a predisposition to tuberculosis.

Convict miners in the state penitentiary in Lansing, Kan., seized their guards in a coal mine and threaten to wreck the mine unless they are given better food and less work. They finally surrendered.

Saturday.

A special dispatch from Tien Tsin says that General Wogack has demanded an apology from the British. A dispatch to a London paper says General Barrow refuses either to withdraw or to apologize.