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Russia and Japan.

The strained relations between these two countries...

The Japanese Government has ordered...

100,000 barrels of flour from the Minneapolis mills...

Japan has purchased two more war ships...

building in Europe, and England is taking advantage...

War between the two countries seems inevitable...

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EPIDEMIC CONDITIONS.

During the past two weeks conditions have been both discouraging and encouraging.

Last week some twenty new cases were reported...

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HOLIDAY HORRORS.

The holiday season of 1903 was more replete with disasters than has been the same season for many a year.

For several days an railroad accident followed another and the name of the unparalleled theatre horror in Chicago by which 389 men, women and children attending a matinee or afternoon performance of a spectacular play, were burned or trampled to death...

The theatre in which this happened is a new one and the building itself is fire-proof, but the mass of scenery required for a spectacular play is liable to flash, almost like powder.

The theatre seated an audience of 2,000, but it is known that many more than that number were present...

A bit of scenery took fire from a broken electric wire or arc-light, a tank containing oxygen gas for the calcium or spot light is said to have exploded...

The flames spread rapidly, the people on the stage made a dash for the exits...

back of it, the opening of which threw a strong draught over the audience...

an attempt to lower the asbestos curtain between the stage and audience failed...

the flames surged over the audience, a panic followed, the people on the lower floor nearly all escaped...

the balcony made a mad rush for the exits and stairways, some turned off the electric lights, the exits and stairways became jammed and nearly six hundred people were trampled, suffocated or burned to death...

In a short half-hour the most serious disaster in the history of a theatre was over.

The firemen came promptly and put out the fire, but they found piles of dead bodies, ten feet high on the stairways. Some whole families had been killed and some people were burned and trampled beyond recovery...

The bodies were taken to the morgue as fast as possible and up to Saturday evening all but twelve had been claimed...

The incidents of the calamity were as pathetic as any ever recorded and brought tears to the eyes of the Nation.

Wednesday, December 30, 1903, will for many years be remembered as the day when the people of Chicago and to all who lost friends or relatives on that day.

Mayor Harrison promptly began an investigation, found some serious defects in the construction of the building, fire exits incomplete or not in compliance with the law...

He ordered twenty-five theatres of the city to close until all the laws of the state and the ordinances of the city were complied with...

Similar investigations will probably follow in every city and large town in the country...

The laws of this state regarding the construction of theatres are said to be commendable...

Mr. Hughes' death was caused by appendicitis, he took sick in Old Federal Hall, of which he was janitor...

Christina Hughes, formerly of Chicago, was his wife, he was dying, and died shortly after.

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DEATHS.

AIKENS—At her home in Butler, Dec. 26, 1903, Jessie, daughter of A. M. Aikens, aged 21 years.

ANGERT—At her home in Butler, Jan. 1, 1904, Ethel, daughter of Joseph Angert, aged 11 years.

BARR—At his home in Allegheny, Dec. 30, 1903, of rheumatic fever, G. L. Barr, formerly of Jefferson township, aged 49 years.

COOPER—At the Wagner Hospital, Jan. 2, 1904, Harry N. Cooper, formerly of Penn. twp., aged 32 years.

CAMPBELL—At the Butler County General Hospital, Jan. 2, 1904, Finlay M. Campbell, formerly of Pottsville, Pa., aged 70 years.

Mr. Campbell's death was caused by kidney and bladder trouble, with which he was afflicted for some months. He is survived by his wife, Mrs. Park of W. Snubury, and one son.

DOUGAN—At his home in Butler, Jan. 1, 1904, George Leo, son of Cornelius Dougan, aged 17 years.

DRESEN—At her home in Butler, Jan. 1, 1904, Mrs. D. Dresen, wife of Michael Dresen, aged 81 years.

EICHORN—At his home in Butler, Dec. 25, 1903, Chas. A. Eichorn, aged 31 years.

ELLIOTT—At his home in Centre twp., Dec. 26, 1903, Miss Nancy Elliott, aged about 70 years.

FERGUSON—At his home in Chisora, Dec. 25, 1903, William Ferguson, aged 67 years.

GROHMAN—At his home in Butler, Dec. 26, 1903, Raymond, son of J. Henry Grohman, aged 16 years.

GIBSON—At his home in Penn twp., Dec. 28, 1903, James C. Gibson, aged 43 years.

GIBSON—At the residence of her daughter, Mrs. Wilson, in Allegheny, Dec. 24, 1903, Mrs. Eliza Jane Sloan Gibson in her 87th year.

HERR—At her home in Butler, Jan. 4, 1904, Mrs. Albert Herr, nee Campbell, aged 45 years.