

A JAP CRUISER CRIPPLED

Russians Succeed in Using Torpedo with Effect.

PLAN OF YOUNG NAVAL OFFICER.

Machine Gun Mounted on Naptha Launch Steals Out of Port Arthur and Makes Attack.

The Russian fleet scored its first distinct naval success of the war on May 10 by the torpedoing and crippling, though not the sinking, of an armored Japanese cruiser in Tallienwan bay.

The Russian attack was carefully planned on May 10 while the Japanese squadron was concentrating outside Dalny, devoting its whole attention to Tallienwan bay, and was carried out the same night. The attacking force was not a regular torpedo boat, but was only a small naptha launch, in command of a young naval officer who had with him three jackies. The launch mounted a small machine gun and carried three torpedoes.

When darkness fell the launch crept out of Port Arthur, hugging the shore with no lights and no glow from the engine to betray her presence. It was late when she gained the outer line of the Japanese squadron. Slipping through the torpedo boat pickets, and selecting the nearest warship, a big armored cruiser, she stole toward her and succeeded in exploding against her side a single torpedo. A deafening roar followed the explosion, which echoed far ashore. Immediately flames enveloped the cruiser, which evidently was badly crippled.

The crew of the cruiser was seen to be fighting the fire, which they at last succeeded in extinguishing. A sister ship took the damaged vessel in tow and disappeared in the southeast. The launch escaped the hot fire directed against her by the Japanese ships, but before she could return to Port Arthur or get into Dalny she was beached.

Only a few of the higher officers were aware of the plan, the success of which depended upon secrecy. The achievement raised the spirits of the Russians, and the young officer who was the hero of the exploit was feted and recommended for the cross of St. George.

Two thousand Japanese have recaptured the road to Sanchillip, again cutting off Port Arthur. A strong force is advancing against Polandien.

CHINESE MIXING IN.

Russian Mining Station Attacked by Native Soldiers.

Chinese soldiers attacked the railway coal mines occupied by the Russian administrative force near Port Adams, and drove out the officials who were working therein, many of them escaping only partly clad. The Chinese looted the works and retired.

Chinese bandits are becoming bolder and are causing considerable trouble to the Russian outposts. A swarm of the bandits on May 3 attacked the coal miners on the branch line east of Yanlai station, 10 miles north of Liao-Yang.

The mines, which supply the whole railroad, were guarded by 200 riflemen and 100 Cossacks. In a fierce fight the Russians repelled the bandits and then disarmed them, the bandits fleeing to the hills and to three neighboring villages. The troops surrounded the villages and then demanded the surrender of the bandits. The surrender was at first refused, but, fearing that the Russians would destroy their homes, the villagers finally revealed the hiding places of the fugitives.

The bandits fought with the desperation of entrapped rats, and 50 of them were speared and killed. The Russians suffered no loss.

Among 17 prisoners taken by the troops were two Japanese officers who had escaped from the Russians. One of the bandits taken a prisoner confessed that the bandits had been hired by the Japanese, whom they were supplying with information.

PLAGUE OF LOCUSTS.

Swarms Have Almost Destroyed the Crops in Egypt This Year.

Great swarms of locusts have most destroyed all the young cotton and other crops in Egypt this year, and the situation is so serious that the government has called out the Corvee to organize for the destruction of the pest, if necessary by forced labor. The locusts are descending upon the country in solid masses, two or three feet deep and several miles long, and they do not leave a green leaf wherever they have gone.

Thousands of people all over the country are busy digging trenches, which are filled with straw and put afire at the first sign of the approaching insects.

In the neighborhood of Cairo the fields for miles around are covered with the bodies of the destroyed locusts, and these are beginning to decay, endangering the health of the population, but it is impossible to get them out of the way, at least until the swarms have ceased to come.

Cremated in Oil Fire.

Fire at Batson, Tex., destroyed 18 derricks, five drilling rigs and 20 tanks containing about 15,000 barrels of oil. Thomas Walker, of Leavenworth, Kan., mounted a ladder in an effort to cut off the flow of oil, but fell into a mass of burning oil and timbers and was slowly roasted to death. The loss is \$60,000.

Dr. Robert Bartholow, an eminent physician and professor in Jefferson Medical College and a native of Maryland, died in Philadelphia.

SUICIDE IN CHURCH.

Left Note Indicating He Had Feared Arrest.

In one of the pockets of the dead man's coat a memorandum book was found bearing the name and address of William Johnson, 2323 Webster avenue, Pittsburg. Written on a fly-leaf of the book were the following words: "Well, I see that nothing but my death will satisfy the outraged public. Therefore I will give it, but I will be my own executioner."

JAPANESE LOSE FIRST BOAT.

Blown Up While Attempting to Remove a Mine.

The Japanese torpedo boat No. 43 was destroyed while removing mines from Kerr bay, north of Tallienwan (Ft. Dalny). Seven men were killed and seven were wounded. This is the first warship Japan has lost in the war.

Torpedo boats Nos. 48 and 49 discovered a large mechanical mine in Kerr bay. Their various attempts to blow it up failed and it suddenly exploded of itself, cutting No. 48 in two. The torpedo boat sank in seven minutes. The squadron hurried boats to the rescue and picked up the wounded. Three other mines were discovered and exploded.

Stole From the Mint.

Another scandal in the San Francisco mint has developed. Dimmock and his theft of \$30,000 has scarcely passed the public mind before it has been proved that one of the meters has been stealing since August last, when he first went into the employ of the mint. The name of the criminal is Albert Hauser, and he was arrested. Hauser confessed to the theft of \$400 worth of gold in the skimming process and made restitution. There is no way of ascertaining how much Hauser has stolen during his brief employment at the mint.

Naval Cadet Drowned.

Midshipman Phillip Brittingham, of Wheeling, a member of the third class of the Annapolis naval academy, was drowned about two miles off the naval academy. The young man left the academy dock in a sailing launch with Midshipmen Anderson, Henderson, Towars and Stevenson, all of the third class. The boat was without center board or air tanks, and being caught by a strong gust of wind, capsized and sank immediately.

Negro Was Lynched.

A crowd of about 100 masked men forcibly entered the county jail at Appling, Ga., about midnight, took out John Cuming, a negro, who was waiting trial on the charge of criminal assault, and hanged him to a tree near the public road about half a mile from Appling.

TERSE TELEGRAMS.

Queen Lilioukalani is ill at the World's Fair. The President will appoint George F. White, of Macon, Ga., United States Marshal. The Knowing Expedition, after extreme hardships, arrived at Glenwood, Newfoundland.

It is announced that President Roosevelt will receive no delegations during his summer visit to Oyster Bay. Directors of the New York Central Railroad completed arrangements for issuing \$20,000,000 4 per cent bonds. It is understood that \$4,000,000 of the new Russian loan will be placed with New York customers of the French underwriters. The issue price of the new Russian loan will be 99.

Rear Admiral Albert Sewall Kenney, retired, formerly Paymaster General of the Navy, has been selected as treasurer of the Panama Canal Commission.

Frederick Schuetz, son of Henry Schuetz, a wholesale liquor dealer, of Pittsburg, shot himself twice after trying to kill his wife, Mrs. Winifred McCormack. Jealousy is supposed to have prompted the deed.

BIG STEEL PLANT FOR CHINA.

Mandarin in America to Investigate What to Buy.

V. K. Lee, Tsu King Yuan and Tse Shao Yung, three commissioners of the Chinese Government, have arrived from Peking. They are mandarins of the first class and have been sent out to investigate the steel plants of America and England.

"China intends constructing a plant of her own for the manufacture of armor plate and steel rails," said Mr. Lee. "She already possesses a steel plant near Shanghai, but it is of an old pattern and not at all up-to-date. The new plant will be located in the interior somewhere—exactly where it has not been decided. But we want the most improved machinery, the newest models, in order to turn out steel in quantity and of the best quality."

Mr. Lee would not say how large a sum China is prepared to put into the establishment of the plant, but he intimated that the amount would be enormous and that no pains would be spared.

Instruct for Roosevelt.

The Republican State convention of Washington adjourned after nominating William E. Humphrey, Wesley L. Jones and Francis W. Cushman for Congress and nominating for governor Albert E. Mead, of Whatcom. The platform instructs the delegates to vote for Roosevelt; advocates a protective tariff; favors reciprocity in non-competitive products, and opposes the repeal of the duty on coal. More liberal appropriations for the improvement of rivers and harbors are demanded.

JAPS PRESSING FORWARD

Their Forces Advance Close to Liao-Yang.

RUSSIAN RETREAT CONTINUES

Port Arthur Again Cut Off—Cossacks Driven Back—Enemy's Mine Destroys Mikado's Boat.

The Japanese activity in Southern Manchuria continues and from Liao Yang, General Kuropatkin's headquarters, comes the information that the enemy has advanced close to the Russian position, and that he is throwing up defenses on the Liao Yang road. General Kuroki's boldness indicates that he believes the Russians are much weaker than has been represented. The latest move places Kouroupatkin in a critical position.

General Kouroupatkin, reporting on the enemy's operations, states that a Japanese detachment forced a number of Cossacks from a fortified position. It is impossible to identify many of the Russian-Chinese names given in the Russian accounts of the operations.

The Russian retreat from Southern Manchuria continues, the army burning bridges and everything not transportable. Newchwang reiterates the belief that it will extend as far north as Harbin. Only two regiments of Russian soldiers remain at Newchwang.

The Japanese have again occupied Polandien on the Liao-Tung peninsula, with the result that communications with Port Arthur, both by railroad and telegraph, have been interrupted again.

What is said to be the first Japanese naval loss since the beginning of the war occurred Thursday, when a torpedo boat was blown up by a Russian mine while on a scouting trip.

DALNY BLOWN UP.

Russians Destroy Docks and Piers Before Evacuation.

Dalny has been evacuated by the Russians and the great docks and piers constructed by the czar's engineers at enormous cost have been blown up and destroyed. This fact was telegraphed to the emperor by Viceroy Alexieff. At one stroke the Russians have destroyed the improvements on the finest deepwater harbor on the Pacific, which was opened to commerce in December, 1901.

The reason semi-officially advanced for shattering the docks and piers was that such an action would impede the landing of a Japanese force at Dalny, but when the news of the complete destruction of the city was received it was regarded ominously as indicating a desperate situation, and still gloomier news is now feared.

Port Dalny, on Tallienwan Bay, on the east coast of Liao-tung peninsula, was intended by Russia to be the chief commercial emporium of its eastern dominions, and was called the "Magic City." An edict providing for its construction was issued by the Russian Emperor July 30, 1899, and Port Dalny, fully equipped with all modern improvements, docks, warehouses and railroad facilities, was opened to commerce in December, 1901.

Over \$6,000,000 had been expended on the harbor system before the end of 1902 and it was estimated that the cost of completing the works would be nearly \$20,000,000, but this does not in any way represent the total cost, of which a portion of this great commercial port, which with Port Arthur distant about 20 miles, was leased by the Chinese Government to Russia in 1898.

Entire Block Burned.

A special dispatch from Coudersport, Pa., states that fire destroyed an entire block of the town. A high wind blew sparks from a bonfire into one of the buildings, and the Farmers hotel, music store, a tea store, Knights of Labor hall, a dwelling and four barns were destroyed. Help was sent from Port Allegany. The loss is estimated at \$50,000.

DECISION AGAINST B. & O.

Inter-State Commerce Commission Finds It Discriminated.

The Inter-State Commerce Commission announced its decision, which is adverse to the railroad, in the case of the Glade Coal Company, of Maryland, Pa., against the Baltimore & Ohio Railroad company. The commission holds that the defendants' refusal to furnish cars to complainants at Meversdale and Keystone Junction while furnishing them to complainants' competitors at other points was undue and unlawful discrimination for which complainants are entitled to reparation. It also holds the road guilty of violating the law in making certain charges for the transportation of coal when it is loaded by tippie and exacting a higher charge when it is loaded in some other way.

Thirty-One Hereros Killed.

A dispatch received from the governor of German Southwest Africa, Col. Leutwein, announcing that Lieut. Volkman with 22 men engaged a detachment of Hereros, at Okankawindj April 28, killing 31 of the natives and losing one man killed.

Hunter Killed by Accident.

Luther Hudson, aged 30, was shot and almost instantly killed by the accidental firing of a rifle in the hands of John Bronson. The two men were on the hill back of Stockdale, Pa., hunting for groundhogs. Hudson had crawled through a fence and while Bronson was following the gun in his hand was fired. The charge entered Hudson's left side near the heart. He died while being carried to his home in Stockdale.

OPERATOR HELD UP.

Masked Men Make Successful Raid on Railway Station.

Three masked burglars committed a daring robbery at the Mosgrove station of the Allegheny Valley railroad, five miles north of Kittanning, Pa. The night operator, A. L. Blackburn, had occasion to leave the telegraph office and pass to another part of the building. He was suddenly startled by hearing a noise at the door leading into the waiting room. A few minutes later he heard a rough command at his back to throw up his hands, and turning quickly he was surprised to see three masked men standing before him with drawn revolvers.

They seized the operator and, going through his pockets, secured about \$6. They then blindfolded him and tied his hands. Escorting him to another room, one of the robbers was left to guard him, while the other two proceeded to the telegraph and ticket office, where they began to work on the safe.

The knob was knocked off and an explosive used to blow off the door. The shot was heavy and damaged the safe badly as well as breaking all the glass in the office windows. While awaiting for the explosion the burglars withdrew to the freight house.

After the shot the robbers visited the office and secured about \$65. Their job completed the thieves warned Blackburn not to stir for 10 minutes and then left. The operator after a few moments succeeded in freeing himself, and running out gave the alarm to the residents of Mosgrove, and then reported the incident to the train dispatcher in Pittsburgh.

The only clue that the burglars may have left behind is that three men stole a horse and buggy belonging to Joseph Helman, who lives several miles from Mosgrove.

Russians Burn Korean Towns.

Four hundred Russians and 3,000 Manchurians have burned two towns 80 miles northeast of Anju. Several detachments of mounted Japanese troops are operating from the town between Anju and Wiju, it being thought the Russians may attempt a flank movement in that part of the country. The disturbances caused by the Tonghaks in the southern districts of Korea have caused the Japanese to send reinforcements to the troops guarding the men employed in building the Fusan-Seoul railway. The troops sent for this purpose were part of the garrison here.

CURRENT EVENTS.

Figures show that over 135,000 visitors attended the World's Fair during its first week.

The United States has resolved to create an Asiatic department to deal with business in the Far East.

The international convention of the Amalgamated Meat Cutters and Butcher Workmen considered the annual report of the secretary and reports of committees.

Congressman Charles E. Townsend, of Jackson, Mich., was renominated by acclamation at the Second district Republican convention. The resolutions endorsed President Roosevelt.

Of the \$40,000,000 received by J. P. Morgan & Co. in payment of the Panama Canal properties \$15,000,000 has been withdrawn from the sub-treasury, and the balance will be collected through the Clearing House banks. The \$15,000,000 in cash was taken in \$5,000 and \$10,000 gold certificates.

After various attempts to hold together the Italian settlement at New Palermo, 36 miles north of Mobile, Ala., has gone to pieces.

The Rev. Gustave Poensgen, the German Lutheran clergyman at Ellerslie, N. Y., was shot accidentally while duck shooting with the Rev. Mr. Henson, also of Ellerslie. The gun was in the hands of Mr. Henson.

Gen. Nelson A. Miles has been selected by President Turner to deliver the commencement address before the graduating class of Waynesburg college on June 16.

An east-bound freight train struck a rock that had fallen in a cut near Fairmont, W. Va. The engine and four cars loaded with merchandise were destroyed. The trainmen escaped injury.

TURKISH OUTRAGES.

Ambassadors Attempt to Limit Destruction and Bloodshed.

An official dispatch from Constantinople confirms the reports that Turkish troops have burned villages throughout the Sassoun district of Armenia, killing the inhabitants. The French ambassador, M. Constans, has joined with the Russian and British ambassadors in sending consuls to Derzerum in the hope of limiting the destruction and bloodshed. However, the official advisers, although brief, indicate that the work of exterminating the Armenians occupying the mountainous district of Sassoun is practically accomplished.

The French authorities were advised some time ago that Turkey was taking advantage of Russia's preoccupation in the far east and intended to adopt a decisive course toward the rebellious Armenians. The information then showed that the Turks would begin the work of suppressing on about April 15. In order to prevent this the powers made an energetic protest. This delayed Turkey's action, which, however, has now been executed with the same severity as at first contemplated.

Soldiers Must Stick by Wives.

Before leaving Puerto Rico for the United States, those enlisted men of the Fifty-sixth and Fifty-ninth companies of Coast Artillery who had married native women were notified by their commanding officers, by direction of the War Department, that they would be held responsible by the military authorities if they deserted their wives and children. Some of the men married Puerto Ricans when the companies went to the islands, four years ago.

RUSSIANS AGAIN DEFEATED

Czars Forces Overtaken After a Twenty Mile Chase.

DROP SHELLS IN PORT ARTHUR.

Admiral Togo's Fleet Retires Attack on Beleaguere Fortness, Shooting at High Angle.

The Paris "Matin's" St. Petersburg correspondent says it is persistently rumored that there has been a big fight near Mao-Tien-Ling pass between the Russians and General Kuroki's army. The Russians, he says, lost heavily, Lieutenant General Zassalitch being among the killed.

The first and second Japanese armies under the command of General Kuroki, met a large Russian force near Waufungien and a terrible battle ensued. It resulted in a complete victory for the Japanese, the Russians fleeing in disorder. Their loss was great. The Japanese are said to have suffered big losses also. Instead of pursuing the Russians, General Kuroki advanced toward the Russian position at Halcheng, which is seriously menaced. An engagement is expected within a few days. The Japanese are in superior force, and unless the Russians hold an extraordinarily powerful position, indications are that General Kuroki will gain another important victory.

The Tokyo correspondent of the London "Morning Post," cabling under date of May 10, says that a high-angle bombardment of Port Arthur is proceeding.

Russia announces that the railway from Port Arthur to Newchwang is again open, but makes no explanation of the apparent abandonment of the siege of that place by the Japanese army that landed on the peninsula a few days ago.

New Jersey Republicans.

At the Republican State convention the delegates-at-large elected to the Chicago convention were Governor Franklin Murphy, United States Senator Keen and Dryden and State Assessor David Baird, of Camden.

The alternate-at-large are Secretary of State S. D. Dickinson of Hudson County, Senator Wood McKee, of Passaic; Clarence Bpeckenridge, of Bergen, and Griffith Lewis, of Burlington.

The platform indirectly favored the nomination of President Roosevelt to succeed himself, although, in keeping with the policy that has always prevailed in this State, the delegates were not instructed.

C. & P. to Sell More Stock.

A second circular has been sent out by the Cleveland & Pittsburg Railroad Company urging the stockholders to consent to the proposed issue of \$10,000,000 7 per cent additional stock. A similar circular was sent out a short time ago, but it met with very little response. Of the seven per cent four per cent is to be guaranteed by the Pennsylvania Railroad Company. The purpose of the new stock issue is to reimburse the Pennsylvania for money advanced.

Convicted in Hungary.

Gabriel Hoessa, the Hungarian banker who was indicted in Mercer county, Pa., on a charge of embezzlement, has been sentenced to three years in prison. His trial has just been concluded in Hungary, where he was captured after his sensational escape from an Erie train near Binghamton, N. Y. The papers were sent from Mercer county. Some of the persons he swindled were not naturalized.

Plague Epidemic in Formosa.

A. C. Lambert, Vice-Consul-General at Dattolet, which is a new name for Tamsui, the old capital of Formosa, reports to the State Department that during March there were 558 cases of bubonic plague on the island, with 399 deaths. The Consul shows that the plague has been epidemic for the last five years in the southern part of the island.

MINISTERS TRY PISTOLS.

Clergymen in Sensational Shooting Affray on Train

There was a sensational shooting affray on the east-bound Texas & Pacific train coming into Texarkana between the Rev. J. B. Cranfill and the Rev. S. L. Hayden. Cranfill fired two shots from a magazine pistol at Hayden while the latter was struggling for possession of the weapon. Neither shot took effect.

The encounter occurred in the lavatory of the sleeper on which both men were enroute to the Southern Baptist convention at Nashville, Tenn. Cranfill was arrested on his arrival at Texarkana, and arranged on a charge of assault with intent to murder. The encounter, it is alleged, grew out of past differences between the two men.

Will Receive Wireless Messages.

The U. S. navy department has decided to make arrangements for the receipt at naval coast signal stations of wireless messages from the ships of foreign governments and of the merchant marine, when necessary for transmission by commercial lines to their destination.

ATTACK ON BRITISH MISSION.

Butchery of Eight Servants by Tibetans Reported.

The London "Times" publishes a dispatch from Gyantse, Tibet, which reports the butchery of eight servants of the British mission by Tibetans. The dispatch says that the Tibetans are constantly getting better arms and ammunition, which are manufactured at Lhasa, and that it is clear the Tibetans contemplate a combined effort to overwhelm the mission.

A CAR OF POWDER EXPLODES.

Six Men Killed and Many Injured by Accident in a Mine in Illinois.

Six men were killed and a number burned by an explosion of powder in the Big Muddy Coal and Iron Company mine at Herrin, Ill. About 325 men were at work in the mine. A car containing 50 kegs of powder exploded. The cause of the explosion is not known. Eighty injured men and the following dead have been removed from the mine: Thomas Green, Frederick Seiberg, John Miller, Crain, Williams Brothers.

The mine was badly wrecked making the rescue work difficult. It is not known how many men were working in the vicinity of the explosion. It is believed that several are dead and covered with wreckage. The explosion was caused by the ignition of fire damp that had formed in a pocket and was touched off by a miner's lamp. Fully 50 men were at work in the tunnel in which the explosion occurred, and all of them were thrown to the floor or hurled against the walls of the cut by the blast. Mangled and mutilated bodies of those instantly killed were piled upon those who were so badly injured that they were unable to move after the deadly gas and flame had swept over them.

SEVENTEEN LIVES WERE LOST.

Two American Officers and Fifteen Men Killed and Five Men Wounded by Moros.

Lieut. Winfield Harper and 39 men of F company, of the Seventeenth United States Infantry, were caught on May 8 in an ambush by several hundred Moros. Two American officers and 15 men were killed and five men were wounded. The ambush occurred at Simpatem, on the east shore of Lake Liguasen, island of Mindanao. The officers killed in the ambush were First Lieut. Harry A. Woodruff and Second Lieut. Joseph H. Hall, both of the Seventeenth infantry. Lieut. Woodruff was born in Indiana, and entered the service in the State of New York. Lieut. Hall was born in Alabama and was promoted to his lieutenantcy from the ranks.

THE RURIK SUNK.

Report That Japanese Destroyed Another Russian Ship.

Rumors are current in Nagasaki that Admiral Kamamura, in command of the squadron which is looking after Vladivostok, has made an attack on the Russian squadron within the harbor and succeeded in sinking the big Russian armored cruiser Rurik.

According to the story, as told here, several Japanese torpedo boats were sent into the harbor during a heavy fog. They crept up through the channel north of Kozakawitchka island and succeeded in getting within torpedo distance of the Russian squadron, which was at anchor, before they were discovered. Two torpedoes are said to have struck the Rurik and report has it that she was so badly damaged that she sunk.

The naval authorities profess to have received no news of the reported attack, but the report is very generally credited.

Boston Wool Market.

Unusual quietness prevails in the wool market. Some dealers say that the situation is not only unseasonable but that from the manufacturers' standpoint it has not been so bad for years. Not only have the mills not had the usual volume of orders but much dissatisfaction is reported with the quality of the goods delivered and the possibility of cancellation. Territory wools are dull and weak. Pulled wools are steady with medium grades scarce. There is a firm tone to foreign wools. Leading quotations are: Ohio and Pennsylvania—XX and above, 32@33c; X, 29@30c; No. 1, 31@32c; No. 2, 21@32c; fine unwashed, 22@23c.

South Trumble was renominated for Congress on the 29th ballot by the Democrats of the Seventh (Ky.) district with a single vote to spare.

Iron Imports Fall Off.

The imports of foreign pig iron, scrap iron, old iron rails, structural iron, steel billets, steel blooms, steel wire rods, scrap steel and old steel rails, which during some months within the past two years have aggregated close to 100,000 tons, fell to 3,585 tons last month. Practically all was shipped to Pittsburg and vicinity on contracts made when the demand was at the highest level. The pig iron imported in April represented a total of but 1,614 tons. The iron and chrome ores imported in April represented in all 35,775 tons.

Verdict Over Wentz.

"He came to his death by the accidental discharge of his own pistol," is the verdict of the coroner's jury investigating the circumstances and conditions surrounding the death of Edward I. Wentz, the young millionaire, whose body was discovered decayed and unburied on a spur of Black Mountain, Tenn., last Sunday afternoon.

Fire destroyed 25 houses in the suburbs of St. Henry, Canada, rendering 30 families homeless. Most of the residents were poor. The loss is \$75,000.

Gen. Hickenlooper is Dead.

Gen. Andrew Hickenlooper, aged 67, died in Cincinnati on the 12th. He rose from captain to a brigadier general in the civil war, and was a famous commander of artillery in the Union army. After the war he was civil engineer of Cincinnati, and for the past 30 years president of the Cincinnati Gas and Electric Company. He was lieutenant governor of Ohio from 1880 to 1882.