

BRIEF NEWS NOTES.

CULLED FROM DISPATCHES FROM BOTH HEMISPHERES.

A General Resume of the Leading News of the Day, Prepared in a Suitable Form for the Busy Reader.

Mr. Henry Newman & Co. of New York city, said "to round up the liabilities of the firm are \$1,500,000. The assets are \$2,000,000."

The wholesale grocery establishment of Laporte, Martin & Co. at Montreal was burned to the ground.

Brazilian troops have been successful in several skirmishes with the insurgents in the state of Rio Grande do Sul.

All the Brazilian insurgents, including Admiral Da Gama, who were detained on board the Portuguese warships, have succeeded in escaping.

Seventy-two head of horses were burned to death in a fire in the stables 452 and 454 West Nineteenth street, New York city.

Howard Madigan, the 5-year-old son of James Madigan of Rochester, while at play with another child, stumbled and fell over a 30-foot embankment into the Genesee river just above the falls.

A decree issued by President Pelozo of Brazil orders the payment of all customs duties in gold.

The Berliner Neust. Nachrichten says that Emperor William of Germany has informed the officials of the foreign office that Germany's interest in the Samoan Islands will not be abandoned under any circumstances.

The bark Viola, Captain Clemeis, which sailed from London, Jan. 14, for St. Johns, N. F., and which was given up as lost a month ago, arrived there.

Mrs. Elizabeth Cady Stanton set on foot a gathering of women suffragists at New York that fashionable women could not be their leaders.

Annie McLaughlin, a trusted domestic in the service of Mrs. E. Strong Parker of New York city took a \$500 diamond from its setting and substituted glass.

Little Monte Carlo, the poolroom gambling resort on the Bronx, was opened again. Its managers laugh at the idea of Westchester county authorities interfering with their illegal business.

Y. G. Hughes, Sam MacLendon, Joe Griffith and George Rice, colored, made a successful escape from Jefferson county jail at Birmingham, Ala.

In a fight between a gang of tramps and a posse of citizens the city marshal was killed and two men wounded in Missouri Valley, Ia.

Judge Bradley has overruled the motion for a new trial in the Breckinridge Pollard case.

A Vienna dispatch says a boggar attacked the head of the Rothschild bank-banking house in that city, stabbing him in the face while he was walking through the streets.

The union painters and paperhangers in Chicago have declared a general strike upon all the bosses who locked them out three weeks ago.

At the Harvard games Carleton broke Harvard's record in the 120-yard hurdle race, covering the distance in 16 1/2 seconds.

Mrs. Paul Marchhoff horsewhipped Miss Ella Blumenthal in a crowded street in Brooklyn for being with her husband.

Upton & Craig's large grain elevator at the foot of Marshall street in Charlotte, N. Y., was entirely destroyed by fire. Loss \$40,000.

Adrian Rivets, a 6-year-old boy, was literally ground to a pulp while attempting to cross the track in front of an electric car in Montreal.

One of the most important business blocks in Winchester, Va., was destroyed by fire, loss, \$100,000.

Al Rabman Bay, once of high rank in Cashmere, but lately fallen in fortune and perhaps disappointed in love, jumped overboard from the Lusitan at sea.

Michael Quirk of Mount Vernon, N. Y., went to visit his sweetheart in that village. As he descended the stairs of her home, he fell to the first floor. He was dead when picked up. His neck had been broken.

The latest dispatches from Brailov, Roumania, say it is thought that the number of persons drowned by the giving way of a pier there will reach nearly 50.

There is every probability that between 1,500 and 1,800 carpenters in Montreal will go on strike. The men demand 20 cents per hour and nine hours' work a day.

The shareholders of the company which controls the gambling privileges at Monte Carlo held a meeting and a dividend was declared of 175 francs. This is 33 francs less than the dividend declared last year, and the falling off is due to a decrease of 2,000,000 francs in the receipts.

During a ball game at Portland, Conn., a bat slipped from the hands of Angus Graham and crushed the frontal bone of John Castwell of Middletown, 16 years of age. Trepanning was resorted to, but the boy will probably die.

The 4-story brick block at 30 South Water street, Rochester, owned and occupied by Servis & Hoffman, showcase manufacturers, was burned. The loss will reach \$300,000.

The store of the Waterbury Watch company in London was burned. The loss is heavy. The roof fell, injuring a fireman and a number of other persons.

The senate committee on printing has decided to report favorably the nomination of Thomas E. Benedict for public printer.

John W. Long, a prominent contractor of St. Catharines, Ont., ended his life by shooting. Business reverses is given as the cause.

There was a collision between a party of striking joiners and the police in Vienna. The strikers threw stones at the police and severely wounded one of them. The police retaliated by firing upon the strikers, slightly wounding two of them. Several of the strikers were arrested.

WHAT IN THE NEWS.

Mr. Turpie's Mitter Attack on the Ho publisher, Leader.

WASHINGTON, May 1.—The Democratic side of the senate was goaded almost to desperation by an exasperating speech of the leaders of the opposition.

The interesting forum which began last week was continued, but the speakers were shunned, the lunging more vicious and the arrests directed at 10,000 spots.

The Republican leader, Senator Aldrich, assumed the aggressive at the outset, using the recent newspaper reports of radical changes agreed upon by the Democrats in secret conference as weapons with which to harass and irritate them.

Their success was admirable. During the day almost every prominent Democrat on the floor was forced to defend himself.

Toward the end of the high tempered debate the floor was banished with a freedom that was quite startling in the dignified senate, and the climax was reached when Senator Turpie of Indiana launched a terrific assault of a most personal character against Senator Aldrich.

When Mr. Turpie sat down there was a hush upon the chamber. Everyone was amazed at the personal character of the attack upon Senator Aldrich. Then his eyes were turned upon the Ho publisher, senator.

He arose slowly. "In the position the senator from Indiana now takes," he said slowly and deliberately, "he speaks for no one but himself. Under other circumstances and conditions he would believe he would have made the best he has made."

Mr. Aldrich took his seat. The incident closed without another word, and Quay took the floor. A resumed the prepared speech he began some weeks ago.

No Funds to Run the Court. ROCHESTER, May 2.—It looks now as if the May term of the United States court, which is set down for Tuesday next, will not meet.

Unless the president signs the deficiency bill, which has passed both branches there will be no money to pay witnesses and other expenses.

Passage of Traffic Impeded. UTRICA, N. Y., May 2.—Although the canal legally opened yesterday on boats are moving here owing to the unfavorable condition of the new boat bridge at Genesee street. An attempt will be made to jack up the bridges so that boats can pass.

Collector Hook Takes Charge. ROCHESTER, May 2.—Collector George H. Hook has assumed his duties at the custom house of the port of Genesee. Collector Hook says that he will be ready to make public the names of his deputies today.

Tannery Men on Strike. OLEAN, N. Y., May 1.—The employees of Baswell & Hubbard's tannery, numbering 100, have struck. They claim that the firm discriminated against union men and was preparing for a lockout.

THE MARKETS. New York Money Market. New York, May 1. Money at 1 per cent. Prime mercantile paper, 93 1/2 per cent. Sterling exchange, actual business in bankers bills, \$4.87 1/2 for 60 days, and \$4.87 1/2 for 90 days. Posted rates, \$4.88 1/2. Commercial bills, \$4.89 1/2. Government bonds—United States 4 per cent. 111 1/2 do 50 cent, 111 1/2 do 100 cent, 112 1/2. Bar silver, 64 3/8.

New York Produce Market. New York, May 1. FLOUR—Mill patent, \$10 1/2. Winter patents, \$10 3/4. City mill, \$10 1/2. Winter straight, \$10 3/8. Minnesota patents, \$10 1/2. Winter extras, \$10 3/8. Minnesota extras, \$10 3/8. Winter, low grade, \$10 1/2. Spring, low grade, \$10 1/2. Spring extras, \$10 3/8. Southern flour, common to fancy extra, \$10 1/2. Good to choice, \$10 3/8. RYE FLOUR—Superior, \$2 1/2. Good, \$2 1/4. Choice, \$2 3/8. BUCKWHEAT FLOUR, \$3 1/2. BUCKWHEAT—State, 68 1/2. Canadian, 68 1/2. CORNMEAL—Yellow western, \$2 1/2. Brandywine, \$2 1/4. RYE—Car lots, \$1 1/2. Loads, \$1 1/4. Arrives. BARLEY—No. 2 Milwaukee, 62 1/2. Two-rowed state, 62 1/2. One-rowed state, ungraded western, 60 1/2. BARLEY MALT—Western, 55 1/2. Canadian, 55 1/2. Six-rowed, 55 1/2. Arrives. WHEAT—Spot sales of No. 2 red state and elevator, 81c. Arrives, 82 1/2. No. 1 northern, 80 1/2. Options, No. 2 red May closed 81c; June, 82c; July, 83c; Aug., 84c; Sept., 85c; Dec., 86c. CORN—Spot sales of No. 2, 43 1/2. Elevator, 44 1/2. Arrives, 45 1/2. Options, May, 45 1/2; July, 46 1/2; Sep., 47 1/2. OATS—Spot sales of No. 2, 41 1/2. No. 3, 40 1/2. No. 4, 39 1/2. No. 5, 38 1/2. No. 6, 37 1/2. No. 7, 36 1/2. No. 8, 35 1/2. No. 9, 34 1/2. No. 10, 33 1/2. No. 11, 32 1/2. No. 12, 31 1/2. No. 13, 30 1/2. No. 14, 29 1/2. No. 15, 28 1/2. No. 16, 27 1/2. No. 17, 26 1/2. No. 18, 25 1/2. No. 19, 24 1/2. No. 20, 23 1/2. No. 21, 22 1/2. No. 22, 21 1/2. No. 23, 20 1/2. No. 24, 19 1/2. No. 25, 18 1/2. No. 26, 17 1/2. No. 27, 16 1/2. No. 28, 15 1/2. No. 29, 14 1/2. No. 30, 13 1/2. No. 31, 12 1/2. No. 32, 11 1/2. No. 33, 10 1/2. No. 34, 9 1/2. No. 35, 8 1/2. No. 36, 7 1/2. No. 37, 6 1/2. No. 38, 5 1/2. No. 39, 4 1/2. No. 40, 3 1/2. No. 41, 2 1/2. No. 42, 1 1/2. No. 43, 1/2. No. 44, 1/4. No. 45, 1/8. No. 46, 1/16. No. 47, 1/32. No. 48, 1/64. No. 49, 1/128. No. 50, 1/256. No. 51, 1/512. No. 52, 1/1024. No. 53, 1/2048. No. 54, 1/4096. No. 55, 1/8192. No. 56, 1/16384. 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