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NEW ENGLAND'S GREAT DESOLATION

More Than 250 Persons Known to Have Been Lost. And Still Other Places Are to be Heard From.

BOSTON, Nov. 30.—The news of the loss of the Boston and Portland Steam Packet company's steamer Portland, off Cape Cod, and the death of more than 150 persons, comprising passengers and crew of the steamer and the news from hitherto unheard of ports on Cape Cod showing at least a score and a half vessels were wrecked along that shore with the loss of 12 lives, has come as a dire climax to the previous report of disasters resulting from Saturday night's storm.

TWO HUNDRED AND FIFTY DEAD. There are still other places to be heard from on both sides of the Cape which have not been reached by train on account of washouts and which are cut off from other means of communication by broken wires, blocked highways and shattered bridges. While the total loss of life cannot be estimated with any degree of accuracy, it is known that more than 250 persons have perished.

THE WRECK OF THE PORTLAND. ORLEANS, Mass., Nov. 30.—Five bodies have been recovered here from the Portland, which was wrecked just north of Cape Cod. The wreckage and a great many bodies are drifting south, possibly as far as Nantucket, it is thought the northeast gale today will bring the bodies in. The entire Cape is patrolled.

THE STORM IN NEW YORK. NEW YORK, Nov. 30.—The storm, which began last night with rain followed by hail and snow, blocked traffic in the suburbs today and delayed it in the city. While the storm had not the severity of the blow Saturday and Sunday, coming so soon on the heels of the storm, it increased the difficulties of the situation.

SPANISH SOLDIERS. Gen. Butler Says 70,000 Will Soon Have Gone From Cuba. WASHINGTON, Nov. 30.—Major-General M. C. Butler had another conference with the President yesterday concerning affairs in Cuba.

HEINISH & REAGAN. —AGENTS— HOT SODA.

BEING TRIED FOR BLACKMAIL

Jay Gould's Children in Court in New York to Testify. ALBANY, N. Y., Nov. 29.—Mrs. Margaret Cody's trial on indictments for blackmail were begun in the Albany county court before Judge Clifford D. Gregory today.

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MORE TROUBLE WITH NEGROES A Member of the Third North Carolina Shot. MACON, Ga., Nov. 30.—Rumor was rife in the city last night that the negro soldiers of the Third North Carolina regiment stationed here intended to break out of camp and destroy the city, and much uneasiness has been felt both by citizens and soldiers.

VERDICT OF ACCQUITTAL. Decision of the Jury in a Cruelty to Animals Case. The trial of H. T. Yarboro, charged with cruelty to animals, was concluded in County Circuit court this morning.

MUNICIPAL LEAGUE. National Body Begins Its Sixth Con- ference. INDIANAPOLIS, Nov. 30.—The sixth conference of the National Municipal League began this afternoon at the Commercial club. This is the most important meeting of the league since its organization.

FRANK CAUSEY WOUNDED. Shot by Storekeeper John Trantham at Biltmore. Frank Causey of Fairview was seriously wounded late yesterday afternoon at Biltmore by John Trantham.

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PEARSON'S CONTEST. He is Said to be Looking for Evidence in the West. It is said that Congressman Pearson, who arrived Monday from Washington, is actively engaged in acquiring evidence to be used in contesting the election of Hon. W. T. Crawford.

SHARKEY AND CORBETT. They Will Fight Again for the Benefit of the Poor. NEW YORK, Nov. 30.—Monday, in a published interview, Corbett was quoted as saying that he was willing to fight Sharkey again for nothing, providing he was allowed his training expenses.

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