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FIFTIETH CONGRESS.

TO START THE MINES.

TELEGRAPHIC SUMMARY.

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OXFORD Furniture House.

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Respectfully, BULLOCK & MITCHELL.

Trouble Looked For at Shenandoah. The Reading Officials Seeking Protection From Governor Weaver—Advanced Wages in the Individual Collieries.

The Reading Company has announced that it will not decrease its dividend to start the Shenandoah City and West Shenandoah and other collieries around Shenandoah.

At a meeting held Saturday at Ashland, Kan., a proposition was agreed upon, in relation to the Indian Territory to which the Opium and silk smuggling from China into San Francisco is said to be carried on by a rich gang, who employ the force of sailing.

During a quarrel at Vincennes, Ind., George Hartman, twenty-five years old, shot and killed John J. Jones, a blacksmith, who was seen since.

LOSSES BY FIRE. Fire destroyed the multi-story of Charles G. Curtis, in Buffalo, N. Y., with 40,000 barrels of coal. Loss \$20,000.

A CATTLE TRAIN WRECKED. Broken Cars and Mangled Beasts Piled Up in a Shapless Mass. A live stock train, with twenty-three cars, or about four hundred cattle, was wrecked at Bayboro, N. C. Loss \$5,000.

DEATH IN THE DISH. A Colored House-keeper's Mistake Causes Five Deaths. A family of five persons were poisoned in Grant parish, La. An old colored woman, Mary Diver, in preparing a dish of cabbage by mistake poured into the kettle a quantity of rat poison, supposing it to be common cooking soda.

MEN BLOWN TO ATOMS. The Earth Shaken Twenty Miles Away. The packing house of the Dupont Powder Mills, at Wagonwheel, twenty miles from Wilmington, Pa., blew up.

SEVENTEEN MEN RESCUED. Driven Work of New Jersey Fish-Screens Under Great Difficulties. The bark Fairmount, bound from Annapolis to New York, sailed with empty oil barrels, struck the beach three miles south of Bay Head, N. J.

FATAL CASUALTIES. Two men were killed at Bradford, Pa., by the breaking of a heavy stone in a covey mill. John Armstrong, aged thirty years, was killed at Martin's Ferry, W. Va., by being caught in a shaft revolving 125 times per minute.

RELIEF COMES TOO LATE. Pitiable Plight of a Dying Journalist and Author. Charitable people have come to the rescue of Samuel E. Moulton, the journalist and author, who, overwhelmed by his misfortunes and poverty, crawled into an outhouse to die at Louisville, Ky.

SEVEN NEGROES DROWNED. An Overladen Skiff Swamped by the Swash of a Steamboat. Seven negroes were drowned at a point on the Mississippi River about sixty miles below Orleans. A large number of negroes had gathered at the Fairview plantation for the purpose of catching crabs.

WOMEN LEAP FROM THE WINDOWS OF A Blazing Brooklyn House. Fire broke out in the big three-story and basement frame boarding house, No. 105 and 107 Clark street, Brooklyn, N.Y.

TWO PERSONS SUFFOCATED. Fatal Fire in a Vermont Town Hospital. A most distressing fire occurred at St. Albans, Vt., when the St. Albans Town Hospital was completely gutted and 400 patients were suffocated before help could reach them.

PERISHED WHILE DRUNK. Six Lives Lost in a Blazing House. A fearful disaster, the result of a drunken spree, by which six lives were lost, occurred at River Brook, eight miles south of Harrison, Pa.

HEAVILY INSURED LIVES. An Invalid Whose Death Would Cost Eight Hundred Thousand Dollars. The trip of Dr. David Hostetter, vice president of the projected South Penn Railroad, California, in a desperate effort to raise money, is being anxiously watched by life insurance companies all over the country.

CABLE SPARKS. The military bill was read the third time in the German Reichstag and was passed on Monday.

WOMEN ROBBED IN DAYLIGHT. Footpads Hazy in Pittsburg—One Woman Killed, Two Injured and One Seriously Injured by the Thieves. Daylight assaults and robberies in the West End of Pittsburg have alarmed the people, who had a meeting to make provision for protecting themselves and their property.

DOWN AN EMBANKMENT. Passengers Injured by the Wreck of a Train in Connecticut. Spreading rails in a curve in the Northampton Division of the Consolidated Railroad caused the wreck of a passenger train near Unionville, Conn.

MARKETS. BALTIMORE—Flour—City Mills, extra \$5.00; Wheat—Southern Falls, extra \$2.00; Corn—Southern White, \$1.50; Pork—No. 1, \$12.00; Lard—No. 1, \$10.00.

KILLED BY NITRO-GLYCERINE. A Blow With a Pick Brings Disaster to Two Workmen. A frightful explosion of nitro-glycerine occurred at Fallston, Md., on Wednesday, preparing to erect a gas well. One of them struck into a pile of wood with a crow-bar.