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CROWD BOATS AND TRAINS

REFUGEES FROM YELLOW JACK SCATTER—NO CASES OUTSIDE SOLDIERS' HOME.

THE QUARANTINE IS STRICTER THAN EVER NOW

Difficulty In Moving Soldiers From Fortress Monroe—Norfolk Will Shut Out the Vessels They Use.

Norfolk, Aug. 2.—No yellow fever cases and no suspicious case has been discovered outside of the Soldiers' Home and Phoebus. The exodus from this city continues. The boats and trains are crowded with refugees of all sorts. The wild rumors of fever at points other than Hampton in circulation are absolutely without foundation. The quarantine against Hampton, Old Point, and Newport News is to-day stricter than ever. All mails now come via Richmond.

In Phoebus, outside the Home, there are three cases. Three new cases in the Home yesterday and one death are reported. Every precaution to hold the disease in bounds is being taken.

Says Fever Will Extend.

Washington, Aug. 2.—Surgeon General Sternberg predicts that the yellow fever will extend beyond Phoebus, but is in doubt whether it will reach Norfolk and Northern cities.

Difficulty in Moving Troops.

Washington, Aug. 2.—Some difficulty is experienced in removing the troops from Fortress Monroe as none of the steamship companies will take them, and just now there are no Government transports available. Norfolk threatens to quarantine the Pennsylvania boat for five days if it is used to carry troops to Cape Charles.

The War Department says that the request of Gov. Tyler's that enough troops be left at Fortress Monroe to act as a quarantine guard cannot be granted, there being no authority for the use of troops for that purpose. Gov. Tyler urges that the veterans in the Home be moved to a better latitude.

COLUMBIA LEADS THE DEFENDER.

Till Her Steel Mast Snaps In Two—She is Out of the Race.

New Port, Aug. 2.—The first trial races between the Columbia and the Defender are being sailed. The start was made at 11:15, the Defender crossing the line a few seconds ahead. The Columbia quickly closed the gap, out footing and out pointing the Defender.

During a stiff breeze at 12:05 the Columbia's new steel mast snapped thirty feet above the deck and she is hopelessly out of the race.

Irby Was Elected.

Raleigh, N. C. Aug. 2.—After eleven ballots Prof. Irby was elected Professor of Agriculture in the A. & M. College yesterday, displacing Prof. Emory. The salary is \$1,800. This is the position from which Irby was removed without cause.

Geo. F. Ivey was elected Instructor in the Textile Department and J. M. Johnson Instructor in Animal Biology. Each of these positions pays \$1,000.

NO DEAN ELECTED.

In Place of Judge Shepherd Who Resigned—Some Valuable Gifts.

Raleigh, N. C., Aug. 2.—The trustees of the University met yesterday. It was determined not to elect at present a successor to Judge Shepherd as Dean of the Law School, but to first arrange for the expansion and development of the law department so as to make it a great law school. This was put in the hands of the President and the executive committee.

Mrs. Dr. John Manning donated the valuable library of the late Dr. Manning to the law department. It was accepted and a scholarship established in the law department to be known as the Manning Scholarship in appreciation of the gift.

Upon being informed that Mr. Henry Weill, of Goldsboro, had given \$1,000 to the University for the benefit of its library a rising vote of thanks was tendered him.

EIGHT HUNDRED THOUSAND DOLLARS.

The City Treasurer of Glasgow an Embezzler—Result of Gambling.

Glasgow, Aug. 2.—A great sensation has been caused here by the arrest of James Colquhoun, L. L. D., city treasurer, on the charge of fraud and embezzlement. He received moneys in trust for investment aggregating a large sum, including three thousand pounds belonging to the Glasgow University, and three hundred pounds belonging to the Langside Free Tree. The shortage it is believed, will reach one hundred and sixty thousand pounds.

His downfall is ascribed to heavy gambling in the resorts of the Continent.

JUDGE SHEPHERD RESIGNS.

As Dean of the University Law School—Judge Connor's Name Suggested.

The Raleigh papers give the information that ex Chief Justice James E. Shepherd has resigned his position as Dean of the University Law School. The University Trustees meet in Raleigh to-day and may then elect his successor. The names of Judge Burwell, of Charlotte, and Judge H. G. Connor have been mentioned for the position.

Judge Connor said when interviewed this morning, that he would not be able to accept if the position were tendered him; that his various business interests would prevent his so doing.

FIGHTING AT CEBU.

Americans Attack the Entrenched Filipinos—Charleston Shells the Insurgents.

Manila, August 2nd.—Mail advices from the Island of Cebu, announce that a company of Americans last week attacked the Filipino trenches, two kilometres from the town of El Pardo. The insurgents were commanded by the Brothers Climacos, prominent and wealthy natives. The Charleston shelled the insurgents and the Filipinos retreated. The American casualties are slight. The presence of the Climacos is reported to be due to orders from Luzon.

Invalids Arrive.

San Francisco, Aug. 2.—Hospital ship Relief arrived to-day. She carries three hundred and fifty invalids, representing nearly every regiment now in the field, as well as the Nebraska, Utah and Pennsylvania volunteers who have already returned.

INDIANS ARE IN WAR PAINT

THE YAQUI TRIBE OF MEXICO IN ARMS—KILL AMERICANS AND MEXICANS.

SOME OUTLYING SETTLEMENTS MASSACRED

The People Are in a State Of Terror—Roving Bands At Their Work Of Death And Destruction.

Ortiz, Mex., Aug. 2.—The Yaqui Indians are on the warpath. Forty miles southwest of here they made a desperate attack on a party of whites, killing two Americans. Among the slain is the Mexican General Torres. Many Indians were killed.

This is the first outbreak since 1897 and if this reaches the proportions then attained between three and four thousand fighting Indians will be engaged.

The outbreak creates great surprise in all quarters, as it was totally unexpected.

There is no definite report as to the number killed in the fight, but over fifty on both sides are said to have been killed.

Roving Bands At Work.

City of Mexico, Aug. 2.—Despatches received to day from the lower Yaqui river country say that roving bands of Indians are killing Mexicans and Americans, and that a number of Americans in the outlying districts have been slaughtered. Fears are expressed lest a large number of prospectors who have been pouring into the Sierra Madre Mountains during the past year have been massacred.

SINKS A YACHT.

The Dromedary Collides in a Thick Fog—Yacht and Crew Disappear.

Belfast, Aug. 1.—The steamship Dromedary reports that during a thick fog last night she struck a forty ton yacht which disappeared in the fog. It is supposed that the yacht went down with all hands, and at least ten men are judged to have been aboard.

Personal Not Political.

Washington, Aug. 2.—The navy department is advised of the arrival of the Machias at San Domingo City yesterday. Commander Logan cables that the death of President Heuraux is not believed to have any political significance whatever, and that the motive of the assassin is believed to have been personal.

Has Taken No Action.

Berlin, Aug. 2.—It is reported that the Government, according to an official opinion, has taken no action whatever on the conclusions of the Peace Conference. The Kaiser views the work of the conference as having no possible practical results.

Touched The Congressman.

Brussels, Aug. 2.—Congressman Lovering, of Taunton, Mass., was robbed in the railway station at Ostend of twelve thousand dollars in drafts, checks and cash.

Jamestown Ashore.

Forfolk, Aug. 2.—The Old Dominion steamship, Jamestown, got ashore this morning at Lamberts Point, but was hauled off by the tug Pocahontas and was not damaged.

OVER THE STATE.

North Carolina Items—The Latest News Boiled Down.

Mr. A. G. Knebel, the new State secretary of the Y M C A, has been secretary of the Charleston, S. C. association for some time, which position he resigned to become general secretary of North and South Carolina. He will reside at Asheville.

The register of Deeds of Lenoir county wrote to State Treasurer Worth to know if a foreigner who is a resident of the State, but who has not taken out naturalization papers, is liable to poll tax. The Treasurer replies that such a person is liable to poll tax. "Liability to poll tax is not dependant on citizenship," the Treasurer wrote.

Mr. H. C. Eccles, of Charlotte, was in Iredell county recently to have the body of his father removed from one burying ground to another. Mr. Eccles' father died 39 years ago. The body was buried in a metallic case. When disinterred Saturday, the body and casket were found to be in a perfect state of preservation. The case was put in a new coffin and re-interred in Statesville.

Octavius Coke, who was in the First Regiment and since its muster-out has been in the quartermaster's department in Cuba, is on his way to Manila, where he says he will resume work in that department. He says E. G. Harrill, who was the quartermaster of the First, has a very good position in the office of General Humphreys, chief quartermaster of the island.

Two Men Electrocutted.

Auburn, Aug. 2.—Oscar Rice, of Westfield, Chautauqua county, and John Kennedy of Buffalo, were electrocuted this morning in Auburn prison, both men being executed within twenty minutes.

Alger takes comfort in the thought that hereafter he will have only "his own burden to carry." To be made a pack mule to carry all the blunders of a blundering administration was rather tough.—Wilmington Star.

The Negro Was Lynched.

Birmingham, Aug. 2.—Solomon Jone, a negro, was lynched by a mob in Butler county this morning for attempted assault upon a young white girl. He was caught after a long chase on the part of farmers.

Great Big Hailstones

Jamestown, N. Y., Aug. 2.—The heaviest hailstorm ever occurring here came this morning, Hailstones weighing several ounces fell in great quantities. The storm did great damage to the crops.

Pleaded Not Guilty.

New York, Aug. 2.—Roland R. Molineux was arraigned this morning before general sessions, charged with the murder of Mrs. Adams. In a clear and distinct voice he pleaded not guilty.

EFFECTUAL.—Charles J. Booth, Olive-wood, Cal., says: "I have used Ayer's Pills in my family for several years, and have always found them most effectual in the relief of ailments arising from a disordered stomach, torpid liver, and constipated bowels."

A MOST HORRIBLE ACCIDENT

A FALLING PINE DOES TERRIBLE WORK—NARROW ESCAPE FROM DEATH.

BOTH LEGS OF TWO PARTIES ARE BROKEN

The Horse Is Instantly Killed—Returning From a Pic Nic The Buggy Is Smashed To Pieces.

Last Thursday afternoon there occurred about fifteen miles from Wilson, in the vicinity of Rock Ridge, one of the most singular and terrible accidents that has ever taken place in this county.

Mr. Bass Lewis, a young man about 22 years old, had taken Miss Jane Fulghum, a young lady of 20 years, to a picnic at Lee's Chapel. They were on their way home and Mr. Lewis was driving a very spirited horse.

Down the road ahead of them Mr. Matthew Parker was cutting down a tall long leaf pine and his calculations were to have the tree fall from the road. Finding that the tree was going to fall across the road despite his efforts he ran out to see if any one was coming.

Coming on swiftly he saw a buggy. He waved his arms and shouted a warning. In the buggy were Mr. Lewis and Miss Fulghum and as they came near, Mr. Lewis, fearing to attempt to turn his horse in the road, or to have it face the falling tree, made a desperate endeavor to pass. He struck his horse and it dashed forward, but too late to escape the falling tree, which came down with a terrific crash, striking the front of the buggy and instantly killing the horse. A projecting limb struck the occupants across the lower legs, and smashed the buggy to pieces.

Mr. Parker called loudly for aid and dragged Miss Fulghum and Mr. Lewis from the wreck. They were in a horrible condition, both legs being broken.

Assistance soon came, and a feather bed and mattress were brought. On these the sufferers were placed and taken to the home of Mr. James Fulghum, the father of Miss Fulghum.

A messenger was sent for Drs. C. E. Moore and Albert Anderson, of this place, reaching here about 11 o'clock. The doctors went at once getting to the place about two o'clock. An examination showed that both bones in both legs of the two parties were broken, and that there were serious flesh wounds. From two o'clock till five the doctors labored before the work of boxing and dressing the injured limbs was completed.

Miss Fulghum's injuries are more serious than those of Mr. Lewis, though both are terrible, and it will take months for them to recover. Though not now expected, amputation may be necessary in the case of the young lady.

Miss Jane Fulghum is a niece of Mrs. Pattie Fulghum, of Wilson, and it is reported that she stood her injuries bravely, not complaining as much as did Mr. Lewis.

Shop Girls Burned.

New York, Aug. 2.—A can of naphtha exploded this morning at the Manhattan Novelty Works, creating a panic among the shop girls, two of whom were badly burned.