

TRADE'S INDICATOR.

Phenomenal Activity Displayed in all Lines of Commerce.

Bank Clearings Active and a Falling Off in Foreign Exchange. The Spring...

Special telegrams to Bradstreet's report a very general and sensible activity in the distribution of staple goods...

Very goods have been in fair demand East, although the movement of the Spring...

September bank clearings reflect an increase in activity in all the centres over the preceding month...

Exports of wheat, both coast and inland, are slightly higher. The total of 4,453,458 bushels in September, 1889...

Sugar is dull, and raws are 1-1/2c lower. September consumption was very large for refined of a deficient fruit crop...

Coffee is only in fair demand at unchanged prices. Case oil is higher, owing to the...

A LIGHT shock of earthquake was felt at Pointe de Monte, Quebec.

A DESPATCH from Carthage, Illinois, says that a gripple has made its reappearance there.

FIREMAN Payne was killed by a collision of trains on the Cincinnati Southern Road near Chattanooga.

THE BOILER of a steam thrasher exploded at the residence of William H. Devin, near...

A SPECIAL freight train into the rear of a passenger train on the Southern Pacific Road, at Tenino, Washington...

A DESPATCH from Toronto, Ohio, says that the works of the Acme Torsion Company...

A FREIGHT train on the Louisville and Nashville Railroad collided with a switch engine near Warrior, Alabama...

At the county residence of M. L. Devin, near Le Moine, Iowa, James Devin picked a belt...

A BUILDING in Chicago, occupied by S. Franklin & Son, as a picture frame factory...

At the residence of J. W. Green, in the town of Steelville, while going under a bridge...

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INTERESTING NEWS COMPILED FROM MANY SOURCES.

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An Apalachicola, Fla., resident killed a rat that weighed 73 pounds.

Dr. W. D. Ribble has sold his black marble quarry in Montgomery county, Va., for \$30,000.

S. G. B. N. ran, brakeman on a freight train on the C and O Road, was killed at Dunlap, Va., the train passing over him.

Charlottesville, Va., grape growers are rejoicing over the fact that the present season has been the best in many years.

Wm. Sweet, a brakeman on the Baltimore and Ohio, living at Orange Grove, Va., had four feet cut off at Harper's Ferry, Va.

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The total number of acts passed during the first session of the Fifty-first Congress does not fall far short of the 1700 passed by the last Congress...

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ABOUT NOTED PEOPLE.

ROULANGER'S MOTHER was an English woman. ROGER Q. MILLS is now "stumping" in Wisconsin.

THE Queen of Roumania will visit Queen Victoria at Balmoral.

TWELVE members of the United States Senate are natives of New York.

HENRY WATERSON was originally intended for a pianist by his father.

SENATOR WADE HAMPTON, in spite of his cock leg, is an expert horseman.

MADAME MOISEWITZ was one of the largest farms in Los Angeles county, Cal.

GENERAL SPINNEY'S vision is completely gone and his general health is extremely precarious.

CHRISTINE NELSON is supposed to have been Cabernet's model for the famous "Marguerite."

MR. BECKLE, the editor of the London Times, is reputed to receive a salary of \$24,000 a year.

MME. MICHELLET, the widow and collaborator of the historian, is preparing a volume of her travels for the press.

WILKIE COLLINS' grave in the northern part of Kensal Green Cemetery is marked by a neat, fane adorned marble cross.

J. M. SCHEERER has purchased the Parsons (Nap) farms of Georgia. Descending his name, will for it as a Prohibition paper.

MR. GEORGE MEREDITH has become a convert to vegetarianism and intends, it is said, to write a novel in support of this theory of living.

THE Duchess of Uzes, who furnished Boulanger with his money, is the owner of the curve Clitopat champagne business which she inherited from her father.

MRS. JEFFERSON DAVIS has received \$239, her half of a royalty on the two months' sale of the memorial volume of her husband, prepared by friends for her benefit.

HENRY FRANCIS MOORE, of Medford, Mass., is said to be the original of Longfellow's "Village Blacksmith," and the idea is supported by circumstantial evidence.

COLONEL JOHN BENTON and S. M. Johnson, respectively Democratic and Republican candidates for Congress in North Dakota, will not discuss the tariff throughout the campaign.

CASTAIN JAMES BEND, who saved the lives of 238 persons wrecked off Long Branch on the Rhode Island coast, is now still living at the age of ninety near Beach Haven, N. J.

GENERAL BARBUDIA'S married daughter will shortly visit in the States, and will be the "President" of the "International Brotherhood of Murderers." She is now with her mother at Oaxaca, Mexico.

MACKENZIE, the well-known chess player, who was once ranked as the best player in his friends to take part in the international tournament, is reported to be dying of consumption in Manhattan.

EX-CONGRESSMAN JOHN TURNER WAIT, of Norwich, Conn., who no one would take to be eighty years old, though he is, has just presented a Trinitry College, Hartford, with nearly a thousand volumes of his own collection.

MR. STANLEY will deliver his first lecture in New York in the Metropolitan Opera House on November 14th. The subject will be the "Revolutions of the World," and the "Vigilance, and the March Across Africa."

REV. DR. MEREDITH, who next to Dr. Tallmadge, preaches to the largest audiences in Brooklyn, is said to have a very large family, capacity that he first arrived in San Francisco, where he remained some time, and then went to Boston to study for the ministry.

JAY Gould's income for the month of October, 1890, was \$100,000, and from other sources \$100,000,000 to \$12,000,000 a year. Mr. Gould claims to have a net income of 6 per cent. of all his investments.

The Maharajah Duleep Singh, who has recently been pardoned by the British Government, and permitted to return to England, is passionately fond of shooting, a form of sport in which he has hardly any superiors, and but very few equals. An old habit is that he shoots sitting down, and that he is a very expert marksman.

PRINCE BISMARCK has a strong superstition concerning the number 3. The arms of his family bear over the motto, "In trinitate salus." Three medals which he has received, all caricatures of him represent him with three hairs on his head; he has three children; three of his sons are named after him; he has three estates—Friedrichsruh, Varpitz and Schonhausen; he has fought in three wars and signed three treaties of peace; he arranged the meeting of the three emperors and established the Triple Alliance. Finally, he has under him three political parties—the Conservatives, the National Liberals and the Ultra-conservatives—each of whom has served three terms as emperor.

SIX MINERS BADLY BURNED.

So Badly Injured That the Recovery of Any of Them is Doubtful.

A terrific explosion occurred at the Sifting Colliery, Shamokin, Pa., at 10 o'clock the other morning, and the following persons were so badly burned that it is doubtful if any of them recover.

James Dinklin, John O'Gara, John Driessell, Edwin Brennan, Charles Giesch and Philip Beholl.

John Welsh, the inside foreman; George Fisher, Joseph Cardozo and the ad. Harry were overcome with after-damp and were associated with difficulty.

The explosion occurred in the east side bottom of the shaft, and after the explosion were engaged in driving headings when, it is supposed, they struck a very heavy feeder, which, in falling, struck the air-curtain, and caused the air-current. An alarm was given, but before the men could get out of the way the escaping gas came in contact with a naked lamp, which exploded, and a heavy cloud of dust and dirt, together with fragments of timber, was blown up the slope and into the shaft.

The men were thrown into the air, and with the deep intoxication and the shaking of the earth, alarmed the employees outside, and the work of rescue was immediately begun.

The scene where the accident occurred was one of the wildest confusion. The timbering was torn out for several rods, wagons were thrown from the track and piled up in ruin, and the shaft was filled with a mass of men about in a dazed condition.

The mine is badly damaged and work will have to be suspended pending repairs.

AFTER TWELVE YEARS.

A Murderer's Sentence Changed From Imprisonment for Life to Banishment.

A conditional pardon was granted to Thomas O'Connor, who has served twelve years of a life sentence in the Penitentiary at Still water, Minn. The petition for O'Connor's release was signed by all the jurymen who rendered the verdict, the judge who pronounced the sentence, and Judge Severance, the prosecuting attorney in the case. The condition on which the liberation is granted is that O'Connor is to leave the state forever.

The crime for which he was sentenced to life imprisonment was the murder of his nephew twelve years ago. O'Connor was released from home on the night after a drinking bout. When he came to Mr. Vaughn's residence, which was on his road home, he proceeded to make a night hunt for the noise. His nephew arose to put a stop to the noise. A rough-and-tumble fight ensued and O'Connor was thrown to the ground, with a fractured skull. Finding himself at a disadvantage, O'Connor pulled out his pocket-knife and disemboweled Vaughn.

MARKETS.

BALTIMORE—Flour—City Mills, extra, \$5.10 (44-25). Wheat—Southern Fall, 96-97-1/2 (44-25). Oats—Southern White, 54-55-1/2. Yellow, 57-58-1/2. Oats—Southern and Pennsylvania, 52-53-1/2. Rye—Maryland and Pennsylvania, 74-75-1/2. Hay—Maryland and Pennsylvania, 10-10-1/2 (11-10). Straw—Wheat, 5-5-1/2 (6-7). Corn—Yellow, 3-3-1/2 (4-4-1/2). Tobacco, Leaf—Interior, 16-18-1/2 (19-20). Cream, 10-10-1/2. Cheese, 8-9-1/2. Eggs—2-2-1/2 (2-3). Butter, 1-1-1/2 (1-2-1/2). Lard, 1-1-1/2 (1-2-1/2). Coffee, 1-1-1/2 (1-2-1/2). Sugar, 1-1-1/2 (1-2-1/2). Beans, 1-1-1/2 (1-2-1/2). Peas, 1-1-1/2 (1-2-1/2). Lentils, 1-1-1/2 (1-2-1/2). Chickens, 1-1-1/2 (1-2-1/2). Turkeys, 1-1-1/2 (1-2-1/2). Geese, 1-1-1/2 (1-2-1/2). Ducks, 1-1-1/2 (1-2-1/2). Hens, 1-1-1/2 (1-2-1/2). Eggs, 1-1-1/2 (1-2-1/2). Butter, 1-1-1/2 (1-2-1/2). Lard, 1-1-1/2 (1-2-1/2). Coffee, 1-1-1/2 (1-2-1/2). Sugar, 1-1-1/2 (1-2-1/2). Beans, 1-1-1/2 (1-2-1/2). Peas, 1-1-1/2 (1-2-1/2). Lentils, 1-1-1/2 (1-2-1/2). Chickens, 1-1-1/2 (1-2-1/2). Turkeys, 1-1-1/2 (1-2-1/2). Geese, 1-1-1/2 (1-2-1/2). Ducks, 1-1-1/2 (1-2-1/2). Hens, 1-1-1/2 (1-2-1/2). Eggs, 1-1-1/2 (1-2-1/2). Butter, 1-1-1/2 (1-2-1/2). Lard, 1-1-1/2 (1-2-1/2). Coffee, 1-1-1/2 (1-2-1/2). Sugar, 1-1-1/2 (1-2-1/2). Beans, 1-1-1/2 (1-2-1/2). Peas