

FIRE'S COSTLY HAVOC

OVER A MILLION DOLLARS WORTH OF PROPERTY GOES UP IN SMOKE.

A kind Providence and Not the Fire Department saved the Greater Portion of the Manufacturing and Resident Portions of the East Side of Minneapolis.

MINNEAPOLIS, Aug. 14.—Over a million dollars worth of property went up in flames, Thomas Falcon and an unknown child were killed, 150 houses burned and at least 1,500 persons are rendered homeless. This is the record made by the destroying element in the short space of two hours. A watchman saw a small blaze on the river side of J. B. Clarke & Co.'s box factory on the south end of Nicollet island at the head of St. Anthony falls.

While this fire was at its height a spark carried high in the air alighted on Boom island, nearly half a mile above the fire on Nicollet island. This island is occupied as a wood yard by the lumber firm of Nelson, Tenney & Co.

People Forced into the River. Hundreds of people are either the recipients of charity or are sleeping in the open air. Many saved only the clothes on their backs.

A Cyclone's Terrible Work. HUMBOLDT, Neb., Aug. 17.—This section was struck by a cyclone and reports are coming in of the ruin that it wrought.

Pawnee County's Disaster. PAWNEE CITY, Neb., Aug. 17.—A cyclone struck the house of John Turnbull at 4:30 o'clock and entirely destroyed it.

Table Rock's Twister. TABLE ROCK, Neb., Aug. 17.—A twister a few rods wide passed to the south of this place, tearing up corn and trees in its way.

Fatal Fire in Chicago. CHICAGO, Aug. 14.—In a fire which destroyed the two upper stories of the 3-story Senate hotel, at 134 Madison street, this morning, five people were killed and five others were so badly injured that they can scarcely recover.

Floods in Galicia and Hungary. BRDA PESTH, Aug. 16.—Floods are prevailing in Galicia and Hungary. Many lives have been lost and untold damage done.

Increase in Cholera. ST. PETERSBURG, Aug. 16.—The intensity of the heat has caused a sudden increase of the cholera epidemic in the affected Russian cities.

CONGRESSIONAL.

WASHINGTON, Aug. 10.—It was a day of waiting in the house. The Democratic silver and anti-silver advisory committees were meeting both separately and co-jointly.

WASHINGTON, Aug. 12.—Before a small audience of both members and spectators, the silver debate was resumed at 11 a. m. and Mr. Wheeler of Alabama continued his speech.

WASHINGTON, Aug. 14.—The silver debate was resumed in the house. The discussion was continued in a rather desultory manner and the attention accorded to it was decidedly listless.

WASHINGTON, Aug. 15.—After prayer and the reading and approval of the journal before a small attendance of members Mr. Burrows (Rep., Mich.) offered a resolution giving Charles E. Belknap the right to contest the seat of George F. Richardson of the Fifth district of Michigan.

WASHINGTON, Aug. 10.—Brevity was the feature of the senate proceedings. The chaplain confined himself to the Lord's prayer; the journal was embraced in a couple of paragraphs.

WASHINGTON, Aug. 14.—Perkins of California presented various memorials from the San Francisco Chamber of Commerce for the enactment of a substitute for the purchasing clause of the Sherman act.

WASHINGTON, Aug. 15.—In the senate Mr. Gordon (Dem., Ga.) introduced a bill which suspends for six months the operation of the law which imposes a tax of 10 per cent on the notes of the state banks.

WASHINGTON, Aug. 15.—The president sent to the senate the following nominations: Edward C. Butler of Massachusetts, to be secretary of legation to Mexico.

IN THE HANDS OF A RECEIVER. DENVER, Aug. 16.—The Elitch Guards Amusement company went into the hands of a receiver.

MARKETS BY TELEGRAPH. Chicago Grain and Provisions. WHEAT—August, 61 1/2; December, 62 1/2.

Chicago Live Stock. UNION STOCK YARDS, CHICAGO, Aug. 15. CATTLE—Receipts, 3,093. Common to extra steers, \$2.25-3.15.

REMINISCENCES OF ARMY LIFE.

(BY A PRIVATE.)

I have no apology to offer for having been a soldier, nor should explanations be necessary; but since the soldiers of the union army have been so persistently vilified, not only by the South, but more bitterly, if possible, by the aiders and abettors of the rebellion in the North, I deem it proper to say something of the motives that prompted us to enlist.

Such was the composition of our regiment, and of our particular company, or the company that was not very particular, as will be seen further on.

THE SUCCESS OF MRS. ANNIE M. BEAN, OF McKEESPORT, PENNSYLVANIA, IN THE TREATMENT OF DIARRHOEA IN HER CHILDREN WILL UNDOUBTEDLY BE OF INTEREST TO MANY MOTHERS.

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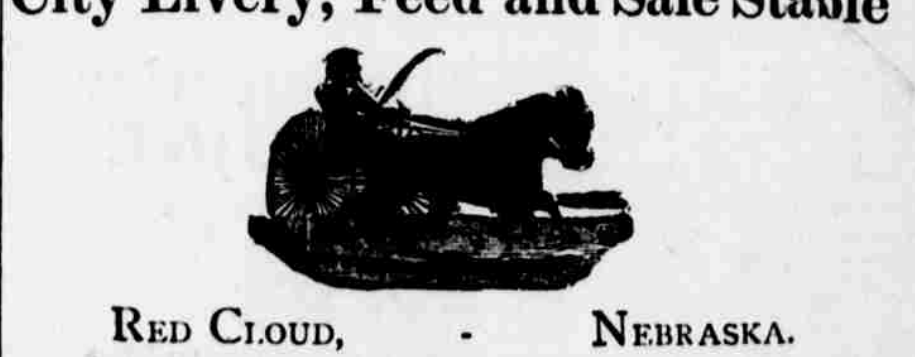
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