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DISASTROUS TORNADO

PARTS OF IOWA AND MINNESOTA RAVAGED.

Many Villages Laid Waste—Twenty Lives Lost at Emmetsburg, Iowa—Great Destruction of Property and Loss of Life at North Cerro Gordo—Business Portions of Leroy, Minn., Burned—Heavy Losses.

Disaster by a Tornado.

ST. PAUL, Minn., Sept. 24.—A tornado starting in North Central Iowa swept through Palo Alto, Hancock, Kossuth and Worth counties, that state, and through the southeastern portion of Minnesota and passed off into Wisconsin. According to the most reliable reports so far received from the stricken region, over forty persons were killed and a score or more injured, while great damage was done to villages and farms.

A message from Emmetsburg, Iowa, reports that twenty people were killed there.

At Osage, Iowa, five or more persons were killed and great damage done.

Near North Cerro Gordo, the tornado destroyed eight farm houses and killed Ellery McKecher, John Patterson, D. L. Haddow and Mrs. F. D. T. Haddow. Miss Maggie Baker, Harold McKecher, Alice McKecher, Miss Edith Bentley and James O'Neil, Sr., were fatally injured.

There was much destruction of life and property at Alzona, Iowa, and east of there.

At Lowther, Iowa, a town of 100 people, the storm destroyed the Chicago Great Western depot and grain elevators, a store and several dwellings. The Chicago express on the Chicago Great Western road was delayed, clearing the demolished buildings from the tracks.

The villages of Riceville and New Haven, Iowa, were badly damaged by the storm, many houses being wrecked and several persons injured.

North of Mason City, Iowa, two persons were killed and Mr. and Mrs. Haddon and a little child were blown half a mile and fatally injured. The storm struck Spring Valley, Minn., at 10 o'clock last night. The Winona and Southwestern depot, windmill, water tank, oil tank and cold storage house of the Schellhas Brewing company of Winona were utterly destroyed, together with a dozen or more houses. Three persons were killed and twenty others injured. Some of whom will die. A temporary hospital has been opened for the injured, while others are taken care of by friends. The dead are: Mr. and Mrs. N. Dodge and a child of Frank Mashek, C. G. King, Mrs. Louis Rose, Lena Rose, Mrs. Frank Mashek, John Ness's child and Charles Dodge are probably fatally injured.

The tornado next struck Homer, a village four miles south of Winona, injuring several people and destroying three cars, the new town hall, a general store and two houses and unroofing another.

The storm then passed across the Mississippi river to Marshall, on the Wisconsin side, destroying several houses and other structures, but injuring no one as far as reported.

In the village of Leroy the business portion was totally wrecked by the tempest which swept up from the Southwest. The loss of life was small, only four people being killed, but this was owing to the fact that the residence portion was largely spared, but barns were blown away, cattle killed and shade trees uprooted. Among the buildings wrecked were Milwaukee depot, three elevators, three flax warehouses and the opera house. In the last named a party of about thirty couples were enjoying a dancing party. Two dead bodies, those of young Finley and Gilbertson, have been taken out. The others were injured and bruised, but probably not seriously. The family of J. M. Wyckoff were on their way to the cellar when the cyclone struck their home, but they escaped with only slight injuries.

During the storm fire broke out in Palmer and Brown's shoe store next to the Caswell hotel. The building was filled with a new stock of goods. The building and contents were totally consumed. The fire communicated to Smart & Butler's hardware store and this was also burned, as was also the Caswell hotel, the bare brick walls alone remaining. Strenuous efforts of the citizens saved the town from further ravages by fire.

The losses by fire and storm are estimated at about \$45,000. Some of the wrecked buildings were crushed as if an immense weight from above had fallen on them.

It is reported from Austin that the town of Mason was blown down and that Cresco was damaged.

SCREEN LAW OVERTHROWN.

Judge West of the Sixth Kansas District Decides Against the Miners.

FORT SCOTT, Kan., Sept. 24.—Judge J. S. West of the Sixth judicial district, in chambers to-day, decided in the case of the state of Kansas vs. A. B. Kirkwood of Crawford county that the new law governing the mining and weighing of coal in Kansas was unconstitutional and dismissed the defendant. This is the first decision of this law. It was obtained by the Wear Coal company, which openly violated the law in order to test its constitutionality.

The Missouri & Kansas, the Durkee and other coal companies will immediately ignore the law and resume the old custom of weighing coal at the mines.

DUN'S BUSINESS REVIEW.

Encouraging and Discouraging Features in the Trade Situation.

NEW YORK, Sept. 24.—R. G. Dun & Co.'s Weekly Review of Trade says: Plenty of material for encouragement and also for discouragement can be found by those who seek that and nothing else. But business men who want to see the situation exactly as it is find accounts so conflicting that it is difficult to strike a balance.

In the aggregate, business is about a tenth larger than last year, but still falls about twenty-five per cent below a full volume for the season.

BRECKENRIDGE LEFT.

Mr. Owens Declared the Nominee for Congress.

FRANKFORT, Ky., Sept. 24.—The Democratic congressional committee of this, the Ashland district, decided unanimously this afternoon that W. C. Owens was the nominee of the party for congress by a plurality of 255.

When the committee met soon after noon, all the members were in attendance. W. C. Owens was on hand with a big delegation of friends. W. C. P. Breckinridge's interests were looked after by his law partner, John T. Shelby, and a large delegation of prominent men. Chairman Field McLeod presided. A protest against McLeod voting and a decision of Chairman Carroll of the state committee that McLeod could vote only in case of a tie was filed in behalf of Breckinridge.

The following communication from Breckinridge was received, read and ordered filed:

To the Democratic committee of the Seventh congressional district: Under the statutes of Kentucky and the order of this committee, you are duly authorized and constituted the governing authority empowered to count the votes received by the candidates in the primary election of September 15, and to declare the candidate receiving the highest number of votes the nominee of the Democratic party in this district and you alone have the power to determine upon the form and manner of the proceedings you will take to discharge this duty. In case of contest you, and you alone, have the power to hear and determine such contest and decide who shall receive the nomination and you owe it to the Democratic party of the district and to your sense of right that the duties imposed upon you shall not be performed by anyone else nor shall they be encroached upon.

You, and you alone, have the power to prescribe what political qualifications shall be possessed by such legal voters as reside within the district and desire to participate in the primary, and you, and you alone, have the right to determine whether the rules laid down by you, and in which were necessarily incorporated the provisions of the statutes, have been complied with. I deem it a duty I owe to the Democratic party of the district, to my friends and to myself, to state this principle and protest against any action of any judge, county committee of any county, or private individual, which encroaches or attempts to encroach upon your exclusive jurisdiction, so that whatever has been done in the primary may not be held to be precedent to be used hereafter for the want of an open and formal protest against it.

I formally protest against the action of the judge of the Fourteenth judicial district in the issue of the extraordinary order in the case of W. E. Sims and others vs. others. This committee met on September 8 and adopted certain rules. The plaintiffs waited until the afternoon of Friday, the 9th, having had ample time to take such steps as they deemed necessary and give proper notice to me or to the nominal defendants, so that a hearing might have been had. This delay was known to that judge and was of itself a cause for refusal to issue any restraining order. But I, as well as the nominal defendants, lived near enough for a notice to have been given of the application for the restraining order so that the judge might pass upon it, after a hearing, and with the opportunity afforded to present reason against it and the issue of the so-called temporary injunction, which under the circumstances was equivalent to a final and permanent one, and the setting of the hearing of any application for its dissolution or modification for a date six days after the election, when it would already have been accomplished if such an extraordinary abuse of the discretion lodged in a judicial officer, even if that officer had jurisdiction and the order were one which on hearing might properly have been issued, that it ought not to pass without attracting universal attention and receiving unanimous condemnation and when it is remembered that this judge has been for many years my bitter personal enemy, permitting and participating in malignant attacks upon me in many parts of this country, and was also my heated political enemy, his action becomes the more extraordinary. This action in and of itself would justify me in making a contest and justify this committee in refusing to declare the beneficiary of such conduct the nominee of the party.

I also deem it my duty to solemnly avow that I have not the shadow of doubt that I have received, as against William C. Owens of Scott county, a majority of the legal Democratic votes of this district, and that I am legally entitled to be declared the nominee of the Democratic party in this district. The inexplicable increase in the vote cast at this primary over the vote cast in 1892 would be sufficient reason to require of this committee an investigation. I append to this a comparative table of the vote cast for Mr. Cleveland and myself in 1892, and for governor in 1891, in the eight counties constituting this district and the vote cast at the recent primaries.

Reward Offered by the Governor.
JEFFERSON CITY, Mo., Sept. 24.—Governor Stone has offered a reward of \$200 for the arrest and conviction of the murderer of Thomas Clark, who was killed in Pettis county on September 11.

Pence to Aid Jerry Simpson.
TOPEKA, Kan., Sept. 24.—Congressman Life Pence of Colorado will make five speeches in the Seventh district in the interest of Jerry Simpson.

Japan's Army Increased by Seven Thousand Well Equipped Men.

LONDON, Sept. 24.—A dispatch from Chemulpo, Corea, dated September 18, says that thirty-two Japanese transports, conveyed by a fleet of warships, have arrived at that port, bringing reinforcements. The latter, the dispatch adds, consists of 7,000 soldiers and 3,000 coolies with 2,000 pack horses, several pontoon bridges and batteries of mounted guns. The reinforcements were hurried forward to Seoul, the capital of Corea, where, it is said, an attack upon the part of the Chinese is expected.

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