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SUMMARIZED HAPPENINGS.

A Brief Compendium of the Busy World's Events.

SEAL CATCHERS KICK.

THE NORTH AMERICAN COMPANY CLAIMS DAMAGES.

The Company Has Carried Out the Terms of Its Contract and Will Demand Heavy Compensation for Losing its Valuable Seal Privileges. The North American Commercial Company, through its attorney, Judge Jeffries, has filed a protest with the treasury department at Washington. It states that it was assured of a quota of 60,000 seal skins during 1890 and upon that assurance made a large outlay...

Immigration Agent Still has left Chicago for Sault Ste. Marie under orders from the treasury department to make a thorough investigation of the reports that a great many Russian Jews are crossing into the United States at various points near the straits. If Mr. Still's investigation warrants it a special agent of the immigration department may be permanently stationed at the straits.

Small Verdict in Big Case. The sensational breach of promise case of Miss Wiedemann, of London, against Capt. Robert Horace Walpole, for seduction, in which the lady asks for \$100,000, and which has been in the court of England a year or more, was decided with a verdict of \$1,500 for the plaintiff.

Restored by Paralysis. GEORGE PHILLIPS, aged 80 years, a farmer of Columbus, N. C., had gray hair and beard for twenty years. About ten days ago he began to turn black, and his man. He has been confined to his home for several years on account of paralysis.

Decrease of Net Earnings. The financial statement of the Illinois Central railroad for eleven months ending May 31, shows, in comparison with the same period last year, an increase of \$170,000 in net earnings. The French chamber of deputies has fixed July 10 as the day on which the reduction of corn duties shall take effect. The chamber has voted \$300,000 for measures against the locust plague in Algeria.

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IT IS PREMIER ABBOTT.

HE WILL UNDERTAKE TO FORM A CANADIAN MINISTRY.

The Tory Leaders Think Him Their Best Support. The Tory leaders in the House of Commons are so far from being alarmed by the Premier's declaration that he will undertake to form a Canadian ministry, that they are actually rejoicing at it. The Hon. J. J. Abbott has been called upon to form a Canadian Ministry, and has undertaken to do so. Under the circumstances, Lord Stanley, in calling upon Senator Abbott to form a government, has done the only thing that appeared feasible to enable the Tory party to hold control of the treasury benches at Ottawa. Sir John Thompson was first called, but he soon discovered when he undertook the formation of a cabinet that he was a task he was unable to carry to a successful issue. He discovered that the ultra-Protestant province of Ontario, under the circumstances, Sir Charles Tupper, in calling upon Senator Abbott to form a government, has done the only thing that appeared feasible to enable the Tory party to hold control of the treasury benches at Ottawa.

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A DIBRUSSO wreck occurred on the Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul railroad about half a mile east of Coon Rapids, Ia. The passenger train consisted of an engine, baggage, mail and express cars, several coaches and two sleeping cars. The train was wrecked near the bridge over Coon River. Only the rear sleeper remained on the track. Two passengers are known to have been killed and four were injured. The engineer escaped unhurt, but the conductor and one brakeman are reported to be badly hurt.

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HE LOVED HIS MOTHER.

A DESPERATE CONVICT, BUT NOT HEARTLESS.

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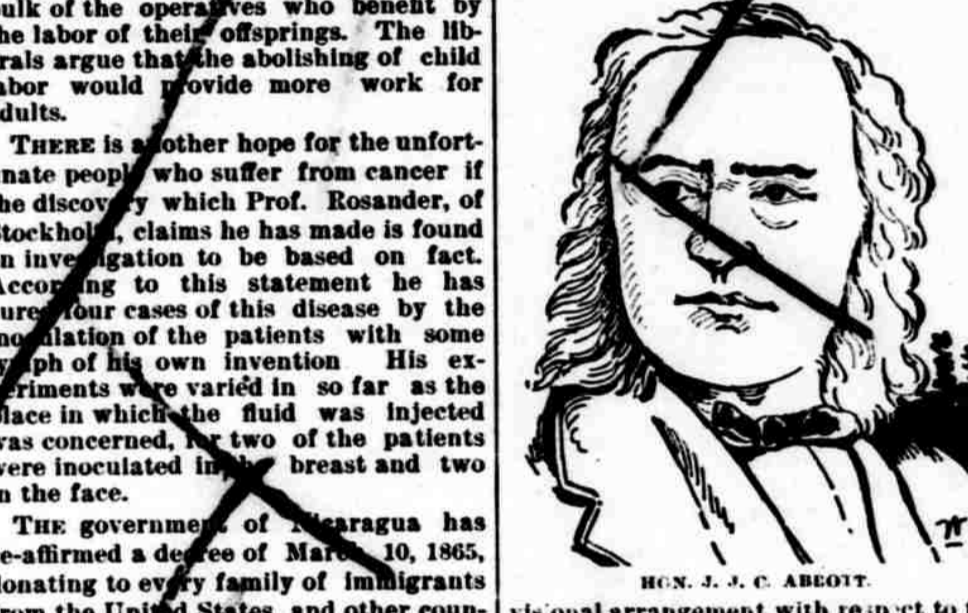
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