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FATAL WINTER FOR SAILORS

Eighty-Five Lives Lost Last Season Off of the steamer British King off Sable islan Northeastern Coast.

Storms Begin in November and Each

Week Has Told Story of Wreck, with Many Vessels Overduc.

BOSTON, March 23.-Eighty-five lives then surged forward on the crest of a were lost and fifty-four ships were wrecked wave and disappeared with its crew of along the coast of New England and the fourteen men. In less than a fortnight maritime provinces during the last winter, While the season up to the present month was comparatively mild on shore, at sea heavy storm off Amherst harbor, Magdawas one of extreme severity, particu- lene islands and twelve out of a crew of larly in waters of the provinces.

Of the vessels wrecked thirty-seven were scarcely a week passed without its story milling cmft. Nine steamships and eight of wreck. arges complete the list. Ships flying the British flag lead those of other nations with a less of twenty-seven craft, against



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The ONLY Infants' Food receiving the GRAND FRIZE at St. Lonis, 1904. Gold Hedal, Highest Award, Portland, Ore. 1905. MELLIN'S FOOD CO., BOSTON, MASP fifteen of American register. There is all a sprinkling of Norwegian, German as Swedish vessels.

The worst disaster was the foundering on March II, when it is estimated that least eighteen and possibly twenty-six lo their lives. The correct figures probab FIFTY-FOUR SHIPS MEET WITH DISASTER will never be known, as several men rolled as members of the crew are said have deserted before the ship sailed. Vessels Now Overdue.

The season of storm and shipwreck beg in November, when the Norwegian steamer Turbine struck the rocks off Clark's harbor, N. S., and in sight of persons on shore held for a brief moment on the ledges, after the Turbine tragedy the British Vancouver, steamer Lunenberg struck the rocks in a

seventeen perished. From that time on

Reports that have come in since the olizzard early in the present week cause fear that the list of casualties may be greatly increased. There has been no day without its story of disaster. Many vessels are overdue and the actual fate of some of them may not be learned for severai weeks.

DIAMONDS-Fronzer, 15th and Dodge.

WORD FROM INDIAN BANDITS

Wickliffes Have Long Start Marshal and May Get to Mountains.

OAKS, I. T., March 28.-Word received here indicates that the three Wickliffe Indian outlaws, who are being sought by numerous poses, crossed the Illinois river on the night following the fight and are headed for Lee's creek, a wild mountainous coun try west of Stillwell, settled almost en tirely with full-blooded Cherokees. If this proves true the outlaws have a long start. Marshal Darrough late yesterday moved his camp from the Spavinaw hills to the Illinois river.

Bee Want Ads Are Business Boostera.

OF TRADE Victoria, B. C. Snowstorms Check Distribution of Spring

norrow will say:

Merchandise. *Balances paid in cash, Not included in totals because containing ther items than clearings. FNot included in totals. Comparisons in-CONFIDENCE IN THE FUTURE BRIGHT

Fuel Only Cloud the Business Rorizon.

NEW YORK, March M.-R. G. Dun Co.'s Weekly Review of Trade temorrow

The distribution of spring merchandise has received a check because of the heavy snowfall and severe storms in many sections of the country, but some offset is noted in renewed inquiry for winter goods, and there is no interruption to the activity

noted in renewed inquiry for winter goods, and there is no interruption to the activity of shipping departments.

Conhosince in the future is remarkably bright and the outlook would be far better than ever before at this season if the tust uncertainty were removed. Manufacturing plants operate close to maximum capacity in the leaning industries and it is an evidence of no little significance that many mills cannot undertake deliveries before 1907. While these are extreme cases, it is a common thing to find production engaged for several months in advance. Mercanule collections are also more prompt, except in certain parts of the south, where cotton is still held for better terms. Commodity prices are slightly higher on the whole and the building materials continue strong, structural work being abnormally heavy for the season. Raliroad earnings for March thus far surpass last year's by 9.1 per cent and foreign commerce at this port for the last week shows a gain of \$2.697.82 in imports over the same period of 1905, while exports are practically unchanged.

One of the best features of the iron and steel industry is the steady demand for steel rails. No decrease is noted in the activity of textile mills, producers exhibiting persistent confidence in the future despite the irregularity that is noted in primary markets.

A somewhat better tone in the hide mar-

spite the irregularity that is noted in primary markets.

A somewhat better tone in the hide market was the result of last week's activity in leather. The foreign hide market has developed some irregularity, dry skins ruling steady, but wet salted Mexican becoming fractionally weaker. Recent heavy transactions in leather improved the tone of the market. New England shoe manufacturers are receiving orders for fall goods from salesmen in the west and south, the demand being chiefly for heavy goods.

Fallures this week numbered 213 in the United States, as against 256 last year, and 37 in Canada, compared with 15 a year ago.

29, as against 38 last week and 18 in this week a year ago.

Wheat, including flour, exports from the United States for the week ending March 22, are 2.33,012 bushels, against 2,020,23; last week, 1.044,594 this week last year, 1.501,865 in 1904 and 2,461,887 in 1903. From July 1 to date the exports are 101,445,805 bushels, against 46,842,708 last year, 114,732,284 in 1904 and 170,889,615 in 1903.

Corn exports for the week are 3,173,826 bushels, against 2,335,282 last week, 2,878,836 a year ago, 1,527,878 in 1904 and 3,618,210 in 1905. From July 1 to date the exports of corn are 92,328,275 bushels, against 55,048,204 in 1905, 44,808,056 in 1904 and 44,438,823 in 1968. REPORT OF THE CLEARING HOUSE Transactions of the Associated Banks

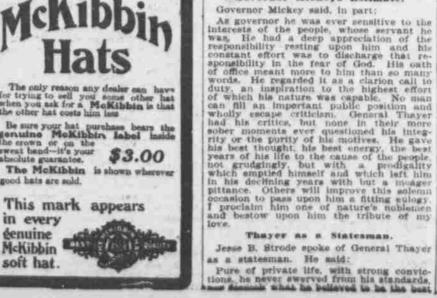
for the Week. NEW YORK, March 23.—The following table, compiled by Bradstreet, shows the bank clearings at the principal cities for the week ended March 22, with the percentage of increase and decrease as compared with the corresponding week last year.

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CITIES.	Clearings.	Inc.	Dec.
*New York	\$1,798,650,716		3.2
*Chicago	203.684,001	11.0	oren.
*Boston	150,231,524	15.4	
*Boston *Philadelphia *St. Louis	142,815,577 55,775,482	1.0	
PHUSDUER	1711, 2000, 4041	22.0	
*San Francisco	43,900,668	36.7	*****
*Baltimore Cincinnati	24,171,781	(S.4. F.)	
*Kansas City	24,921,350 22,750,118	9.6	11000
*New Orleans	18,047,640	1.2	*****
*Minneapolis	14,255,440	16.6	92275
*Cleveland *Louisville Detroit	13,860,906	*****	19.8
*Louisville	12,834,688 12,767,333	24.4	
*Los Angeles	11,980,358	24.4	*****
OMAHA	9,808,901	18.3	
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Providence	7,431,700	10.6	
Paultaio	0,400,011	4.0	
Indianapolis	5,811,833 6,583,283	7.4	
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Denver	10,199,401	106.9	
Memphis	5,355,026 5,832,350	1.5	
Fort Worth	5,832,350	106.9 1.5 13.9 12.1	*****
Richmond	5,181,652	10.0	
Columbus Washington	5,129,127	40.00	*****
		12.7	
Savannah *Portland, Ore Albany Salt Lake City *Toledo, O	3,501,363	23.2	
Portland, Ore	5,247,065 4,776,192	24.85	
Albany	4,776,192	39.0	
Sait Lake City	4,518,107	10.0	
Poelsester	3,440,372	65. 9	
Rochester	4,408,240	13.6	
Tacoma	8,456,651	12.5	
Tacoma *Spokane, Wash Hartford Nashville Peorin	3,841,088	-40.1	
Hartford	2,944,782	20.79	
Nashville	4,292,271 3,487,776	47.1	STATES
Peoris	2,547,463	24.0	
Des Motnes New Haven	2,154,204	10.5	
Grand Rapids	2,129,387	19.4	
Grand Rapids Norfolk Augusta, Ga	1,836,658	7.0	
Augusta, Ga	1,261,938	*****	16.9
Springfield, Mass Portland, Me	1,787,996	15.8	*****
Dayton	1,589,564 1,917,753	30.2	*****
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Sioux City Evansville	1,816,476	24.7 30.4 32.3 20.8	5.5
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Worcester Syracuse Charleston, S. C Knoxville Jacksonville, Fla Wilmington, Del	1,948,725	30.4	1000
Charleston & C	1,590,271 1,345,209	90.6	
Knoxville	1.612.316	44.1	
Jacksonville, Fla	1,612,316 1,267,129	16.2	
Wilmington, Del	1,186,563	8.4	
Wichita Wilkesbarre Chattanooga Davenport	954,473		13.7
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Davenport	1.008,112	18 0	
Little Rock	1,198,862	8.7	*****
Kalamazoo, Mich	848,074	29.4	*****
Topeka	882-978	*****	16.6
	1,050,670	1	*****
Macon Springfield, Ill	508,513 746,151	*****	92
Fall River	810,644	6.1	15.
Helena	723,243		11.
Fargo, N. D	660,685	MACO ADDROCK THE	14.
Fargo, N. D	591,181	12.7	****
New Bedford	628,722	25.3	
Akron	603,842 511,400		9.
Rockford, Ill	595,821	14.6	
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Outside N. Y. City. 194,699,239 10.8 CANADA. 20,247,635 6.4 6,981,585 44.9 2,486,565 12.6 1,618,488 2,107,065 41.2



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Totals, Canada..... \$ 65,064,279 4.8

tinued Winter Weather.

FUNERAL OF GENERAL THAYER

(Continued from First Page.

Major Mack of Albion commanded the

first division and Captain Falconer of

Omaha the second with Captain Workizer

acting adjutant general. The companies

in the procession were A, C, D and E of

the First regiment and C. G and H of the

Second regiment. Then came the letter

carriers under command of Colonel Sizer,

the honorary pall bearers in carriages, the

active pall bearers walking beside the

hearse, the general's riderless horse with

empty saddle and stirrups reversed, mem-

bers of the family, the veterans of the

First Nebraska, Grand Army of the Re-

public, Governor Mickey's staff and citi-

After the services in the church the pro-

cemetery and as the procession left the

fired. The services at the grave were

brief and simple, merely the military ritual.

came he be placed in Nebraska soil.

Services at the Church. The funeral services at St. Paul's church consisted of short addresses made by comrades of the dead soldier, each taking some particular phase of his life for a The church was tastefully

decorated, a large floral piece with the

inscription "Thayer county" forming the

centerplece of the chain with two floral

flags on either side. These places con-

sisted of red and white roses with the blue

violets in the corner. The song servi-

consisted of selections chosen by General

Thayer, each of which was a favorite with

him. Governor Mickey presided at these

exercises and they concluded with the

ritual of the Grand Army of the Republic.

The invocation was by the Rev. Luther

P. Ludden, which was followed by an ad-

dress by Rev. Mr. Jones, pastor of St.

Paul's church. Mr. Jones delivered an

eulogy on General Thayer and his life.

He held the general up as an example for

all others. His trend was toward higher

"Rock of Ages" was sung by a quartet

of old soldlers, and "One Sweetly Solemn

Thought" was sung by Mrs. M. B. Hoover,

After the speeches had been delivered

the body was again placed in the hearse

and the march to the cemetery began. The

streets were crowded with citizens who

occupied all the available space along the

The addresses in the church were deliv-

ered in the following order: Governor

Mickey, Colonel T. J. Majors, Jesse B.

Governor Mickeys Estimate.

Thayer as a Statesman

Jesse B. Strode spoke of General Thayer

Pure of private life, with strong convictions, he never swerved from his standards what he believed to be the bear

Governor Mickey said, in part;

things always the speaker said.

line of march.

Strode and H. E. Palmer.

follows:

BRADSTREET'S REVIEW OF TRADE Business Feels the Effect of the Con-NEW YORK, March 23.—Bradstreet's tomorrow will say:

Trade reports are still rather mixed in character. Business feels the effect of continued winter weather, heavy snowfalls and freezing temperatures which have hurrearly fruits and truck interests, retarded retail trade and affected jobbing sales and shipments. Building has been interrupted, but this is only temporary and the winter wheat crop has been put beyond harm by the heaviest snowfall in years at this period. Uncertainty as to the coal strike induces hesitancy in some lines of industry, but has immensely stimulated coal and coke. Pig iron is dull and the steel rail sales are numerous and immense expenditures for railway building west and northwest are projected. Demand for money is active, hence rates are firm and promise to continue so well into the balance of the year. Banking opinion seems to be that while no acute stringency is to be looked for there will be nothing resembling stagnation and that trade and industrial requirements will be very heavy. Collections are backward, an outgrowth of the slowness of retailers to remit on late winter and early spring business, and warmer weather, it is confidently believed, would reneely this condition. Railway earnings are really magnificent, the mild winter here being a distinct benefit and the raile of gross receipts carried over to net has never being a distinct benefit and the raile of gross receipts carried over to net has never being a distinct benefit and the raile of gross receipts carried over to see has pever being a distinct benefit and the raile of gross receipts carried over to net has never being a distinct benefit and the raile of gross receipts carried over to net has never being a distinct benefit and the raile of gross receipts of the feeling that a great coal strike will not occur, the strengthening of prices of leading staples, such as grain and cotton; the increasing sales of leather to shoe manufactured cotton.

Business fallures in the United States for the week and 15 in this week a y NEW YORK, March 23.-Bradstreet's to-

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A FEW OF THE MANY BARGAINS:

A FEW OF THE	Wildlift British Committee
	Mahogany Steger, former price \$450, now\$285 Elegant Sample Plano, French walnut, former price \$500, now

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of all makes at your own price, from \$10 up. Terms, 25 to 50 cents per week.

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nterests of the public when serving in any official capacity.

He was the architect of his own fortunes and his fortunes were built upon the solid foundation of a noble character. His character was greater, perhaps, than his intelect, and dominated every faculty that was

In him.

By reason of his distinguished military services and his services as United States senator and governor of Nebraska and the noble example of his life, he has left an influence upon his country's history that will endure. There was, and there is, in the state of Nebraska, no simpler, greater nor maniller man.

Tribute of Comrade,

T. J. Majors spoke of General Thayer as soldier. He sald: a soldier. He sald:
Comrades and Friends: Trying as is the ordeal, yet I have listened to the commands of my living comrades to stand at this hour, in the presence of the remains of our dearly beloved and honored comrade and commander, and to speak to you of his soldierly qualities. Limited as my time is I could not hope to do him justice, therefore must pass by his brilliant career as a frontier defender and military commander from 1854 to 1851 in the territory of Nobraska and speak of him as a military character after the inauguration of the civil was.

Of the engagement at Fort Donaldson he

cession to the cemtery was made up as Of the engagement at Fort Donaldson he

Piatoon of Police.

Brigadier General Culver Commanding.

Acting Adjutant General Workizer.

Battalion First Regiment, Commanded by

Major Mack.

Battalion Second Regiment, Commanded by Captain Fawkner.

First Battalion State University Cadets,

Commanded by Major E. D. Crites.

Second Battalion State University Cadets,

Commanded by Major L. S. Legro. Then it was that our colonel's heroism and galantry earned for him the command of a brigade, undying fame and immortal renown. Second Battalion State University Cadets,
Commanded by Major L. S. Legro.
Funeral Car.
Family Carriages.
Grand Army of the Republic, Commanded by Department Commander John Lett.
Led by Members of the Original
First Nebraska, Commanded by
Colonel T. J. Majors.
Farragut Post, Commanded by R. R. Randall, Followed by Other Veterans of the War of the Rebellion.
Veterans of the Spanish and Phillippine Wars.
Staff Officers.
Distinguished Persons.
Delegations.
Civilians in Carriages.
The artilery had been stationed at the cemetery and as the procession left the

of a brigade, undying fame and immortal renown.

Thence he proceeded with his command up the Tennessee river and engaged in the bloody battle of Shiloh, and there earned further commendation and promotion. If it were permissible I might tell of one fact that came under my own personal observation. On Monday morning while the regiment was lying flat on the ground in front of a rebel battery not one hundryd sards distant, which was persistently pouring into our lines a most disastrous storm of shot and shell, and it did not seem possible that anything alive could survive it, General Theyer was observed coming along the lines from left to right alone and on foot, his aides, his adjutant general and his orderlies having been swept from him by this hostile fire. As he passed along the line he gave the order, that when the regiment moved it was to fix bayonets and take that rebel battery. It was then his courage showed forth, not a tremor in his voice, not a doubt in his form or face. His courage inspired the confidence of all and richly crowned the sacrifice.

Active in G. A. B.

church a salute of seventeen guns was Active in G. A. H. Captain H. E. Palmer spoke in part as

Taps were sounded and the final salute of seventeen guns was fired.

The grave is in the center of a piece of ground in which are buried old comrades of General Thayer, and he himself selected the place. General Thayer's wife is buried in Massachusetts and at one time it was his desire to be taken there for burial, but in his later years he changed his mind and requested that when the end Taps were sounded and the final salute

timent of all veteran Grand Army men of Nebraska by stating that if Thayer would accept this great token of appreciation and honor from his comrades that his services and great prominence in the army in the Indian wars for the protection of the pioneers of his adopted home, Nebraska, and for his gallant record during the great civil war, entitled him to the preference above any citizen of the state, and Cuiver seconded the nomination of Thayer, and he was, to his great surprise and foy, unanimously elected; and much to the credit of the comrades of our organization Cuiver was later on elected to fill the place he so unselfishly surrendered to General Thayer.

My comrade, General Thayer, was truly a man of the people, and his heart was ever with the men under his command during the war. He was always the friend of the poor man and common soldier, and I remember well when I urged him to join the Military Order of the Loyal Legion of the United States he replied: "Your organization is exclusively for men who were officers in the war of the rebellions" I remarked that while at the front we were compelled. In obedience to army regulations and for discipline, to maintain a social distinction between officers and men, and that his associates and ourselves were not the soldier boys in company or regimental ranks, that our associates and companions during the war were with the line or staff officers, and now in the Loyal Legion we meet, as we did during the war, to plan the battles and tell of the success or reverses that we alone were held responsible for.

"No use." said General Thayer. "I am solve to keep electrical tranks, to be a success or reverses that we alone were held responsible for.

for. "No use," said General Thayer. "I am going to keep close to the boys that were ready with gun and bayonet or sabre to meet the foe, I commanded them then; they can command me now."

STATEMENT BY GOV. GOODING

Executive Denies Proclamation Credited to Him and States Position.

BOISE. Idaho, March 23.-The authencicity of what purported to be a proclamation addressed by Governor Frank B. Gooding to "the labor unions of the United States," in relation to the prosecution of Moyer, Haywood and Petifbone, was denicd today by Governor Gooding. In an interview today Governor Gooding said:
In an interview with a newspaper writer yesterday I suggested that if the labor organizations, in place of passing inflammatory resolutions in which the prosecution is denounced and a vote of confidence in the innocence of the men is adopted, would endeavor to investigate the charges against these men and suspend action until that time, a better understanding would prevail and a better feeling exist. I said that if proper committees were appointed to make these investigations and the men were acting in good faith. I should favor there being every opportunity to antisty themselves as to whether or not the state was justified in holding these men accountable for terview today Governor Gooding said:

Mr. Hawley, chief counsel for the prose cution, states that under no consideration will anyone be shown the confession or any other testimony.

George A. Pettibone, former executive committeeman of the Western Federation of Miners and one of the men charged with the assassination of former Governor Steunenberg, was brought to the county jail today by order of the court. William D. Haywood remains in the Canyon county jail at Caldwell, Charles H. Moyer was brought to the Boise jail from Caldwell set eral days ago.

FORECAST OF THE WEATHER

Snow or Rain Today and Tomorrow in Nebraska, lows, South Dakots, Kansas and Missouri.

WASHINGTON, March 23.-Forecast of the weather for Saturday and Sunday: For Nebrasku, South Dakota, Kansas, Missouri and lowa-Snow or rain Sturday and Sunday.

Local Record. OFFICE OF THE WEATHER BUREAU.
OMAHA, March 23.—Omaha record of temperature and precipitation compared with
the corresponding day of the last three
years: 1996, 1995, 1994, 1993. rears: 22 Maximum temperature... 22 Maximum temperature ... 23 Reports from Stations at 7 P. M.

Station and State of Weather. Bismarck, cloudy Cheyenne, cloudy Chicago, cloudy Davenport, cloudy 7 p. m. Temp. fall furon, snowing Names City, showing.
North Platte, cloudy...
Jmsha. snowing
Rapid City, cloudy
St. Louis, snowing
St. Paul, clear
Salt Lake City, cloudy. T indicates trace of precipitation. L. A. WELSH, Local Forecaster.

