

ACCIDENTS.—Continued.

- Railway, West Va., freight train on Chesapeake & Ohio R.R. thrown into the river at Big Pen Tunnel, three killed.—Feb. 8.
- Railway, Wichita, Kan., engine and baggage car of passenger train fall through a bridge.—Feb. 17.
- Rats, Kansas City, infant son of Mr. Reeves attacked by rats and horribly injured.—Feb. 1.
- Runaway, Newark, N.J., Miss M. E. Tyler killed and her sister severely injured.—Feb. 22.
- Shooting, Cameron, Mo., Susie Thompson shoots her friend Allie Ellis by accident.—Feb. 11.
- Snowslide, Idaho, avalanches in the Cœur d'Alène mining district, loss of life and property.—Feb. 5.
- Snowslide, Logansville, Sierra Nevada Mountains, wrecks a number of houses and kills two people.—Jan. 17.
- Snowslide, Montana, Lyon City completely buried, two miners killed and property destroyed.—Feb. 2.
- Steamer, Memphis, Tenn., steamer "Port Eads" runs into pier of bridge building and sinks, seven of the crew lost.—Feb. 9.
- Suffocation, New York, Roberts Alice, an actress, found dead in her room, suffocated by gas.—Feb. 9.
- AFRICA.**—Mombassa, British African Company hoist British flag at Manda and Matta.—Feb. 1.
- Dakkar, West Coast, French cruiser "Dubourdien" breaks down.—Feb. 3.
- Makalolo and Shire River districts, Lord Salisbury has arranged for the occupation of.—Feb. 6.
- England and Germany to refer to arbitration their respective claims to the islands of Patta and Manda on East African coast.—Feb. 8.
- Wissman Major, stated in Berlin that his troops will be doubled.—Feb. 10.
- Emin Relief Expedition, Capt. Nelson of, arrives at Leeds, Eng.—Feb. 11.
- Zanzibar, Sultan of, dies from sunstroke, his brother succeeds.—Feb. 14.
- Uganda, severe fighting at; Mwanga, assisted by Europeans, defeats the Arabs.—Feb. 14.
- Zanzibar, German reinforcements leave for, shortly.—Feb. 17.
- France to support Portuguese claims in.—Feb. 18.
- Congo, Free State and Portuguese possessions, Switzerland to act as arbitrator in the dispute concerning the boundaries between.—Feb. 19.
- Morocco, rebellion reported in progress in.—Feb. 21.
- Mozambique, reported attack by Makololos in the Portuguese.—Feb. 23.
- Mahdi's successor, Khalifa Abdullah, not dead as reported.—Feb. 24.
- Senegal, French posts at Kotonon attacked by king of Dahomey's troops, the latter repulsed.—Feb. 24.
- Nyassaland, hundreds of people emigrating to, and other parts of south-eastern Africa.—Feb. 26.
- German, Africa Company, Bismarck will not permit to sell part of its possessions to Anglo-Dutch syndicate.—Feb. 28.
- Red Sea, Paris *Sidèle* says a treaty exists between England and Italy providing for action on west coast of.—Feb. 28.
- Zanzibar, Sultan of, releases untried prisoners who have been in prison eighteen years.—Feb. 28.
- Alaska boundary question, American Government refuses to share with Canadian Government expenses of a joint survey.—Feb. 3.
- Alaska, bill to amend law to prevent extermination of fur bearing animals of Alaska reported in U. S. Senate and placed on the calendar.—Feb. 4.
- Alien contract Labor Law, Acting Secretary Batcheller informs trustees of Lewisburg Lutheran Church, Pa., that the Canadian clergyman called by them is regarded as an "alien" within the meaning of the law.—Feb. 28.
- Allegheny City, Pa., opening of new library by President Harrison.—Feb. 20.
- Anderson Mary, reported to be engaged to be married to Alphonso de Navarro.—Feb. 21.
- Andrassy Count, death of.—Feb. 18.
- Argentine Republic, President of, attacked by "La Grippe."—Feb. 3.
- Astor John Jacob, death of.—Feb. 22.
- Athlumney Lord, declared bankrupt in London.—Feb. 3.
- Australian Election System, Senate of North Dakota adopt the.—Feb. 19.
- Australia, Melbourne, Colonial Federation Conference opens.—Feb. 6.
- Austria, Vienna, Count Andrassy very ill, an operation necessary.—Feb. 1.
- Austria, Vienna, Count Andrassy, death of.—Feb. 22.
- Austria, Vienna, Battenberg Prince Alexander of, appointed commandant of Seventh Regiment of Dragoons.—Feb. 14.
- Baltimore, Knights of Pythias, Grand Lodge of Maryland, annual session.—Feb. 11.
- Baltimore, Navassa rioters sentenced, three to be hanged, fourteen to long terms, and twenty-three to short terms of imprisonment.—Feb. 20.
- BANKS.**—Bank of England authorized to increase its note issue by £250,000; security deposit by same amount.—Feb. 12.
- Brazil, United States of, the issue bank of, to open.—Feb. 12.
- New York, Sixth National Bank, ex-President Leland pays in \$280,000, which makes the bank solvent.—Feb. 4.
- New York, Sixth National and Equitable Banks re-open for business.—Feb. 5.
- New York, Lenox Hill Bank re-opens.—Feb. 8.
- New York, Equitable and Lenox Hill banks, grand jury investigation commenced.—Feb. 17.
- Toronto, Moffatt W.R., ex-accountant Ontario Bank, committed for trial.—Feb. 5.
- Battenberg Prince Henry of, leaves Malta for England.—Feb. 6.
- Battenberg Prince Henry of, returns from Malta.—Feb. 11.
- Beet sugar, House of Representatives of North Dakota pass bill offering bounty during next five years for production of potato starch and beet sugar.—Feb. 19.
- Behring Sea, United States Government preparing to thoroughly police.—Feb. 8.
- Behring Sea dispute, Secretary Blaine and Sir Julian Pauncefote reported to have reached an amicable agreement concerning.—Feb. 24.
- Behring Sea question, De Struve Baron, Russian Minister at Washington, instructed by his Government to present their views especially touching the point of the protection of seals during the breeding season.—Feb. 25.
- Benson, the "jubilee plunger," sentenced to three months imprisonment for forgery at Nice, France.—Feb. 15.
- Bernhardt Sarah, ill, and discontinues her performances.—Feb. 19.
- Bethlehem, Pa., Iron Company advances wages of its employees 15 per cent.—Feb. 17.
- Biggar Joseph J., Irish Home Ruler, death of.—Feb. 19.
- Biggar Joseph, M.P., the late, will of, bequeaths £2,000 to Archbishop Walsh, and other sums to various charities in Ireland.—Feb. 28.
- Blaine Mrs. J. G., jr., theatrical performance for the benefit of, nets \$4000.—Feb. 18.
- Boots and shoes, deputation of manufacturers from Montreal ask Canadian Government to increase duty on, from 25 to 35 per cent.—Feb. 3.
- BRAZIL.**—Alvin Cesario, appointed Minister of the Interior to succeed Senhor Lobo.—Feb. 12.
- Republic of, formally recognized by Mexican Government.—Feb. 3.
- The Osar declares he will not recognize the Republic of, during the life-time of Dom Pedro.—Feb. 5.
- Da Fonseca, General President of Brazilian Republic, seriously ill, and retires from the head of affairs.—Feb. 10.
- United States of, the issue bank of, to open.—Feb. 12.
- Brazilian Republic, congratulatory address to, by U.S. Senate.—Feb. 12.
- Lobo Senhor Aristides, Minister of the Interior, resigns through disagreement with General Da Fonseca.—Feb. 12.
- North German Gazette publishes a warning against canards about emigration to Brazil.—Feb. 23.
- Bret Harte, American author, ill with influenza at Ventnor, I. of Wight.—Feb. 3.
- Breweries, Toledo, Ohio, four breweries bought by an English syndicate.—Feb. 3.
- British Columbia, Vancouver, Sugar Refinery to be erected at, by New York parties.—Feb. 4.
- Brooklyn, Cuyler Rev. Dr. T. L., of Lafayette ave. Presbyterian church, to resign.—Feb. 2.
- Brooklyn, reception to Dr. Talmage.—Feb. 6.
- Brooklyn, corner stone of Dr. Talmage's new tabernacle laid.—Feb. 10.
- Brooklyn, N.Y., Greenland Mat Factory, tenement houses, and McFarland & Doty's paper mill destroyed by fire, loss \$250,000.—Feb. 6.
- Bowring, the poet, will of, proved in London, leaves all estate valued at £17,000 to his son.—Feb. 22.
- Buffalo, N.Y., riot occurs in a Polish church through quarrel over a change of priests.—Feb. 2.
- BULGARIAN.**—Communal tariff on foreign goods to be reduced from five per cent. to two per cent.—Feb. 3.
- Russian plot discovered at Sofia, four civilians arrested.—Feb. 5.
- Plot against Prince Ferdinand proved to be of Russian origin.—Feb. 10.
- Prince Ferdinand changes all the chief commanders in his army.—Feb. 11.
- Monsevitche, agent of the St. Petersburg Slavo Charitable Committee, arrested at Sofia.—Feb. 20.
- Cambridge, Duke of, reported to retire from the position of commander-in-chief of the British Army.—Feb. 24.