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BOATS STOPPED BY DEAD FISH

Millions, Weighing 20 Pounds Each, Clog Big Canal at New Orleans.

Forced in by Storm—Situation is Serious, as a Pestilence is Threatened.

New Orleans, La., July 10.—Pestilence is threatening in Jefferson parish, along Harvey's canal, just across the river, because of a blockade of fish. The waterway is literally choked with them. They have died by the millions, and since Saturday night big gangs of Negroes have been at work, employed by manufacturers along the canal, pitchforking the dead fish out of the water and carting them away. The situation is as serious as unprecedented. Navigation in the canal has been suspended. The immense cypress plant of the Louisiana Cypress Lumber Co., employing several hundred hands, has been forced to close down. The atmosphere is polluted by the poison. Families living along Harvey's canal and in the neighborhood of the mill are fleeing from the place and seeking refuge on this side of the stream.

Negroes and irresponsible persons have taken the dying fish from the water and brought them to the New Orleans market, where they have been sold for food. It is believed that thousands of the fish have been eaten in this city. It is greatly feared disease and pestilence will follow the plague of fish. Physicians are warning their patients, and the situation at Harvey's canal grows more serious every hour.

This plague of fish—the buffalo—is unprecedented. It is unique in the history of southern waters and with southern fish.

July 3 the strange phenomenon was first noticed to any extent. The canal suddenly became alive with the buffalo, full-grown ones, measuring 20 to 22 inches and weighing from 15 to 18 pounds.

The towboat Florence was making her way up the canal and encountered the fish. The wheel of the boat was clogged and it could not move. The Florence was compelled to run in to the bank and the up the fish piled upon each other. There was no end to them.

DIED BY MILLIONS.
Hundreds of people went to the canal to see the peculiar sight. Then on Friday evening some of the monster buffaloes were seen to turn up their white sides and to gasp for air and for fresh water.

They began to die by the thousands. Then the thousands soon went into the millions. The more that died the more the water became poisoned. It was the general theory that the fish had been driven into the canal from the Barataria bay by the storm and the wind, pushing the salt water up after them. The brackish water came up the canal and crowded them more and more.

There is a growing belief that a strange combination of influence has caused this unknown slaughter among fish. The long drought caused the water in the canal to get very low. First of all, the heavy blows from Barataria raised the salt water clear up the length of Harvey's canal. The mixture of salt and fresh water was worse for the fish than the pure water. They seem to have been unable to survive the half salt and half sweet water.

Then the water lilies were killed by the water from the sea and the decayed vegetation poisoned the water. The fish have had something to do with it, for practically all the lilies have been killed, and even those in this end of the canal are now fast fading away.

Soft shell crabs are dying, and can be seen by the thousands crawling up on the dead carcasses of the fish. Even the snakes cannot live in the putrid water, and many dead ones were seen yesterday.

The water in the canal, usually a muddy color, has turned an inky black, giving forth the poisonous odors that sickened man and beast alike.

THE FAST TRAINS TO CHICAGO.

New York Central's Express Service Added to
George H. Daniels, General Passenger Agent of the New York Central Road, talking yesterday of the company's fast train service, said that, in addition to the new twenty-four-hour train, there are now four twenty-four-hour trains to Chicago, and two Empire State express daily.

The Twentieth Century Limited, twenty-hour train, leaves New York every day at 2:45 p. m. and arrives at Chicago the next morning at 8:45 a. m. every day, reaching Chicago the next morning at 7:50 p. m., by both the Lake Shore and the Michigan Central. The noonday Chicago Limited leaves New York at 1 p. m., reaching Chicago by the Lake Shore the next morning at 11:50 a. m., and by the Michigan Central, twenty-three hours and fifty minutes. The Detroit and Chicago Limited leaves New York at 4 p. m., reaching Chicago the next afternoon, a fourth twenty-four-hour train. From the New York Times.

Note.—The New York Central also has 15 trains a day between New York and Buffalo and Niagara Falls. 5 trains a day between New York and St. Louis and Cincinnati; 4 trains a day between New York and Montreal and by its Boston and Albany Division 4 trains a day between New York and Boston via Springfield.

FED PEPPER TO BLOODHOUNDS

Outlaw Tracy Again Gave his Pursuers the Slip Near Renton.

Discovered in Home of a Farmer, He Overheard his Would-be Captors.

Tracy's complete record to date is as follows:

June 9—Escaped with David Merrill from penitentiary in Salem, Ore., after killing three guards and murdering one.

June 10—Returned with companion to Salem, stole team of horses after stripping the owner of his clothing, and proceeded to Portland. Near Gervais, held up two members of pursuing party and took from them a buggy and horse.

June 11—Fired on pursuers at Gervais and drove them off.

June 12—Surrounded by militia, they broke through the line and escaped back to Portland's suburbs.

June 14—Stole two horses at point of guns.

June 15—Compelled two men to row them across Columbia river.

June 17—Wounded a deputy sheriff in charge of pursuing party, stole fresh horses and continued towards Alacenter.

June 23—Robbed a house at Alacenter.

June 28—Stole two horses but gave them back.

June 29—Escaped from posse which had cornered them.

July 1—Tracy killed Merrill 40 miles from Tacoma, then rode through Olympia.

July 2—Tracy held up six men, crew of a launch; made two of them tie up the others and then take him in their boat up Puget sound. Told them he had killed seven men since escaping from prison.

July 3—Abandoned launch and took to woods headed for Seattle, saying he intended to clean out a saloon there. Twice cornered by sheriff's posse, he killed four men, fatally injured two men and wounded two others; stole a horse after crushing its owner's head with the butt of his gun, and rode away. Entire militia of state ordered to mobilize to assist in search.

July 4—Five hundred armed men surrounded woods, with instructions to kill Tracy on sight.

July 6—Escaped from cordon. Terrorized a farmer into supplying him with food; forced a boy to row him across a river. Entered a farm house bound and gagged all but one man; made him pack up bundle of food and clothing, shaved himself and then made the man row him to a point several miles away.

July 6—Seen at Deception Pass in sail boat. Two steamers in chase.

July 7—Sheriff's posse, after chase of 125 miles, returned empty-handed to Seattle. Chase on Puget sound continued by revenue cutters and on land by militiamen and searchers for the \$5,000 reward.

Seattle, Wash., July 9.—Harry Tracy the fugitive convict outlaw, has for the fourth time since his arrival at Meadow Point, escaped from the officers. Tracy was definitely located in the home of Charles Gerrels, one mile north of the town of Renton, at 2 o'clock yesterday afternoon.

At 4:45 Deputy Sheriff Cook arrived with a fraction of the posse and advanced up the track towards the Gerrels' home. Tracy stood in the rear of the premises, observed a conversation between one of the women inmates of the house, and two young men from Renton, and then the convict plunged into the brush and was lost to view.

When Tracy disappeared from the Gerrels' home, the bloodhounds were hastily brought up from the rear, and turned on a hot scent. Both dogs struck the trail down the stream, following it for a quarter of a mile and crossing the track only to double back and swim the river.

Half way between Cedar River and Burrows' boat house, both dogs ran into cayenne pepper sprinkled in the outlaw's retreating footsteps. Their nostrils were filled with the fiery substance, and fully ten minutes were lost in relieving the dogs so that they could again exercise their powers of smell.

Pressed to desperation, Tracy here made a circuit, headed due north and plunged into the outskirts of the lake where he finally succeeded in casting the scent. It was then dark and the guard returned to Renton with the dogs.

DASHED TO DEATH

Sudden Breaking of a Beam at the Burg causes Death of a Swimmer and Injures his Comrade

A TERRIBLE FATALITY

Speech to the Planet.

Wallaceburg, July 10.—About four o'clock, at the Glass Works, a very sad accident occurred. Harry Milord and A. McKibbin, who were swimming, climbed upon a tremendous beam, used in unloading coal, from which they were about to dive, when the beam gave way, falling on Mr. Milord, who was killed instantly, his body being terribly mangled. Mr. McKibbin sustained several bad bruises, but it is hoped that he will soon recover.

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DISTRICT DOINGS. TILBURY

July 10.—Miss Minnie Beno, who has been visiting her brother here, Frank Beno, returned to her home in Essex last evening.

Tilbury bowlers were defeated in Thamesville on Tuesday last.

Ed. Tisdale of Detroit, arrived here last night on a visit with his parents, Lela Powell leaves to-night on a visit with relatives in Essex.

P. Anderson, of Detroit was the guest of his brother here, J. Anderson, a few days this week.

Misses Ball Wilson and Maude Shaw leave to-day on a visit with friends in Sarnia.

Chatham bowlers will play here next Tuesday.

THAMESVILLE.

July 9.—G. J. Watt, of the Tecumseh House, had two valuable cows killed by the Wabash express at the London St. crossing this evening.

J. H. Dodgson, of Toronto, is in town to-day.

Mrs. Hanley, of Detroit is visiting friends here.

Mrs. Robt. Edmunds leaves to-morrow for Duluth, where she will reside in future, and Miss Winnie for Detroit, where she has secured a situation. Last evening a number of Miss Winnie's friends waited on her at her home and presented her with a travelling companion.

C. H. Watts returned to Toledo this morning.

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WALLACEBURG

July 10.—Dr. and Mrs. Herd have returned home, after visiting friends at Uxbridge, Ont.

D. A. Gordon and Miss Ruby have returned from a visit at Montreal.

Miss Lillian Marshall, of Chatham, is visiting friends here.

Miss Bessie Taylor and Miss Nina Payne left to-day for an extended visit at Glencoe.

Our lacrosse team journeyed to Chatham to-day to cross sticks with the team of that city.

Mrs. T. O'Donnell has been on the sick list for the last few days.

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