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The British government has never openly contested this right, but the British and Canadian sealers, who are now in the least administered of the laws have done great depredation to the seals in their migrations to and from the rookeries. The British government has consented at the London conference to the United States government made its own and all British and Canadian poaching vessels found in Behring sea two years ago, and the United States government has consented to the United States government made its own and all British and Canadian poaching vessels found in Behring sea two years ago.

Counting the Passing Dead. Bradport, Pa., May 31.—En route to the scene of the disaster the telegraph wires have been down absolutely for six or seven miles below the immediate scene of the disaster, and have been in an unworkable condition for three or four miles distant. It was at least 7:30 o'clock before an accurate outline of the effect of the tidal wave could be learned. The chief officials of the Pennsylvania railroad received most of their first information from the signal tower at Sang Hollow, six miles west of Johnston.

Death and Devastation. Trouton, Pa., May 31.—The Juniata river has overflowed its banks at this place and is causing great destruction to property. People living in the flooded districts had to be removed from their homes in wagons to places of safety. All the railroads crossing here are greatly damaged by the flood. The water was never known to be so high at this place.

Completely Submerged. At Curwensville one man was drowned, and at Clearfield two young ladies were drowned in trying to escape from the flooded district. The Susquehanna overflowed its banks at Clearfield and the entire place is under water. All means of escape are cut off. Many people have gathered in the conference house, where a place of refuge is being sought. It is still raining hard and the water is running rapidly.

War Vessels to Carry Diving Apparatus. Washington, May 31.—Profiting by the recent events at Samoa, where the treasure of the wrecked Trenton was recovered by means of a diving apparatus borrowed from the British man-of-war Calliope, the navy department has determined to equip each of our naval vessels with a complete diving apparatus. A submarine diver is also to be retained as a part of the complement of each vessel in commission. No trouble is anticipated in securing suitable men, as there are always members of the crew who make good divers.

The Star's Toast. St. Petersburg, May 31.—The Official Messenger says that at a dinner given in Peterhof palace in honor of Princess Milina, of Montenegro, who has been betrothed to the Grand Duke Peter, of Russia, the czar offered a toast to the Prince of Montenegro, whom he declared to be the sole sincere and faithful friend of Russia.

Two Lovers Take Morphine. Chicago, May 31.—In a ramshackle two-story house on the south side live two families named Sullivan and Bell. Last night Nellie Sullivan, aged nineteen, and John Bell, aged twenty-one, together took enough morphine to kill a dozen men. They were really recognized as persons of the fact several hours later, but failed to send for a physician until they saw that the girl was dying. When the physician finally arrived, he found the bodies of the girl and her lover in the possession of one of the murderers. The pants found were deeply stained with blood.

Baseball. AT BALTIMORE. No game on account of rain. AT PHILADELPHIA. Philadelphia 11, Wood and Decker: Indianapolis 2, Stratton and Cook. AT COLUMBUS. Columbus 7, Baldwin and Dally: Louisville 2, Stratton and Cook.

Now Storms in Wisconsin. MISWAUKEE, May 31.—This morning large, heavy, moist flakes of snow fell in this city until the ground was covered. Trains which arrived on the St. Paul from the north were covered with snow. The temperature in this city this morning was 33 degrees, one above freezing. Rail road men report over a foot of snow south of Fond-du-Lac, on the Northwestern road. Crops have been considerably spoiled by the late frosts. Reports from all parts of

CHICAGO'S LATEST. Boodler McGarigle, Like a Prodigal Son, Surrenders Himself.

MACK, OR WILLIAMS, TALKS SOME.

He Endeavors to Implicate a Mrs. Dudley in the Cronin Murder—Death by Morphine—A Mine Horror.

CHICAGO, May 31.—Interest in the Cronin case apparently receded to-day by the sensation of the announcement of the return to Chicago of W. J. McGarigle, manager of the Chicago hospital and general agent of Cook county's famous boogie game. The history of this case and of McGarigle's sensational escape from the custody of Sheriff Matson and his subsequent chase into Canada need no repetition at this time. Shortly before noon to-day, McGarigle