

Local and Other Items

**CHICAGO GOING DOWN**—According to a scientist who lives in Chicago that city will have disappeared beneath the waters of Lake Michigan within the space of 1,500 years. Then won't it be windy?

**A TERRIBLE DEATH**—At Fort Edward, N. Y., last Wednesday night Mrs. Caroline Bree, during a temporary fit of insanity, saturated her clothing with kerosene oil and ignited it. She died in terrible agony.

**QUICK WORK**—Mr. Smith F. Vickerson, of the Cape Sable Packing Company, at Clark's Harbor, N. S., made 9,000 lobster cans in 9 hours and 20 minutes last week. This is said to be the highest on record.

**MADE A HIT**—The Boston Herald thinks that the New York magistrate who has discharged a mistress accused by her servant of having taken her over her knee and spanked her for disobedience appears to have contributed something practical and illuminating to the servants girl problem.

**LICENSE IN VANCOUVER**—A motion to increase saloon license fees from \$500 to \$600 a year was recently carried by the acting mayor's casting vote at Vancouver city council meeting. One alderman said they could well afford to pay the increased amount owing to the money they were making out of gambling.

**THE SHERIFF KILLED**—Sheriff Hazen, of Converse county, N. Y., and the posse in pursuit of the Union Pacific robbers had a fight with the bandits late on Wednesday and the sheriff was killed. The robbers were surrounded in a gulch, when they were forced to abandon the horses which were captured. They hid behind rocks and made a desperate fight.

**MONSTER LOBSTER**—Last week John Spindler, of Rose Bay, caught a lobster in a hand pot off Iron Bound that weighed 12 pounds. It measured across spread claws 33 inches and 33 inches from end of tentacles to end of tail. The body itself measured 18 inches and was free of barnacles and other ornaments generally worn by large and old lobsters.—Bridgewater Bulletin.

**WHERE ITS WARM**—A heat wave similar to the one that is affecting New York prevails over Europe. In London the continuance of hot weather so early in June almost breaks all records. The thermometers have been registering 88 in the shade at the hottest time of the day for about five weeks, and there have been several deaths from the heat. A commercial traveller committed suicide, saying: "I must get out of the world; I will suffocate."

**BAD FOR NEWSPAPERS**—Charles Knapp, publisher of the St. Louis Republic, recently made the statement that the extra news for which the daily papers of this country were taxed during the Spanish war, laid down in New York city, cost them \$2,500,000, and that if the war had continued a year it would have cost them \$7,000,000. This gives a very good idea of the magnificent enterprise of the daily press of the United States. At the same time that the newspapers were put to this extraordinary expense their advertising patronage fell off, so that it is estimated the war cost not less than \$5,000,000, a net loss of that sum. The price of paper rose so rapidly at the time that profit in circulation was absorbed in that alone, so that the war was very unfortunate as a business matter for the newspapers. The past year, instead of being a good one for newspapers on account of the demand for news, was a hard one on them financially because of increased cost of publication.—Newspaper Maker, New York.

NEWS NOTES.

A Winnipeg despatch conveys the information that E. D. Martin has announced himself as a candidate for the Winnipeg seat, now vacant. It is said, too, that Joe Martin has offered his services to assist in the fight, should Sifton interfere. The situation is a very interesting one. The feud between Sifton and the Martins is very bitter, and there is no doubt that the election of E. D. Martin in Winnipeg would be taken as a stunning defeat for Sifton and his machine.

Cheap Labour.

WINNIPEG, June 7.—The C. P. R. is cutting the wages of the laborers and wipers and replacing English and Canadians with Galicians and Doukobors. There is, according to the Edmonton papers, intense feeling against further foreign immigration.

Yarmouth Times: Things do not look at all promising for the son of the house of Costigan. Both father and son have entered the penumbra of suspicion that proceeds a total eclipse of public favor.

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