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Crop Report.

Wheat sowing was delayed this fall by the dry weather that prevailed previous to the middle of September. The rains that began on the 12th of that month placed the ground in condition that it could be worked, and wheat was sowed from this time until near the middle of October. A much larger percentage than usual was sowed the early part of October.

The area sowed this year compared with acreage sowed in 1892 is estimated as follows: Southern counties, 75 per cent; central counties, 77 per cent; northern counties, 91 per cent, and state 77 per cent. The reduction in area here indicated is not greater than it was reasonable to expect, and is due in part to low price, and in part to the dry weather.

Wheat is doing fairly well. It is small because late sowed, but is yet growing, and but little damage has been done by insects. Less than a dozen correspondents in the southern counties report damage by insects. Compared with vitality and growth of average years the average condition is as follows: Southern counties 88 per cent; central, 80 per cent; northern 98 per cent, and state 89 per cent. The per cent for the southern counties is the same as in 1891, but five points above the condition November 1, 1892.

The total number of bushels of wheat reported marketed in October is 1,127,516. The number of bushels reported marketed in the three months, August September and October is 1,654,020, which is 787,117 bushels less than reported marketed in the same months last year.

Corn in the southern counties is estimated to yield 45 bushels of ears per acre, in the central 54, the northern, 61, and the state 47. The average yield of corn in the state for a long series years is about 50 bushels of ears.

The acreage of clover seed harvested in the southern counties is about two-thirds, and in the state seven-tenths of an average. The yield in the southern counties is 1.12 bushels, in the central 1.47 bushels, and in the state 1.20 bushels per acre. The yield of the small, or June clover, is very light, but the mammoth yields fairly well. Potatoes are estimated to yield as follows: Southern counties, 54 per cent; central 62 per cent; northern 68 per cent, and state 57 per cent of an average crop.

The condition of live stock is rather below the condition one year ago, the average, however are all above 90 per cent.

The statistics of land in farms in May of this year, as shown by returns made by supervisors, are as follows: Total number of farms in the state, 141,235; acres of improved land, 8,366,022; acres of unimproved land, 4,347,877; average size of farms, 90.02 acres.

Upon the top floor of the Phenix building 200 men and women are employed day and night, as telegraph operators by one of the great telegraph companies. One of the strictest rules of the office, which has been recently enforced, is the one which prohibits operators to converse during working hours. To leave their desk while on duty is absolutely forbidden. Only a few days ago two young men were sitting at one desk opposite each other. One of them was sending "press" to New Orleans while the other was receiving messages from the same point. The sender was addicted to the use of tobacco. His supply had run out. Looking across the other side of the desk he espied a plug at the side of his vis-a-vis. The young man was in a quandary. To ask for the coveted weed would have been a breach of the rules; so he resolved on another plan. Stopping in his message, he asked the receiver in New Orleans to tell his partner on the other side to hand him a "chew." "Click, click, click," came the response over the instrument on the other side of the glass partition. The tobacco was thrown over and one young man was made happy. The message had gone to New Orleans and returned to Chicago in less than a minute, and the chief clerk was no wiser. —Chicago Tribune.

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The Story of a Woman's Atonement,
by Charlotte M. Braeme.

CHAPTER XVI.

"Do you hate me, Captain Flemmyng?" she asked.

"Do I hate you?" he echoed. "Oh, Lady Charnleigh, what a strange, cruel question. Why should I hate you?"

"Because I have come between you and a magnificent inheritance," she replied. "But for me Crown Leighton would have been yours; you would have been in the place you could so nobly fill."

His face flushed, and a light came into his dark eyes.

"Lady Charnleigh, believe me, no thought of repining has ever entered my mind. I am happy in the loss, seeing that it is your gain."

"I have often wished that I knew you and could write and say it—I have always intended to say it to you the first time we met. Captain Flemmyng, let us forget how distant is our relationship, and try to imagine we are both members of one family."

"I am more than willing—I am honored beyond words."

"And now what I am almost afraid to say. If we were brother and sister, I could say to you, 'out of the wealth of my abundance, out of the ample means that would have been yours, take what you want.' Will you let me say that now? You would make me the happiest woman living if you would."

Again the dark handsome face flushed.

"I am not angry, dear Lady Charnleigh, for I understand the noble, generous heart that prompts the offer; but, while I thank you for it, let me say it would be easier for me to die than to accept it."

"Have I annoyed you?" she asked, anxiously.

"No, you have shown me how generous you are. If I had inherited the fortune, I should have been just as anxious to share it with you. No, most generous lady, I shall carve my own fortune. You remember those glorious words, 'There is no fate in life save such as a strong hand carves or a weak hand mars.' My hand is strong."

"I am sure of it," she said, looking at him with admiration. "I am very proud of my kin-man; you will be different from the rest of the world to me—something apart. You must never flatter me, but treat me as you would a younger sister of your own—we are of one race, you know."

"Your frankness makes me happy, Lady Charnleigh. I shall esteem the offer you have made as the highest life can hold." Suddenly he broke off and exclaimed, "I know that face—it is Bertram Gordon's."

And the next moment the two friends had clasped each other's hands. If Paul Flemmyng had seen how the beautiful face flushed, he would have guessed that Lady Charnleigh was not indifferent to the grand, noble man whose friendship had always been a keen source of delight to him. Then the three whose lives were so strangely interwoven sat down by the bank of the river.

"This is different from Malta," said Sir Bertram; "how one's eyes long, when away from home, for a sight of English green."

"Yes, people talk of the grandeur of tropical foliage. I do not think, for delicacy and beauty of color, there is anything to compare with our English trees; and their greatest beauty, to my mind, is in the spring-time, when the buds are tender. Do you not agree with me, Lady Charnleigh?"

"I am sure everything you say is right," she replied. His question had aroused her from a deep reverie, and both gentlemen laughed at her abrupt candor.

"You will cause me to weigh most carefully everything that I say, Lady Charnleigh. You have been very kind to me—may I ask a favor of you?"

"Her face cleared.

"Yes, twenty if you will; it would be a great happiness to do anything for you."

Sir Bertram had at first felt half inclined to be jealous of his dark haired handsome soldier, but the frankness and kindness of her words disarmed him. It was not thus, he felt sure, women talked to the men they loved. When she looked at Paul Flemmyng her eyes were full of admiration, of kindly liking—it was seldom that he himself won one glance from those violet eyes; when he did they were quite a different expression.

"I have some friends coming to London very soon—General Sir Huntley Dacre, and his daughter, Miss Ethel Dacre. Lady Charnleigh, will you allow me to introduce her to you, and will you help her?"

"I shall be only too pleased to show all possible kindness to friends of yours. In what way can I help her?"

"She is very young, and in my opinion, very beautiful. Her mother has long been dead, and she has been alone with the General for some time. She has not seen much of this great, gay world of yours, and it would be kind of you to introduce her to some of your many friends, and to let her spend as much of her time as possible with you."

She looked up at him with a smile he did not understand.

"I am going to weigh your words," she said laughingly; "why do you call this great, gay world mine?"

"Because it seems to me that you are one of its queens," he replied.

"Do you say Miss Dacre is beautiful?"

"I have looked at the sun, and so cannot see the stars."

"Your poetry is flattery—we agreed that you should never flatter me."

Then Sir Bertram interposed. This handsome soldier, with his reputation for bravery, was likely to prove a dangerous rival, and her friendly liking for him might develop into something warmer. He thought it high time to

draw Lady Charnleigh's attention to himself.

"Is Miss Dacre a young lady?" he asked.

There was not the least embarrassment or confusion on the Captain's face.

"Yes, she is of about the same age as Lady Charnleigh, I should imagine. She will be an acquisition to London society. Lady Charnleigh, I hope you will like her."

"I am sure to do that because you have asked me," she replied.

"You are very kind. When they reach London, then, I will, with your permission, bring the General and Miss Dacre to see you."

Here Lady Denham joined them.

CHAPTER XVII.

If anyone had been asked at that particular time to name the happiest woman in London society, he would surely have named the Countess of Charnleigh. She had youth, exceptional beauty, wealth, position, everything, in fact, that the human heart could wish for. There was not a cloud on her sky.

One beautiful morning the young Countess was sitting alone in the cool, fragrant drawing-room. The rose-colored blinds were drawn, and the light that came through them was mellow and rich; the odor of white daphnes filled the air. The windows were open, and she could hear the song of the birds and the distant roll of carriages. Luxury, magnificence, and grandeur surrounded the young girl.

She wore a pretty morning-dress of white, shining material, trimmed with lace and blue ribbons; her golden hair fell in waving masses on her beautiful neck and shoulders. She held a book in her hands, but she never turned a page. Leonie, Lady Charnleigh, was thinking. Before her mind's eye flitted many and various figures—Lord Falcon, Paul Flemmyng and Sir Bertram. She was thinking long and deeply; presently her face flushed and the beautiful lips trembled.

"I will be true to my love," she said to herself, "come what may. I will be true to myself."

Then she started up in sheer surprise. Capt. Flemmyng stood beside her, smiling at her evident abstraction, and by his side was a young girl. Gen. Dacre stood near.

"Lady Charnleigh, let me introduce Gen. Dacre and his daughter, Miss Dacre, to you," said Paul.

The young Countess looked and saw a face that attracted her at first sight; it was beautiful, intelligent, full of poetry, with clear, dark eyes that had something of sadness in their depths. She looked earnestly in the eloquent face, and then clasped the girl's hands in her own.

"Capt. Flemmyng told me that I should like you," she said, impulsively; "I do not think he was wrong."

Then she greeted the General, who, like every one else, fell captive to her lovely face.

"You will stay and spend the day with me, Miss Dacre? Capt. Flemmyng has promised to take me to the Botanical Gardens; it will give us both so much pleasure if you will go also. We shall know each other better; if we spend a day together than if we only meet among strangers."

It was a remarkable fact that people seldom refused to do as Lady Charnleigh wished. Ethel Dacre did not attempt to resist.

Two hours later they were at the Botanical Gardens. Had Lady Charnleigh searched the world over she could not have found a companion who contrasted so strikingly with herself. They were both lovely, but in style quite opposite. Lady Charnleigh was fair, bright, and radiant, there was sunshine in her face and golden hair. Miss Dacre was dark, with somewhat of poetry and sadness in her features.

Their appearance in the gardens caused no little sensation. To Lady Charnleigh's annoyance, the Duchess of Rockhampton and her son, Lord Falcon, were there, and would insist upon engrossing her time and attention. She had intended to devote herself to Ethel, but the Duchess urged her so pressing to go with her to look at some Indian flowers that she could not refuse.

Paul and Ethel were left together. Miss Dacre looked long and earnestly after the frank, imperial girl; then her eyes grew dim with tears, and she turned to her companion.

"You are right, Captain Flemmyng," she said. "The Countess of Charnleigh is indeed beautiful."

"Is she not, Ethel? But to me her beauty is her least charm. Her frank, gay, bright manner, her kindness, and the winning fascination of her speech, are greater than her beauty."

"How you love her!" said the girl, wistfully. "I must confess that I do not wonder at it."

"We are very dear friends," replied Paul, all unconscious of the pain in that gentle heart.

"I am told," she continued, "that Lady Charnleigh has many lovers."

The smile that answered her seemed to the girl full of happy triumph.

"She knows how to keep them in order," he said.

"And so much homage does not spoil her," pursued Ethel.

"No—she has a frank, imperial manner with her which nothing can spoil. Ah, Ethel, I am so pleased you will be friends. Lady Charnleigh does not go into raptures, you must understand, with every girl she meets. She liked you at first—I saw it in her face."

"It is for your sake," she said, gently, and the sweet flattery was most gracious to him. "You have studied her face well," she added, with some little bitterness, "to be able to read her thoughts upon it."

"They are so plainly written," said the captain.

"Do you remember the old lines?" she asked, trying to speak lightly:

"My only books were women's looks,
And folly all they taught me."

"Ah, Ethel," said Paul Flemmyng, "the words speak falsely—a wise man may learn the highest lessons and the truest wisdom from a woman's face."

CHAPTER XVIII.

Of Ethel Dacre, Lady Charnleigh had grown very fond; there was a warm and sincere attachment between them. They were useful to each other. From Leonie, Ethel learned many of the world's ways, little lessons in the art of savoir vivre; she acquired more gaiety, greater brightness of look and word, some of the bright, pretty graces that add so great a charm to life. And from Ethel, Lady Charnleigh learned high and holy thoughts, lessons of gentle wisdom that she would never have learned from another. And yet, though they were dear friends, although their intimacy was of the most familiar kind, they never as yet had indulged in the usual conversation about love and lovers.

Lady Charnleigh, so bright, so happy, had a certain conviction that Ethel had some sorrow preying upon her mind.

"There is at times a listless look about her, and I have seen her dark eyes fill with tears. Ethel has her secret, although she may never tell it to me."

In the drawing-room of Lady Charnleigh's superb mansion, Ethel Dacre sat one morning alone. She was going to the exhibition of the Royal Academy with her friend, and the Countess had not yet completed her toilet. Ethel looked very lovely on that bright morning; her eloquent face was flushed into the fairest bloom by the fresh morning air, her dark eyes were clear and true as the morning star itself. She had taken a book from the table and was reading to pass away the time until Lady Charnleigh should come.

She had accidentally alighted upon that sweet love story of Elaine—the history of surely the sweetest, purest love ever given to man; and, as she read, the printed words faded, the passionate melody of the verse had found an echo in her heart. Even as Elaine had loved the grand and noble hero, so she loved Paul Flemmyng. Even as Lancelot had no heart, no thought, no eyes for any save Queen Guinevere, so he, Paul Flemmyng cared for no one living save the beautiful young Countess, who was "all a queen should be—and more."

It was her own story—love won, unsought for.

"Only that I would never tell him," she said to herself. "I would die, looking in his face with a smile, rather than tell him. I would suffer torture greater than that of a martyr on the rack or the wheel, but I would never let him know. I would carry my secret to the grave with me, and it should be buried deeper down than myself. Even in death he should never know it."

She started, for a white hand lay on the open page of the book.

"Ethel, dreaming again! What! Are you reading about Elaine? How strange! Do you know that in my own mind I have often compared you to the 'Lily Maid'? She must have had a face like yours."

Ethel Dacre made no answer.

"Just such a face," continued the young Countess, looking lovingly at her friend, "full of poetry, of love that had never been told; pure as a lily-leaf, sweet as the face of an angel—sad sometimes with a sadness half saintly; that is like you and like Elaine."

The proud head was raised; the fair voice replied:

"It may be so. You have a vivid fancy, Lady Charnleigh; but I shall not share Elaine's fate. I will not die of love for one who loves me not."

"Heaven forbid!" cried Lady Charnleigh. She kissed the white brow, looking tenderly at the girl. "I do not know how it is, Ethel; but when I look at you, I think that yours is the very face for a tragical love story. You are like Elaine and Juliet. I have seen that same expression on other faces—a kind of prophecy, as it were, written there, that undisturbed happiness is not to be the portion of the owner. I hope I am wrong, but I have this thought of you."

"You are not a prophetess, Lady Charnleigh; you are only a belle and a woman of fashion. I shall not heed what you say."

But the white hands tightened their caressing hold of her.

"Tell me, Ethel—is there not some one you love very much—some one you care for more than all the world beside—some sad, sweet secret of your own that you have never told to others, but you will tell to me? Is it not so, Ethel?"

She drew the sweet face close to her own and held it there.

"Will you not trust me, Ethel, your sister and your friend? Ah, sweet, do not turn away; see, your tears have dropped on the open page. Why did Elaine's story touch you, Ethel?"

"Because I love all poetry, and I believe sadness has a greater charm for me than joy." She withdrew herself from the loving arms and looked almost haughtily at Lady Charnleigh.

"How you weave romances!" she cried. "You had better take to writing novels. You will make me believe myself romantic and unhappy, whereas I am nothing of the kind. As for love, I love nothing on earth except—"

"Captain Flemmyng, my lady," said a servant's voice at the door, and Leonie laughed gayly.

"If you could only guess how apropos was the announcement of your name," she said to the young soldier, holding out her hand. "It was delightful."

Paul looked from the laughing face of the young Countess to Ethel, whose face burned with blushes.

"I do not understand," he returned.

"Happily so," said Lady Charnleigh. "Is it not time we started, Captain Flemmyng? I have been twice to the exhibition, and have hardly seen a picture."

"How has that happened?" he asked.

"I am so unfortunate; the rooms always seemed filled with my own particular friends."

[TO BE CONTINUED.]

Do NOT anticipate trouble, or worry about what may never happen. Keep in the sunlight, was Franklin's sensible advice.

THE SUNDAY SCHOOL.

SERIOUS SUBJECTS CAREFULLY CONSIDERED.

A Scholarly Exposition of the Lesson—Thoughts Worthy of Calm Reflection—Half an Hour's Study of the Scriptures—Time Well Spent.

Imitation of Christ.

The lesson for Sunday, Nov. 19, may be found in Eph. 4: 20-32.

INTRODUCTORY.

"The Imitation of Christ" suggests at once Thomas a Kempis' beautiful and devout work "Imitatio Christi." So beautiful and devout indeed as to lead Dr. Horton in his recent "Verbum Dei" to query, somewhat extravagantly, "If the Imitatio Christi is not a word of God, what is it?" But there is something more beautiful and devout than the book, "The Imitation of Christ." It is the life that is an "imitation of Christ." Too many have conned Saint Thomas' book and have wept over it and then went their ways into wordiness and cruelty. On the other hand many who have never read those sentences of ardent devotion to the Lord or of affection for his name have still carried about in their sweet and holy lives, oftentimes obscure, the lovely witness of the Kingly One. It is to provoke more such living that this lesson is studied to-day.

POINTS IN THE LESSON.

"But ye have not so learned Christ," i. e., been a disciple of Christ. Who was it said it, it is another of our marginal notes—"I'd rather be a five minutes with Christ than a year in places where he once was."

"Corrupt according to the deceitful lusts," or, as in the more literal Revision the lusts of deceit. Lust in the Scripture is another word for strong desire. In this case it is the strong desire of the Evil One who was a deceiver from the beginning; hence corruptness ensues. In the case where growth and sanctification are to be found it is also according to desire, but this time the gracious desire of God (1: 11): Study that significant word "according," as it occurs repeatedly in this epistle.

"Be renewed" is etymologically be reminded, i. e., got a new mind. Here comes up at once that me n'ingful passage in 2 Philip. 1: 2, "Let this mind be in you which was also in Christ Jesus. . . he humbled himself." What this old, selfish world needs is to be renewed and reminded.

"And grieve not the Holy Spirit." Only friends grieve each other, and what comforter and friend like unto the Holy Spirit. We grieve friends by acting contrary to that friendship and doing those things inconsistent with the character of him with whom we have fellowship, or against his mind. And all the more grievous is such disloyalty since we carry the seal and mark of adoption upon us. Be true to the Holy Ghost.

"True holiness," in its closer rendering, is truth-holiness, or, as in Revision, holiness in truth. It is the life that goes along with the living of the truth, and as the truth is in Jesus (v. 21), "After God" might better be translated according to God, the same preposition appearing in v. 22, above. So here we have the contrast clear and sharp: "according to the deceitful lusts" (Satan); according to God. Which is to be chosen?

HINTS AND ILLUSTRATIONS.

Here is a good question to ask: "What is it to be a Christian?" We remember a revival of religion in a certain suburb of a city which gathered itself about the putting of such a question, leading members of the community taking turns night after night in giving responses from the platform. Put the query now in the class. What do you understand by the word Christian? What is it, to-day, to be a follower of Christ? Various answers will doubtless be given, based all upon the Scripture given here, but varying according to our changed circumstances. Each age naturally enough has its pre-eminent and prevailing testimony to Jesus; there is a special witness, effective in its way, for each generation. Is not this what is meant by the Lord when he says of the Spirit's operations, "And he will show you (the) things to come—he shall glorify me?"

Wang, the Christian Chinaman, a humble, almost insignificant man, was the means of leading many of his countrymen to Christ, and had the deep respect of every one. And this tribute, given at his death, was the secret of it all. "There was no difference between him and the Book."

Mrs. E. M. Whittemore, of New York, when she engaged in the work to which she has so efficiently given herself, the rescue of lost women of the city, occasioned not a little wonderment among her fashionable friends. Several surmised that she had lost her mind. Her reply was that it was true, and that she hoped she had gotten instead the mind of Christ.

"Let the Word of God have free course and be glorified." Out at Upland, on the occasion of the last rites over the body of the lamented Dr. Benjamin Griffith, prominent among the floral tributes was an open Bible in white lilies and chrysanthemums. It was a beautiful symbol of the work of his devoted life, a life spent in scattering broadcast through the American Baptist Publication Society and its agents the Word of life. Thereby "he being dead, yet speaketh."

Prof. Ward, of Syracuse, has much to say regarding that rendition of the Scripture which without gesture or comment is in the modulation of the voice—he calls it "the vocal paraphrase." There is yet another translation of the word, that is, in the life, the local paraphrase. Men know Christ and his Word as they see the same in us. We are "living epistles known and read of all men."

Next Lesson—"The Christian Home." Col. 3: 12-25.

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WORK OF THE SESSION

FIFTEEN BILLS, SIXTEEN JOINT RESOLUTIONS.

Summary of the Doings of the National Legislature—Few Results for So Long a Term—Matters Which Will Confront the Regular Session.

What They Did.

The extraordinary session, closed by the sixteen joint resolutions and fifteen bills became laws. Three of the joint resolutions were signed by the President. The last resolution to become law was the resolution amending the act of April 25, 1890, relating to the session of articles intended for the Columbian Exposition. Other signed were as follows:

Amending the model battleship Illinois to be a naval armory; donating to the G. A. R. at Pittsburg, Kan., the United States Circuit Court in the State of South Dakota; increasing the number of officers of the navy to be detailed to colleges; to the fees of the clerk of the United States Court for the Indian Territory; to the act to provide for holding United States Court in Idaho; amending section 222 of the Statutes relating to mining claims; for the construction of steam vessels for service on the great lakes; and in regard to the World's Fair Exposition to be held at New York.

Additional important bills which signed by the President during the extra session included the famous bill repealing the purchasing power of the Sherman act. Also the bill:

granting acknowledgment to the various governments who participated in the discovery of America (Christopher Columbus); for the reporting, and removal of derelicts; act in California Midwinter International Exposition to extend the time for completion of the eleventh census; act to repeal the act to repeal timber culture several bills relating to the Cherokee and a bill to settle the Mormon Church.

Of the first measures presented to the next House will emanate from the McGann's Committee on Education. It will be a favorable report on the effect on labor and cost to the Government of the labor-saving machine. "The resolution of inquiry," Congressman McGann, "was prompted by any spirit of inquiry, but was set on foot to get information on a point that is of vital interest to all classes of people, including employer and employee."

The intention of the majority of the Ways and Means Committee to the new tariff bill as soon as it is completed to the Republicans, will be given ten days to consider it, and frame a minor report. The bill will probably be reported by Dec. 1, just before the opening of Congress in regular session. A joint resolution passed by the House to have all enrolled and printed bills printed in a printing office will be established at the Capitol. It is thought by the bills printed many errors are avoided. The New York and Jersey bridge bill will not be until the next session of Congress. It is now in conference.

Overflow of News.

Buildings burned at Monroeville, Va.

K. OGLER & CO., carriage makers at St. Louis, failed for \$50,000.

Baltimore and Ohio Railroad gained a \$3,000,000 loan in London.

KRIEST was burned to death in a lodging house at St. Louis, Mo.

SHAW, a prospector, has been killed in a snowstorm near Telluride, Colo.

Phoenix Hotel, of Lexington, Ky., passed into the hands of a receiver.

A dozen businesses at Kittanning, Pa., causing \$30,000 loss.

at Jonesboro, Ark., consumed buildings and caused a loss of \$100,000.

ZUCHSWERDT committed suicide at St. Louis by hanging. She was 21.

plant of the Williamsport (Pa.) Company was damaged \$25,000.

was banqueting in Liverpool. 600 persons of prominence present.

Ingram, Ok., a negro burglar, was hanged to three men in order to save \$100.

window glass plant of Roedferman, at Elwood, Ind., burned.

REDMOND was lynched in Charlestown, W. Va., for brutally murdering a negro.

AGENTS are said to have stoned the Ashantee to death on the coast of his capital.

General offices of the Baltimore Railroad will be removed from Baltimore to St. Louis.

A drunk Charles Manning, of Ohio, shot and killed his wife, Mrs. W. R. White.

Phonolite Glass Company, incorporated at Denver with \$500,000 capital, manufacture glass by a new process.

fight against the coal combine and has taken shape in the organization of the Minnesota Coal Commission.

MEASURES to secure amnesty for offenders and workingmen of rioting has been started in Minnesota.

CTIONS have been telegraphed to all Government to continue the purchase of cotton.

Aspects of Tennyson.

Many angry things have been said about Carlyle, and not unjustly, on account of these words of his upon Darwin's "Origin of Species":

"Wonderful to me as indicating the caustic stupidity of mankind; never could read a page of it or waste the least thought upon it."

But among all the workers in pure literature who lived in England at that time, Tennyson and George Eliot were the only two among writers who were prominently before the public who grasped its tremendous human import. Tennyson did not use it as a foundation for artistic work, but his consciousness of the new epoch is always apparent.

Pascal tells us that there are two extremes—"to exclude reason and to admit only reason." Passing into the latter extreme, George Eliot's fine intellect became baffled. Tennyson's became strengthened.

The greatness of Tennyson is seen not merely in the readiness with which he confronted the teaching of science, but also in the temper with which he received it. For at first it is hard indeed for a good poet to accept any theory that seems to be the doctrine of evolution at first seemed to be materialistic. The finer the nature the more certain it is to be rendered miserable by a materialistic theory of life, as we see in the case of George Eliot. The materialistic cosmogony she received, from the earlier evolutionists acting upon a nature so generous and sympathetic as hers was sure to induce pessimism, but sure to induce a pessimism finer and nobler than the optimism of most other people.—The Nineteenth Century.

A Family Laxative.

Physicians are not inclined to recommend self-medication to the laity. Yet there is one need, says the American Analyst, which they are almost unable to supply. We refer to the "family laxative." The family physician is able to prescribe for the most complicated and obscure of maladies, and yet is often puzzled to know just what to give when asked for a remedy which can be kept in the house for family use as a laxative, that shall be effective, free from danger, and not unpleasant to take. When absent on our summer vacation we were asked by four different parties, representing as many families, what we thought of the "Syrup of Figs." Not one word did we volunteer on the subject, and we were somewhat surprised to find that there was this small token of the very general use of that preparation. These parties said they derived more benefit from it and found it more pleasant to take than anything of the kind they had ever used. The simple question with them was, is it a dangerous compound? We informed them that its active ingredient was a preparation of senna, and that it was entirely free from danger. With this assurance they volunteered the information that they should continue to keep it in the house.

The therapeutic properties of senna are so well known that comment on this seems unnecessary. It might be well to notice, however, that Bartholow says it is "a very safe and serviceable cathartic," and that it is "highly prized as a remedy for constipation." He also makes the important observation that its use "is not followed by intestinal torpor and constipation."

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The Life of a Magazine.

The life of a magazine is, after all, very much the same as the life of a human being, writes Edward W. Bok in "At Home with the Editor" in the Ladies' Home Journal. Just as the infant is the life of its mother, so is the magazine the brain-child of its originator. The anxieties of both are almost parallel. Remissness of care is as fateful with the one as with the other, and health, long life and prosperity as much an outcome of carefulness, watchfulness and diligence in the case of the magazine as in that of the child. The right development of a child means much, yea, everything to a parent; it signifies but little less to the creator of a periodical.

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They are commonly called in the South "the sheep of the piny woods;" they have no recorded pedigree or even a breed name. It is supposed, however, that they were originally brought to Florida by the Spanish adventurers when they first settled upon the present site. They possess even yet, in some respects, the characteristics of the Merino sheep. They have the same general form, though less uniform, and wool that is nearly as fine as the pure-blood Merino.

In the historical accounts of the early Spanish visitors to Florida there are records of their bringing sheep and other domestic animals with them, and after that time no subsequent large importation of fine-wool sheep to this region was ever heard of. Wild sheep were known to exist in the South in the days of Washington and Jefferson, who endeavored to improve their condition by introducing fine breeds from abroad.

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One may have too high an opinion of the merits of relatives. A French lady was showing a visitor the family portraits in the picture gallery. "That officer there in the uniform," she said, "was my great-great-grandfather. He was brave as a lion, but one of the most unfortunate of men; he never fought in a battle in which he did not have an arm or a leg carried away." Then she added proudly, "He took part in twenty-four engagements."

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SCHOOL THOUGHTS.

The Geometry class have discontinued their trigonometrical work for the present.

The U. S. Political History class are deep in the financial measures of Hamilton. A most interesting class.

One of our long lost High School members in the person of Jennie Woods paid us a welcome visit Monday.

The Chemistry class nearly succeeded in ejecting School Inspector Cavanaugh from the laboratory Friday. Not by hostile force of arms; chlorine was the weapon.

The physics class have been called upon to present their barometer readings in the form of a barometer wave. This will be a chance for the pupils to show their neatness and skill in drawing.

A new scheme has been adopted for the preservation of the school library. Volunteers are called for one week each. No pupils except the librarian are to go behind the railing and no books are to leave the library unless librarian is there. Faye Moon was the first volunteer and has taken charge during this week. It is rumored that volunteers will be numerous at the next calling.

Remember and be ready, every one, for the L. O. T. M. fair, which takes place on the evening of December 13th.

Lima.

Dance at the Hall November 24th. I. Hammond is building an addition to his house.

Henry Wilson writes home that he has shot a deer.

Dave Hammond and Charley Hoover of Banister are visiting friends here.

Emma Meyers of Lima and John Grau of Freedom were married Wednesday.

Miss Bertha Spencer spent Saturday and Sunday in Chelsea with Mrs. Lula Buchanan.

Waterloo.

School commenced in the village Monday with Miss Rosa Heydlauff for teacher.

Herschel Watts and Sarah Beeman spent Sunday with friends at Stockbridge.

Action is being taken to rebuild the M. E. church sheds which were recently blown down.

Clyde Beeman and Miss Blanche Deane visited friends in Dansville the first of the week.

Will Collins and niece, Miss Hibbard, of Dundee, are spending the week with Thos. Collins and family.

Thanksgiving exercises will be held at the M. E. church at 10:30 a. m. Rev. Blickenstaff will preach.

Miss Addie Croman attended the Sunday school convention at Hillsdale as delegate from Waterloo schools.

Clement Barber is digging a well in what will be the basement of his new barn when he has the barn completed.

Notwithstanding the new law which makes it a misdemeanor to fish only with a hook and line, lights are seen on some of our lakes every still night.

Geo. H. Foster, of Chelsea, has contracted to put a steel windmill for Horace Leek. It will require four tanks and over 600 feet of pipe to supply his stock with water.

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why more housewives do not avail themselves of these table delicacies. When in doubt what to have as a relish for dinner, just take a look over our line of canned goods.

J. S. CUMMINGS.

Notice of Drain Letting.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, THAT I, Philip Schweinfurth, Drain Commissioner of the Township of Sylvan, county of Washtenaw, State of Michigan, will, on the 22d day of November, A. D. 1893, at the house of Gottlieb Wasser, in said Township of Sylvan, at one o'clock in the afternoon of that day, proceed to receive bids for the cleaning of a certain Drain known and designated as "The Goose Lake Drain" located and established in the said Township of Sylvan, and described as follows, to-wit: Commencing where the tile ends in land of Gottlieb Wasser to west line of Howard Fisk's land and also additional tile laid through land of Gottlieb Wasser about fourteen rods, one row of twelve (12) inch tile. Said drain needs cleaning and tile in some portions of it.

Said job will be let in sections. The section at the outlet of the drain will be let first, and the remaining sections in their order up stream, in accordance with the diagram now on file with the other papers pertaining to said drain, in the office of the Township Clerk, to which reference may be had by all parties interested, and bids will be made and received accordingly. Contracts will be made with the lowest responsible bidder giving adequate security for the performance of the work, in a sum then and there to be fixed by me, reserving to myself the right to reject any and all bids. The date for the completion of such contract, and the terms of payment therefor, shall be announced at the time and place of letting.

Notice is Further Hereby Given, That at the time and place of said letting, or at such other time and place thereafter to which I, the Drain Commissioner aforesaid, may adjourn the same, the assessments for benefits and the lands comprised within the "Goose Lake Drain Special Assessment District," will be subject to review.

The following is a description of the several tracts or parcels of land constituting Special Assessment District of said Drain, viz:

Michael Schenk, N W 1/4 of section (31) thirty-one, town two (2) south of range three (3) east.

S. E. Cooper, S W 1/4 of S E 1/4 of sec 31, town 2 south of range, 3 east.

D. B. Taylor, S E 1/4 of S E 1/4 of sec 31, town 2 south of range, 3 east.

Chelsea Savings Bank, N 1/2 of S E 1/4 of sec 31, town 2 south of range, 3 east.

C. H. Kempf, S W 1/4 of S W 1/4 of sec 32, town 2 south of range, 3 east.

Howard Fisk, N W 1/4 of S W 1/4 of sec 32 town 2 south of range, 3 east.

C. M. Gage, N E 1/4 S W 1/4 of sec 32, town 2 south of range, 3 east.

Gottlieb Wasser, S E 1/4 of N W 1/4 of sec 32, town 2 south of range, 3 east.

Gottlieb Wasser, S W 1/4 of N E 1/4 of sec 32, town 2 south of range, 3 east.

Dated, this ninth day of November, A. D. 1893.

PHILIP SCHWEINFURTH,
Township Drain Commissioner of the Township of Sylvan.



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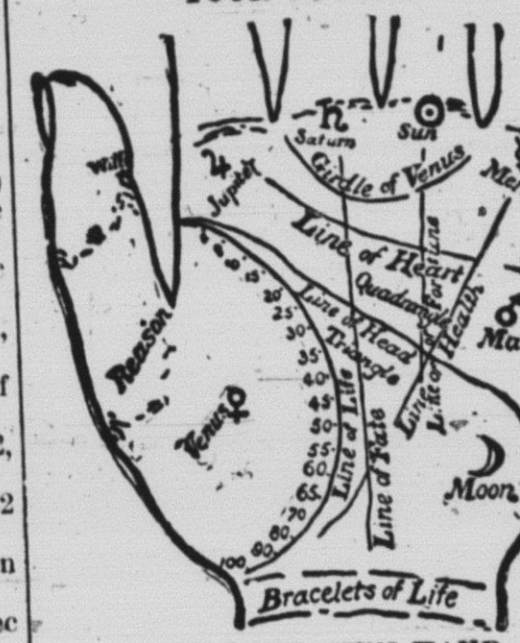


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Commissioners' Notice.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, COUNTY OF WASHTENAW. The undersigned having been appointed by the probate court for said county commissioners to receive, examine and adjust all claims and demands of all persons against the estate of Francis M. Martin, late of said county deceased, hereby give notice that all persons from date are allowed by order of said probate court, for creditors to present their claims against the estate of said deceased, that they will meet at the Chelsea Savings Bank, in the village of Chelsea, in said county on the 16th day of January and on the 10th day of April next, at ten o'clock a. m. of each said days, to receive, examine and adjust said claims.

Dated, October 16, 1893.
HEMAN M. WOODS, Commissioner.

Real Estate For Sale.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, COUNTY OF WASHTENAW, ss. In the matter of the estate of William Donner, deceased, notice is hereby given that in pursuance of an order granted and undersigned, administrator of the estate of said deceased by the Probate Court for the county of Washtenaw, on the 15th day of Sept. A. D. 1893, there will be sold at public vendue, to the highest bidder the office of Archie W. Wilkinson in the village of Chelsea in the county of Washtenaw in the state of Michigan, the 3rd day of November, D. 1893, at 1 o'clock in the afternoon of that day, subject to all incumbrances by mortgage otherwise existing at the time of the sale of said William Donner the following described real estate, to-wit: All that certain piece of land, situate and being in the township of Sylvan, county of Washtenaw and state of Michigan, known and described as follows, to-wit: Commencing at the south-east corner of the south-west quarter of the "Globe" quarter of section twelve township two, range three (3) east, thence north one degree west two (2) chains and fifty (50) links, thence north eighty-one degrees west six (6) chains and thirty-seven (37) links thence south one degree west three (3) chains and thirty (30) links, thence eastward on the section six (6) chains and eighty-five (85) links to the beginning.

Dated Chelsea, Mich., October 14th, 1893.
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LOCAL BREVITIES.

Ralph and Chauncey Freeman spent several days of the past week in Detroit.

Miss Jennie Woods, of Ann Arbor, spent Monday with friends at this place.

Mrs. J. S. Cummings and Miss Jennie Tuttle spent Sunday with Jackson friends.

Miss Maud Flagler has resumed her duties as teacher in the Collins' Plains district.

Mrs. Jas. Hulder and daughter Jennie, have been visiting friends in Belleville this week.

F. B. Whitaker, while on his hunting trip north, killed two deer. He feels just a little bigger than Cleveland now.

Rev. Thos. Wakelin, familiarly known as "Father" Wakelin, visited Rev. Moon and other friends here the first of the week.

Neat invitations have been issued to a number of Chelsea people to attend Bible Day exercises by the Baptist Sunday school Sunday next.

A house belonging to Jas. Cunningham, in Lyndon, was burned Tuesday morning last. It caught fire from the stove pipe. Insured for \$600.

Jenkins wonders why the authorities do not make some improvements in the Town Hall, so it can be comfortably heated. Any information on the subject will be thankfully received.

Mr. and Mrs. Silas Wasson, of Plainfield, visited the families of F. H. Sweetland and Rev. L. N. Moon, of Chelsea last Friday and Saturday.

Miss Celia Foster was found unconscious at her home here Sunday and after a hard work on part of friends was restored. She is much improved now, but for sometime her life was despaired of.

The barns on the Rosier farm in the town of Webster were burned last Friday night. It is supposed that it was set by some tramp who perished in the fire, as the remains of a body were found after the fire had burned out.

If butter keeps on advancing in price with as fearful strides it is now making, we shall soon be obliged to eat our cakes without the aid of the savory product of the Jersey, and that will mean a dreadful punishment to the poor man.

Chelsea claims one of the oldest and longest married couples to be found in this vicinity, who will celebrate the sixtieth anniversary of the event which made them man and wife sometime during this month. This goes to prove that the atmosphere of Chelsea is very conducive not only to marriages—which one can readily believe—but more than that, to a happy married life. Now let Ann Arbor boast of her prodigies!

Miss Carrie Leeman, of Chelsea, daughter of C. G. Leeman, well known in this vicinity, was married Tuesday, Nov. 14, at five o'clock p. m., in the M. E. church Petoskey, Mich., to the Rev. N. P. Brown, of East Jordan. Rev. E. L. Kellogg, presiding elder of Grand Traverse district and Rev. F. L. Thompson, pastor of the bride officiating. The newly married couple repaired at once to their home in the M. E. parsonage at East Jordan at which place the Rev. Mr. Brown is pastor.

The markets are still inclined downward. Wheat stands at 55c for red or white, rye 45c, oats 28c, barley 95c to \$1.10, buckwheat 55c, beans \$1.20, cloverseed, \$5. potatoes 45c, onions 40c, apples 50c to 75c per bu., carrots 20c, cabbage 5c, chickens 6c, turkeys 9c, dressed hogs are lower and now bring 6c per pound, fat cattle two and one half cents per pound, eggs 18c, butter 22c. Receipts have been free the past week and likely to continue so. There is very little chance for better prices on anything till after the first of January.

Mrs. R. S. Armstrong is visiting relatives in Albion.

Mr. Bert Nichols, of Tecumseh, spent Saturday and Sunday with friends in this place.

It is requested that every member of the W. R. C. be present at the next regular meeting Nov. 24th at 7:30 p. m. as there is business of importance.

A Chelsea produce firm reports a business of \$200,000, not all local, since April 1. Their local business takes a car a day for shipment. That's pretty good.

Jenkins went to the fair and we did not know but he was lost in some of the collisions, but he still lives, and we caught one of his good humored snarls the other day.

Backward, turn backward, O time in your flight, give us black shoes again just for tonight. Let them come back from that echoless shore, and black them up shining just as of yore. We are so weary of patents and tan, better those primitive sandals of man. Take from the bootblack those furrows of care, smooth those silver threads out of his hair. Over your shores let him his loving watch keep, then we'll shut up and not utter a peep.—Parma Reflector.

Now the father of the family is having a chance to test his superhuman forbearance, for the season of the cheerful coal stove has arrived with all its consequent woes and long lengths of pipe with which he of the patient heart dallies long and waxes wroth. And right here, let us suggest that he who really wishes to preserve his reputation as one not addicted to profanity might do well to follow the example of one of Chelsea's citizens who has never—we have his wife's testimony for it—been known to swear on such an occasion, for he always loudly sings "Old Hundred" while the refractory pipe is being put in place.

The awakening of the small boy on Wednesday morning unanimously proclaimed by a "Whoop la", as his eyes first rested upon the night work of the storm clouds, and the ground lay white and glistening in the morning light, for he, like some older persons, was not enough of a weather prophet to foretell this snow storm, and only one who has once been a small boy himself, can know the rapture which thrilled the juvenile breast when he beheld the surprise Nature had prepared for him. For truly she pleases no one so much as the rising generation when she dons her winter robe and so, though of short duration, Wednesday was decidedly the youngsters' surprise party.

The girl that gives away to a desire to gad about the streets, cultivate the acquaintance of young men and act the simpering simpleton, is laying the foundation for a senseless after life. Ten to one when married she will develop into a slatternly gossip, if no greater misfortune befalls her. It is the girl of good sound sense, the girl who loves home and helps mother that wins the model man and becomes an ornament to womanhood. The girl who does this and devotes some of her spare time to reading, and strives for the graces of mental culture, commands the respect and esteem of everybody, while the street-gaddler only wins the admiration of those whose admiration is not worth having.—Ex.

The Ann Arbor Courier nervously awaits the outcome of the assault made in a recent article in the Dexter Leader upon the sufferers from barber itch in Chelsea and which warns said sufferers not to come to Dexter for a shave. Such presumption upon the part of the Leader causes us to smile audibly, yea, to be very jubilant, and we vainly try to picture in our mind's eye the effect the arrival of a Chelseaite in that place would have upon the inhabitants thereof. And to come for the purpose of patronizing their combination drug-store-post-office-grocery—and-barber-shop too, well here our imagination leaves us! 'Tis quite beyond our mental capacity. But we forewarn the Leader that should we by any possibility come to their little burg, to look out for the results, for we shall come sailing majestically down their turnpike escorted by one of our city bands, and they will experience such a boom as they never dreamed of in their most sanguine hours.

J. E. Fleming, of Detroit, was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. F. P. Glazier, Monday last.

Glycerine is one of the most useful and misunderstood of everyday assistants. It must not be applied to the skin undiluted, or it will cause it to become red and hard, but if rubbed well into the skin while wet it has a softening and whitening effect. It will prevent and cure chapped hands; two or three drops will often stop the baby's stomach ache. It will allay the thirst of fever patients and soothe an irritable cough by moistening the dryness of the throat. Equal parts of bay rum and glycerine applied to the face after shaving makes a man rise up and call the woman who provided it blessed. Applied to shoes, glycerine is a great preservative of the leather and effectually keeps out the water and prevents wet feet. A few drops of glycerine put in the fruit jars the last thing before sealing them, helps to keep the preserves from molding on top. Half a teaspoonful every half hour will cure summer complaint or dyspepsia.

Yesterday was the formal opening day of the new Schenk block, and the handsome building was thronged with visitors all day. It is in every respect, the finest store in Chelsea, and it is claimed, in Washtenaw County. It is certainly elegant and finished in every detail. The building is finished entirely in hard wood and is of generous proportions. The office, large and roomy, is situated in the rear of the building and is reached by a short flight of stairs and thus from its elevated position, Miss Edith Congdon, the book-keeper, can command a view of the whole store. The center of the store is used for Schenk Brothers' large boot and shoe stock, which is, as all know, complete. On the left hand side is their clothing, men's furnishing goods kept in shape by Mr. Fred Roedel assisted by R. B. Gates and J. Youngs. The dry goods and fancy articles on the right side are looked after by Mr. C. Babcock and Miss Kate Gorman, both experienced in this line. The second story of the building is as light and pleasant as the first floor of most business places, and is to be fitted up for a tailor shop, where fine custom work will be done. Taken as a whole, the new store disappoints no one in its appearance and fine stock, and its owners will feel proud of this fine addition to the mercantile interests not only of Chelsea, but of Washtenaw county.

The labors of the Messrs Smart and McLachlan in this place the past week, have created much interest. Mr. Smart's denunciations of sin are like thunder blasts. And delinquency in the church as well as wickedness outside, does not escape his sledgehammer strokes. Yet he is tender, and so frank and manly that the culprit feels he needs the castigation and silences his protests. He believes there is a great deal of surface Christianity, and that nothing less than subsoil plowing will answer present needs of spiritual husbandry. There is a large vein of humor in his make up, and occasionally he convulses his audience with laughter, but the solemnity of his theme and the deep earnestness of the man, soon carry the hearer back to intense thought upon the great problems of human duty and destiny. And Mr. McLachlan sings the gospel so effectively that one feels that meanness is more contemptible, religion more necessary, and heaven more real, than he ever realized before. They are having good audiences of interested listeners, and are accomplishing much good. A proper appreciation of their efforts on the part of the public would make it impossible to accommodate the audiences in any room in this village. Their engagement here closes with a jubilee service next Tuesday eve. Mr. Smart will hold a meeting for men only at 9:30 Sunday a. m., and will preach to women only at 3:00 p. m. At 6 p. m. Mr. McLachlan will conduct a service for young men and young women. The regular services at 10:30 a. m. and 7 p. m.

The fall of the year is trying season for elderly people. The many cheerless, dark, dismal days act depressingly, not to say injuriously, on both old and young. Now is the time to re-enforce the vital energies with Ayer's Sarsaparilla—the best of all blood medicines.

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FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 17
Closing
DECEMBER 9th.

We find we have far too many goods on hand in all departments in our store for this season of the year. We must have money, and have it at once. In anticipation of a good fall and winter trade we placed orders for more goods than we can sell in the ordinary way this year, so we find we are **Absolutely Forced to make great sacrifices in prices to reduce this immense stock and convert it into Cash.** We are determined to get the stock down to its usual proportions by January 1st. The goods must go. The sales must be larger than ever before in all departments.

DRESS GOODS

All wool black Drap de Alma worth 75c for 50c.
All wool black serge, 40 inch, worth 69c for 50c.
All wool black Henrietta, 40 inch, worth 65c for 50c.
All wool black Henrietta, 46 inch, worth \$1.25 for \$1.00.
A silk warp, Priestleys Henrietta, 40 inch, worth \$1.50 for \$1.00.
All wool colored Drap de Alma 40 inch, worth 75c for 50c.
All wool colored serge, 40 inch, worth 75c for 50c.
All wool colored Henrietta, 40 inch, worth \$1.00 for 75c.
All wool colored dress flannels, 50-inch, worth 75c for 50c.
All broadhead dress goods, usual price 25c, go for 19c.
Zaara Melanges, a very nice cotton dress goods, 32 inches wide, always sold at 15 cents, for 10 cents per yard.

DOMESTICS

We shall sell turkey red calico worth 8c for 5c.
Heavy colored shirtings worth 15c for 10c.
Good dark outtings worth 12½c for 10c per yard.
Good light outtings worth 10c for 7½c per yard.
All linen German damasks worth 45c for 24 cents.
Turkey red damask, fast colors worth 50c for 33 cents.
Ladies' hand made ice wool shawls from 88c to \$2.50 each.
Bargains in gloves and hosiery.
Black Coney muffs worth 75c for 50c.
Black Coney muffs worth \$1.00 for 75c.
Black French Coney muffs worth \$2.00 for \$1.25.
China seal (special) muffs worth \$3.50 for \$1.98.
Ladies' hand made facinators in all colors for 25c, 35c, 50c, 75c and \$1.00 each.
Best prints for 5c.
Apron check gingham 5c.
Good bleached cotton 7½c.
Ball's corsets 75c.
A regular 75c corset for 50c.
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Fruit of the loom bleached cotton 8½c.
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White carpet warp 16c.
Ladies' new style cloaks worth \$1.00 for 88c.
Ladies' wool skirts worth \$1.25 for \$1.00.
A regular 88c corset for 63c.

CLOAK AND SHAWL DEPT.

We are forced to make low prices on goods in this department. In anticipation of a good fall trade in cloaks we bought very liberally in this department. The warm weather and closeness of money has left us with an immense stock of cloaks on hand which we must close out before December 15th. To carry a cloak over one year always means a loss to us, so we are forced to either carry them over to next year or sell for very low prices.



Shall sell velvet shawls worth \$15.00 for \$10.00.
Shall sell beaver shawls worth \$10.00 for \$6.00.
Shall sell beaver shawls worth \$7.50 for \$5.00.

Shall sell \$25.00 plush cloaks for \$19.50.
Shall sell new style cloaks worth \$22.50 for \$15.00.
Shall sell new style cloaks worth \$17.50 for \$12.50.
Shall sell new style cloaks worth \$15.00 for \$10.00.
Shall sell new style cloaks worth \$10.00 for \$6.50.
Shall sell new style cloaks worth \$7.50 for \$5.00.
Shall sell plush jackets worth \$15.00 for \$5.00.
Shall sell plush jackets worth \$10.00 for \$3.75.
Shall sell newmarkets worth \$10.00 for \$2.50.
Shall sell short jackets worth \$10.00 for \$2.50.

CARPETS RUGS & OILCLOTHS

We have too many carpets on hand for this season of the year. As the carpet season is past we shall have to "knife" the prices in this department, in order to the size of the stock.

CUT NO. 1.

All wool ingrain 2-ply carpets, for 50c, always sold from 69c to 75c.

CUT NO. 2.

All wool filling, ingrain 2-ply carpets, for 45c, always sold for 60c.

CUT NO. 3.

Union extra, 2-ply carpets, always sold at 50 cents, we shall sell at 33 cents.

Rugs at lower prices than they were ever offered at in Chelsea.

BOOT & SHOE DEPT.

We shall offer some special bargains in this department. This department is overstocked but we are determined to move the goods. Shall make prices accordingly. Shall sell

Ladies' kid shoes, usual price \$2.00, for \$1.25.

Ladies' kid shoes, usual price \$2.50 for \$2.00.

Men's shoes, usual price \$2.00 for \$1.50.

Ladies' rubbers only 25c. Children's rubbers cheap.

In rubbers and overs we make lower prices than any other dealer in Chelsea.

CLOTHING DEPT.

We are fully determined to convert the surplus of stock in this department into cash at LOW PRICES or well made goods will do it. We shall make unheard of low prices on Suits, Overcoats, Odd Pants, Underwear, Gent's Furnishings, Overalls, etc., during this sale. We are agents for the King Perfect Fitting Trousers. Ask to see them. They are as well made as the best custom made pants and we sell them at least one-third cheaper.

Don't fail to attend this sale. Never before has there been as large a stock of goods offered in Chelsea, AT THESE PRICES. Come early as this sale will last, but three weeks, and the choicest goods will go first.

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Parkman, the Eminent Historian, Passes Away—Londoners Inaugurate Their Lord Mayor—McKinley's Big Majority Over All—Embezzler Floyd Is Nipped.

Four Trainmen Killed.

ONCE more the disobedience of railroad employees to orders has resulted in a fatality, not so extensive as the Battle Creek wreck, but still serious enough to demand the attention of the authorities. The fatality this time occurred on the Hocking Valley Road, near Rising Sun, Ohio, a little station twenty-eight miles from Toledo. The engineer of the freight which collided with southbound passenger No. 57 had orders to stop at Rising Sun. He failed to do so, and as a consequence came into collision a mile and a half further distant with No. 30. The night was foggy. L. H. Jones, engineer of the passenger, was killed instantly, and his body was badly mangled. J. H. Kerlin, engineer of the freight, met an equally sudden death and was likewise horribly mangled. John F. Jones, the fireman on the freight, was by a strange coincidence, a son of L. H. Jones, the engineer of the passenger. He was also killed. The express messenger on the passenger, James E. Brisch, also met instant death. The passengers on No. 57 almost miraculously escaped in jury.

Lord Mayor's Day.

THE annual pageant provided by the city of London, known as the "Lord Mayor's Show," was witnessed Thursday, and Alderman George Robert Tyler, the new Chief Magistrate, assumed office with all the pomp and ceremony of such an occasion. The morning was bright, for a London morning, but the weather was quite cold for this time of the year. One of the features of the pageant was an accurate and elaborate model of the new Tower bridge, in its-If a very attractive piece of work. Lord Mayor Tyler was born in 1835, and is the son of a former Alderman of the city of London. He became a member of the Corporation in 1877, and was appointed an Alderman ten years afterwards.

McKinley's Plurality 83,791.

THE official returns are in from three-fourths of the eighty-eight counties in Ohio, and with the unofficial figures from the remaining counties McKinley's plurality is placed at 83,791 and his majority over all at 30,000. The Senate will stand: Republicans, 26; Democrats, 5. House: Republicans, 86; Democrats, 21. Mercer County, which gave Neal 1,800 plurality, elects a Populist Representative. Neal carried twenty-three out of eighty-eight counties, and these by very narrow majorities.

Parkman Is Dead.

FRANCIS PARKMAN, the eminent historian of the French settlement in America and the war with the English colonies, died at Boston Thursday afternoon. His last sickness was brief, peritonitis being the cause of death. It was only recently that he celebrated his seventieth birthday in an unostentatious way.

BREVITIES.

AFTER appropriating \$32,000 to institutions under its control, the General Committee of the Freedman's Aid Society adjourned.

THE miners employed by the East Wellington Coal Company at Nanaimo, B. C., have struck against a reduction of 20 per cent. in wages.

A NEGRO named Bob Kennedy, about 20 years old, was captured at Gaffney, S. C., by a mob, carried out to the slaughter-pen, and hanged. His crime was attempted assault.

MISS BOARD, of Harrisburg, Ill., President of the W. C. T. U. of Illinois, was thrown from a buggy at Benton, by a runaway horse and probably fatally hurt.

GRANT WERTS, of Osaca, Kan., walked into the office of the United States Marshal at Omaha and said that he wished to be arrested for robbing the postoffices at Madison, Neb., and Aurora, Neb., two years ago.

DR. P. A. MCKINNEY, a promising young doctor of Indianapolis, involved in a hopeless love affair, drank from a phial of prussic acid in the presence of ladies on whom he was paying a social call and fell dead at their feet.

CHARLES McCafferty, the turfman, shot and killed Charles Collins, a barkeeper, at St. Louis. Collins had assaulted McCafferty because the latter protested against his foul language in the presence of ladies on a car.

MRS. ANNA SWINARTON, of Chicago, is suing George Le Bottillier, the New York dry-goods merchant, for \$50,000 damages for the loss of an eye. She claims that while in Le Bottillier's store a pin was snapped into her eye by a cash-boy.

LOUIS FLOYD, who, with his brother Frank, conspired with Paying Teller Philip M. Scheig to rob the Bank of Minneapolis of \$90,000, was arrested in New York on a steamship destined for Rio de Janeiro. Frank Floyd and Scheig, with the bulk of the stolen money, are on the spree, bound for Southampton.

EASTERN.

JEAN CHARLES CAZIN, the French landscape and figure painter, has arrived at New York and will make an exhibition of his work.

ELECTRICITY as a motive power for canal boats is about to be officially tested on the Erie Canal, along a section strung with overhead wires.

GEORGE TRAUGER, a wealthy farmer of Westmoreland County, Pa., was bunked out of \$5,000 by two "slick" strangers who worked the tin box scheme.

S. BLAISDELL, JR., & CO., wholesale dealers in cotton and wool stocks at Chicopee, Mass., have failed, with liabilities of \$275,000. The firms annual sales amounted to \$3,000,000.

IN a dense fog a train on the Reading Railroad stopped to receive orders, and was run into by a train behind. The rear brakeman was killed on the track and three passengers were injured.

PAUL HERN, a New Jersey veteran who had just received \$1,500 back pension money, advertised for a wife and swiftly fell a victim to the tricks of New York conspirators, who took all the old man had.

THREE of the men injured by the boiler explosion at New York have died of their injuries, making the number of dead six. Several others are thought to be fatally hurt. The dead are: Engineer Armstrong, John Gillespie, Thomas Harsan, Samuel McMullen, — Picklin, Joseph Quinn.

THE election for city and legislative officials at Camden, N. J., resulted in a riot, during which a mob of toughs collided with the police. As a result several persons, eight of whom are in the hospital, were shot and in two or three instances dangerously wounded. The trouble broke out in the Fifth Ward and later in the Sixth and Ninth wards. It was precipitated in every instance by the special police attempting to prevent Deputy Sheriffs of the opposing party from watching the polls and challenging votes. Several deputies were arrested by the special police officers, and during a fight in the Ninth Ward a number of deputies were wounded. At noon appeals were made to Sheriff West to place the military in readiness, as a general riot was feared. At Gravesend, N. Y., a suburb of Brooklyn, there was also a fierce fight at the polls, in which poll-watchers were assaulted and very badly used.

WESTERN.

SIX indictments have been returned at San Francisco against men and women who call themselves physicians, and who are charged with sending improper matter through the mails.

CONGRESS will be asked to authorize the construction of a bridge between Superior and Duluth for railroad, foot passenger, wagon and street-car service, at a cost of about \$350,000.

THE additional asylum for the insane, for which the Michigan Legislature made a liberal appropriation, will be located at Newberry, where citizens have donated a site of 550 acres.

THE Wabash Railroad Company has paid \$2,000 to the Wabash County, Ind., Agricultural Society for the destruction of buildings by fire which originated from a spark from a locomotive.

CHARLES SCYDEL, who was badly pounded by an armed guard on the Tolleston Club's grounds in Lake County, Ind., has brought suit against the club, at Crown Point, for \$10,000 damages.

THE last of the bodies taken from the Grand Trunk wreck at Battle Creek, Mich., have been sent to their homes. The last two were identified as Mr. and Mrs. Oliver Dorland, of Tilsonburg, Ont.

INDICTMENTS have been found at Milwaukee against William Plankinton, Eugene S. Elliott, Charles L. Clason, F. W. Noyes and Judge Jenkins, officers and directors of the collapsed Plankinton Bank.

ALEXANDER LANDAU, one of the two brothers charged with killing Augusta Tovel at St. Louis, has been acquitted, he having proved an alibi. It is probable that the charge against his brother Lewis will be dropped.

THE five mills of the George H. Friend Paper Company and the American Tablet Company, at Dayton, Ohio, have been consolidated. The new company is incorporated under the laws of Illinois with a capital stock of \$1,100,000.

TWO TOUGHS who had disturbed the congregation at Willow Grove Church, near Indianapolis, Sunday evening, waited for and killed Noah King, a young farmer, as he came out. The murderers, Milton Farrand and Benton Kent, escaped.

THE Chicago, St. Paul, Minneapolis and Omaha Railroad Company has made a demand on the State of Wisconsin through the Governor for the company's proportion of the funds recovered by the State as interest on the money deposited by ex-State Treasurer McFetridge and Guenther.

T. J. PETERSON went to a Laramie (Wyo.) drug store and had two prescriptions filled for his wife. The compound for external use contained a strong solution of belladonna, and by some mistake Mr. Peterson gave his wife a dose of the external medicine internally. She died from the effects of the poison. The druggist carelessly neglected to mark the poison as such.

LA LIBERTAD, Honduras, dispatch, via Galveston, Tex.: Honduras fired upon the American flag Monday morning. By the alleged orders of President Vasquez and by the express command of the Commissioner of the Port of Amapala, seven cannon shots were fired at the Pacific mail steamship Costa

Rica, flying the stars and stripes, as it steamed away, because it refused to surrender one of its passengers to the Honduras Government. United States Minister Baker was on board the Costa Rica at the time. The passenger about whom the trouble arose is Policarpo Bonilla, who recently led the revolution in Honduras, but was defeated by Gen. Vasquez. He then fled to Nicaragua, and 300 of his adherents joined the army of President Sacaza, who was engaged in an attempt to quell a rebellion. Bonilla had decided to leave Nicaragua in order to relieve the government from all responsibility of harboring him.

THE steamer Albany, of the Western Transit Company and the steamer Philadelphia, of the Anchor line, collided on Lake Huron off Point aux Barques at 2 o'clock Tuesday morning in a dense fog. The Albany was taken in tow by the Philadelphia, but sunk in half an hour, her crew going on board the Anchor liner. Shortly afterward the Philadelphia went down in 200 feet of water. The crews took to two lifeboats. One had twenty-three persons on board and reached the shore in safety. The other boat, containing twenty-four people of both vessels, was capsized and all on board were lost. The Albany was bound from Chicago to Buffalo, heavily loaded with grain and flour, and the Philadelphia, loaded with coal and general merchandise, from Erie to Duluth. Both were running under check head on account of the fog and the fog signals were frequently exchanged. Suddenly through the mist the sharp iron prow of the Philadelphia loomed up and crashed into the Albany forward of the second gangway, about one-third back from the bow. After penetrating five feet the Philadelphia hung there. She started for shallow water, but both went down in a short time.

SOUTHERN.

MRS. MARY MCGEE and daughter, claiming to be from Chicago, are under arrest at Brenham, Texas, for horse-stealing.

JOHN G. GLISSON, a former business man of Memphis, Tenn., was fatally stabbed by a negro porter in Louisville, Ky.

DRUMMER MERCHANT ran a Douglassville, Ga., newspaper as a side issue. Angry creditors are now pursuing Mr. Merchant.

LAWYER PATRICK, of New York, wants Congressman Hutcheson, of Texas, disbarred from Federal Courts for immorality.

NATHAN TOOMER, a wealthy negro of Augusta, Ga., sued the Pullman Palace Car Company for \$100,000 for causing his wife's death.

MRS. MARY MCGEE and her daughter, who claim to be residents of Chicago, have been arrested at Dallas, Texas, charged with horse stealing.

"BUD" LINDSEY, the notorious Tennessee desperado, was shot and fatally wounded in an encounter with a Deputy United States Marshal at Jacksboro, Ky.

AT Kennedy, Ala., Henry Weir* and wife locked their house, leaving four children inside, and started for the field to work. In some unknown manner the house caught fire and three of the children were burned to death. The eldest child succeeded in escaping.

AN attempt was made at Coal Creek, Tenn., water tank to rob the express car of passenger train No. 15, Capt. Brown, conductor, on the East Tennessee, Virginia and Georgia railway. The robbery was expected, and there were on board the train Capt. J. J. Atkins, Chief of Police of Roanoke, Va., and N. S. Woodard, local agent at Knoxville. When the train stopped for water four men jumped on the platform of the car armed heavily and demanded that the messenger open the door. This was done, but instead of the lone messenger the would-be robbers were covered by half a dozen pistols. Firing in rapid succession from both sides commenced, when the robbers tried to escape. They were captured, however. One, who was mortally wounded, was identified as James Smith of Knoxville, a tough character. The other was an ex-express messenger, name unknown.

WASHINGTON.

THE recent extra session of Congress cost the country \$500,000.

The President has issued the following Thanksgiving-day proclamation:

By the President of the United States of America: A proclamation: While the American people should every day remember, by praise and thanksgiving, the goodness and mercy which have followed them since their beginning as a nation, it is fitting that one day in each year should be especially devoted to the contemplation of the blessings we have received from the hand of God, and to the grateful acknowledgment of His loving kindness.

Therefore, I, Grover Cleveland, President of the United States, do hereby designate and set apart Thursday, the 30th day of the present month of November, as a day of thanksgiving and praise, to be kept and observed by all the people of our land. On that day let us forego our ordinary work and employments and assemble in our usual places of worship, where we may recall all that God has done for us and where, from grateful hearts, our united tribute of praise and song may reach the Throne of Grace. Let the reunion of kindred and the social meeting of friends lend cheer and enjoyment to the day and the generous gifts of charity for the relief of the poor and needy prove the sincerity of our thanksgiving.

Witness my hand and the seal of the United States I have caused to be hereto affixed. Done at the city of Washington on the third day of November in the year of our Lord eighteen hundred and ninety-three and of the Independence of the United States the one hundred and eighteenth. GROVER CLEVELAND, By the President: WALTER Q. GRESHAM, Secretary of State.

POLITICAL.

LATEST return from the elections indicate that Jackson defeats Boies in Iowa, McKinley defeats Neal in Ohio, Russell loses to Greenhalge in Massachusetts, and the Republican ticket is uniformly successful in New York. Chicago elections also return Republican candidates with possibly one ex-

ception. South Dakota elects several Republican judges. A general feature was the lightness of the vote.

FOREIGN.

ENGLISH capitalists purpose starting a bank in Havana, Cuba, if the Government makes certain concessions in taxes.

IN answer to one of the Irish members in the House of Commons, Mr. Gladstone said the government could not introduce any legislation, this session except the measures already announced. It would be a breach of the distinct understanding on which the House had assembled.

THE French ship Marselles, of Havre, has foundered at sea. One of her boats, provisioned, was picked up by the brigantine Evangeline. The day before falling in with the boat a steamer was sighted going in an opposite direction to the Evangeline, and it probably rescued the occupants of the small boat. It is supposed the crew finding the ship foundering put off in boats which afterwards separated. What became of the other boats is not known.

AT Santander, Spain, the ship Volo, with a cargo of dynamite, was lying at a quay Friday evening, when, in some way not yet explained, it caught fire. A large crowd gathered in the vicinity, and the police, who were evidently unaware of the dangerous character of the ship's cargo, made no attempt to drive them away. The Governor of the province personally directed the efforts of the firemen. While every effort was being made there suddenly was heard a dull roar followed by a report that shook the city to its foundations. Every house around the quay was wrecked, their walls being blown in as though made of card board. The Governor has not been seen since the explosion. His secretary, who was standing beside him when the explosion occurred, says he was stunned by the shock. When he regained his senses he looked for the Governor, but could not find him. It is feared he was killed and that his body was blown into the bay. Hundreds of people have become insane through terror at the wreck. The list of dead, it is thought, will exceed a hundred.

IN GENERAL.

DISPATCHES to Cape Town from Cecil Rhodes say the British-African forces are fighting daily.

THE Grand Trunk Road will be asked to pay \$85,000 damages for the death of Mr. and Mrs. Albert Bradley in the Battle Creek wreck. Application has been made at Port Sarnia for the appointment of an administrator, in order that suits may be brought on behalf of Bradley's children.

TORONTO, Ont., dispatch: By the burning of the steamer Fraser on Lake Nipissing eighteen persons lost their lives. The disaster occurred near Goose Island. Lake Nipissing is situated near the head of Lake Huron, near Ontario, midway between it and the Ottawa River, and it is supposed that the steamer was in regular service on the lake. Only the most meager particulars are obtainable.

R. G. DUN & Co.'s Weekly Review of Trade says:

The repeal of the silver purchase act does not portend anything. The business world in every part of the country reckons it helpful, and the tone of the trade is more confident. It is hardly time as yet for the effects to be felt to any great extent in manufactures, but bankers are more liberal in accommodations and merchants more hopeful in purchases. It is well to remember that the act will do less good than if it had been passed early in the spring or without delay after Congress assembled. It cannot now prevent several thousand failures which have already occurred, nor relieve creditors from resulting embarrassments. It cannot now save from loss a multitude of manufacturing establishments which have closed because the future seemed uncertain. It will go far to restore business confidence which was much needed, but many may expect from the measure larger results than can at this late day be realized.

MARKET REPORTS.

CHICAGO.

CATTLE—Common to Prime..... \$3 50 @ 6 00
HOGS—Dressed..... 4 00 @ 5 25
SHEEP—Fair to Choice..... 2 21 @ 3 50
WHEAT—No. 2 Spring..... 61 @ 62
CORN—No. 2..... 38 @ 39
OATS—No. 2..... 29 @ 31
RYE—No. 2..... 47 @ 49
BUTTER—Choice Creamery..... 2 1/2 @ 28 1/2
EGGS—Fresh..... 20 @ 21
POTATOES—Per bu..... 50 @ 60

INDIANAPOLIS.

CATTLE—Shipping..... 3 00 @ 5 25
HOGS—Choice Light..... 4 00 @ 6 25
SHEEP—Common to Prime..... 2 00 @ 3 00
WHEAT—No. 2 Red..... 57 @ 58
CORN—No. 2 White..... 37 @ 38
OATS—No. 2..... 29 1/2 @ 30 1/2

ST. LOUIS.

CATTLE..... 3 00 @ 5 50
HOGS..... 4 00 @ 6 25
SHEEP..... 2 00 @ 3 15
WHEAT—No. 2 Red..... 57 @ 58
CORN—No. 2..... 38 @ 39
OATS—No. 2..... 29 @ 31
RYE—No. 2..... 47 @ 49

DETROIT.

CATTLE..... 3 00 @ 4 75
HOGS..... 4 00 @ 6 00
SHEEP..... 2 00 @ 3 50
WHEAT—No. 2 Red..... 62 1/2 @ 63 1/2
CORN—No. 2 Yellow..... 38 1/2 @ 39 1/2
OATS—No. 2..... 31 @ 32

TOLEDO.

WHEAT—No. 2 Red..... 61 @ 61 1/2
CORN—No. 2 Yellow..... 43 @ 44
OATS—No. 2 White..... 34 @ 35
RYE—No. 2..... 48 @ 50

NEW YORK.

CATTLE..... 3 00 @ 5 25
HOGS..... 3 75 @ 5 00
SHEEP..... 2 25 @ 3 50
WHEAT—No. 2 Red..... 67 @ 68
CORN—No. 2..... 47 @ 48
OATS—Mixed Western..... 36 @ 37
BUTTER—Creamery..... 29 @ 30
POK—New Mess..... 19 00 @ 20 00

HE PLEADS GUILTY.

WEEKS GETS TEN YEARS IN SING SING.

Four Persons Killed on the Rock Island at Chicago—Anarchists' Bomb in a Spanish Theater Kills Fifteen—Willie's Supper Didn't Sult.

Embezzler Weeks Sentenced.

FRANCIS H. WEEKS, the absconding and embezzling New York lawyer, before Recorder Smyth, pleaded guilty and was sentenced to ten years at Sing Sing. The indictment charged the defendant with feloniously appropriating \$72,300, the property of Mrs. Clemence S. B. Fish, which was in his possession as agent, attorney and trustee for that lady. Clerk Hall read the indictment to Weeks and asked: "Francis H. Weeks, are you guilty or not guilty of the crime of grand larceny in the first degree, as charged in the indictment?" "I am guilty," replied Weeks, in a low voice. "Weeks," said Recorder Smyth, "I regret exceedingly that I am placed in a position where it becomes my duty to condemn as a felon a member of my profession and a man with whom I have had business and personal relations. I know that you come of a most respectable family and that you were implicitly trusted, and I am sorry to see you arraigned before me now, having betrayed the confidence reposed in you, and having brought disgrace upon yourself, your family, and your profession. I think that it is unnecessary for me to say any more, for I believe that you fully realize the gravity of your crimes and the terrible position in which you stand. The sentence of the court is that you be imprisoned in the State prison at Sing Sing at hard labor for ten years." Tears filled Weeks' eyes as he turned from the bar.

Thrown in a Theater.

A DYNAMITE bomb thrown by alleged anarchists into the midst of a crowded theater is the latest outrage and disaster to be recorded in Spain. While the performance was proceeding in Barcelona and the enjoyment was at its height, two dynamite bombs were suddenly hurled from the topmost gallery into the midst of the stalls on the floor of the house. One of the dynamite bombs exploded with a terrible report which shook the theater to its foundations, and which scattered death, wounds and destruction upon all sides. Fifteen persons were killed outright and many others injured.

Death in a Wreck.

FOUR people were killed and over forty injured in a rear end collision between Chicago, Rock Island and Pacific trains at Eggleston Station, Chicago, at 6:30 o'clock Wednesday night. The train among the passengers of which the fatalities occurred was a south-bound Blue Island suburban. It was crashed into from the rear by the Kansas City vestibuled express while standing at the depot. The two rear coaches of the suburban were telescoped and fire broke out in the wreckage. The dense fog was the primary cause of the disaster.

NEWS NUGGETS.

CHAUNCEY GILES, the leader of the New Jerusalem Society in this country, died at his residence in West Philadelphia.

ALL of the indictments returned against Milwaukee bankers are illegal, according to a decision of Judge Johnson of the Circuit Court.

BISHOP JOHN L. SPAULDING, of Peoria, has been summoned to Rome, and it is believed that he is to be promoted to a more important position.

PASSENGER train on the Grand Rapids and Indiana Railroad was wrecked at a burning culvert near Martin, Mich., and three passengers injured.

DANIEL PAIGE, formerly prominent in Cleveland, Ohio, now a fugitive in Buenos Ayres, proposes to settle for-gery claims against him for 20 cents on the dollar.

LYCEUM THEATER, Memphis, Tenn., was burned with contents and adjoining property, aggregating a total loss of \$360,000, of which \$250,000 is on the theater building.

A TRESTLE bridge on the Northern Pacific across Lightning creek, in Montana, was washed out. Eastern traffic was delayed one day and Western traffic two days.

NINETY-NINE prisoners were taken from the United States jail at Muskogee, I. T., and tied to the trees and telegraph poles, at the burning of the jail. Loss by fire, \$30,000.

AT Paris, Mo., Willie Gregory, 14 years old, was displeased with his supper and arose from the table, and procuring a revolver, shot himself through the head, causing instant death.

ISAAC BRANDT, Postmaster in Des Moines, Iowa, has failed with liabilities of \$75,000, and the Black Diamond Coal Company, in which he was largely interested, has also gone to the wall.

A PRAIRIE fire is raging near Hay Springs, Neb. The fire has already burned over a strip twenty miles long and eight miles wide, destroying many houses and barns and hundreds of tons of hay.

BISHOP RYAN's silver jubilee was celebrated at Buffalo, N. Y., with Mgr. Satolli as the celebrant.

JAMES DURBIN was shot and killed by two unknown men on a country road near Frederickstown, Ohio. Motive unknown.

STATE ELECTIONS.

All Seemed to Go Pretty Much One Way.

REPUBLICANS ON TOP.

M'KINLEY CLAIMS OHIO BY EIGHTY THOUSAND.

Iowa, Massachusetts, and New York Lost to the Democrats—Populists Claim One Supreme Court Judge in South Dakota—McKinley's Contest Ignored State Issues and Was Conducted on the Tariff—Iowa Republicans Make a Clean Sweep—Returns from Many States.

The situation of a year ago has been almost exactly reversed, and it seems to be the Republicans' turn to make almost a clean sweep. A moderate reaction from the majestic figures of last fall was anticipated by the Democrats, but the overwhelming Republican victory in half a dozen States that gave Cleveland great majorities a year ago is something more than a reaction. According to a Washington correspondent it is a mighty landslide. The Republicans themselves are surprised. The returns point to an extraordinary change of sentiment in the great industrial centers within a year. The big cities have been classed as the impregnable Democratic strongholds, yet a mighty revulsion of sentiment seems to have taken place in the large communities.

The Republicans carry Massachusetts by 25,000 majority, New York by 75,000 to 100,000, Ohio by probably 80,000, Iowa by 40,000, Nebraska by a safe majority, and Pennsylvania rolls up over 100,000 majority. Virginia, Maryland, and Kentucky are Democratic, of course, though by reduced majorities. The size of the majorities is the staggering feature of the election. With one accord the party leaders in New York, Boston, Philadelphia, Chicago, Cincinnati, Cleveland, Pittsburgh, Buffalo, and every other important city lay the blame to the discontent among the workingmen.

The Associated Press dispatches given below show the result in figures as accurately as could be had at the time this is written:

Ohio.

Columbus—Returns so far received show that McKinley has 80,000 plurality over Neal and 30,000 majority over all his three opponents. The Legislature is overwhelmingly Republican and stands as follows: Senate, Republicans, 24; Democrats, 7. House, Republicans, 82; Democrats, 25. Out of eighty-eight counties in Ohio McKinley carried sixty-four and in many of the others was only a few hundred behind Neal. It is the largest plurality or majority ever given any man elected Governor in the State save the 101,882 to Brough over Vallandigham in 1863. The Republican gains were uniform all over the State. Chillicothe, the home of Neal, Democratic candidate for Governor, went Republican for the first time. This is the first majority over all any State candidate has had since Foster's election, just after Garfield's death in 1881. Blaine had a majority in 1884, but the Republican State ticket then had only a plurality. Last year the Democrats elected one Presidential elector, and the Republican plurality was then 1,072. McKinley's plurality in 1891 was 21,511. In 1890 the Republicans had 10,000 plurality, and in 1889 the Democrats elected Gov. Campbell by 10,872, when there was a small vote.

Iowa.

Des Moines—Late returns increase the Republican plurality on the State ticket to over 40,000. The General Assembly is safely Republican in both branches and probably anti-Prohibition, though a majority of the Republicans elected are pledged to maintain prohibition. Returns from 640 precincts, a little less than one-third of the State, give Jackson (Rep.) over Boies (Dem.), for Governor, 11,700, indicating a plurality for the entire State of about 35,000, which will be increased to 40,000 on the balance of the State ticket. For the first time in eleven years the Republicans elect several anti-Prohibitionists. The Prohibition and Populist votes are unexpectedly light.

New York.

New York City—The Democratic defeat is about as complete as it can be. Bartlett, the Republican opponent of Maynard, is elected by something over 82,000 majority, and the rest of the Republican State ticket represent majorities of from 25,000 up to twice that. The Republicans have captured the Legislature, the Senate being a tie and the Assembly Republican by four or five votes. New York is the only big city in the State that has gone Democratic. Brooklyn, Albany, Buffalo and all the others have gone overwhelmingly Republican. The Democratic plurality in the State in 1891 was 38,173.

Kansas.

Topeka—The Australian ballot system was used in Kansas for the first time, and though there was some friction in localities, where the law was not thoroughly understood, the whole election passed off smoothly. Meager returns from Kansas indicate a great falling off in the Populist vote. Cherokee county, which gave 1,700 majority for the Populists in 1892, and Sumner county, another Populist stronghold, will be carried by the Republicans. Crowley county, in which

the vote was very close in 1892, also goes Republican.

In Chicago.

Chicago—Judge Gary has been re-elected Judge of the Superior Court of Cook County by a majority of 5,000 votes. With the exception of J. Henry Kraft, the other judicial candidates on the Republican ticket have also been elected by majorities varying from 1,000 to 5,000. The great fight has been over the election of Judge Garv, who presided at the trial of the anarchists.

Massachusetts.

Boston—The Republicans have carried the State and elected their ticket from Governor down. The Legislature is solidly Republican. Greenhaugh's plurality is placed at 30,000. The campaign was short and sharp, fought almost entirely on national issues, the tariff and the currency. The Democratic plurality for Governor last year was 2,534.

Pennsylvania.

Philadelphia—Pennsylvania gave a Republican majority which, when the official count is completed, it is believed, will exceed 110,000, surpassing all previous records in the history of the party in this State with one exception. This exception was the majority, 137,728, given Grant for President over Greeley in 1872. Republican plurality in 1891, 54,377.

Nebraska.

Omaha—Returns from the State are coming in slowly. The scattering reports received indicate Republican losses on the head of the ticket and Populist gain. The race between Harrison (Rep.) and Holcomb (Pop.) will be pretty close. Returns not yet available. In this city the entire Republican ticket from Mayor down was elected.

Maryland.

Baltimore—Returns from many parts of Maryland show that the Democrats have elected their candidate for State Comptroller by a large plurality. Democratic plurality for Comptroller in 1889, 7,333.

South Dakota.

Pierre—Returns are coming in slowly, but the Republicans have carried everything. The Populists and Democrats have lost everywhere, and the Republican plurality is placed at 18,000.

Virginia.

Richmond—Virginia went Democratic by all the way from 35,000 to 50,000 majority. The victory of the Democrats is attributed to the failure of the Republicans to support the Populist ticket.

Kentucky.

Louisville—This State has gone Democratic, as usual, the Democrats in the majority of cities electing their whole ticket. The election was devoid of much interest.

Echoes of the Election.

Female suffrage carried in Colorado. The Republicans re-elected Mayor Pingree at Detroit by a majority of 3,000.

Republicans claim that Bemis (Rep.) is elected Mayor of Omaha by 2,500 plurality.

O'Ferrall, Democrat, for Governor of Virginia, has a majority of between 15,000 and 20,000.

The race track war in New Jersey resulted in the Republicans gaining control of the Legislature.

The Republican Supreme Court ticket was elected in South Dakota by a plurality of about 5,000.

Utah has gone largely Democratic, the returns indicating a safe majority for the party in the Legislature.

Gus Steinman, Democrat, has been elected Mayor of Sacramento by a majority of 906, receiving 3,203 votes.

Henry E. Tiepke (Rep.) is elected Mayor of Pawtucket, R. I., by 94 majority over Thomas Robinson (Dem.).

Republican gains are reported in Kansas and latest indications are that the party has been victorious throughout the State.

S. M. Jackson and D. Newlin Fell, Republican candidates in Pennsylvania for State Treasurer and Supreme Judge, were elected by pluralities of nearly 65,000.

The next Kentucky Legislature will consist of 110 Democrats, 25 Republicans and 3 Populists. This insures the re-election of William Lindsay, United States Senator.

WHEAT, CATTLE, HOGS.

Reports Received by the Farmers' Review as to Their Condition.

Reports have been received from the correspondents of the Farmers' Review in twelve States as to the condition of wheat, cattle and hogs:

WHEAT.—In Illinois the condition of the growing crop is generally reported as fair and good. In some counties little has been sown on account of the drought. Ravages by Hessian fly are reported in some of the counties, though the damage is nowhere reported great. Wheat sown early is looking well in most instances, but the late sown is not yet high enough to have its character and condition determined. Some fields are all ready suffering from lack of moisture. In Indiana the crop is quite generally reported as good and growing finely. In Ohio much of the wheat is just coming up. That already up is looking well as a rule and the outlook is very encouraging. In Michigan many of the very early crops are getting their wheat into the ground, and the field are not covered sufficiently yet with the plant to protect the roots in case of early and hard frosts. The general prospect is fair in Nebraska. The ground in Wisconsin, and for that reason many of the fields are backward.

CATTLE.—Condition of cattle is generally fair to good in Illinois, Indiana, Ohio, Michigan, Kentucky, Missouri, Kansas, Nebraska, Iowa, Wisconsin, Minnesota and the Dakotas. Not a great many are being sent to market in Illinois. Many farmers are holding back their stock for better prices, while the local market takes the surplus that must be disposed of. In Ohio the market is being supplied, and the little movement throughout the State is rather slow. The same is true of Michigan. A fair number is being shipped in Kansas and Nebraska. Few are being marketed in Iowa. The same is true in Wisconsin.

HOGS.—Hogs are everywhere in good condition. Movement is brisk where the hogs are in fat enough to go forward, or where they are in sufficient numbers. In many counties all the surplus has already been disposed of. In other cases they have not yet been got in condition, for lack of suitable feed.

A GANG of fifty Cuban outlaws has been broken up by officers near Havana. Several persons were shot.

BLOWN INTO THE SEA.

AWFUL EXPLOSION OF DYNAMITE ON A VESSEL.

The Spanish Town of Santander Wrecked by the Disaster and Over 500 Persons Killed—Ship Carried Contraband Explosives—Murderer Stone Sentenced.

Hundreds Are Dead.

Dispatches from Santander confirm the report of the terrible disaster which wrecked the port, destroyed hundreds of lives, and sent a thrill of horror throughout the whole of Spain. The vessel which was blown up was the Cabo Machicaco. She was discharging 2,000 tons of iron and many barrels of petroleum and flour and several wine casks. The Captain had declared only twenty cases of dynamite, otherwise he had not been allowed to use the dock. The fire started at 3 o'clock in the afternoon in the coal-bunkers. The customs officers and police hastened to remove the twenty cases of dynamite, which soon were landed at a safe distance from the vessel. A tug was then chartered to tow the Cabo Machicaco seaward. Meanwhile desperate efforts had been made to quench the flames. The Captain and crew of the steamer Alfonso XII. boarded the burning vessel to help fight the flames. They worked for an hour and a half without success. At the end of that time the fire reached the petroleum. Then came a series of awful explosions as the flames went from barrel to barrel of petroleum until they reached the contraband dynamite. The tug had just been moored alongside the vessel and many townspeople had gone aboard either to satisfy their curiosity or to help to extinguish the fire.

Then came the explosion of the dynamite. All on board the Cabo Machicaco and many on the dock were blown to atoms. The tug vanished. The quay, with its enormous crowd of spectators, rose slowly in the air. The people were scattered in every direction, into the sea, upon the land. Firebrands fell in showers over sea and land for a radius of a mile and a half. The Cabo Machicaco's anchor was hurled 800 yards and fell on the balcony of a house, which it completely wrecked. Houses reeked on their foundations and more than a hundred were set on fire by falling firebrands.

The destruction in the harbor was equally appalling. The launch of the steamer Alfonso XII. was lying alongside, and contained all the crew not aboard the Machicaco. It vanished with the others. The survivors ashore fled shrieking, leaving the promenade adjoining the quay strewn with dead and dying and mangled remnants of human bodies. Wherever the terrified fugitives turned they met only frightful destruction. Horror was added to horror in the wrecked and burning buildings, from which came piteous cries for help. Many of the fugitives were thrown down and trampled upon. Numbers are said to have lost their reason. The people were too panic-stricken to think of anything but saving their own or their relatives' lives, and ignored their burning property.

When at last a few persons with some presence of mind collected, it was at once resolved to telegraph an appeal for help to the Government and to the municipal authorities of other cities. Every available surgeon was summoned to the scene. When night fell the sky luridly reflected the fires burning fiercely in various parts of the city. The fire went on unchecked throughout the night. Block after block were in ruins. The people were terror-stricken. Thousands abandoned their homes and fled to the fields or outlying villages. Others remained to search frantically among the heaps of ruins and half-burned bodies for their lost friends or relatives.

Santander was lately among the most prosperous towns in Spain, but it will take years to repair the disaster which has overtaken it. The whole country is indignant at the criminal conduct of the Captain and crew of the Cabo Machicaco, as well as the criminality of those who shipped the contraband 480 cases of dynamite, the general opinion being that the government must take immediate steps to punish the shippers. The death of the Captain and crew of the dynamite steamer is but poor compensation to the thousand victims. The explosion of the dynamite lifted the sea up into the air like a water spout, mingling enormous quantities of mud and stones with the wreckage and hurling them for a great distance on every side. Reports differ as to the number killed. The most conservative estimate places the number at 500 while others say that fully 1,000 have been killed and injured. The disaster is one of the most appalling that has occurred in Europe in a generation.

DERAILED BY DESIGN.

Illinois Central New Orleans Limited Wrecked at Ullin.

Train robbers wrecked the Chicago and New Orleans Limited express on the Illinois Central Road at 1:30 o'clock Sunday morning near Ullin, a little station about 325 miles south of Chicago and twenty miles north of Cairo. A stolen signal lamp and opened switch threw the train from the main track upon a "spur" or siding open at the end. Engine, tender and baggage car were overturned, while three coaches and the first truck of the head sleeper were derailed. Fireman Harmon jumped from the cab just as the engine struck the switch, but was caught by the falling tender and crushed to death. Two tramps, one a negro, who were stealing a ride in front of the blind baggage, were buried beneath the falling car and killed. Their names are unknown. Just after the shock passengers and trainmen heard shots fired at a short distance from the train. The remains of Fireman Har-

mon were taken from under the wrecked tank and removed to Ullin. He leaves a wife and two children, who reside at that place. The wrecked train carried one of the heaviest and most important express details on the road. A reward of \$1,000 has been offered for the arrest and conviction or information leading to the capture of the person or persons who opened the switch.

STONE SENTENCED TO HANG.

Pleaded Guilty, and the Jury in a Short Time Rendered a Verdict.

James E. Stone, the confessed murderer of the Wratten family, was brought into court at Washington, Ind., by Sheriff Leming at 8:30 the other morning.

The prisoner seemed as if unconcerned as if nothing was going on at all. When the indictment of murder in the first degree was read to him he answered in a low murmuring voice that could scarcely be heard: "I am guilty." He was asked a few questions to determine whether he was sane. He answered in an intelligent and unconcerned manner. His wife, Cecelia, was examined and she stated that he fell on some ice last winter and hurt his head and at some periods he seemed slightly off, but that he had been in his right mind the last three months. Neither the State nor the defense argued the case, and after Judge Hefron had carefully instructed the jury they were given the case at 10:42. At 11:06 the jury returned and handed the following verdict to the Judge: "We, the jury, find the defendant guilty of murder in the first degree and assess ELIZABETH WRATTEN, as his punishment that he shall suffer death." Judge Hefron sentenced Stone to be hanged at Jeffersonville Feb. 16, 1894.

Stone said to the Court that he guessed the jury did about as well as he expected. As he parted from his wife and children he besought them to promise to meet him in heaven. The persons implicated by Stone's confessions were released on their own recognizances to appear at the January term of court.

Nearly every circumstance strengthens the belief that Stone proceeded to the Wratten home unaccompanied by any one and alone slew the entire family. There is no positive proof that robbery was the motive, although this theory was advanced by the knowledge that the woman had considerable

money hid away in her house. Over \$600 in coin was in plain view of the murderer and could easily have been secured.



THE WRATTEN HOME.

ALMOST FOUND SAFETY.

Nine Men Drowned in New York Bay Within 400 Feet of Shore.

Nine lives were lost by the capsizing of a yawl in the lower bay of New York. Twenty-two mechanics and laborers employed by the contractors who are working on the new buildings on Hoffman Island embarked in a thirty-foot yawl shortly after noon to return to their homes. The sea in the bay was running very high, but the yawl, with a double-reefed sail, successfully battled with the waves until within 400 feet of the long dock at South Beach, where the men were to disembark. The sail had just been lowered when a sudden squall struck the boat. By quick work the yawl was kept from overturning, but the sea washed completely over the craft several times. For a few minutes they were successful in keeping the yawl afloat, but a large wave struck the boat and filled her completely. The yawl sank, leaving the twenty-two men struggling in the water.

The catastrophe was witnessed by people on the shore at South Beach. Small boats were hurriedly manned and sent out to rescue the workmen. Almost at the same time a naphtha launch was sent out from Hoffman Island on the same mission. Before the rescuers could reach the spot where the men were struggling in the water nine of the men had gone down for the last time. The other men were picked up by the small boats and the launch and were landed at South Beach.

Four Lynched by a Mob.

On the farm of Jack Daniels, near Lynchburg, Tenn., Ned Waggoner, his son Will and daughter Mary, and his son-in-law Motlow, were found hanging to one tree. All are colored and the only cause at present assigned for their fate is that they were implicated in the numerous barn burnings which have taken place in Moore and Lincoln Counties recently. There is no clew to the lynchings.

WARD McALLISTER declines an invitation of the Board of Trade of Savannah to go to that city and be feted. McAllister was born in Savannah, but appreciates the fact that it would be a blow to him socially to mingle with people who are not his equals.

BOMBS IN A THEATER.

DASTARDLY ANARCHIST OUTRAGE AT BARCELONA.

Infernal Machines Thrown from the Gallery Into the Midst of the Large and Fashionable Audience—Fifteen Persons Killed—Wild Struggle to Escape.

Deed of a Dastard.

A dynamite bomb thrown by alleged anarchists into the midst of a crowded theater is the latest outrage and disaster to be recorded in Spain. The Liceo Theater, on the Rambla de Capuchines, the Italian opera house, in Barcelona, was filled the other night with an audience estimated to have numbered about 4,000 people. The opera "William Tell" was being performed for the first time after a long interval.

While the performance was proceeding two dynamite bombs were suddenly hurled from the topmost gallery into the midst of the stalls on the floor of the house. One of the bombs exploded with a terrible report, which shook the theater to its foundations and scattering death and destruction upon all sides. The second bomb, happily, did not explode, having fallen in the lap of a lady.

For a moment the Liceo was filled with smoke and dust, falling glass, and plaster, which caused a horrible rattling din, which increased the feeling of terror and wild panic which animated the vast audience. The terrified crowd, fearing that at any moment another bomb might be thrown into the midst, completely lost all sense of control; all regard for women and children seemed to vanish, and there was a mad rush for the doors. Men and women fought with each other as they crushed weaker ones beneath their feet in the effort to escape from the dynamite shaken theater, leaving the wounded and dying behind them, tended only by a few of the braver heads, who remained faithful to their dear ones. In this mad rush many old people and children were severely injured through being trampled under foot, while others were severely bruised and crushed by the crowd. The stalls presented a terrible sight; the part where the bomb exploded was a mass of splintered wreckage.

Fifteen Dead Bodies Found.

When the wreckage was in some degree cleared away there were found fifteen dead bodies, of which six were those of men and nine the corpses of women. The bodies of the unfortunate ladies lay close together, their brightly colored evening dresses, lace and jewelry, gloves, hats and other finery drenched with blood and torn in the most fearful manner. It is reported, soon after the examination of the dead, that a large proportion of the killed belonged to one family who had taken a number of tickets, it is presumed forming a theater-party in honor of the birthday of one of those lying there shattered to death by the anarchist's bomb. The stairs and corridors were next searched for dead and wounded people who fell victims to that terrible rush for the doors which followed the explosion. Upon the stairs and in the corridors three persons were found dead and a large number of seriously injured people were picked up. Throughout the night the theater was surrounded by a crowd of people who were with difficulty kept back by a strong body of police.

Immediately after the explosion all the houses inhabited by suspected anarchists were searched and several arrests made. Gen. Campor, soon as he was informed of the outrage, immediately wired to Madrid, and government messages monopolized the wires for the remainder of the night. Among the dead is an American named Figueras.

BODIES WERE MUTILATED.

Belief that the Crews of the Wrecked Steamers Were Run Down by Some Boat.

Owing to mutilation of many of the bodies from the Philadelphia-Albany collision on Lake Huron it is now believed that the yawl containing twenty-four members of the combined crews was run into by some passing steamer. No sea was running from the time the lifeboats left the sinking Philadelphia until it was picked up by the life-saving crew from Point aux Barques station, and yet the skulls of some of the victims are crushed and all are more or less bruised.

The Albany was bound from Chicago to Buffalo, and the Philadelphia from Erie to Duluth. Both were running under check on account of the dense fog hanging on the water. Fog signals were being exchanged regularly with their whistles as the vessels felt their way through the fogbanks. When the boats came together the sharp iron prow of the Philadelphia struck the Albany forward of the second gangway, or about one-third the way back from the bow. The Philadelphia cut in nearly five feet and then hung there. The lake was nearly quiet, only a slight swell from the recent gale running. Capt. Angus McDonald at once realized that his ship had received a mortal blow and requested Capt. A. E. Huff to have the Philadelphia take the Albany in tow, with the hope of beaching the steamer or at least reaching shallow water, where the wreck might be raised. This was done and the Philadelphia started for the shore, which was some ten miles distant. Water poured so fast through the break in the Albany's steel plates that after some ten minutes Capt. McDonald ordered his men to abandon the ship, and they were all safely taken on board the Philadelphia. Up to that time Capt. McDonald supposed that the Philadelphia was not seriously damaged, as she had struck the Albany shoreward, but half an hour after the collision the Albany reeled and then went to the bottom bow first.



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WASHINGTON LETTER.

Special Correspondence.

Now that congress is gone and many bright and interesting socio-political circles are temporarily disbanded, the capital city will be rather more quiet than it has been at any time this fall. The probability is that President and Mrs. Cleveland will remain out at Woodley until the first part of December and enjoy there a regular old fashioned Thanksgiving. Mrs. Cleveland is now seen in town and down town shopping pretty much every day, and her frequent companion on these occasions is the elder presidential daughter, little Ruth.

Whenever the president signs an important congressional enactment and makes it the law of the land there is usually considerable competition to secure as a relic the pen with which the essential word "Approved" was written. There has seldom been a bill that has excited more general interest than the bill which repealed the purchasing clause of the Sherman silver law. The president signed this bill with an ordinary steel stub pen. No one has as yet shown the least desire for the possession of this article, and the lack of interest in this matter is a subject of general surprise. Although it is not known as a fact, it is believed that the President will present the pen and holder to Senator Voorhees as a slight token of appreciation of the prominent part he took in accomplishing the result so much desired by the administration.

After congress, the house cleaners. The capitol is in the hands of the army whose function it is to wage the battle against discomfort. An air of chill and desertion prevades the whole building. The cages are empty, the menagerie gone. The visitors wander about aimlessly, either on their own volition or under the direction of bebadged functionaries "for a consideration." But there is no heart in it all. Save for the few chrysanthemum-decked brides who stray through the cheerless corridors with sheepish looking male attachments on their arms the element of curious humanity is almost lacking. Over in the senate the usual effort has already begun to make the great chamber cozy against the return of the Solons in December.

The southern members, with few exceptions, will remain in Washington during adjournment. Most of them expected a continuous session and brought their families on. They are domiciled, and are wrestling desperately with the Washington servant girl. They voted against the motion to adjourn almost solidly. It is hard to blame them. There is no more beautiful city upon the footstool than Washington at this season of the year. The climate changeable as it is, is really better than many portions of the South during the fall season.

The failure of the senate to confirm the nomination of Mr. Horablower as an associate justice of the supreme court has caused no end of gossip among the legal fraternity. Many speculations have been made as to the probable program of the president in the matter. It has been suggested that he might renominate him at once and thus give him a seat on the bench, subject to the confirmation of the senate later on. But it is not likely that the president will do so. The recess is for so short a time—only a month—that it would seem almost like rushing the mourners, especially as the appointment is for life. So the renomination will be delayed until December.

There appears to be very little, if any, prospect of an immediate reassembling of the international monetary conference for the consideration of the question of the enlarged use of silver money. Soon after the adjournment in May, Senators Allison and Jones and Representative McCreary, comprising the American delegation, tendered their resignation to the president. He did not accept them but asked that they be allowed to remain unacted upon for the present. The American delegates are of the opinion that nothing be accomplished by further meetings, for the reason that England stands persistently in the way of an agreement on bimetalism. The duties of the delegates to the conference appear to be at an end, although they have not yet been officially informed to that effect.

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It will be probably noted by a few captious people that the president waited until congress adjourned before he issued his Thanksgiving proclamation. And the proclamation reads as if written by a person who feels as if he had something to be thankful for.

During the entire session of congress seventeen bills and sixteen joint resolutions became laws. The president did not exercise his right of veto in a single instance, having approved every measure submitted to him by congress.

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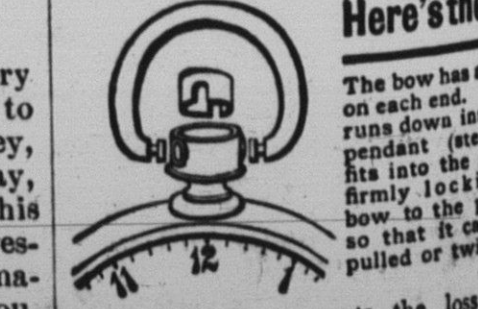
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