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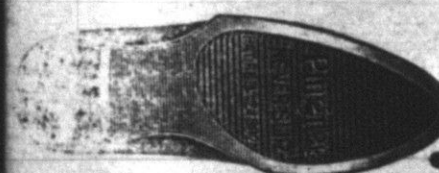


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All wash goods at cut prices.

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## THE SCHOOL MEETING.

\$4,375.00 TO BE RAISED BY DIRECT TAX.

Nearly \$1,000 Less than was Raised Last Year—Pingree Workers Happy—Sketches of Mrs. James Congdon and Mrs. Wm. F. Riemenschneider.

### School Meeting.

The annual school meeting of District No. 3, fractional Sylvan and Lima, was held at the Town Hall, Monday evening, and about 130 patrons of the school, many of them ladies, were present.

B. Parker was called to the chair, as the moderator was absent, and the director's report, which was as follows, was read and adopted:

RECEIPTS.

Money on hand July 8, 1895	\$ 33 49
Primary school fund	550 88
Library fund	22 15
Foreign scholars	391 35
Mill tax	526 30
Direct tax	5,336 12
Sale of books	6 00
Total	\$6,872 29

EXPENDITURES.

Teachers' salaries	\$4,465 00
Loan	950 00
Interest on loan and over dfts.	44 04
Free text books	89 37
Fuel	382 18
Music	36 00
Insurance	43 60
Repairs	26 98
Library	26 00
Incidentals and supplies	314 35
Janitor	300 00
Assessor	25 00
Director	50 00
Cash on hand	119 77
Total	\$6,872 29

The estimates for the coming year were as follows:

RECEIPTS.

Cash on hand	\$ 119 77
Primary money	550 00
Foreign scholars	350 00
Mill tax	525 00
Direct tax	4,375 23
Total	\$5,920 00

EXPENDITURES.

Teachers' salaries	\$4,485 00
Free text books	200 00
Fuel	350 00
Repairs	150 00
Incidentals	300 00
Apparatus and library	60 00
Janitor	300 00
Director	50 00
Assessor	25 00
Total	\$5,920 00

It was recommended that the district raise \$4,375 by direct tax, which was accepted.

This is nearly \$1,000 less than raised last year.

Dr. R. S. Armstrong and H. S. Holmes were elected trustees for three years, and Wm. Bacon was elected for two years to fill vacancy.

On motion the meeting adjourned.

### Pingree Workers Happy.

Free Press: There was a shout of Joy in the Pingree camp yesterday afternoon when it was learned that Washtenaw county Republicans, in convention at Ann Arbor, had elected a delegation to the Grand Rapids convention held for the mayor for governor. The fact that no false move had been made was assured when a telegram came announcing that Sheriff Judson, the head of the Pingree campaign in Washtenaw county, was elected delegate-at-large to the convention. If there is a consistent Pingree shout in Michigan it is Sheriff Judson. He has the Republicans of Washtenaw county at his fingers' ends. For years the sheriff bought livestock throughout the county, and he knows every resident. He was a valuable man for Pingree cause, and he allowed no questionable delegates to be chosen. He even succeeded in carrying Ann Arbor city for Pingree, a majority of delegates being chosen to the county convention in favor of his honor. He had it all arranged so that there should be no mistake yesterday. Nineteen delegates pledged to Pingree were elected.

The campaign in Washtenaw county has resulted in the turning down of the old line Republicans. Even at the early state convention these were not allowed representation, and the scenes that were enacted in the convention, when the old war horses were turned down by the new manager of the Washtenaw Republicans, Sheriff Judson, were laughable. Such men as Julius E. Beal, Regent H. S. Dean, ex-Auditor-General Stevens and Dr. W. F. Breakey were allowed to keep in the back seats. And they are now in the same position. Beal has for years been considered a leading Republican of the county, and his paper, the Courier, is the organ of the Washtenaw's Republicans. His pocketbook has been open too, for the cause, but Sheriff Judson ordered him turned down as an anti-Pingree man, and down he went. Dean, Steven and Berkley, together with J. J. Goodyear, ex-member of the Pontiac

asylum, ex-mayor Darling and many other men whose ardor for the Pingree cause was not considered hot enough, were ruled out by Referee Judson.

### Mrs. James M. Congdon.

Sarah Elizabeth Maine was born in Canterbury, Conn., in 1815, and died at the home of her daughter, Mrs. D. B. Taylor, July 14, 1896 in her 82 year. In 1859 she was married to James M. Congdon and came to this state and settled on the farm now owned by Thomas Wilkinson. At the time of their settlement here Chelsea was a wilderness and their company consisted mostly of Indians and wolves. To trade they were obliged to go to Detroit with an ox team. There were eight children, seven of whom are still living: Mrs. D. B. Taylor and Mrs. Wm. Bacon of Chelsea; James Congdon of Canton, O., Russell Congdon of Grand Junction, Iowa; Mrs. Olive Avery of Chicago; Andrew J. Congdon of Chelsea; Frank Congdon of Omaha, Neb., She was united with the M. E. Church when it was first organized in Chelsea and maintained a consistent Christian life. A quiet woman, yet she did not forget those in need and was always willing to lend a helping hand. She will ever be remembered by her children as a faithful and loving mother, though the last months of her life she lost the use of her faculties and was a constant care. The funeral services were conducted by the pastor, Rev. C. L. Adams, at 10 o'clock Thursday morning at the house. The burial was in Oak Grove cemetery.

### Mrs. Eivina Riemenschneider.

Died, on Tuesday, July 14, 1896, at her home in Chelsea, Eivina, beloved wife of Wm. F. Riemenschneider.

Eivina Lantis was born in the township of Waterloo, October 23, 1850.

She was married to Mr. Riemenschneider June 17, 1874. They began their wedded life at Francisco where three children were born to them, Cora L. in 1877; Laverne in 1878; Orrin in 1881. Little Cora was taken from their loving care to a fairer, better home, in April 1881. It has always been this mother's belief that when she had finished her work on earth she would be called to join her baby girl where there is no parting. This has been the one sad period to mar her happy life.

Mrs. Riemenschneider was baptised in her infancy and she has ever owned and professed Christ as her Savior. She said to one of her friends a few days before she passed away that the past week had been the happiest one in her life. She had placed herself in her Heavenly Father's care, if it was his will that her life be spared, it was all right, if not, all was well. Her confidence in him was firm.

A kind, obedient child to her parents, a loving, gentle sister, an affectionate wife, a devoted mother, a kind sympathetic friend, what other virtues can be added to make a beautiful life worthy of example?

The funeral services were held at one o'clock to-day at the Congregational church, Rev. VanOmmeren of Grass Lake having charge of the services. The interment took place at Oak Grove Cemetery.

### WASHINGTON LETTER

The politicians are saying that Mr. Hobart will be an unexpectedly strong factor, and that he will prove a useful man to Republican interests as the tail-end of the ticket. While he made a very brief stay in Canton, and an equally brief stay in Cleveland, it is said that he will see Mr. Hanna later and soon again. Hobart is not a speaker, but as an organizer he ranks high in Jersey, a state where organization in politics has been carried by both parties almost to perfection. He has the executive faculty, and has had a very large business experience. His temperament and qualitis are not unlike those of Hanna himself. He knows all the ropes in his part of the country, and he has the confidence of the eastern business world. He will be a valuable ally to Hanna in the committee work, and a general counselor on such lines. It is also expected that Hobart will be intrusted with the very difficult task of harmonizing the factional troubles in New York. He knows Platt and knows New York. His business connections take him across the Hudson river pretty often, and with him to smooth the way, the party men believe that Hanna and Platt and Miller may be brought together. Meanwhile McKinley, who is an orator, may not be able to resist all of the appeals that will be made to him to say a word here and there for the ticket. The southern republicans are anxious to have them visit their section. However prominent silver may be in the east and west, the tariff, the southern republicans declare, will cut a figure with them. Prominent southern republicans believe that a tour which would take him to Louisville, Nashville, Atlanta, Birmingham, Mobile,

New Orleans and Galveston, would be worth thousands of votes to the Republican ticket in November.

The suggestion that after the contest has fairly opened McKinley may make a tour of the south is in line with the promise that this year's campaign is to be exceptional in every way. It is assumed that the east will take care of itself; that that section will be solidified for the Republicans by the action of the democracy at Chicago. The silver states of the west are expected to stand by silver. But why, is asked, should the south, with so much at stake in the line of material development, resist appeals on the score of protection made to her by the chief apostle of that policy in this country? The Republican leaders regard it as one of the puzzles of politics that the south should so long have appeared to favor free trade. They cite the fact that she is enormously rich in undeveloped resources. What a thorough canvas of the south would result if it is conceded to be something of a mystery. If McKinley goes down south it is intended that he will but make the path straight for others. It is expected that many of the ablest of the party leaders will follow him. Men like Reed, Chauncey Depew, Senator Hawley, and Senator Allison, would, it is believed, be well received in the south. Their main topic would naturally be the tariff. Louisiana, it is pointed out, wants her sugar industry to grow and flourish, Georgia and the Carolinas want their cotton spinning to increase, while Alabama and Tennessee and West Virginia would be helped financially by a policy which would fix and keep a good duty on coal and iron ore. The Republicans, it is thus disclosed, have a very comprehensive plan of campaign mapped out, and it is said to be the intention to vigorously prosecute it.

On the Fourth of July, for the first time, the flag of United States was flown with forty-five stars on its blue field, indicating the admission of Utah to the list of states. General orders issued by the War and Navy Departments prepared the way for the change, and for several months past the flag makers have been busy in placing a new star on the flags in stock. The army flags are supplied by special contractors, and from economical considerations the old army flags will not be all retired at once. Some of the beautiful silk flags cost as much as \$100 apiece, and is deemed best to wear them out instead of throwing them away. In the case of the naval flags the change is more easily made, for all these flags are made at the New York and Mare Island navy yards.

"Richard is himself again," and by that I mean that jovial and famous old Dick Wintersmith, who is the Chauncey Depew of his own set, burst upon the stay-at-homes at the capital yesterday in all his pristine charms, rejuvenated and thoroughly rehabilitated by a stay in his native Kentucky. Col. Dick had to flee from his official post at Colon to escape the chagres fever. He was welcomed by a big contingent of his old associates at Chamberlain's and he started right in with the usual array of good stories and solid facts, with liquids on the side. "This government," said he "ought to take hold of the canal that de Lesseps started and complete it. It is the only practicable waterway across the Isthmus. The Nicaraguan Canal is a colossal fake and humbug, and their isn't money enough in the world to build it. The Panama route is the only feasible plan of uniting the two oceans." And certainly his long vigil as the official martyr of this government at Colon should have resulted in a clear knowledge of the facts.

The patriotically inclined, apropos of the Fourth of July, are asking that Secretary Herbert be sure to give the new gunboats strictly American names. There has been altogether too much of unmeaning looseness in naming our men-of-war. There ought to be no Terrors or Amphitrites. We should not have a Vesuvius in the United States' fleet. If we were poverty-stricken in the matter of typical characteristic material there might be some excuse for going abroad in search of these names, but we are not. We have a large stock of exceeding beauty and propriety to draw from. The popular insistence upon appropriate names, has the sanction of fitness, of utility, and of patriotism, and the rule of the Navy Department should be "American name for American ships." Among the prominent examples of possessors of "changed minds" at this political juncture there has just been included the Secretary of Agriculture, for it appears that Hon. J. Sterling Morton was the Greenback-Democratic-Farmers' Alliance candidate for Governor of Nebraska in 1884.

And now, in the business depression of most industries, and in the light of recent events in the life of one Grover Cleveland the pessimists are saying that the cuckoo business is not what it used to be.



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- 12 lbs rolled oats for 25c
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- Ammonia 4c per pint
- 8-lb pail white fish 35c
- Seedless raisins 6c per lb
- 10 cakes soap for 25c
- Pure Spices and Extracts
- Choice herring 10c per box
- 8 lbs clean rice for 25c
- 3 lbs apricots for 25c
- 7 bars Jaxon soap for 25c
- Good machine oil 25c gal.
- 50-lbs sulphur for \$1.00
- Good tea dust 8c per lb.
- Try our 25c N.O. molasses
- Kirkoline 20c per pkg.
- Sugar corn 5c per can
- Good tomatoes 7c per can
- Best pumpkin 7c per can
- 27-oz bottle olives for 25c
- 6 doz. clothes pins for 5c.

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  - Sponges
  - Chamois Skins
  - Toilet Articles
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  - Tooth Powder
  - Etc.

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Take advantage of our low prices on fish and canned goods. See price list. We are cutting all cream cheese.

We are drawing the finest ice cream soda in this vicinity. Drop in and try a glass.

When you buy a watch, remember us.

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GRAIN RATES TUMBLE

REDUCTION OF 10 CENTS MADE FROM MISSOURI RIVER.

Chicago Great Western Leads the Stagnated-New York Sun Comes Out for McKinley-Private Postal Business of Railroads Must Cease.

Cheaper Grain Transportation. Rates on grain and its products from Missouri River points to Chicago took a tumble Thursday. The Chicago Great Western Road a few days ago put the rate on grain down to 15 cents from Missouri River to Chicago. The executive officers discovered that the Alton had issued a new tariff far below those of the Chicago Great Western, and consequently nothing else could be done but to authorize all the roads to meet the Alton's rates. The new tariffs are as follows: From southwestern Missouri River points to Chicago-Wheat and flour, 13 cent per 100 pounds; corn, rye, oats, barley, cornmeal, brewers' grits, hominy, oatmeal, brewers' meal and bran, 11 cents; flaxseed and millet, 14 cents. This is a reduction of 10 cents per 100 pounds on wheat and 9 cents on barley, corn, rye, oats, etc. Another meeting of executive officers of Western roads will be held to take action regarding the flat rates on a reduced scale put in effect by the Chicago Great Western from points in Iowa and Missouri to Chicago.

George Rimell Dead. George Rimell, who for years held the championship of England as a crack shot, and who was three years the champion of Europe, died at St. Louis Wednesday, aged 73 years. He lost the fortune he acquired by shooting in a contest in the interest of the Tichborne claimant. He then came to this country, where he was defeated by Bogardus. After which he went to St. Louis and began the manufacture of patent medicines, in which business he was successful. Several weeks ago he had a quarrel with a tenant, a fortune teller named Mme. Marie Frick, during which she struck him on the head with a shoe. She was arrested, and is serving a sentence of one year in the workhouse. Rimell has not been well since, and died of nervous prostration. He was an intimate friend of Buffalo Bill.

Postage Exacted of Railroads. Railroad companies can no longer carry their own business letters over their roads without paying postage to Uncle Sam. Wednesday an order from Postmaster General Wilson was received by Major Stuart, postal inspector, and Postmaster Heeling at Chicago, insisting upon the enforcement of the postal laws against railroads carrying their own letters. All letters to station agents and officials are forbidden to be carried without postage. The railroads, however, can be supplied by the Government with a specially stamped envelope, which they must cancel on delivery to the train man. The new order will add several thousand dollars a year to the Government revenues from the many roads centering in Chicago.

Standing of National League. Following is the standing of the clubs of the National Baseball League:

Table with 4 columns: Club Name, W. L., and two other columns with numerical values for standings.

Western League Standing. Following is the standing of the clubs in the Western League:

Table with 4 columns: Club Name, W. L., and two other columns with numerical values for standings.

Dana Bolts the Platform. Chas. A. Dana's paper, the New York Sun, which has always styled itself, because of its faithfulness to its party interests, the most steadfast organ of the Democratic party in New York, in a triple-headed editorial repudiates allegiance to the Democratic convention at Chicago and unequivocally bolts the platform adopted Thursday. It lashes the party for the successive steps it has taken to its present attitude and says that until after election patriotism and the interests of the United States of America will rest with the candidity of William McKinley.

BREVITIES.

Luther Poland, father of Mrs. John M. Thurston, died Wednesday morning at the Thurston residence, Omaha, Neb., attended by his wife and daughter and Senator Thurston. Col. Poland was a native of Vermont, where he held important political positions more than thirty years ago. He was nearly 70 years of age, and had resided in Omaha for a quarter of a century.

Gov. Lowndes of Maryland has offered rewards of \$4,000 for the arrest of the men who lynched Joseph Cockey and Sidney Randolph. Gov. Lowndes accuses the sheriffs of Charles and Washington Counties of gross neglect of duty.

EASTERN.

George W. Turner has been appointed receiver of the New York Recorder in furtherance of a plan to reorganize the company.

By the explosion of natural gas at the Evergreen Hotel, seven miles north of Allegheny, Pa., six persons were injured, three, it is feared, fatally. The hotel was badly damaged by the explosion, which was caused by a leaking pipe.

A report received from Pittsburg, Pa., indicates that some of the men now in the Twin Shaft mine may be taken out alive, the rescuing party having heard distinct rappings, which may have been made by some of the entombed men.

Dr. J. W. Barnitz, noted taxidermist, died at Magnolia Place, below Philadelphia, Monday evening, after a short illness. For many years he was employed by the late P. T. Barnum, and was the originator of the mermaid, woolly horse, and other freaks placed before the public.

Umpire Hurst, after the Washington-Pittsburg game Monday, met Stenzel and Hawley of the latter team in the rear of the grand stand and administered a blow on the jaw of each of them. This action was the result of words which had passed between them on the field. Neither player resented the attack. The game was played in the rain, and the home team, being ahead 6 to 0, in order to complete five innings, made themselves easy outs. Stenzel and Hawley made taunting remarks to the umpire throughout the game and wanted to "meet him off the field." They met him with the above result.

WESTERN.

Swan Soderburg, aged 28, an employe in Swift's packing house at Kansas City, was killed in a runaway accident. He was thrown from a wagon; his face striking a tree. His skull was frightfully crushed, causing instant death.

Fourteen prisoners overpowered the guards in the United States jail at Guthrie, O. T., Sunday night and escaped. Bill Doolin and "Dynamite Dick," the last survivors of the Dalton gang, who were charged with the murders committed in the Ingalls fight, when four deputy marshals were killed, were the principal actors. Fourteen out of fifty-nine prisoners escaped. They were all desperate characters.

Mrs. Willie, the wife of a Wichita, Kas., business man, entered the Fourth National Bank there, put a revolver to the cashier's head, and demanded her money. The cashier knew she had no money there, but saw at a glance she was insane. He kept counting and recounting her supposed deposit for her, and thus attracted her attention until a messenger had returned with a policeman, who disarmed her.

With her left leg held with vice-like grip between the iron walls of an elevator shaft and the car Mrs. Emma A. Martin, of 1150 West Harrison street, Chicago, was compelled Monday noon to submit to the amputation of her foot by a surgeon. Because of the necessarily awkward operation a second amputation was made when she had been removed to her home. On account of her age, which is 65 years, it is feared that Mrs. Martin will not survive the shock.

Miss Effie Culver, aged 15, the beautiful daughter of Dr. D. M. Culver of Indianapolis, and Callin J. Campbell, aged 34, a married man, who eloped from that city twelve days ago and have been living at St. Louis since, were arrested Sunday night. A report which had reached the St. Louis police to the effect that Campbell had embezzled funds of the Metropolitan Life Insurance Company, for which he was a special agent, was denied by him. He consented to return to Indianapolis and face the music without waiting for requisition papers. Miss Culver will return also. The couple first met at the Sixth Christian Church of Indianapolis, of which Miss Culver was organist and Campbell tenor.

Summarized police reports in Chicago show the following results of the glorious Fourth:

Table with 2 columns: Item and numerical count. Includes items like Cannon, Cracked, Powder, Stray bullets, Revolver, Injured, Killed, etc.

In connection with the six day woman's bicycle race at the Twin City cycle track in Minneapolis. About 5,000 people had gathered to see the finish of a close contest and they had paid an extra admission fee. Dottie Farnsworth, one of the contestants, was too ill to ride, and when this announcement was made to the crowd the riot ensued. The crowd tore up the track, broke the seats, smashed all the glass and threw stones at each other, as well as using clubs. Squads of police from all over the city were called on, but they were powerless against the enraged crowd, and it was two hours before order was restored, and then only by the combined efforts of the authorities.

"We'll take care of the tall man and the short man, if the police courts cannot. Chicago must get rid of them in some way, and as I have said before, the Metropolitan and Lake street elevated railroad structures are very handy on the West Side. If one way of stopping the robberies is not effective, why, some other way must be devised, that is all." So said T. S. Albright, of 871 West Monroe street. Mr. Albright is one of the oldest salesmen in the wholesale house of Carson, Pirie, Scott & Co. He and a number of other prominent citizens of the West Side who have been disturbed by the robberies and hold-ups within the last few months have organized a vigilance or lynching committee. This body will try to act as an auxiliary to the police in apprehending such individuals as the famous tall man and short man. They will follow the case of each of the men upon whom they direct their attention, and, if either is not punished as he should be, or dealt with properly in the police courts, they say they will take the law into their own hands and make short work of their evil-doing victims.

SOUTHERN.

Daniel Devlin accidentally shot and instantly killed his brother Joe at a dance near Parkersburg, W. Va., Saturday. Both were drinking heavily.

The E. L. Goodsell Company, New York, fruits and food auctioneers, a West Virginia corporation, has made an assignment to Victor K. McElhanev, Jr. The company was incorporated in 1894.

Solomon Marble was hanged at Farmville, Va., Friday morning for the murder of Mrs. Lucy Jane Pollard June 14, 1895. He met his fate calmly and on the scaffold reiterated his oft-repeated statement that Mrs. Pollard was murdered by a white man.

Traffic on the Baltimore and Ohio and the Ohio River Railroad is practically suspended, many bridges having been washed out on both roads between Wheeling, W. Va., and Parkersburg and Grafton. The bridge at the passenger station on the Baltimore and Ohio in Wheeling has fallen, and the Ohio River Railroad bridge is in great danger.

The steamer Three Friends passed Key West, Fla., at 9 o'clock Monday morning, pursued by the Spanish warship Alfonso XII. Both vessels were under full steam, and the Three Friends was between eight and ten miles ahead of the warship. It has been reported by the observers that the warship fired upon the Three Friends. It was reported that the United States warship Maine and United States cutters were now getting up steam preparatory to intercepting both vessels. Great excitement prevailed.

FOREIGN.

The Turkish battalions at Yeddah, who have received no pay since 1894, refuse to leave for Crete, and have barricaded themselves in the mosque.

Henry M. Stanley, who has been at London seriously ill for some time, had another relapse. It followed a slight improvement, and is causing anxiety to his friends.

The Cretans have elected a provisional government, decided to proclaim the union of the island with Greece and expressed the hope that autonomy will be granted the island under the surveillance of the powers.

Mail advices received at San Francisco by steamer report the loss of three vessels on the Australian coast during the gales which raged throughout the night of May 23. The ships were the Byron, bound from Newcastle for Sydney, the barkentine Karoola, from New Zealand to Sydney, and the schooner Coudang.

A bill introduced in the Diet of Austria by Deputy Gregory provides that all Jews shall be excluded from citizens' rights; that their property shall be confiscated, and that corporal punishment shall be reintroduced for criminals of the Hebrew race. Deputy Schneider offered an amendment making it a crime for a Jew to marry a Gentile.

Yale was defeated, but not disgraced, Tuesday in the third trial heat for the Grand Challenge cup at Henley-on-Thames. Leander won by one and three-quarters lengths, in 7:14. The record is 6:51. The race was one of the most stubborn ever rowed, and the vast crowd of over 30,000 Englishmen was loud in praise of the plucky American men.

The London Chronicle publishes a dispatch from Bulawayo which says that spies arriving there report that Nyamanda, son of the late Lobengula, king of the Matabele, went to the Matopos hills at the request of a council of chiefs and was installed in three different copies with great ceremony as king of the Matabele. The Chronicle's correspondent thinks that this union may prove very formidable.

The question of the cession or sale of the Danish Antilles Islands engrosses public attention. The Danish government would be delighted to dispose of them to the American government, since they cost about \$200,000 yearly and yield no commercial advantage. Nevertheless, the Copenhagen Cabinet has no intention of taking the initiative in the matter of propositions, but expects America to do this, and there is no doubt such suggestion will meet a good reception.

The steamer Italia has arrived at Genoa and reports that Larnica, Island of Cyprus, has been suffering from earthquake shocks since July 1. The disturbances have been increasing in violence and extend to Limasol. A general panic is said to prevail at Larnica and the new government and military authorities have been providing tents for the afflicted people. The town is deserted, and the government offices, banks and telegraph offices were under canvas when the steamer left Cyprus.

London dispatch: If it is true that Astor hopes in time to become a lord in England his fellow-Americans have every right to criticize him, but it is difficult to see why the English should find fault. However, here is what the Sunday

Times, a thoroughly reputable paper, publishes: "I hear that Mr. Astor, who lately scored a kind of a social success, is likely to be made a Privy Councillor at the end of a few years; that is to say if he sees that his organ is steadily ground to the tune of the high church Tory party and does not forego any of his social eligibilities by prematurely succumbing to matrimony. The Unionist Ministry is not remarkable for its gratitude to old established support in the English press of those who do not descend to make their patriotism grounds for driving any bargain with the country's statesmen." The same paper repeats the rumor that Henry Cockayne Cust has got capital from Barnato for the Mayfair Gazette, and adds: "Cust, it is supposed, will control the whole paper except the financial department."

Sir John Pender, the cable magnate, head of the Eastern, the Eastern Extension, the Cape, the Anglo-American, and other cable companies, who had been ill for some time past, died at London Tuesday afternoon. John Pender was a highly educated Scotchman, born in Dumfriesshire in 1816. When the project of an Atlantic cable was first broached in England he became at once an enthusiastic advocate of the scheme. He was one of the 345 persons who contributed \$5,000 apiece to experiment in laying an ocean cable. John Pender occupied in England the same position as his illustrious colleague, Cyrus W. Field, did in the United States, and both men won and held the esteem and gratitude of their fellow-countrymen. When the American Submarine Telegraphic system was established Pender set about introducing the same plan of sea cable in other directions, and was chiefly instrumental in bringing about the Mediterranean, India, China, Australian, South African, and direct African cables. In recognition of his distinguished services to humanity he was knighted by the Queen, and received the highest decorations at the hands of several other sovereigns. He was first elected to Parliament in 1862, and sat almost continuously as a member until the time of his death.

IN GENERAL.

The customs revenue of Newfoundland for the quarter ending June 30 was \$402,000, against \$282,000 for the same quarter last year.

It is stated on high authority that the khedive intends leaving for Europe within ten days on his private yacht, touching first at Corfu and Philippopolis.

The schooner Finance, at St. John's, N. F., from Grand Banks, brought two French fishermen who had been adrift in a dory for nine days and were almost dead when rescued. One was so weak he had to be hoisted aboard the vessel.

Ex-President Harrison has sold his Cape May, N. J., cottage to W. L. Dubois, of Philadelphia, Pa. The price is not given. This is the cottage which was presented to the late Mrs. Harrison in 1862 by John Wanamaker, Thomas Dolan, Geo. W. Childs, Gen. W. J. Sewell, William V. McKean, and the late Anson H. Hamilton. Gen. Harrison afterward gave his check for \$10,000 for the cottage.

For the first time the flag of the United States was floated Saturday with forty-five stars on its blue field, indicating the admission of Utah to the sisterhood of States. General orders issued by the War and Navy Departments prepared the way for the change, and for several months past the flagmakers have been busy in placing a new star on the flags in stock. From economical considerations the old army flags will not be retired at once, but will be replaced only as they are worn out in service by the new ensigns. In the case of the naval flags the change was more easily made, for all of these flags are made at the New York and Mare Island navy yards, while those on hand on shipboard may be readily altered by the expert sailmakers.

The steamer Samuel N. Hodge, of Buffalo, bound from Cleveland to Prescott with 600 tons of wire, caught fire in the middle of Lake Ontario. The steamer St. Joseph, Capt. John Preston, Oswego, sighted the burning steamer and was soon beside it. For over an hour the St. Joseph kept two streams playing upon the burning craft, but to no purpose, and to avoid being burned to death those on board the Hodge jumped into the lake. All were picked up by the St. Joseph's crew. The fire originated near the boiler during Freeman Deely's trick and he is supposed to have been cremated. The Hodge was commanded by Capt. Lewis Elliot, of Detroit. It was owned by the Farrell Bros., of Buffalo, and was rated "A2." It was valued at \$25,000 and insured for \$18,000. The cargo was valued at \$7,000 and was insured.

MARKET REPORTS.

Chicago-Cattle, common to prime, \$3.50 to \$4.75; hogs, shipping grades, \$3.00 to \$3.75; sheep, fair to choice, \$2.50 to \$4.00; wheat, No. 2 red, 54c to 56c; corn, No. 2, 26c to 27c; oats, No. 2, 14c to 16c; rye, No. 2, 39c to 41c; butter, choice creamery, 14c to 15c; eggs, fresh, 9c to 11c; new potatoes, per bushel, 30c to 40c; broom corn, common to choice, \$25 to \$50 per ton. Indianapolis-Cattle, shipping, \$3.00 to \$4.75; hogs, choice light, \$3.00 to \$3.75; sheep, common to prime, \$2.00 to \$3.75; wheat, No. 2, 54c to 55c; corn, No. 2 white, 26c to 28c; oats, No. 2 white, 15c to 16c. St. Louis-Cattle, \$3.00 to \$4.50; hogs, \$3.00 to \$3.75; wheat, No. 2 red, 55c to 57c; corn, No. 2 yellow, 24c to 26c; oats, No. 2 white, 15c to 17c; rye, No. 2, 27c to 29c. Cincinnati-Cattle, \$3.50 to \$4.50; hogs, \$3.00 to \$3.75; sheep, \$2.50 to \$3.75; wheat, No. 2, 56c to 58c; corn, No. 2 mixed, 27c to 29c; oats, No. 2 mixed, 18c to 20c; rye, No. 2, 30c to 32c. Detroit-Cattle, \$2.50 to \$4.75; hogs, \$3.00 to \$3.75; sheep, \$2.00 to \$3.75; wheat, No. 2 red, 57c to 59c; corn, No. 2 yellow, 26c to 28c; oats, No. 2 white, 15c to 17c; rye, 30c to 32c. Toledo-Wheat, No. 2 red, 58c to 60c; corn, No. 2 yellow, 27c to 29c; oats, No. 2 white, 15c to 17c; rye, No. 2, 29c to 30c; clover seed, \$4.20 to \$4.30. Milwaukee-Wheat, No. 2 spring, 54c to 56c; corn, No. 3, 26c to 27c; oats, No. 2 white, 17c to 18c; barley, No. 2, 29c to 31c; rye, No. 1, 30c to 32c; pork, mess, \$6.50 to \$7.00. Buffalo-Cattle, \$2.50 to \$4.75; hogs, \$3.00 to \$3.75; sheep, \$2.50 to \$4.00; wheat, No. 2 red, 62c to 64c; corn, No. 2 yellow, 31c to 33c; oats, No. 2 white, 20c to 22c. New York-Cattle, \$3.00 to \$5.00; hogs, \$3.00 to \$4.25; sheep, \$2.00 to \$4.25; wheat, No. 2 red, 64c to 65c; corn, No. 2, 32c to 34c; oats, No. 2 white, 20c to 21c; butter, creamery, 11c to 13c; eggs, Western, 11c to 13c.

MANY SHIPS ASHORE. ENDEAVORERS MEET

GREAT DAMAGE DONE AT PENSACOLA BAY.

Loss Will Reach a Quarter of a Million-St. Louis the Scene of a Remarkable Murder-Silver Coinage May Be Increased.

Ships Driven Ashore in a Storm. The Italian brig Diadem, Swedish bark Svea, and Norwegian bark Johan Ludvig were blown ashore in Pensacola Bay, off Mobile, Ala., during a severe storm Wednesday. The wind blew from the northeast at seventy-two miles an hour and then changed to the northwest, and blew 100 miles an hour, Pensacola being the center of the storm. The Merchants' Hotel, on Palafox street, the Methodist Church, and nearly every business house were unroofed. The streets were made impassable by the fallen trees. No street cars are running. All wires are down, the nearest telegraph station working being at Flomston. The Pensacola and Atlantic division of the Louisville and Nashville is washed out in places. The damage is fully \$250,000.

Mysterious Crime at St. Louis.

The St. Louis police department is mystified over a sensational murder that occurred Tuesday night. A phaeton containing three men and a woman drove up to a saloon, No. 2200 Washington avenue. One of the men and the woman alighted and entered the saloon. Sitting down to a table they ordered refreshments, and while the waiter was gone to fill the order five shots fired in rapid succession were heard, and the strange man was seen rushing from the saloon. The woman, who was well-dressed and good-looking, was found lying beside the table, dead. Most of the bullets had taken effect and her death was almost instantaneous. Later in the evening William Jenkins, son of Benjamin Jenkins, a widely known river man, was arrested for the murder. It was at first asserted that the woman killed was his wife, but Jenkins insists that the latter is out of town.

New Cure for the Lockjaw.

Dr. Blumenthal, first assistant professor at Leyden, Germany, will publish a scientific report on the treatment of lockjaw by serum, which the medical fraternity look forward to with the greatest interest. Dr. Blumenthal gives the following extract from his article: "I have discovered, and show by numerous examples, why the serum has failed in the treatment of cases of lockjaw. Lockjaw poison clings to the spinal tissues with such tenacity as to defy neutralization by serum. The experiments conducted prove, however, that if, while the lockjaw poison is circulating in the blood, serum is injected the poison is destroyed."

NEWS NUGGETS.

Advised were received at New York Monday that Mr. and Mrs. Daniel D. Youmans, of New York, who had been touring Europe; had been drowned in a lake near Bergen. Mr. Youmans, who was a hatter, was 68 years of age; Mrs. Youmans was 41.

Monday afternoon, on a branch line of the Nashville, Chattanooga and St. Louis Railroad, near Centerville, Tenn., six men working on the road were buried by a slide of rocks and dirt caused by heavy rains. Men were at once put to work rescuing the buried men, and in two hours three were taken out alive, but seriously injured. The other three are supposed to be dead.

On July 1 the treasurer held of the silver bullion purchased under the act of July 14, 1890, 131,841,424 ounces, costing \$118,906,458. The coinage value of this bullion in silver dollars is \$170,441,402. Since Nov. 1, 1893, 11,457,401 standard dollars have been coined, and it is said at the treasury that it is probable that the coinage of silver dollars will be increased to 2,500,000 or 3,000,000 per month after Aug. 1 next.

Colon, Colombia, dispatch: The sudden mobilization of troops on the isthmus causes consternation and alarm. The newspapers believe that trouble is expected. A Bluefield correspondent says that, owing to oppression, the Indians are with difficulty kept from the warpath. The Nicaraguan Government has reason to fear an outbreak soon. Chief Clarence's former supporter has accepted a government position, thus reducing Clarence's chances of restoration.

The steel hull steamboat El Peten, Captain Charles F. Hardie, which sailed from New Orleans for Guatemala via Laguna, in tow of the Norwegian steamer Franklin, capsized when about thirty-five miles west of South Pass. The crew, consisting of six men, were rescued by the boats of the Franklin and were subsequently landed at Port Eads. The El Peten was recently built at Jeffersonville, Ind., for the Guatemala trade, registered 520 tons net and was valued at \$25,000.

The silver service to be presented by citizens of Indiana to the battleship Indiana on an exhibition at New York. There are about forty pieces and the cost is more than \$8,000. There is about 200 pounds of solid silver in the set. Many of the larger pieces are lined with gold, 22 carats fine. The most beautiful piece in the service is a massive flower dish intended to be a center piece. At one end is a large medallion containing the seal of the State of Indiana, while at the other end is a similar medallion bearing in bold relief a fac simile of the sailors and soldiers' monument in Indianapolis.

The 9-year-old son of Charles D. Henry, of Chillicothe, Mo., went to sleep on the railroad track. He was struck by a train and instantly killed.

The Universal Peace Union of Philadelphia, which has been quietly operating a job printing office in Independence Hall, was notified by the city authorities that it would have to vacate the rooms.

Before the meeting of the Elks at Cincinnati Past Grand Exalted Ruler E. B. Hay, of Washington, delivered an address on the order. The annual reports of Grand Exalted Ruler Myers and others showed the order growing rapidly.

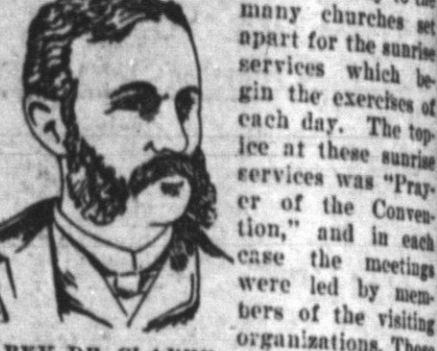
The jury in the case against Romulus Correll, charged at Akron, Ohio, with the murder of Alvin N. Stone, his wife and Ira F. Stillson, March 20 last, returned a verdict of guilty of murder in the first degree. The jury was out four hours, although only one ballot was taken.

MAMMOTH CONVENTION ASSEMBLED AT WASHINGTON.

Railroads Swamped in Hauling the Crowds-Rain Storms Wreck One of the Big Tents-President Clarke and Secretary Haer Make Reports.

The Work Commenced. Washington was captured by the national convention of Christian Endeavorers Wednesday, and they held the town until the following Tuesday. The railroads had failed to make adequate arrangements for transportation, and were swamped. Thousands of delegates and visitors were late in arriving. Of delegates there were 50,000, and of visitors as many more. The exercises were in progress in nine different places at once. Three tents, seating 13,000 people each, were erected near the Washington monument. Central Hall and five of the largest churches were also used. Wednesday night a storm blew down one of the largest tents, and exercises were in consequence delayed Thursday morning.

Notwithstanding discouraging weather, the Endeavorers were early astir, making their way to the many churches set apart for the service which began each day. The topic of the services was "Prayer of the Convention," and in each case the meetings were led by members of the visiting organizations. Special services lasted from 6:30 to 7:10 o'clock. Then came a short adjournment for breakfast and a walk about town. The great meetings in the big tents were originally fixed for 9:30 a. m. They were crowded even before the services began. In text Washington, President Francis E. Clark of Boston, Mass., presided and Percy I. Foster of Washington acted as director of the vast chorus of singers. The services in the tent Endeavor were conducted by the Rev. Howard B. Grose of Boston, with O. E. Excell of Chicago in charge of the music. The address of welcome to the visitors on behalf of the District of Columbia, was delivered by Commissioner John W. Ross, and was responded to by Prof. W. W. Andrews of Scranton, N. B. Otherwise the services were similar in every respect to those conducted in text Washington, the annual reports and addresses being duplicated for the benefit of the thousands unable to secure admission to the first-named tent.

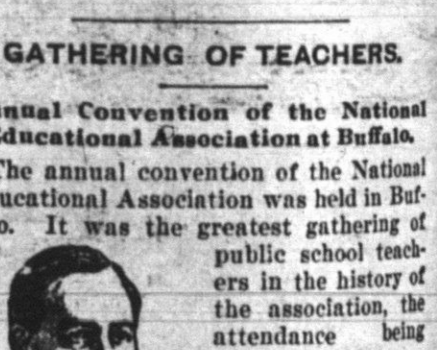


REV. DR. CLARKE. The services were held from 6:30 to 7:10 o'clock. Then came a short adjournment for breakfast and a walk about town.

President Clarke chose for his text: "What God hath joined together, let no man put asunder." He said the platform of the Christian Endeavorer was for Christ and independence of the individual and of each society in this work. In fifteen years on this platform 4,000 societies had been formed, 3,200,000 Endeavorers had been enrolled, of whom 2,700,000 are today members, and 2,000,000 others, Endeavorers in all but name, had been enrolled in purely denominational societies. Ten million Endeavorer meetings had been held and over \$2,000,000 given in benevolence through denominational and church channels. He urged Christian Endeavorers to continue the good work, and especially organize evangelistic work as Christian duties of Endeavorers.

General Secretary Baer took his text from Luke xiii, 10. He said Pennsylvania still leads the list of Christian Endeavor societies with 3,273. The next in order was New York, 2,971; Ohio, 2,311; Ontario, 1,817; Illinois, 1,700; Indiana, 1,372; and Iowa, 1,302. These figures, he said, did not include numerous other kinds of Christian Endeavor societies that are fast becoming sturdy branches of the mother tree—such as the Junior, Intermediate, the Mothers' and the Senior. Pennsylvania led in junior societies. He spoke of the good these societies had accomplished in behalf of morality. Sunday observance, saloons, warfare, Christianity and mission work, for which \$154,022 had been given the past year.

GATHERING OF TEACHERS. Annual Convention of the National Educational Association at Buffalo. The annual convention of the National Educational Association was held in Buffalo. It was the greatest gathering of public school teachers in the history of the association, the attendance being nearly 10,000. N. C. Dougherty, of Peoria, Ill., is president of the National Association, and Irwin Shepard, of Winona, Minn., secretary. Nearly 500 presiding officers were present and read papers on various subjects. The delegates to the convention heard, among other notable speakers, Booker T. Washington, Bishop Vincent of the M. E. Church, Bishop Spaulding of the Catholic Church, and President Andrew S. Draper, of the Chicago University, formerly superintendent of public instruction of New York State. Twelve distinguished citizens of Buffalo had in hand the entertainment of the delegates. The Buffalo reception committee, of which Mayor Jerebt was chairman, consisted of 300 members, mostly principals and school teachers.



N. C. DOUGHERTY, of Peoria, Ill., is president of the National Association, and Irwin Shepard, of Winona, Minn., secretary. Nearly 500 presiding officers were present and read papers on various subjects.

Told in a Few Lines. Frank Bowen was probably fatally hurt at Napoleon, O., by the accidental discharge of a pistol.

Baron Louis de Leyva of Hungary married Miss Blanche de Wolfe of Bristol, Conn., at Newport.

Ex-Gov. Waite was shut out of the Republican State convention at Denver. He was heading a contesting delegation.

F. E. Storm, clerk of the United States Railroad Commission of Washington, died suddenly at a private hotel at San Francisco.



Berwick Harwood

CHAPTER III

"It sounds like 'Help' Dame Kesia," exclaimed the young man, whose quick eyes had first caught the distant sound, and who now thrust aside his books, and...

stocked library. On this particular morning both Mr. and Mrs. Langton, with their orphaned charge, Miss Mowbray, were in the garden, and the open carriage, with its pair of pretty white ponies, stood ready before the ivied porch.

STATE OF MICHIGAN. OCCURRENCES DURING THE PAST WEEK. Gen. King of Muskegon Sues His Attorney - Battle Creek Struggling Over the Bicycle and Dog Questions - Many Ironwood Mines Shut Down.

Susannah Pfund fell from a haystack near West Bay City and broke her back. The \$30,000 worth of bonds recently issued by Muskegon have been sold to E. H. Gay & Co. of Chicago, at a premium of \$331.50.

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.

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**NEIGHBORHOOD NOTES.**

**Sylvan.**  
Miss Myrta Neufang of Reading is the guest of Mrs Lulu Glover.  
Miss Florence Hammond who has been quite ill, is slowly recovering.

Miss Manda Ward who was suddenly taken ill last week, is again able to be out.

We are pleased to notice that Mrs. H. McNally, who has been confined to the house for a long time is now able to be out.

In last week's issue we accidentally omitted the name of Edward Burton Kellogg from the list of candidates recently baptised in the Sylvan church.

There will be an ice cream social at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Schell of Francisco next Tuesday evening, July 21st, for the benefit of the Francisco Union. Everybody is cordially invited to attend.

Next Sunday evening, July 19th, there will be no service at our church but a union meeting with the Francisco Christian Union beginning at 7:30 with a union Y. P. S. C. E. meeting. Let all our Sylvan friends go and help them.

Quite a large delegation of Sharon people attended service last Sunday evening at our church. They were no doubt attracted by the notice that Miss Mamie Fletcher was to lead our Y. P. S. C. E. meeting. Miss Fletcher is an inspiring leader and gave us an excellent talk. Come again, we say, both to her and her Sharon friends.

**Waterloo.**  
Mrs. George Groshams has been very ill since Saturday.

Geo. Hurst of Jackson is spending some time with his grandparents.

Beeman and Rummel have a boiler maker here repairing the boiler in the mill.

Mrs. Lola May and Miss Lulu May of Danville are the guests of Mrs. Deau.

Fred Artz, Henry Gorton and Dr. Bennett took in the excursion to Detroit Thursday.

Wm. Collins and daughter of Rea were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Thos. Collins Sunday.

Mrs. Henry Gorton had the misfortune to break one of the small bones in the hand Friday.

Mrs. Frank Bott and Mrs. W. R. Murry of Lansing, are spending the week with Mr. and Mrs. S. A. Collins.

Mrs. Garret was found dead sitting in a chair in the home of Mrs. M. Hankard Saturday evening. Her remains were taken to Dexter.

**COUNTY AND VICINITY.**

The total amount of Saline's contribution to the cyclone fund was \$246.

Dexter will have a special election at an early date to decide whether the village shall own its own electric lighting plant or not.

Dr. Vaughn of the university was offered a salary of \$10,000 by Bellevue hospital, New York city, but has refused. He likes Ann Arbor.

For several nights the police have been looking for a man who has caused a household of women a good deal of annoyance by hanging around after dark and peering into the windows, besides getting so bold as to stick his hand in once or twice. Since the officers have watched for him he has made himself scarce. This occurred at Ann Arbor.

During last Saturday's thunder storm A. J. Hams stood leaning against an iron post in front of his store. There came a sudden flash of lightning and A. J. without any ceremony dropped to the walk, but soon rallied. When he took off his shoes he found three blisters on the bottom of his foot where the nails were punched nearly through. — Fowlerville Observer.

It is not generally known that Washington Irving bought two farms in Jackson county, with the intention of making his home there. This deal was made March 24, 1836. One farm contained 297 acres. The other was 80 acres. The great author was very careful of his health and when he heard that ague was prevalent in Michigan he lost his enthusiasm for moving west and sold the farms. The

ague scare deprived Michigan of the honor of being the home of America's greatest author. — Jackson Citizen.

Right in the center of this village which boasts of its virtue, with valid reason for the boast in many instances, there stands a cage of "soiled doves" and we'll be doggoned if they don't carry on matters just as they choose, right under the very nose of a lot of decent people. A number of years ago one Bennett and his wife were ousted out of town for running a disorderly place, but no one seems to pay any attention to the one that is flourishing in the heart of the city. The council should take steps to close it for decency's sake if nothing more. — Fowlerville Observer.

At 5:30 Friday the main street of Pinckney was the scene of one of the liveliest stampedes in the shape or run away horses the town has had for years. Mary Sprout was having the harness repaired on a fractious colt, which Joseph Sykes was holding by the halter, when the animal became frightened, running away, completely demolishing the top buggy and harness and throwing Miss Sprout, who was in the buggy, into a hitching post, injuring her very seriously. This was the beginning of lively times on the streets, as the horse belonging to Floyd Reason and a team owned by Fred Grieve broke loose and proceeded to fly down the street. Reason's horse smashed things up generally. In the excitement Joseph Sykes was run over and badly hurt about the face. Several others received slight bruises.

**BITS OF THINGS.**

"Blessed are the peacemakers." Prayers are but putting promises to proof.

No true professing Christian neglects to read his Bible.

Faith must go with works in order to accomplish anything.

The path of sacrifice will be easy, if the feet be shod with love.

Christianity has no children named Bigotry and Quarrelsomeness.

You cannot successfully live for God in public, unless you live for God in secret.

No one ever outgrows scripture; the book widens and deepens with our years. — Spurgeon.

He must be a very weak man, who is always stumbling over the faults and imperfections of others.

Do good constantly, patiently, and wisely, and you will never have cause to say that life was not worth living. — George W. Childs.

Vigilance is in watching opportunity; tact and daring in seizing upon opportunity; force and persistence in crowding opportunity to the utmost of possible achievement. — Austin Phelps.

Rejoice in the joy of life. Be touched with tenderness and sympathy for all this life that can feel and can suffer, and do not dare to add a pang to the burden of the world's sorrow. — Minot J. Savage.

Education is leading human souls to what is best, and making what is best of them. The training which makes men happiest in themselves also makes them most serviceable to others. — Ruskin.

The maelstrom attracts more notice than the quiet fountain; a comet draws more attention than the steady star; but it is better to be the fountain than the maelstrom, and star than comet, following out the sphere and orbits of quiet usefulness in which God places us. — John Hall.

**PERSONAL AND PERTINENT.**

The scepticism of other Arctic explorers regarding Dr. Nansen's discovery of the north pole is quite natural.

A phrenologist recently examined George du Maurier's head. He found a new bump thereon that indicated a growing fondness for royalties.

Mrs. Custer's favorite home is a secluded log-cabin near the Pocono River, seven miles from the Delaware Water Gap and "two and a half miles from a door-bell." Here she finds it possible to do more writing in a day than in a week of city life.

Robert Louis Stevenson was a very modest genius. In one of the last letters he penned he says: "I am a fictitious article, and have long known it. I do not think it possible to have fewer illusions than I have. I sometimes wish I had more. But I cannot take myself seriously as an artist; the limitations are too obvious." There is a sermon in this for several living authors.

Queen Taitou of Abyssinia is a handsome woman, the expression of whose eyes is benevolent or fiendish, as the mood moves her. Even King Menelek himself is afraid of her. She knows all the King's secrets and is inclined to domineer in state affairs. She is fond of European liquors, especially of champagne. It is said that the Queen frequently drinks more wine than a good queen should.

The editor of the London Sporting Times has discovered in a little old church of East Sutton, in Kent, an interesting monument to the second wife of Lawrence Washington, a forefather of George Washington. The monument proves Washington's descent from the founder of Balliol College, at Oxford, and the brother of John Balliol, King of Scotland. This little Kentish church is said to be one of the most ancient and beautiful in England—"a gem of ecclesiastical architecture."

**Summer Normal**

Summer Normal for county teachers will open at the high school in Ann Arbor Monday, the twenty-seventh day of July and continue until August the 21st. This will afford teachers desiring a review a splendid opportunity. Instruction will be given in all branches required for first, second and third grade certificates. A full corps of competent instructors have been secured. Tuitions, \$1.50 per week this includes all the courses.

Attention is called to public acts of Michigan 1893, page 30, section 6, where in it is provided that third grade certificates shall license the holder to teach in any school of the country in which it shall be granted, for one year, but no more than three certificates of this class shall be granted to the same person.

Board can be had from \$1.75 to \$2.50 per week.

**Detroit Wheelmen's Races.**

The increase in interest, which is being shown on the coming races of the Detroit Wheelman, July 17 and 18, the large entry list which has been secured, in both professional and amateur classes, and the fact that the railroads have granted a one-fare and-a-third round trip rate from all points in the state within 150 miles on the certificate plan, are evidences of the way the matter is looked at among the people of the state. It is expected that records will be broken and that a great trial of speed be seen between Bald, Cooper, Sanger and the rest. Cooper, by the way will not ride at Kalamazoo nor at any other point in the state except Battle Creek. Special permission has been received to increase the value of the professional prizes, limited by the L. A. W., to \$100, to a sufficient amount to get the best time out of the contestants.

**Marvelous Results.**

From a letter written by Rev. J. Gunderman, of Dimondale, Mich., we are permitted to make this extract: "I have no hesitation in recommending Dr. King's New Discovery, as the results were most marvelous in the case of my wife. While I was pastor of the Baptist church at Rives Junction she was down with pneumonia succeeding la grippe. Terrible paroxysms of cough would last hours with little interruption and it seemed as if she could not survive them. A friend recommended Dr. King's New Discovery; it was quick in its work and highly satisfactory in results. Trial bottles free at Saxe C. Stimson's drug store. Regular sizes 50c and \$1.00.

**The Latest Campaign Novelty.**

We have just received from the manufacturer C. E. Albright & Co., 151 Wabash Ave., Chicago, the latest campaign novelty, "The McKinley Shirt Front." It is made of a fine quality of durable muslin board and has the appearance of the best laundered linen shirt bosom. It bears fine portraits of Maj. Wm. McKinley and Garret A. Hobart, surrounded by an artistic arrangement of the design of the first American flag adopted by congress, and the present flag. Above the portraits is the motto of the republican party, "Sound money and protection." The price of quality No. 1, is 10 cents; quality No. 2, 15 cents. The McKinley shirt front will no doubt be one of the leading novelties of the campaign. It is one of those instantaneous hits.

**Electric Bitters.**

Electric Bitters is a medicine suited for any season, but perhaps more generally needed when the languid exhausted feeling prevails, when the liver is torpid and sluggish and the need of a tonic and alternative is felt. A prompt use of this medicine has often averted long and perhaps fatal bilious fevers. No medicine will act more surely in counteracting and freeing the system from the malarial poison. Headache, indigestion, constipation, dizziness yield to Electric Bitters. 50c and \$1.00 per bottle at Saxe C. Stimson's Drug Store.

The prices The Glazier Stove Co. are making on lumber ought to stimulate building in this vicinity.

**Bucklen's Arnica Salve.**

The best salve in the world for cuts, bruises, sores, ulcers salt rheum, fever sores, tetter, chapped hands, chilblains corns, and all skin eruptions, and positively cures piles or no pay required. It is guaranteed to give perfect satisfaction or money refunded. Price, 25c per box for sale by Glazier & Stimson, Druggists

**Constipation**

Causes fully half the sickness in the world. It retains the digested food too long in the bowels and produces biliousness, torpid liver, indigestion, bad taste, coated tongue, sick headache, insomnia, etc. Hood's Pills cure constipation and all its results, easily and thoroughly. See all druggists. Prepared by C. L. Hood & Co., Lowell, Mass. The only Pills to take with Hood's Sarsaparilla.

**Hood's Pills**

**A Few Pointers on Lumber, Coal, Lime.**

People who used to buy Tile and Lumber of the old time 500 per center's, and mortgage their farm to pay the bill, will be glad to learn that The Glazier Stove Co. have made a big hole in the old time prices, by not charging for the holes in the Tile.

The best Marblehead Kelly Island Lime, 50 cents per barrel of the Glazier Stove Co.

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Epworth League Training Assembly at Ludington Mich., July 14 to August 2nd. One fare for the round trip. Dates of sale, July 13 to 25. Return limit, until August 15.

Detroit Driving Club race meeting July 20 to 24. One and one-third fare for round trip. Dates of sale, July 20 to 24, inclusive. Return to July 25.

Twelfth Peninsular Sangerfest, at Lansing, August 4 to 6. One fare for round trip. Dates of sale, August 4, 5, and 6. Return August 7.

Summer School of Christian Sociology, at Benzonia, July 13 to Aug. 17. A rate of one fare for round trip. Dates of sale July 13 to 22 inclusive. Limit of return until August 17.

National L. A. W. meet, at Louisville, Ky., August 10 to 15. One fare for round trip.

Peoples' Party National Convention at St. Louis, Mo., July 22 to 25. One fare for the round trip.

Camp meeting, Eaton Rapids, July 22 to Aug. 3. One rate for round trip. Date of sale, July 21 to August 1 inclusive. Return limit, Aug. 4, 1896.

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Buffalo Bill's Wild West Show at Ann Arbor, August 3d, a rate of one and one-half cents per mile, plus 50 cents for admission ticket. Children under 9 years one-half adult rate.

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**OLIVE LODGE NO 156, F. & A. M.**

Regular meetings of Olive Lodge, No 156, F. & A. M. for 1896. Jan. 18, Feb. 25, March 24, April 21, May 26, June 23, July 21, Aug. 18, Sept. 15, Oct. 20, Nov. 17. Annual meeting and election of officers Dec. 15th. J. D. SCHWARTZMAN, Sec.

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### LOCAL BREVITIES.

John Schmidt, who has been very sick for several weeks, is improving rapidly.

Born, on Saturday, July 11, 1896, to Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Kaerher, of Chelsea, a son.

Dr. Northrup will preach in the Baptist church next Sunday morning. He commends himself as a faithful evangelical preacher.

L. T. Freeman has enlarged the efficient corps of employes in his grocery store by the addition of Miss Lizzie Mast and Howard Congdon.

The fourth quarterly conference of the M. E. church will be held on Tuesday evening, July 21. This is an important business meeting.

The banana is said to be the most prolific of all food products, being 44 times more productive than potatoes, and 131 times more than wheat.

Frank Davidson has purchased the Geo. Blach residence on Summit street. Mr. Blach has moved into the Hartigan house which he recently purchased.

S. A. Mapes is tenderly nursing bruises and darned great cracks in his clothing, caused by that wheel whose obstinacy he is rapidly overcoming.

The pastors of our three English Protestant churches have found one common belief, namely, that the wheel is the panacea for every ill to which flesh is heir.

There are many places around the village where prickly or wild lettuce is growing, and will soon be ready to send its seeds broadcast. Why don't the authorities look after this pest and see that it is cut down?

Farmers will welcome the news that the grasshoppers which have been so numerous in the state this season are now being killed off in some sections by a small red insect that attacks them under the wings and soon kills them.

Gray and wife the theatrical people are now traveling with a tent; The Hanover Local man remarks that he remembers them \$1.50 worth. Well we were in the same fix \$2.00 worth, but we were after him so hot that we don't "remember" him at all now. Stockbridge Sun.

The Chelsea board of health met the other day and resolved that death be promptly visited upon any dog that gives an exhibition of temper upon the streets of Chelsea and that all persons owning dogs should keep them at home securely tied, but never said a word about Jim Gorman's donkey or Hi Lighthall's boom for sheriff. —Ann Arbor Democrat.

On Sunday Aug. 2, the Young Men's Christian Association will have charge of the services in the Chelsea churches. In the afternoon there will be a meeting for men only and in the evening there will be a union meeting of all the churches. The services will be in charge of G. G. Stimson, J. A. C. Hildner, J. E. Benz and W. B. Phillips.—Ann Arbor Argus.

One of our subscribers an old sufferer from catarrh, says that he has been cured by a simple cheap remedy. Take salt and soda, in equal parts, pulverize very fine, and simply use it for snuff. He claims that the worst cases will soon yield to this treatment. It will not be much trouble for one to try it and will cost nothing. We trust if any of our readers suffer the disease, and test the remedy, they will report the results.—Adrian Press.

It may not be generally known that dog days begin July 3, and continue to August 11. They are so called from Sirius, the most brilliant of fixed stars in the head of the constellation Canis Major, or the great dog. During this period this star and the sun rise with the same hour, and the ancients who worshipped the dog attributed the extreme of summer to the influence in this constellation—a superstition which has been perpetuated to the present day in the use of the term "dog days."

The citizens of Chelsea held a mass meeting at the Town Hall Sunday afternoon, its object being to portray the needs of the Armenians and to entice the people in their behalf. The meeting was addressed by Rev. J. G. Halaplan, an Armenian, who has been attending college in this country for several years. The meeting was small attended and but \$7.15 was raised for the cause. Evidently the enthusiasm of the people was not shown in a material way, although the speaker ably proved the need of assistance.

A regular meeting of Olive Chapter No. 108, O. E. S. will be held Wednesday evening July 22nd.

Chas. Paul thrashed the first wheat of the season last week, and from eighteen acres received 175 bushels.

W. J. Knapp has been improving the appearance of the front of his store by the application of a coat of paint.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Stimson are now living in Miss Olive Conklin's residence corner East and Summit streets.

Gen. Geo. Spaulding received a nomination as congressman from the second district at the republican convention held at Jackson yesterday.

It cost a horseman just \$40 in shape of fine at Brown City to find out that a bicyclist has a right to the road. He ran one into a ditch, just to see the fellow tumble.

Rev Mark W. Williams, recently of Bureau, Illinois, will preach at the Congregational church next Sunday both morning and evening. The evening service is a union service.

Hill & Welch have opened a bicycle and general repair shop in the basement under the Chelsea Steam Laundry. They have an advertisement in another column, to which your attention is called.

The Sunday-school of St. Mary's church held a picnic at Cavanaugh Lake Wednesday. Judging by the happy countenances of the children when they returned, they must have had a very pleasant time.

The B. Y. P. U. celebrated the fifth anniversary of its organization with appropriate exercises at the Baptist church Sunday evening. The Epworth League and Y. P. S. C. E. were invited guests, their respective presidents responding to the address of welcome. The occasion was enjoyed by all present.

At the republican county convention held at Ann Arbor, Tue-day, Pingree carried the day, and the nineteen delegates to the state convention were instructed to vote as a unit for him. The ballot taken on choice for governor was as follows: Pingree, 111; O'Donnell, 71; Bliss, 4; Aitken, 2; scattering, 8. B. Parker of Chelsea was elected as one of the delegates, and Wm. Judson is the delegate at large.

The last thing written by Mrs. Harriet Beecher Stowe, only a few days before her death, was a loving acknowledgment to the public for fond remembrances and tokens and expressions of affectionate esteem, on her 85th birthday, which she sent to The Ladies Home Journal. In the next issue of this magazine it will be published in fac simile. It reflects the beautiful nature of the gifted authoress, and by her death has become her last message to the American public.

A deputy sheriff from Manchester brought to Ann Arbor this morning and lodged in jail Peter McInney, of Sharon. McInney who is nearly 70 years old, is violently insane. Some time ago he suffered a violent sun stroke, which probably brought on his present unfortunate malady. He broods a great deal, but is often violent. Yesterday he tore off his clothes and leaped through the window without opening the sash, lacerating himself painfully.—Washtenaw Times.

Deputy Sheriff Jay Wood had an experience while in Chicago Friday night searching for Jack Mansfield who that is quite amusing, but which no doubt is a matter of daily occurrence in the Windy City. He was on Mansfield's trail and was walking down Madison st. within four blocks of the police station. It was about 11 p.m. and the street was almost as light as day with numerous electric lights. Two men quietly walked up beside him, one on each side. Jay paid no attention to them, thinking they intended to pass. But they kept even with him and one of them pushed a revolver up against him and demanded his money. He was in a neat little trap and as any other man would have done surrendered his money, some \$15 in all. The men took nothing else and quickly disappeared. Our doubtful officer took the matter coolly and went on about his business. Before 2 o'clock the same night he had found Mansfield, got a warrant for his arrest, arrested him and lodged him in jail. He made quick work in his search for Mansfield, but acknowledges that his own "hold up" was fully as quick and beautiful.—Washtenaw Times.

### PERSONAL.

C. L. Hill spent Tuesday in Dexter. Geo. Staffan spent Wednesday in Detroit.

Geo. Taylor is spending some time in Detroit.

Miss Agnes McKune spent Sunday at this place.

Frank Staffan was an Ann Arbor visitor Tuesday.

Mrs. Frances Beach spent Sunday with Ypsilanti friends.

C. Spiraagle has been entertaining his sister of Trenton, O.

Mrs. A. C. Welch and son Fred are visiting relatives in Albion.

Miss Warren of Ypsilanti has been the guest of Miss Cora Taylor.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Webster are visiting relatives in Florence, Ont.

J. H. Osborne of Chicago spent Sunday with relatives at this place.

Mrs. Geo Preston of Grac Lake was the guests of friends here this week.

Austin Yocum of Manchester spent Sunday with his parents at this place.

J. G. Halaplan of Ann Arbor was entertained by G. A. BeGole Sunday.

Fred Fuller has obtained a position in Albion and went to that place this week.

A. E. Walker of Detroit spent Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Jas. Hudler.

Miss Luella Townsend entertained Frank Mellenkamp of Nineveh last Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. O. B. Taylor of Detroit were the guests of Jas. Taylor Sunday.

Mrs. M. Sweetland of Bridgewater has been the guest of Mr. and Mrs. F. H. Sweetland.

Miss Katherine Hirth, Toledo, O., has been the guest of Mr. and Mrs. C. J. Chandler.

F. P. Glazier and family have returned home from a two weeks' visit in Grand Rapids.

Master Claude and Miss Belle Hook of Detroit are guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. Bacon.

Rev. J. H. Girdwood is one of the many thousands who are in attendance at the national B. Y. P. U. convention at Milwaukee, Wis.

Mrs. S. Brower of Stockbridge was the guest of Mrs. E. A. Harrington Tuesday and Wednesday.

Miss Nellie Congdon is in Ludington this week attending the state convention of the Epworth League.

Mr. and Mrs. D. Watts of Dansville were entertained by Mr. and Mrs. B. Parker the latter part of last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Judson Brown, who are on their way from the south to Isabella County, spent Sunday with relatives in town.

Dr. and Mrs. Twitchell were called to Vickeryville by the sickness of a relative, and will be absent until the first of next week.

Wm. Freer who has been at home for several weeks is again in the employ of the Postal Telegraph Company at Detroit.

John H. Burlson of New York and Miss Flossie Wetmore of Ann Arbor spent the first of the week with Mr. and Mrs. H. A. McCall.

Rev. W. H. Walker is in the east this week. He attends the wedding of his brother, Henry H. Walker, at Worcester, to-day, and preaches next Sunday in the Park Congregational church of Hartford, Conn., a church rendered famous by the pastorate of Horace Bushnell.

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75c waists go at	50c
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Our assortment of	Our assortment of
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<b>Pork and beans in tomato sauce.</b>	Columbia river salmon, Chitnik Bay salmon, Alaska red salmon, blue back mackerel, Cook's Holly salmon, boneless herring, Chavet sardines, truffled sardines, spiced sardines, sardines in tomato sauce.
Home baked beans, Boston baked beans, French red kidney beans.	Armour's spiced brawn, prime roast beef, luncheon beef, cooked corn beef, potted ham.
<b>Bottled Goods.</b>	Cherry stone lunch oysters,
Pure tomato catsup, Heinz's celery sauce, Heinz's chow chow, Heinz's Trieste mustard, East India pickles, Worcester sauce, peach jam, raspberry damson jam, quince jam.	<b>Pickles.</b>
<b>Baked Goods</b>	Heinz's mixed pickles 20c per quart, Heinz's spiced sweet pickles 10c per doz, Heinz's spiced sour pickles 8c per doz. These goods are the finest pickles made and are warranted to please.
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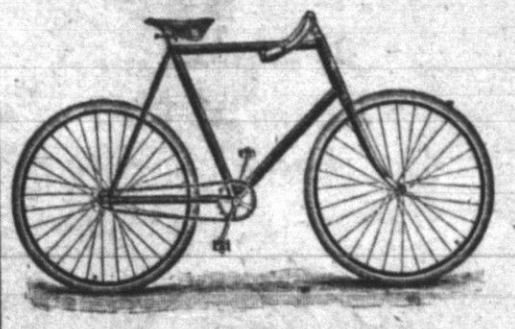
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William Jennings Bryan, of Nebraska, was nominated for the Presidency by the Democratic national convention amid scenes of the wildest enthusiasm.

There were but few demonstrations before the convention was rapped to order Friday morning. The leaders came in quickly. At 10:57 Chairman White of California called the convention to order.

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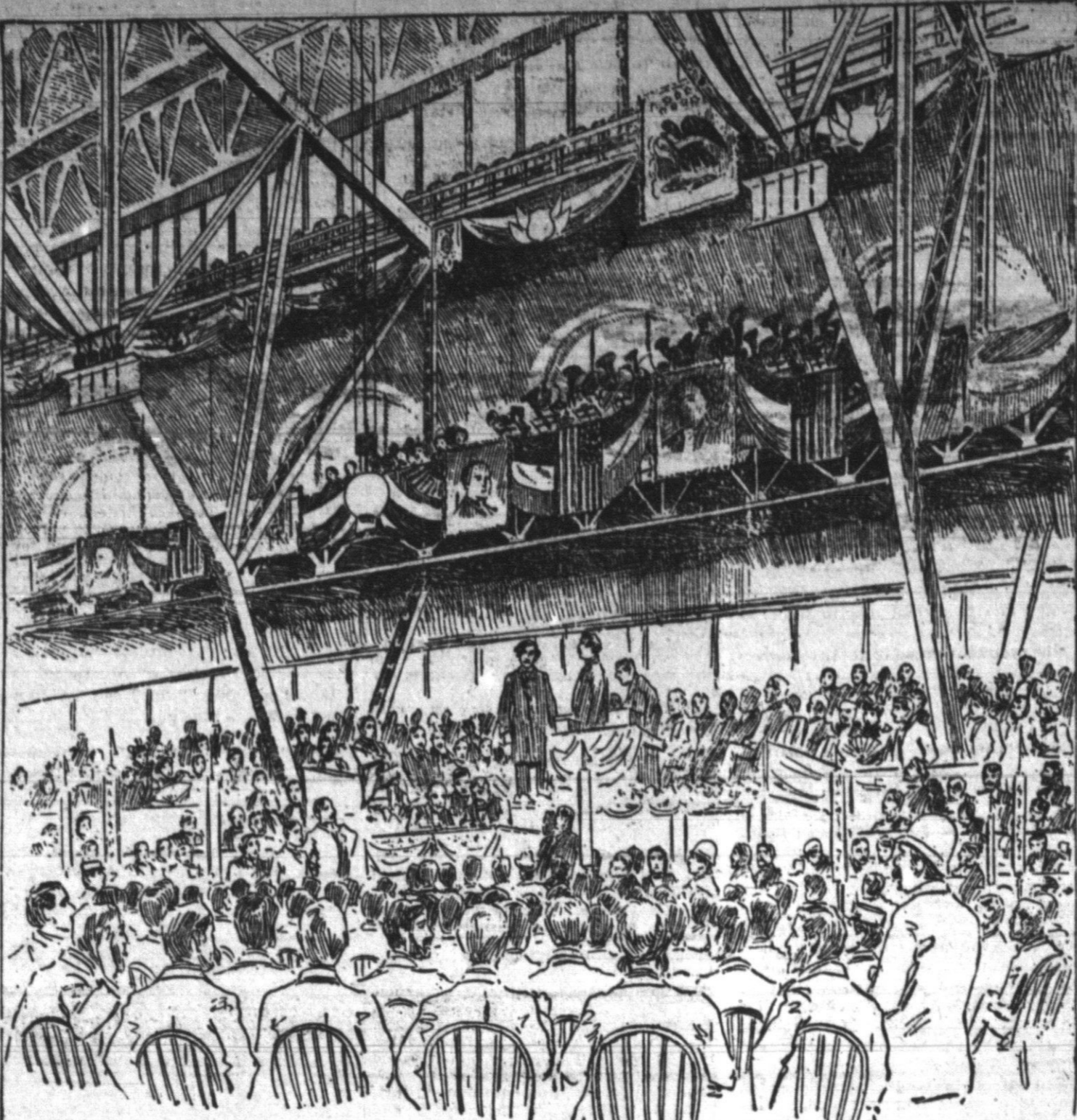
Gold cracked the whip that started the convention and then silver, eager for control, climbed into the front seat and grabbed the reins.

Table with 2 columns: Candidate Name, Number of Votes. Includes names like McLean, Blackburn, Stevenson, Bryan, Hill, Teller, Matthews.



WILLIAM JENNINGS BRYAN.

THE DEMOCRATIC NATIONAL CONVENTION IN SESSION.



FIRST DAY.

The convention hall doors were opened at 11 o'clock, and those entitled to admission permitted to enter.

At 12:50 o'clock Chairman Harty, of the National Democratic Committee, with the convention gavel in hand, rapped loudly for order and introduced Rev. E. M. Stires, who raised his hands to heaven in an invocation for wisdom, peace and good-will among the assembled Democracy of the nation.

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the mere sweep of numbers. When the rhetorical smoke had cleared away, after two hours of arguments, appeals, threats, cheers and some hisses, there sat Senator Daniel of Virginia in the place of honor, and David B. Hill had been defeated in the camp of his friends.

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At 10:44 o'clock Temporary Chairman Daniel called the convention to order and directed that the aisles be cleared.

Five minutes later the committee on credentials filed into the hall. Delegate Atwood, of Kansas, chairman of the committee, read the report.

The convention tired of inactivity and shouted for speeches. Ex-Gov. Hogg of Texas was called and spoke for half an hour. He urged harmony and raked the Republicans for and aft.

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tired, and many of them were hungry. The issue was precipitated when the committee reported in favor of seating four contesting delegates in Michigan.

This change gave the silver men a majority, and under the unit rule they could cast the vote of the entire delegation for the white metal.

A minor report was presented and followed by speeches from Gov. McLaurin of Mississippi, Salsbury of Delaware, Stevenson of Michigan, and others.

Stevenson scored the committee and the contestants in vitriolic arguments, Blake of Texas declared the contested seats were tainted with fraud.

Amid much confusion, the roll was called upon the substitute. The excitement grew as the vote proceeded.

Seven delegates from Alabama put themselves on record as opposed to unseating the Dickinson delegates, and eleven Californians, led by Senator White, did the same thing.

The silver men sent up a wild cheer when A. S. Trude announced the vote of Illinois as 48 against the substitute.

The announcement inspired a great demonstration in the galleries. The gold men rose from their seats with flying hats and handkerchiefs, and cheered continuously for over five minutes.

The silver men had won battle number two and the non-contentious business of electing permanent officers followed.

Senator Stephen M. White, of California, was escorted to the chair. The crowd knew him from his appearance at the morning session, where he had temporarily

relieved Chairman Daniel, and they listened intently to his very short speech. The convention adjourned for the night after scenes of wildest confusion.

Shortly before 11 o'clock Thursday morning the convention came to order. Rebellion hung like a pall above the great body, and 20,000 people ranged the sloping hills that overlooked the arena to watch the battle of the wrestling giants.

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BOLT OF GOLD MEN

Illinois Starts the Move for a Second Ticket.

TEXAS FALLS IN LINE

Favor Calling Another National Convention.

Gold Democrats Openly Revolt Against Silver and Advocate Taking the Field Under Another Ticket.

Illinois Democrats who favor the single gold standard have taken the first step to call a national convention which will represent their views.

Resolved, By the sound money Democrats of Illinois that we are in favor of the calling of a national convention of the Democratic nominating committee for the purpose of offices of President and Vice President of the United States upon a Democratic platform, and that to that end we invite the advice and co-operation of all sound money Democrats of the other States of the Union, and further.

Resolved, That the Chairman of the sound money organization of Illinois be directed to appoint a committee to prepare an address to the Democrats of the United States stating the grounds and reasons for putting a national Democratic ticket in the field.

The undersigned, elected by the Democratic convention of Texas to attend the convention at Chicago, do hereby co-operate with any Democrats there met together for the preservation of the integrity of the Democratic party and the perpetuation of its principles, and hereby heartily endorse the action of the Illinois Democracy in calling for a Democratic national convention to nominate a candidate for President and Vice President and adopt a platform of Democratic principles.

The bolt of the gold Democrats has extended to the newspapers favoring the yellow metal, and the New York Sun, Times, Herald and World, the Brooklyn Eagle, Chicago Chronicle, Louisville Courier-Journal, St. Paul Globe and other leading organs voice their disapproval. Brief editorial utterances follow:

The election of the erratic boy Bryan to be President of the United States would be a hazardous experiment. -Minneapolis Tribune.

Every man whose Democracy is grafted on his heart and stored among the ideals dearer to him than all, save honor, is absolved from party ties. -St. Paul Globe.

Any man who accepts the nomination on such a platform will by the Anselger be considered an enemy of the country, a traitor to national honor. -Louisville (Ky.) Anselger.

Washington, Jefferson, Lincoln and Bryan -God save the country from such stupidity, from such everlasting shame, from such an everlasting spectacle. -Cleveland (Ohio) Leader.

The duty devolves upon the Democratic leaders who have been ignored, reviled, and scoffed at by the enemies of Democracy in the Coliseum gathering to issue a call for a Democratic convention. -Chicago Chronicle.

They have put forth in the Democratic name a platform which violates almost every cardinal Democratic tenet. The Courier-Journal refutes the new faith ofastian, republican anarchy. -Louisville (Ky.) Courier-Journal.

Lunacy having deluged the platform, it was perhaps natural that hysteria should evolve the candidate. The nomination of a "boy orator" when the silver standard, the best-tested wisdom, the broadest patriotism and the greatest executive ability are required, comes perilously near taking the one fatal step from the sublime. -New York World.

Indorse the Ticket. Other influential Democratic journals all over the country, and especially those throughout the West and South, give the ticket enthusiastic indorsement and declare it to be a winner.

His indorsement by the Populist convention will mean a solid and enthusiastic union of all the silver forces, a situation which a Republican goldocrat party will "view with alarm." -Minneapolis Times.

The youngest man ever nominated for the Presidency, he has already given conclusive evidence of powers that inspire confidence in his fitting the position with ability and good judgment. -Cleveland (Ohio) Plain Dealer.

His nomination will leave no resentments. Great as is the triumph of Mr. Bryan, it is no greater than that of Mr. Bland, who sees in both platform and candidate, his own signal victory and his own exaltation. -St. Louis Post-Dispatch.

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FELLOWS FOR HILL.



PREPARED TO SEE

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## Hood's Sarsaparilla

It is popularly supposed, particularly after the eruption of a volcano, that pumice stone ought to be plentiful and cheap, as quantities must have been cleared during the volcanic disturbance. As a matter of fact, however, none of the white stone in general use is obtained from active volcanoes. It comes from the deposits of the article discovered in one or two quarters of the globe, the best of which is at present to be found in the island of Lipari, situated in the Tyrrhenian Sea. The island is mountainous in character and consists of tufts and lavas, and of highly siliceous volcanic products. The district where the stone is found is called Campo Bianco or Monte Petalo (1,500 feet above the level of the sea).

After riding a considerable distance, partly along precipitous paths, sufficiently dangerous to be interesting, and partly through vineyards and over grassy plains, one almost comes suddenly upon a seemingly snow-clad valley inclosed by hills, also quite white, and the whole glaringly bright on a sunny day. Into those hills workmen are ceaselessly digging deep burrows, working within by candlelight. In their excavations they come across many lumps of pumice stone, which are placed in baskets, subsequently being conveyed along the valley to the seashore, where small boats are loaded and sailed to the seaport near by, where the stone is sorted, packed and shipped to distant points, either via Messina or Leghorn.

**Gutta-Serena.**  
Gutta-serena heated in hot water to about 100 degrees Fahrenheit becomes plastic and will take a fine impression with light pressure. When gutta-serena is soaked for hours in benzine or naphtha it becomes swollen, and if it is then dipped in hot water, it becomes so plastic that it may be used with safety on very fragile and delicate objects. It is specially adapted to electrotyping.

**A MOTHER'S DUTY.**  
Your daughters are the most precious legacy possible in this life. The responsibility for them, and their future, is largely with you. The mysterious change that develops the thoughtful woman from the thoughtless girl, should find you on the watch day and night. As you care for their physical well-being, so will the woman be, and so will her children be also.  
*Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound*

### WHAT IT ALL COSTS.

#### PRESIDENTIAL NOMINATIONS TAKE A PILE OF MONEY.

Total Expense of the National Convention at St. Louis Probably Between \$3,000,000 and \$4,000,000—Where the Money Goes.

**An Enormous Expense.**  
Few people have any idea of the cost of a great national convention. Time was when \$100,000 would have been thought a pretty high figure. In the old days, when Baltimore was the great national convention city, and half the delegates were represented by proxies from Congressmen and others in Washington, and when the convention met in theaters or halls and the members and visitors lodged in low-rate hotels and boarding houses, no doubt conventions were held at much less cost than even the half of \$100,000. But things are vastly different nowadays. Millions now figure where tens of thousands were once thought big.

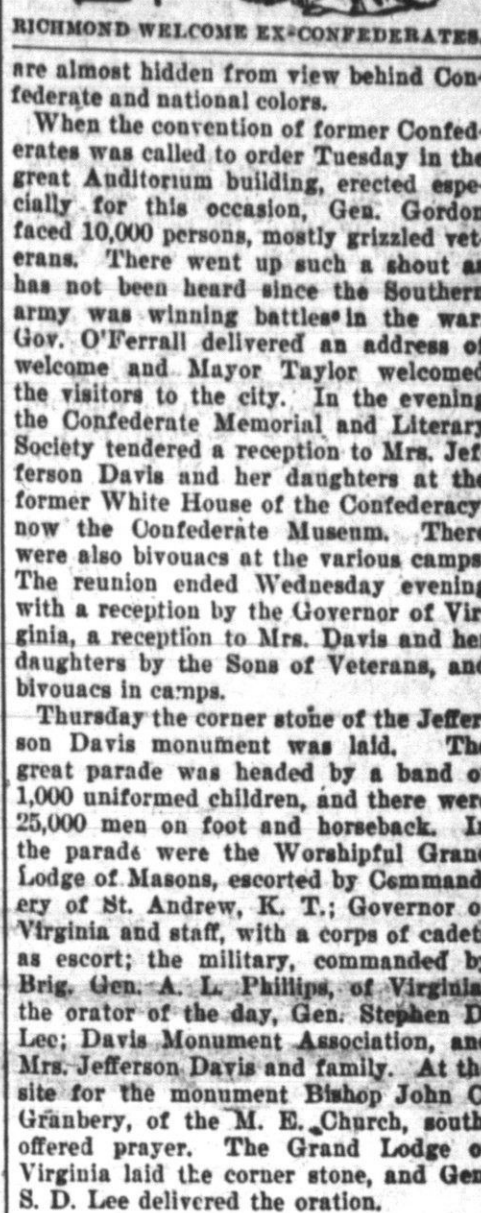
Col. H. L. Swords, sergeant-at-arms of the Republican national committee, estimates the total cost of the St. Louis convention at over \$3,000,000.

First of all should be counted the straight expenses of the convention, borne by the Business Men's League of St. Louis. These expenses amounted to about \$150,000 at Minneapolis in 1892. The cost of the hall alone at St. Louis is not far from \$75,000, including cost of repairs after the tornado. Other bills to be footed by the Business Men's League

#### CONFEDERATE VETERANS.

Notable Gathering of Southern War Heroes at Richmond.

Richmond, Va., was filled last week with Confederate veterans for their sixth annual reunion Tuesday and Wednesday, and for the corner stone laying of the Jefferson Davis monument Thursday, and probably there will ever assemble at one place again. Many looked upon it as the last great rally around the stars and bars. The decorations had been at work a week, and the buildings on the principal streets



**RICHMOND WELCOMES EX-CONFEDERATES.**  
are almost hidden from view behind Confederate and national colors.

When the convention of former Confederates was called to order Tuesday in the great Auditorium building, erected especially for this occasion, Gen. Gordon faced 10,000 persons, mostly grizzled veterans. There went up such a shout as has not been heard since the Southern army was winning battles in the war. Gov. O'Ferrall delivered an address of welcome and Mayor Taylor welcomed the visitors to the city. In the evening the Confederate Memorial and Literary Society tendered a reception to Mrs. Jefferson Davis and her daughters at the former White House of the Confederacy, now the Confederate Museum. There were also bivouacs at the various camps.

The reunion ended Wednesday evening with a reception by the Governor of Virginia, a reception to Mrs. Davis and her daughters by the Sons of Veterans, and bivouacs in camps.

Thursday the corner stone of the Jefferson Davis monument was laid. The great parade was headed by a band of 1,000 uniformed children, and there were 25,000 men on foot and horseback. In the parade were the Worshipful Grand Lodge of Masons, escorted by Commandery of St. Andrew, K. T.; Governor of Virginia and staff, with a corps of cadets as escort; the military, commanded by Brig. Gen. A. L. Phillips, of Virginia; the orator of the day, Gen. Stephen D. Lee, Davis Monument Association, and Mrs. Jefferson Davis and family. At the site for the monument Bishop John O. Granbery, of the M. E. Church, south, offered prayer. The Grand Lodge of Virginia laid the corner stone, and Gen. S. D. Lee delivered the oration.

#### HEALTH IN OLD AGE.

A Reporter's Interesting Interview with a Lady of Seventy-Two Years, Who Tells a Marvelous Story.

From the Union, Port Jervis, N. Y.

But a short time ago, in a distant part of the country, we heard of a cure by the use of Dr. Williams' Pink Pills, which seemed almost marvelous, and more recently another substantial evidence of their value reached our ears. Being of an inquiring turn of mind, and wishing to know just how much there was in the story, a reporter was sent to interview the person said to be thus benefited. If the narrative as it had reached our ears was true, it was only simple justice to let it be known—if it proved untrue, it would be well to know it.

The person alluded to above as having been thus greatly benefited by the use of Pink Pills is Mrs. Jane Hotelen, of Hainesville, N. J., a pleasant hamlet in Sussex County. The reporter had no difficulty in finding Mrs. Hotelen. It was nearly noon when we reached her pleasant home, a double house, one part of which is occupied by her son. She is a pleasant-faced old lady, looking to be about sixty-five, but is in reality seventy-two years of age. After a few preliminary remarks in explanation of the call, she was asked if she had any objection to giving us the details of the case and how she came to try this now famous remedy.

"Not at all," said she. "If my experience can be of any good to others, I am sure they are welcome to it—it can do me no harm."

"What were you taken sick and what was the nature of the malady?" was asked.

"It was about two years ago. The trouble was rheumatic in character—acute, they called it—and it was very painful indeed. The difficulty began in my hip and extended the whole length of the limb, crippling me completely. I suffered intensely from it, and the ordinary treatment gave me not the slightest alleviation. I was under treatment about a month as stated, but grew worse instead of better, and was fast becoming discouraged."

"What brought Pink Pills to your notice?"

"My son called my attention to an article in a paper, in which it was stated that a Mr. Struble, of Branchville, a village in this county, had been greatly benefited by their use, and suggested that it would be a good plan to try them. But I was skeptical in regard to their value—in fact, I had no confidence in their efficacy and rather laughed at the suggestion. But the trouble increased and I was badly crippled. A few days later my son was about to visit a neighboring town and suggested again that it might be well to try this much-talked-of remedy, and I then consented. He bought me a box of them and I began taking them at once. At the end of a week I noted a marked improvement, and by the time I had taken the first box I was able to walk without a cane. I continued their use, taking several boxes, and am, as you see, in a very comfortable state of health."

"Have you had any return of the trouble?"

"Not as yet, though at my time of life, seventy-two, it would not be surprising if I should have. If it comes, I should at once begin the use of the pills. I suppose I inherit a tendency to troubles of this kind—my mother died from them."

"Did you ever note any ill effects from the use of Pink Pills?"

"None whatever. They never disturbed my stomach in any way or caused me any annoyance. Neither did I find it necessary to increase the dose, as the directions may be desirable. I am able, as you see, to attend to my own work."

The reporter thanked Mrs. Hotelen for her courtesy and bade her good day. It is not often that one can witness such a complete recovery from such a pertinacious trouble at such an advanced age, and such instances cannot fail to produce a profound impression. Readers of the Union may rely on the absolute accuracy of all the statements here given—nothing has been exaggerated, nothing withheld.

Dr. Williams' Pink Pills contain in a condensed form, all the elements necessary to give new life and richness to the blood and restore shattered nerves. They are an unfailing specific for all forms of weakness either in male or female, and all diseases resulting from vitiated humor in the blood. Pink Pills are sold by all dealers, or will be sent post paid on receipt of price, 50 cents a box, or six boxes for \$2.50, by addressing Dr. Williams' Medicine Co., Schenectady, N. Y.

#### DYNAMITE FOR TORNADES.

How a Government Scientist Would Destroy Death Dealing Clouds.

"Fifty years hence not a big town in the Southwest will be without a tornado trap," said Prof. H. A. Hazen, of the weather bureau, the other day. "The time has arrived when serious attention must be given to finding means of defense against these whirling storms. As the so-called cyclone belt becomes more thickly populated, disasters from this cause will grow more frequent. My belief is that any town in that region would be rendered safe against tornadoes by a series of lookout stations extended in a line from north to south, so as to interpose a barrier on the danger side—i. e., the west side, from which the revolving storm invariably comes. This barrier would be made effective by means of a system of dynamite bombs connected with the stations by wires. It would not be necessary to keep guard all the time, but the men appointed for the purpose would only go on duty when warning was received from the weather bureau that conditions were favorable for 'cyclones.' On seeing a funnel cloud approaching the operator would simply wait until it got near enough and then touch off the cartridge which would blow it to smithereens."

"What reason is there for doubting that such a method would be successful? Do we not know that waterspouts at sea are sometimes dissipated and reduced to harmlessness by the firing of guns from threatened shores? A waterspout is nothing more nor less than a marine tornado. Occasionally they have been seen to run upon the land and transform themselves into 'cyclones.' If the tornado were not destroyed by the dynamite explosions, it would be likely to be deprived of so much of its energy as to be rendered incapable of doing harm. The cost of maintaining such systems of defense throughout the cyclone belt would not amount in 500 years to the \$10,000,000 which the recent calamity is said to have cost St. Louis.

"Money ought to be appropriated by Congress for studying this strange and little understood phenomenon. It is most important that we should learn about the mechanism of the tornado—a meteorological disturbance capable of destroying \$10,000,000 worth of property in ten minutes. All we know at present is that the energy of the 'cyclone' must be electrical. In no other way could the destruction caused by it be accounted for. It is always accompanied by a severe thunder storm. The weather bureau report says that during the St. Louis tornado the 'electric display was exceeding brilliant, the whole west and northwest sky being an almost continuous blaze of light. Intensely vivid flashes of forked lightning were outlined in green, blue and bright yellow against the duller background of never-ceasing sheet lightning.' Evidently, then, it is necessary that we should find some means of dissipating the electricity with which the destructive funnel cloud is charged."

#### Home-seekers' Excursions South.

On the 15th and 16th of June, also July 6, 7, 20 and 21, and several dates during August, September and October, the Chicago and Eastern Illinois Railroad will sell first-class round-trip tickets, good 31 days from date of sale, for one fare, plus \$2.00, for the round trip, to all points in Florida and the South. Tracks, trains, time all the best. For further information address C. W. Humphrey, N. P. A., St. Paul, Minn. City ticket office, 182 Clark street, or C. L. Stone, G. P. & T. A., Chicago.

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The character of a man is found by weighing his acts, not by listening to his speech.

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#### Plumbago.

The worth and value of paper pulp is not generally known. If it is mixed with plaster of Paris, Portland cement, or glue, it forms a paste that will stop cracks in wood or metal more effectually than anything else. It must always be kept in a bottle, closely stoppered, to prevent its moisture evaporating. When it is needed for use, it should be made of the consistency of gruel by the addition of hot water, then, if plaster of Paris is added, it becomes pasty in consistency. This applied to a leak in a water or gas pipe has an instant effect, mixed with fine sand and boiled for several hours, it makes a splendid filling for cracks in the boards of floors. It should be laid in the crack and left until almost dry, then covered with paraffin and smoothed down with a hot iron.

#### Surprised the Travelers.

Not long ago two Englishmen traveling in Sweden lost their luggage, and as they did not speak Swedish, they were at their wits' end to explain the matter. Two young men finally came to their rescue, and politely asked in English if they could be of any assistance. On explaining their situation, the young men promised to telegraph for the lost goods and made an appointment to meet at the same place the following day. The appointment was duly kept; the luggage duly delivered—the Englishmen, full of gratitude, pouring out their honest thanks to their unknown friends. "Do you know whom you are thanking?" said one of them with a smile. "No, sir; we wish we did." "Well, then, Oscar of Sweden, and this is my brother Eugene."—Pittsburg Dispatch.

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#### Conductors.

Flames and currents of very hot air are good conductors of electricity. An electrified body, placed near a flame, soon loses its charge.

King Alfonso, of Spain, will be 10 years old next month, and will then be handed over to his military tutors and begin to study in earnest.

In cases where dandruff, scalp diseases, falling and grayness of the hair appear, do not neglect them, but apply a proper remedy and tonic like Hall's Hair Renewer.

Count Tolstoi receives letters in four or five languages, and always replies in that in which he is addressed.

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include the expenses of the sergeant-at-arms of the convention, various printing accounts, the cleaning of the hall, its lighting, fees for police and fire protection, big postage bills, and a thousand other things. Take 3,000 men as representing delegates, alternates and their following, add the assistant sergeants-at-arms, the doorkeepers and the messengers, in all about a thousand, and the newspaper correspondents and reporters, and the total shows 4,000. If each one of these men spends \$100 in addition to his railroad fare—and this is a very small average—the total reaches \$400,000. Include the expenses borne by the telegraph companies and the big press associations in getting ready to spread the news, the total expenses of the Business Men's League and those directly interested will not be a cent less than a round half million dollars.

Allowing 100,000 as a fair estimate of the number of strangers thronging to the convention city, and railroad tickets alone for such a crowd mean something like \$750,000, and \$300,000 a day follows for board and lodging. The cost of maintaining headquarters, music, decorations and literature cannot come under \$100,000. This is not all, however, for neither the expense of sending the news from St. Louis to the thousands of daily papers in the various States nor the cost of the thousands of private telegrams—a smaller, but still a considerable sum—has been counted in. It is not easy to estimate either of these sums, but it is not going too far, perhaps, to assume that all the expenditures due to the convention used up almost \$4,000,000.

If the \$4,000,000 were to be paid out in dollar bills, and these bills were to be made into a carpet, it would be 1,000 feet long and 650 feet wide, covering an area of about fifteen acres, and the carpet at Washington, if placed in the middle of the city, would appear like a toy house set on a big rug. Four million dollars in gold piled in a pyramid four feet each way at the base would be five feet high. Four million silver dollars would make a pyramid ten feet square at the base and fifty feet high. The cigars smoked by the ten million people of the world, during the ten years, allowing five cigars a day, which is not too many, for each man would make a pile of 70,000 boxes of cigars, and this pile would be about two and one-half miles high. Arranged in a tier of five miles high, side by side, the pile would be about 202 feet high, or within twenty feet as high as the top of the capitol dome. Placed end to end, 3,500,000 cigars would reach 248 miles—or almost as far as from St. Louis to Chicago. At an average of 8-13 cents, therefor a quarter, these cigars would cost \$201,666.

A statue to Li Hung Chang was unveiled at the Villa Hügel in Germany belonging to Herr Krupp, who made a speech dwelling upon the cordial relations existing between Germany and China. Li Hung Chang afterwards inspected the great gun factory and other buildings of the famous Essen works.

Father John J. Glennon has been consecrated auxiliary bishop by Rt. Rev. J. J. Hogan of the Kansas City diocese. The ceremonies attendant upon the consecration took place in the Cathedral of the Immaculate Conception, which was crowded to the doors.

Frank Blah, a police officer, was shot and killed at Colorado Springs, Colo., by one of three burglars whom he discovered trying to enter the rear of the Gazette building. A crowd of citizens gave chase and were closing in on one fugitive when he drew his revolver and killed himself.

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of my fingers are now crooked from  
this cause. On my hand I carry large  
scars, which, but for



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**GRAINS OF GOLD.**  
Distinction is an eminence which is  
attained but too frequently at the ex-  
pense of a fireside.  
Nothing serves more effectively to  
lighten the calamities of life than  
steady employment.  
 Oftentimes it is not until we no longer  
have the means of serving our friends  
that we can know who they are.  
Time is the bell-ringer of the Uni-  
verse. He strikes the hours even now,  
presently he will peel the chimes.  
It is more from carelessness about  
the truth than from intentional lying  
that there is so much falsehood in the  
world.  
To neglect at any time preparation  
for death is to sleep on our post at a  
siege; but to omit it in old age is to  
sleep at an attack.  
Nature is a book of sweet and glow-  
ing purity, and on every illuminated  
page the excellence and goodness of  
God are divinely portrayed.  
It is a base temper in mankind, that  
they will not take the smallest slight  
at the hands of those who have done  
them the greatest kindness.  
There is this difference between hap-  
piness and wisdom; he that thinks him-  
self the happiest man, really is so; but  
he who thinks himself the wisest man,  
is generally the greatest fool.  
There is nothing like courage in mis-  
fortune. Next to faith in overruling  
Providence, a man's faith in himself  
is his salvation. It takes a man strong  
as the pillars of iron, or elastic as the  
springing steel.  
Luxury is the conqueror of conquer-  
ors, the consumption of states, the dry  
rot of the constitution, the avenger of  
the defeated and oppressed. Poverty,  
conquest, luxury, decay—such is the  
round-robin history of the world.

### NEW IDEAS OF INVENTORS.

Dustless ash sifter.  
Revolving sand screen for builders.  
Bow-facing and self-feathering car.  
Vehicle combining horse and funeral  
car.  
Spinning attachment for sewing ma-  
chines.  
Wheel and chain guard for bicycles  
in one piece.  
Attachment which makes pianos  
mouse proof.  
Rocking chair with pneumatic tires  
in the rocker.  
A watch for accurately timing photo-  
graphic exposure.  
A metallic railway tie filled with  
compressed paper pulp.  
Novel lightning ice cream freezer for  
confectioners and families.  
Miners' drill, will bore a hole larger  
at the bottom than the top.  
Wall desk, a handy, compact writing  
desk, to be hinged to the wall.  
A device to prevent keys from being  
turned from the outside of doors.  
Folding stretcher, an invention for  
ambulance service and hospitals.  
A nursing bottle support, holds the  
bottle in place while baby is nursing.  
Window fastener, an ingenious de-  
vice which prevents rattling and keeps  
out wind.  
Ice cream mold, a porcelain mold,  
with cover for serving ice cream to  
consumers.  
Pneumatic churn, produces the but-  
ter by rapidly forcing pure air jets  
through the cream.  
Head rest, to be attached to backs  
of seats in railroad coaches. Can be  
carried in the pocket.  
Pocket stamp holder, a compact, con-  
venient holder for fifty stamps, with-  
out sticking together.  
Pan lifter, takes pans of meat or  
bread from the oven without burning  
fingers or using cloths.  
New lathe chuck, takes automatic-  
ally round or tapering rods or tool  
shanks without manipulation.  
Fine cleaner, enabling one to effect-  
ually clean stovepipes without remov-  
ing pipe or making dust or dirt.  
Engine draft regulator, an improved  
draft method for locomotive engines.  
Saves fuel, increases power and pre-  
vents smoke.  
Money envelopes, for mailing money  
or valuable papers; does not disfigure  
contents and cannot be tampered with  
without detection.

### CURIOUS FACTS.

The Egyptians used pencils of colored  
chalk and several of these ancient cray-  
ons have been found in their tombs.  
It is well known among oculist ex-  
perts that the opera glasses which may  
be hired in most theaters frequently be-  
come the medium for spreading very se-  
rious eye diseases.  
A new method of stopping hemorrhages  
is said to have been accidentally dis-  
covered in a French hospital. It con-  
sists in thrusting the tongue out of  
the mouth and holding it thus for a  
short time.  
The new Connecticut forest map  
shows that over one-third of the State  
is given up to woods. The area of  
woodland has been increased by the  
growing up of what were once pasture  
lands.  
Many undertakers are now using  
cheap coffins pressed out of paper pulp.  
When polished and stained such coffins  
look almost as well as those of wood.  
They last longer in the ground than  
coffins of wood or metal, and they can  
be hermetically sealed better than  
heavy metal ones.  
The up-to-date cities now use street  
sprinklers with wheel tires six inches  
wide, and the outside of the front tire  
is placed even with the inside of the  
rear tire, the machine thus rolling  
twenty-four inches of street as it moves  
along, and doing excellent work in keep-  
ing the streets in good condition.  
It is claimed that paper-pulp water  
pipes have been tried in London with  
success. Besides being durable and in-  
expensive, they are free from the usual  
corroding influences affecting metal  
pipes, and, moreover, are free from the  
electrolytic effects of the electric cur-  
rent employed in street railway sys-  
tems.  
An English professor recommends to  
persons suffering from dyspepsia, con-  
sumption and anaemia, or any who  
need to take on flesh, to eat very thin  
slices of bread and butter. The idea is  
that it induces people to eat much more  
butter, a quality of fat most essential  
to their nutrition, in a form against  
which they will not rebel.

### GRAINS OF GOLD.

It is better to need relief than to  
want heart to give it.  
A suitable place for everything, and  
everything in its place.  
If you intend to do a good action,  
don't change your mind.  
The brewer's horse is kept fat by  
food taken from the poor man's child.  
The beauty of behavior consists in  
the manner, not the matter, of your  
discourse.  
There is more evil in a drop of cor-  
ruption than there is in a sea of afflic-  
tion.  
The mind has more room in it than  
most people think, if they would but  
furnish the apartments.  
A sure mode of never succeeding  
with your own plans is to give too much  
attention to those of other people.  
When flowers are full of heaven-  
descended dews they always hang their  
heads; but men hold theirs the higher  
the more they receive, getting proud  
as they get full.

### NEWS FROM ORIENTAL LANDS.

In 1890 there were 4,000 Portuguese  
in Hong Kong. This number by the last  
census had decreased to 3,200.  
It is noteworthy that during last year  
the number of male students in the  
Arts College in Punjab has risen from  
858 to 930.  
There were 18 case of suicide among  
the European soldiers in India during  
1894. They occurred for the most part  
during the first and last quarter of  
the year.  
The widow of the late Admiral Ting,  
of the ill-fated Chinese Pelyang fleet,  
committed suicide on the 16th ultimo  
at Hotel, Anluh, on the occasion of the  
interment of the late Admiral's re-  
mains.  
Less than 20 years ago China had  
but one tramway railroad 10 miles in  
length. At present the work of con-  
structing first-class lines has been de-  
cidedly open, and the work is under  
way.  
There are again anti-foreign placards  
out on the walls of Chentu of a very  
violent description, and the Canadian  
mission has already been more than  
once the object of hostilities in a small  
way.  
Stamp collectors will be interested to  
hear that the Japanese government has  
decided to issue postage stamps in  
commemoration of the Sino-Japanese  
war, and the new issue will appear in  
June next.  
An Englishman gives this advice to  
tourists in interior China: "As you  
travel in the interior stop at the mis-  
sionary stations and you need not fear  
oustaying your welcome, provided you  
can behave yourself and do not paint  
the town."  
As showing how disease is spread in  
India, recently at Howrah Railway Sta-  
tion, an Indian named Singh, was ar-  
rested, having brought his child, aged  
3 years, suffering with smallpox, for  
the purpose of proceeding by train to  
his native village. The offender was  
taken before the Civil Surgeon, who  
had the child removed to the hospital.  
When Li Hung Chang reached Hong  
Kong on his way to Russia, not a sound  
was heard from the immense crowd of  
natives, who seemed to look on in awe  
mingled with intense curiosity at the  
celebrated statesman. There was no  
outward manifestation from the masses,  
but the strictest silence—which is  
the Chinese sign for great respect—  
was preserved, no one daring to speak  
loudly until Li's chair had passed to a  
considerable distance.

### PERSONAL MENTION.

Siam's king has left Bangkok for a  
two months' vacation in Java. He will  
stop at Singapore on the way.  
Prince Bismarck is to have another  
statue. This time it is to be at Leipzig.  
The city has commissioned Sculptor  
Lehnart to execute it.  
J. W. Bradbury, the oldest living ex-  
Senator of the United States, celebrated  
the ninety-fourth anniversary of his  
birth at his home in Augusta, Maine.  
The borough of King's Inn has de-  
cided to present Princess Maud of  
Wales, on the occasion of her marriage,  
with a private omnibus, for use be-  
tween Appleton hall and Wolferton  
railway station.  
Ex-United States Senator Edmunds,  
of Vermont, resists all attempts made  
from time to time to induce him to  
use his tremendous influence in the politics  
of his State. He has a splendid law  
practice, and is glad to be out of politi-  
cal life.  
Paul Bourget has brought suit  
against Lemerre, the publisher who  
made his reputation, for an account-  
ing. He claims the right to have all the  
publisher's account books for the last  
twenty-two years examined in order to  
trace what became of every copy of  
his works.  
Cambridge University proposes to  
confer an honorary degree upon Simon  
Newcomb, professor of mathematics  
and astronomy of Johns Hopkins Uni-  
versity, Baltimore, Md., and upon Fran-  
cis Andrew March, professor of the  
English languages at Lafayette Col-  
lege.  
The queen of Denmark is stone deaf,  
a throat malady being responsible for  
the affliction. The princess of Wales  
inherits the same trouble. She is al-  
ready so deaf that she can hear noth-  
ing unless it is shouted in her ear.

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An idea of the possibilities of the  
latest guns may be had from the fact  
that a six-inch hooped gun made at  
Newcastle, England, has been fired  
with a charge of cordite with a muzzle  
velocity of 4,925 feet per second.  
The greatest depth, writes Prof. See-  
ley in his "Story of the Earth," at  
which earthquakes are known to origi-  
nate is about thirty miles. It has also  
been calculated that a heat sufficient to  
melt granite might occur at about the  
same depth.  
The difference in the length of the  
cables in the East River Bridge, Brook-  
lyn, when the thermometer registers  
zero and when it registers 100 degrees  
above, is two feet four inches. The dif-  
ference in the rope which hauls the  
cars is seven feet six inches.  
Some idea of the vast extent of the  
surface of the earth may be obtained  
when it is noted that if a lofty church  
steeple is accented, and the landscape  
visible from it looked at, nine hundred  
thousand such landscapes must be  
viewed in order that the whole earth  
may be seen.  
Photography has lately determined  
the depths to which the sun's rays can  
penetrate through water, and the re-  
sult is that at a depth of 553 feet the  
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posure on a clear but moonless night.  
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