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CULVER CITY LOCALIZED.

And Put in Good Form for the Benefit of the Herald's Numerous Readers.

Read Babcock & Wallace's ad. in this issue.

Miss Veroca Shaw is sick with Scarlatina.

Sherman Ulery has moved from Plymouth to the J. Mackelraith place north of town.

Dr. Babcock and William Hodges made a business trip to Monterey one day this week.

Mrs. M. Keen was quite severely bitten by a dog one day last week. But at this writing there is no serious result anticipated.

Nussbaum, Mayer & Co. have store room for rent. Enquire of Sigmond Mayer, Plymouth, Ind.

A number of Plymouth hunters were here Thursday and made a desperate effort to kill a few mud hens.

Enoch Mow was seen upon our streets Tuesday. He was exceedingly tickled over the result of the election.

It now looks as though some of the gold democrats would get a slice when the time comes for a general distribution of offices.

A wealthy mine owner in California has signified his intention of bearing Mr. Bryan's expenses during the next four years agitation of the free silver question.

Geo. Vories has just finished an excellent job of painting. He has, in an artistic manner, placed two coats upon the residence of Wm. Porter. George understands his business thoroughly.

With the press, the pulpit, the railroads, the great commercial interests of the country all arrayed against them, it must be admitted that the late defeated made a splendid fight.

The ladies of the Wolf Creek M. E. church gave Rev. Howard and wife an agreeable surprise Thursday by the way of unloading several baskets of choice farm produce at the parsonage in this city, for which they received the hearty thanks of the worthy divine and wife.

Rev. Vernie Howard is having excellent success with his revival work at North Judson. There has been several accessions to the church, and three or four conversions. Rev. Howard, of this place, left for North Judson, Thursday afternoon where he will assist Vernie a short time.

A very interesting program was rendered at the Epworth League, Wednesday evening. The literary department of the League are expecting to take a trip south this winter. This was the first of the series of meetings which will be held every four weeks.

It is well known all over this country that Culver City has a large number of excellent singers, both male and female. Both churches have splendid choirs, which are great drawing features. Then the Philharmonic Club, under the direction of Dr. Wiseman, has attained a degree of perfection in the vocal line that would be a credit to any town or city in the state.

An assault and battery case was heard in Justice Reeves' court this afternoon, the parties interested interested living at Twin Lake. It appears that W. White and Chas. Stuck got into a difficulty which ended in a scrap at the Twin Lake store. White had Stuck arrested for striking him which cost Stuck, cost and fine together, something like \$14. To retaliate Stuck had White arrested for provoke, which was tried this afternoon. White was acquitted.—Plymouth Independent.

See change in Kuhn & Son's ad this week.

Dr. Wiseman made South Bend a visit Wednesday.

Auditor Oscar R. Porter was in town Thursday.

Mrs. T. B. Harris visited friends at Argos this week.

Mrs. Hayden Rea visited friends in Plymouth Tuesday.

Heary, son of Fred Stahl, is now clerking for Porter & Co.

H. J. Meredith transacted business as Warsaw Wednesday.

Marshall Overman and a gang of men are working the streets.

Henry Born shook hands with old friends at Plymouth Wednesday.

Rev. Howard preached an excellent sermon to the children last Sunday morning.

John Osborn, the banker, was transacting business at Plymouth Wednesday forenoon.

C. B. Tebbits, one of Plymouth's well known attorneys, transacted business in Culver City Wednesday.

Rev. Father Thiele, of Monterey, was in town a short time Tuesday. He was on his way to Logansport.

The district meeting of the Knights of Pythias of this district will be held at Rochester, Thursday, Nov. 19.

Clint Bondurant, of Bremen, will be Eugene Marshall's deputy sheriff. Clint will make a nery annex to the police force of the county.

The election of officers in connection with the Christian church, Maxenkuckee, will be held on Nov. 28, at 2 o'clock p. m.

Remember that Porter & Co. are showing a fine line of cloaks. Call and inspect them before buying elsewhere. They can save you money.

It is now lawful to shoot quails in this state, the limit of the game law having expired on Nov. 10. They are reported more numerous than for several years past.

Charles Snyder and Miss Lillie Chapman, of Sligo, were married this week. They were tendered a reception by a crowd of enthusiastic boys with cow bells, etc. Congratulations.

D. A. Walter, contractor and builder, has taken the contract to do the wood work in the new annex to the Culver Military academy building.

Last Saturday afternoon the Plymouth foot ball team played the second team at the Culver Military academy and was badly. The Plymouth team left for home well satisfied that they were treated in a very gentlemanly manner.

They are so little you hardly know you are taking them. They cause no gripping, yet they act quickly and most thoroughly. Such are the famous little pills known as DeWitt's Little Early Risers. Small in size, great in results. Culver City Drug Store.

When you want your hair cut, remember you can have it done for the small sum of 15c. at the "O. K." barber shop, Osborn block, and it is done all O. K., and the baths are all O. K., and when a man comes out of the O. K. bath rooms he feels O. K.

J. A. Yockey informs us that in a recent letter W. C. Latta says that Marshall county will get the final three-days Farmers institute, and that Hon. A. Jones, of South Bend, Sawyer, of Ohio, and several other leading institute men can be expected to take part. Mr. Latta will be here. This is important and for Marshall county and the farmers should make good use of the opportunity. The institute will be held in March.—Plymouth Republican.

Quite a number of strangers in town Thursday.

Applicants are out already for the postoffice.

paper. Read it carefully; it will do you good.

Next week Kuhn & Son will have an ad upon the first page of this

On the night before election some miscreant relieved C. E. Thornburg's saw mill of \$15 worth of tools.

A hacking cough is not only annoying to others, but is dangerous to the person who has it. One Minute Cough Cure will quickly put an end to it. Culver City Drug Store.

The Arlington hotel was closed Wednesday and Mr. and Mrs. Knapp returned to their home in South Bend. Owing to this being a campaign year, and extreme hard times, the hotels upon the lake did not transact the business allotted them in former years. But the Arlington had its share, for the reputation of its proprietor for entertaining his guests has spread far and near. Then the fact that the culinary department is always supplied with great abundance is another thing that is well known all over this broad land. We hope that the coming season of '97 will compensate for lack of patronage this year.

At the Altar.

Frank R. Hale, of St. Joseph, Mich., and Hattie Wise, of Hibbard, this county, were united in marriage Monday evening, Nov. 8, at 8 o'clock, at the home of the bride's grandmother. Rev. L. S. Smith, pastor of the M. E. church in this city, officiated. The father and mother of Mr. Hale, of Benton Harbor, and several of his friends, of St. Joseph, joined a company of neighbors and friends of the bride in celebrating the happy event and partaking together of a delicious repast.

After about a week's trip to New York and the east, on which the happy bridal couple started last evening, they will take up their home in St. Joseph, Mich., where a cottage recently finished under Mr. Hale's direction and furnished throughout, now awaits their occupancy. The groom was formerly of the Vandalia at their office in this city, in which position he made many friends whose hearty congratulations follow them to their new home. Mr. Hale's frankness geniality as well as his strict attention to business gives the greatest promise of a successful future.—Plymouth Independent.

The famous Culver City Cornet Band and the Philharmonic Club will give a concert one week from next Saturday. They will also give an oyster supper and lunch, the proceeds to go to the cornet band. Save your small change for this great occasion. Plymouth citizens are cordially invited to come and see how the little city upon the lake "gets there" when it comes to musical entertainments. See bills for further information.

The stockholders and directors of the Maxenkuckee Agricultural Association will meet at the fair grounds Saturday, Dec. 5. A full attendance is desired, as business of the greatest importance must be transacted. 19 w 4 GEO. W. NEARPASS, Sec.

Congressman J. Frank Hanly looms up as a very strong possibility in connection with the coming election of a United States senator by the next legislature. It is almost certain that every member from the counties of the new Tenth district would give him their support, and he would be likely to hold the old Ninth district representatives in line as well. He is eminently fitted for the position, is one of the most able republicans in the state, and his faithful, earnest work did much to swing old Hoosierdom into line this election.

The Zebner flour mill at Plymouth was destroyed by fire Sunday morning. Loss about \$15,000; no insurance.

The Republican rally at Plymouth Monday night, owing to the inclemency of the weather, failed to materialize to any great extent.

Since writing an item which appears in another column, we understand that Mr. H. H. Culver is confined to his room at the Culver Military academy and can be counted upon the sick list.

Messrs. Gerard and Herman, together with a party from Kalamazoo, Mich., Indianapolis and Plymouth, pitched their tents Wednesday morning at the south end of the lake and will spend the next three weeks in hunting duck and fishing, which is away above the standard this season. Sid Flagg has been detailed to look after the cooking, and there is no doubt he will satisfy their palates if anyone can.

It looks as though we were going to have cold weather sure in the very near future. The farmers have had a splendid fall for taking care of their corn and other crops, yet there is hundreds of acres of corn in the fields. But then this was campaign year and the farmers desired to have fun with the rest of the people.

Last Friday afternoon seventeen Culver City ladies went to Mrs. Alfred Byrd's and sewed carpet rags. When they went away she had very few unsewed rags left. Mrs. Lord had the largest ball but can't say if she sewed all of them or not. Perhaps you can find out by asking Mrs. Myers and Mrs. Young. Mrs. Byrd thanks the ladies for their kindness. ONE PRESENT.

We are sorry to chronicle that Mr. Martin V. Reeder has moved his broom factory to Rochester. This step was taken because he thought he would have a better point for the sale of his brooms. There is no question but what the Reeder factory turns out a grade of brooms that have no superior anywhere in the state, and have a ready sale. We understand he will still supply his customers in this vicinity.

Zechiel & Bussort are the gentlemen who are building a house and barn for Wm. Osborn. The barn is 22x26 ft. and is about ready for use. The house is under good headway. The ground foundation is 37x38 ft., the main part being 16x23 ft., and the dining room 16x16 ft. The kitchen is 14x16 ft., one story. The wood shed attached is 9x24 ft., with a pump house and pantry 6x8 ft. There will be a porch on the east 16x22 ft. and on the south 6x16 ft. The main building will be two stories.

Mr. B. F. Head, who lived near Burr Oak, transacted business in Culver City Thursday, and while here called at the HERALD office and left one of those silver dollars for a year's subscription. He is one of the grand old veterans who faced the rebel hosts for over four years during the rebellion and suffered the horrible experience of being incarcerated in Andersonville for ten long months; and when he finally was discharged and returned to his home he weighed 72 lbs. and is about five feet ten inches in height. He belonged to the 20th Indiana, and there is only a few of the old boys of the 20th left, as only 24 met at the annual reunion at Plymouth recently. Mr. Head is 65 years of age but looks many years younger. Long may the old vets live, and may their memory be ever held sacred by the present and future generations.

MAXENKUCKEE ITEMS.

Obituary.

RETTIE HAYNES.

Rettie Haynes was born in Wayne county, Ind., May 28, 1896; moved with her parents to Grant county in 1872, where she resided until she was married to Lewis Rector in July, 1887. She died of consumption at Maxenkuckee, Ind., Nov. 8, 1896. She was the mother of two children both of whom had preceded her to the spirit world. She leaves a husband, father and mother, two brothers and one sister to mourn their loss, but they murmur not as those who have no hope, as she died in the triumph of a living faith. She had been a member of the Christian church for more than six years, living a devoted and consecrated life.

HANNAH HICKS.

Hannah Hicks was born in Wayne county, Ind., 1814; was married to James Personett on her eighteenth birthday at her home in Wayne county. She died at Maxenkuckee, Ind., Nov. 6, 1896, aged 82 years, 1 month and 8 days. She was the mother of six children, five sons and one daughter, only two of whom are living, the daughter and three sons as well as the husband having long since passed away. She leaves two sons, 28 grandchildren, 56 great grandchildren and one great great grand child to mourn their loss. She was for 60 years a member of the Christian church and during all that long life she lived a most devoted and faithful christian.

Noah Herald made a business trip to Argos Tuesday.

Mr. Frank Allen is spending a few days with friends in and near Monterey.

Mr. J. C. Miles has been visiting among friends in Tiosa for the past few days.

Miss Mand Hand has returned home after a very pleasant visit among friends in St. Louis.

Miss Ethel Jones, of Delong, will spend the winter with the Misses Edith and Lizzie Brownlee.

There are a few men in our village who say they are willing to wait four years for their free silver.

Dr. and Mrs. Babcock and Mr. and Mrs. David Wallace were entertained at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Peter Spangler last Sunday.

The fall term of our school will close next Friday. Under the superior management of Prof. Scates the pupils have made fine progress. We are glad to learn that he is to be retained for the balance of the year.

Everything is distressingly quiet since the election. The weather has been so bad the Republicans can't even have a ratification and burn their own and the democrats hats.

Mr. Lewis Rector will return to his home in Kansas City to look his business interests there.

Mrs. and Mrs. Haynes, who were here attending their daughter, Mrs. Lute Rector, have returned to their home in Grant county, Ind.

Elder Fonce will be with the church here again on Sunday, Nov. 21. He will deliver an address in the morning to parents and in the evening he will begin a series of sermons especially to the young. Particularly are the members of his own church requested to be present at these services, but all are invited, and will no doubt learn some beautiful lessons from this eminent divine.

Elder Fonce while here conducted two funeral services—that of Mrs. Hannah Personett on Saturday at 2 p. m., and that of Mrs. Rettie Rector on Monday at 1 p. m.

GOES TO M'KINLEY.

Ohio Man Elected by a Large Majority.

SEEMS A LANDSLIDE.

All Eastern States Support the Gold Ticket.

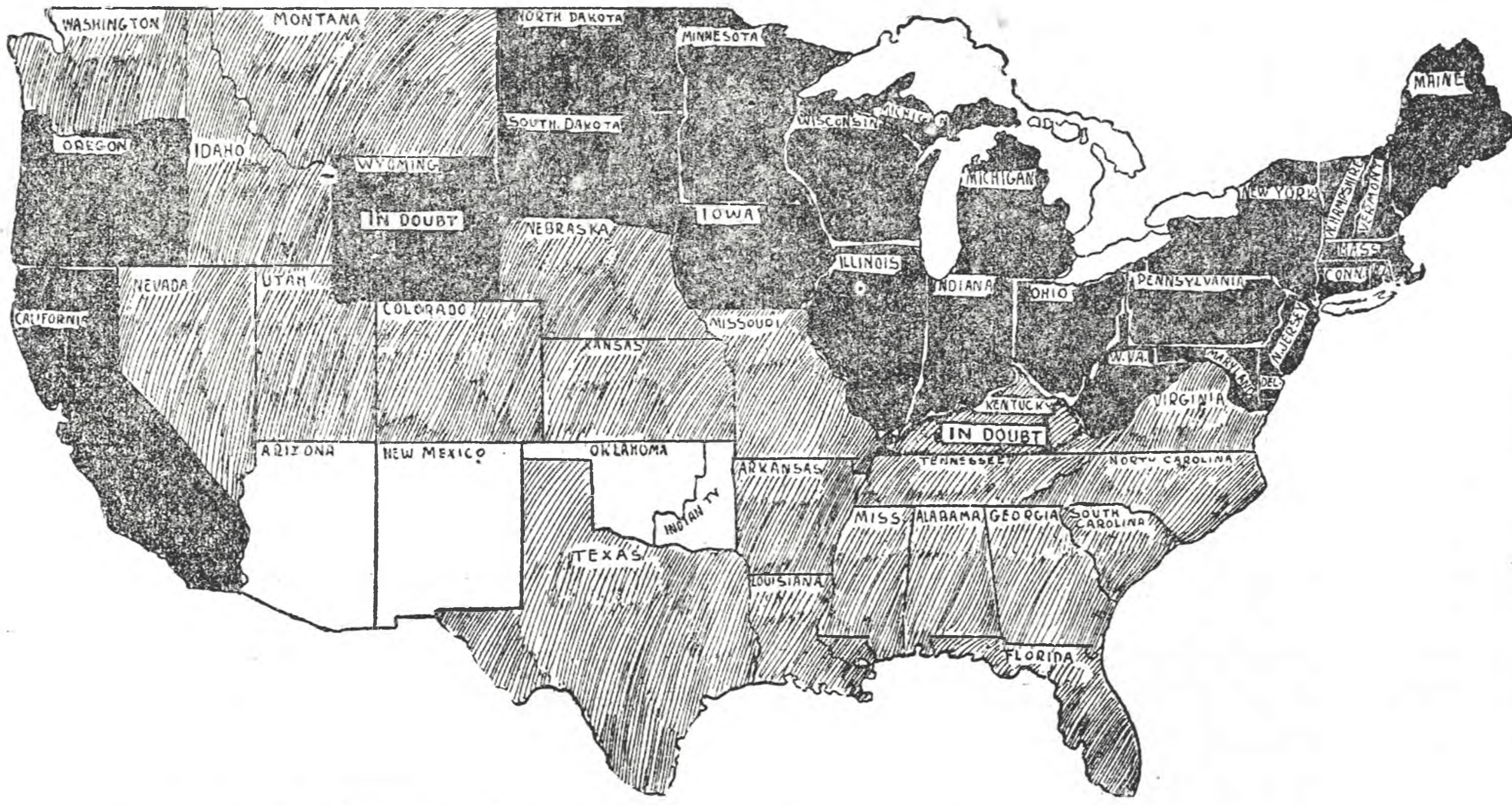
SOLID SOUTH IS INVADED.

Republican Gains in States Heretofore Democratic.

Great Pivotal Commonwealths Give Unprecedented Majorities—The Vote of the Entire District North of the Ohio and East of the Mississippi Cast Solidly for McKinley—He Also Gets Enough of the Balance to Elect Him—Heavy Majority in the East—Latest Returns Make a Better Showing for Bryan in the West.

William McKinley has been elected President of the United States. His total vote in the electoral college, according to returns at hand when this is written, will be 263, with Kentucky and Wyoming still in doubt. Whichever side wins in Kentucky, conservative judges say the plurality will not be over 1,000. In Tennessee the figures seem to bear out Democratic claims of victory for Bryan by at least 10,000. The McKinley people present totalized figures by sections tending to prove that the Ohioan's plurality will be several thousand, but it

HOW THE STATES WENT FOR PRESIDENT—BLACK FOR M'KINLEY, SHADED FOR BRYAN.



LATEST RETURNS FROM THE ELECTION.

Up to the Time This is Written the Returns Indicate the Following as the Result of the Balloting in the Various States.

ELECTORAL VOTES.		PLURALITIES.	
FOR M'KINLEY.	FOR BRYAN.	FOR M'KINLEY.	FOR BRYAN.
New York..... 36	Missouri..... 17	New York..... 275,000	Missouri..... 60,000
Pennsylvania..... 32	Texas..... 15	Pennsylvania..... 295,000	Texas..... 45,000
Illinois..... 24	Georgia..... 15	Illinois..... 144,800	Georgia..... 25,000
Ohio..... 23	Virginia..... 12	Ohio..... 50,000	Tennessee..... 10,000
Indiana..... 15	Tennessee..... 12	Indiana..... 20,000	Virginia..... 30,000
Massachusetts..... 15	Alabama..... 11	Massachusetts..... 168,716	Alabama..... 35,000
Michigan..... 14	North Carolina..... 11	Michigan..... 53,000	N. Carolina..... 10,000
Iowa..... 13	Kansas..... 10	Iowa..... 72,000	Kansas..... 13,000
Wisconsin..... 12	South Carolina..... 9	Wisconsin..... 102,000	S. Carolina..... 40,000
New Jersey..... 10	Mississippi..... 9	New Jersey..... 85,812	Mississippi..... 50,000
Minnesota..... 9	Arkansas..... 8	Minnesota..... 30,000	Arkansas..... 20,000
California..... 9	Louisiana..... 8	California..... 5,000	Louisiana..... 35,000
Maryland..... 8	Nebraska..... 8	Maryland..... 25,000	Nebraska..... 9,650
Maine..... 8	Colorado..... 4	Maine..... 50,000	Washington..... 10,000
West Virginia..... 6	Florida..... 4	W. Virginia..... 12,000	Colorado..... 110,000
Connecticut..... 6	Washington..... 4	Connecticut..... 54,142	Kentucky..... 600
N. Hampshire..... 4	South Dakota..... 3	N. Hampshire..... 35,000	S. Dakota..... 500
Rhode Island..... 4	Idaho..... 3	R. Island..... 12,000	Florida..... 15,000
Vermont..... 4	Montana..... 3	Vermont..... 35,000	Idaho..... 10,000
Oregon..... 4	Kentucky..... 13	Oregon..... 3,242	Montana..... 15,000
Delaware..... 3	Nevada..... 3	Delaware..... 750	Nevada..... 3,000
North Dakota..... 3	Utah..... 3	N. Dakota..... 8,000	Utah..... 10,000
Wyoming..... 3		Wyoming..... 500	
Total..... 263	Total..... 184	Total..... 1,556,962	Plurality..... 990,212

THE NEW CONGRESS.

Returns Indicate Republican Control of Both Branches.

Late returns confirm first reports that Congress will contain a gold standard majority in both branches. The present Senate, which has stood forty-seven to forty-two in favor of silver, will be succeeded by one which will consist of forty-seven gold supporters to forty-two free coinage advocates. Politically the Senate will be Republican, the new body having forty-nine of that political faith to forty Democrats.

Party lines will be somewhat broken in the Senate by the silver question. Messrs. Teller of Colorado, Dubois of Idaho, Mantle of Nevada, Cannon of Utah and Wilson of Washington are extreme silver men, who will act with the Democratic party on the currency issue. On the other hand, five Democrats—Messrs. Gray of Delaware, Lindsay of Kentucky, Caffrey of Louisiana, Smith of New Jersey, and Martin of Virginia—are gold Democrats, and will act with the Republicans.

The Senate.

The following table shows the political complexion of the Senate:

Present Congress.	New Congress.	
	R. D. & P.	R. D. & P.
Alabama..... 2	2	2
Arkansas..... 2	2	2
California..... 1	1	1
Colorado..... 2	2	2
Connecticut..... 2	2	2
*Delaware..... 1	1	1
Florida..... 2	2	2
Georgia..... 2	2	2
Idaho..... 2	2	2
Illinois..... 1	1	1
Indiana..... 1	1	1
Iowa..... 2	2	2
Kansas..... 1	1	1
Kentucky..... 2	2	2
Louisiana..... 2	2	2
Maine..... 2	2	2
Maryland..... 2	2	2
Massachusetts..... 2	2	2
Michigan..... 2	2	2
Minnesota..... 2	2	2
Mississippi..... 2	2	2
Missouri..... 2	2	2
Montana..... 2	2	2
Nebraska..... 1	1	1
Nevada..... 2	2	2
New Hampshire..... 2	2	2
New Jersey..... 1	1	1
New York..... 2	2	2
North Carolina..... 1	1	1
North Dakota..... 1	1	1
Ohio..... 1	1	1
Oregon..... 1	1	1
Pennsylvania..... 2	2	2
Rhode Island..... 2	2	2
South Carolina..... 2	2	2
South Dakota..... 1	1	1
Tennessee..... 2	2	2
Texas..... 2	2	2
Utah..... 2	2	2
Vermont..... 2	2	2
Virginia..... 2	2	2
Washington..... 1	1	1
West Virginia..... 1	1	1
Wisconsin..... 2	2	2
Wyoming..... 2	2	2
Total..... 46	43	49

*Vacancy in present Congress. Legislature in doubt as to new Congress.

The House.

The new House of Representatives will contain a majority for both the Republicans and for the gold standard. Its composition by States is as follows:

Present Congress.	New Congress.	
	Rep.	Dem.
Alabama..... 9	9	7
Arkansas..... 6	6	6
California..... 4	3	6
Colorado..... 2	1	1
Connecticut..... 4	4	4
Delaware..... 1	1	1
Florida..... 2	2	2
Georgia..... 11	11	11
Idaho..... 1	1	1
Illinois..... 17	5	22
Indiana..... 10	3	13
Iowa..... 11	3	11
Kansas..... 1	7	7
Kentucky..... 4	7	5
Louisiana..... 6	6	6
Maine..... 4	4	4
Maryland..... 6	1	3
Massachusetts..... 12	1	12
Michigan..... 10	2	12
Minnesota..... 7	7	7
Mississippi..... 4	11	11
Missouri..... 4	11	11
Montana..... 1	1	1
Nebraska..... 2	4	5
Nevada..... 1	1	1
New Hampshire..... 2	2	2
New Jersey..... 29	5	29
New York..... 4	5	3
North Carolina..... 1	1	1
North Dakota..... 16	5	19
Ohio..... 2	2	2
Oregon..... 28	2	28
Pennsylvania..... 2	7	2
Rhode Island..... 2	2	2
South Carolina..... 2	2	2
South Dakota..... 2	2	2
Tennessee..... 2	8	4
Texas..... 2	11	1
Utah..... 1	1	1
Vermont..... 2	2	2
Virginia..... 2	8	2
Washington..... 2	2	2
West Virginia..... 4	4	4
Wisconsin..... 10	1	10
Wyoming..... 1	1	1
Total..... 210	147	252

Majority over all..... 63
Anti-silver..... 207
For silver..... 144
Anti-silver maj..... 63

The Pope has granted an audience to Mgr. Chiocontini on electoral and educational questions in Canada.

INDIANA INCIDENTS.

RECORD OF EVENTS OF THE PAST WEEK.

Colfax Has a Twelve-Year-Old Boy with a Remarkable Memory—Jas. Bell, of Anderson, Brutally Assaulted by the Lawson Gang.

Boasts of a Prodigy.

An oratorical prodigy in the person of Benjamin Goldsberry, a lad 12 years old, has recently developed at Colfax. A few nights ago he appeared before an audience with a lecture of one hour and forty-five minutes in length, which he delivered without a break from start to finish. The lecture is entitled, "Why God Doesn't Kill the Devil," and is an argument in support of original sin and abounds in witty expressions and is freely interspersed with anecdotes. The boy is a son of F. M. Goldsberry, an attorney, who assisted him in the preparation of the lecture at the suggestion of the son. He is easy upon the stage, his gestures being expressive and his pose exceedingly graceful. He has delivered the lecture on several occasions and always to the delight of his audience. The boy has been a painstaking pupil in the public schools and has been known for his remarkable memory.

A Peacemaker Killed.

Hiram E. Wells is a fugitive from justice and his hands are stained with human blood. In a drunken fracas at Paoli Saturday he struck an old soldier who was acting as peacemaker. The blow resulted fatally, and Wells fled. His father is probably the wealthiest man in the county, a prominent merchant, and capitalist, and one of the most highly esteemed business men in Southern Indiana. He was at one time proprietor of French Lick Springs and Treasurer of Orange County. The veteran who was killed was named Johnson, and his only offense was an effort to check a fight between young Wells and some other parties. His advice so enraged Wells, who was already wild with liquor, that he struck Johnson in the right temple, knocking him senseless. Johnson remained unconscious, never rallied, and died at 9:30 Sunday morning. Such consequences were not expected, and Wells was allowed to take the train a few minutes after the imbroglio and go to his home, ten miles away. When the authorities realized the seriousness of the case, Sheriff Speer went down to take Wells into custody, but he had flown. He has not yet been apprehended. Officials are scouring the country and making every effort in their power to capture him.

Old Man Is Almost Murdered.

James Bell, an old man at Anderson, was assaulted early Sunday morning by the Lawson gang, which became notorious through their past affiliation with the Scatterfield white caps, which terrorized Eastern Indiana a few years ago. Bell lives by himself in the southern part of the city. He was dragged out of his home to the road and his face and body gashed in a horrible manner. He was left by the roadside with his throat cut. The windpipe and arteries, while laid bare, were not severed. He was found and taken to the city, and it is possible that he will recover. The assault is the result of an old feud which arose several years ago and caused Bell to be made the victim of the white cap gang. It is claimed that members of the old organization took a separate oath to kill him.

All Over the State.

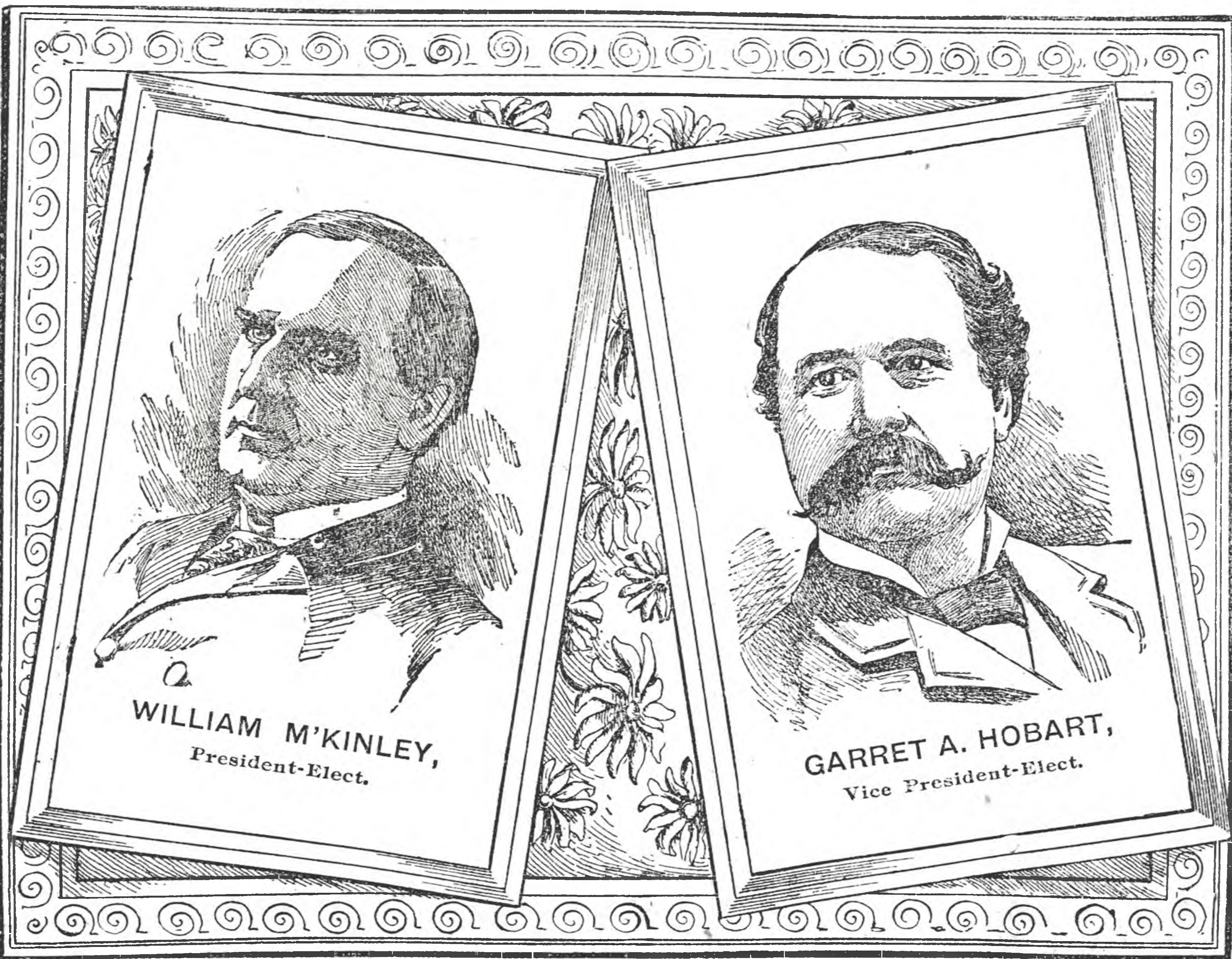
The miners of the Shelburn Coal Company refuse to accept the scale of prices submitted by the company, which the miners say is 2 cents below the Star City prices.

The engine and baggage car of the Wabash east-bound mail line were derailed at New Haven Monday evening. The engine was turned upon its side. Engineer Joseph Long and Fireman Kuba, of Toledo, escaped injury. A tramp riding on the baggage car was seriously hurt. The accident occurred at the crossing of the Wabash and Nickel Plate Roads.

The Chicago and Eastern Illinois Road has ordered the freight crews to be uniformed. Recently the station agents were required to wear uniforms. The men are complaining, because they are required to buy two suits—one for winter and one for summer—and because they are required to buy them from a Chicago firm designated by the company. The men at Terre Haute say the price charged by this firm is more than they would have to pay if they were to buy the suits from their own merchants. There is much bad feeling among the men.

Mrs. Leon Willard, residing at Marion, left for Liege, Belgium, to obtain a sixth portion of the estate of an uncle, who died a few weeks ago, leaving a property of the estimated valuation of 20,000,000 francs. When quite young he wished to adopt her, but she declined, and soon after married and came to the United States. Two years ago she wrote him, but he briefly replied that she need not trouble herself, as she would receive her share of his property. She heard nothing more till notified to come to Belgium and take possession.

Tuesday evening about 7 o'clock, near Camden, Mrs. Louisa Mipple was shot while gathering a few ears of corn in a neighbor's field, just across the road from her house. Mrs. Mipple is a widow and the mother of six children. She was a woman of good standing in the community and it is not believed she gave any thought to the moral consequences of her act. Daniel Neibel and his son Noah were summoned before the coroner to testify concerning the matter, but both denied any knowledge of it previous to being called upon by the officer. It was in Mr. Neibel's corn field that the shooting was done. Mrs. Mipple's husband was accidentally killed about two years ago by the discharge of a gun in the hands of his son while hunting rabbits.



would seem, judging by the returns, that the burden of proof rests upon them.

Whether McKinley has over 263 votes in the electoral college depends upon the official returns from two States. In Kentucky the result hinges upon the vote in two counties, in the extreme eastern part of the State—a mountainous, "moonshining" region, in which there are neither railroads nor telegraph lines. But even with these counties heard from the contest is so close that nothing short of the official canvass will be decisive. The plurality for either ticket will be one of hundreds—probably less than 500. The conflicting claims of the rival State chairmen go for nothing. Wyoming, which was first thought safely to be in the Bryan column, although by a narrow margin, is now counted among the McKinley States. The plurality will be about 500, and the Legislature will be of the same party faith. The situation in Wyoming, however, is substantially the same as that in Kentucky. The district still to be heard from is 200 miles from a telegraph office and the missing returns may not be received for some time. Should Bryan carry both Kentucky and Wyoming McKinley will still have a majority considerably more than enough to give him possession of the White House for four years to come.

Early returns indicating the result of the presidential election were from the cities where McKinley and Hobart made their heaviest gains. Returns received from the country districts, where the free silver idea had gained greatest currency, considerably reduce early estimates of Republican pluralities in several of the States. The returns, however, show that McKinley not only carried all the "doubtful" States of the middle West from Ohio to Iowa, together with New York and the New England States, but that he invaded the States of Maryland, Kentucky, West Virginia and, possibly, Tennessee, either winning in all of these States or

making such gains as must give him a signally large popular vote. He carried every State in the great region lying east of the Missouri and north of the Ohio and Potomac Rivers. There is not a break between the rivers and the ocean. Even Delaware joins the McKinley column.

In the battleground of the middle West the majorities are amazing. Illinois leads, with nearly 150,000, of which Chicago contributed 57,339. Gov. Altgeld is defeated by more than 100,000. The State outside Chicago shows unexpected Republican gains. Wisconsin gives McKinley a plurality of 102,000, and later returns may raise these figures. Indiana is claimed by 20,000 and Michigan by 53,000. Iowa gives 72,000 and Minnesota adds 50,000 more. In the East the McKinley majorities are tremendous. Pennsylvania eclipses all records with a plurality approaching 300,000. New York is estimated at 275,000 in the latest returns. Massachusetts has given 168,000, and all the other New England States give large majorities. Ohio is put at 50,000.

The great cities of the country have given surprising McKinley majorities. Philadelphia heads the list with 125,000. Chicago, which was Democratic four years ago, is second with 50,000. New York City, which has not been carried by the Republicans in a presidential election since the war, gives McKinley 16,500. Louisville, the metropolis of Kentucky, comes up with 12,000. Indianapolis, which was carried for Cleveland by 1,000 in 1892, now gives McKinley 12,000. Lincoln, Neb., Mr. Bryan's home, is 2,000 for McKinley. The Democratic cities of Rochester and Albany, N. Y., are now Republican. Detroit (Wayne County) is reported at 18,000. St. Louis and Kansas City have given heavy Republican majorities.

The Palmer and Buckner ticket is everywhere returned at small figures, indicating that four-fifths of the gold Democratic vote has been given to McKinley. McKinley's plurality of the popular vote appears to be nearly 1,000,000.

JONES TO THE NATION.

He Analyzes the Causes Which Led to McKinley's Election.

Chairman James K. Jones, of the Democratic National Committee, gives his analysis of the causes which led to McKinley's election in the following official address, which he issued as his final admission of defeat:

The result of the presidential election is apparently no longer in doubt. It has been one of the closest contests that the people have been called on to determine in recent years. We have claimed the election on our advices from States that were admittedly in doubt, in which we knew there had been evidences of tampering with the returns. It seems now to be apparent that, while Mr. Bryan, after making the most brilliant campaign in the history of our country and has carried most of the States claimed to be doubtful, has not carried enough to assure his success in the electoral college. Bryan electors have been chosen from all of the States south of the Potomac and Ohio except West Virginia and all those west of the Missouri except California and Oregon. He has 190 electoral votes, and this number may be increased by final returns from States yet in question. He has not obtained enough votes to carry the electoral college.

Thus this remarkable campaign closes with the election of William McKinley. The result was brought about by every kind of coercion and intimidation on the part of the money power, including threats of lockouts and dismissals and impending starvation; by the employment of by far the largest campaign fund ever used in this country, and by the subordination of a large portion of the American press.

The President-elect and his party are under pledge to the American people to continue the gold standard, and by its operation to restore prosperity to this country. As chief executive, Mr. McKinley will have the cordial support of millions of patriotic Americans who have cast their votes for William Jennings Bryan. They bow to the majesty of the office and abide by the result. They are confident the gold standard cannot give the promised prosperity, but will gladly welcome it if it comes. They will continue the great struggle for the uplifting of humanity and in the maintenance of the dignity of our country in the establishment of an American money system. And the Democratic party, aided by its present allies, will still uplift the bimetallic standard and bear it to victory. JAMES K. JONES.

HYSTERICIS.

WOMEN SHOULD UNDERSTAND THIS NERVOUS DERANGEMENT.

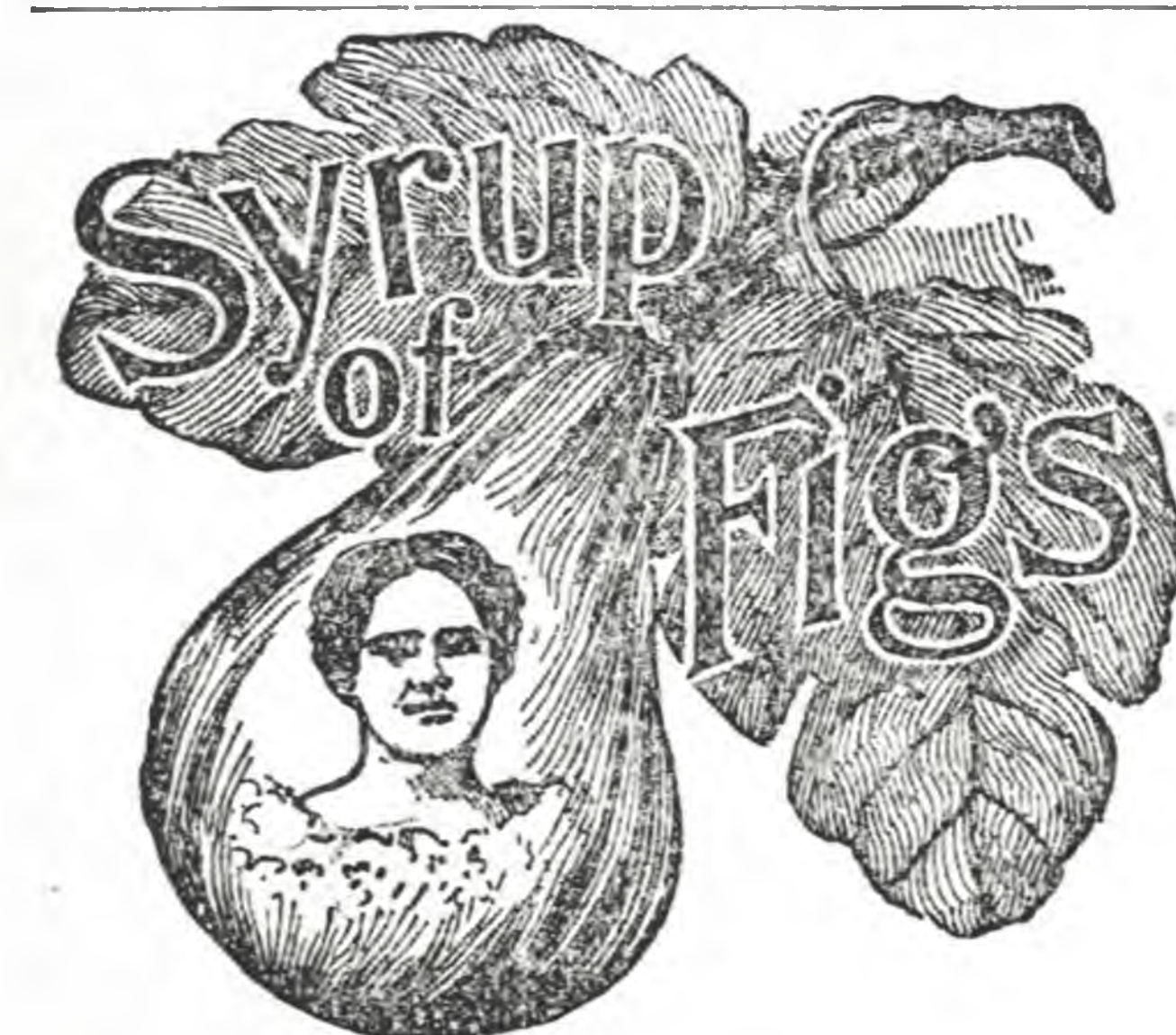
A Symptom of Something Far More Serious—Mrs. Barris, of Beaver Springs, Relates Her Experience.

The spasm at top of wind-pipe, or in bronchial tubes, the "ball rising in the throat," violent beating of the heart; laughing and crying by turns; muscular spasms; throwing the arms about, etc., tell of a derangement of the female system.

Any female complaint may produce hysterics, which must be regarded as a symptom only. The cause, whatever it may be, yields quickly to Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound. It acts at once upon the organ affected, and the nerve centers; removes the cause, and dispels effectually the symptoms.

Mrs. Barris relates her experience for the benefit of others.

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With a better understanding of the transient nature of the many physical ills which vanish before proper efforts—gentle efforts—pleasant efforts—rightly directed. There is comfort in the knowledge that so many forms of sickness are not due to any actual disease, but simply to a constipated condition of the system, which the pleasant family laxative, Syrup of Figs, promptly removes. That is why it is the only remedy with millions of families, and is everywhere esteemed so highly by all who value good health. Its beneficial effects are due to the fact, that it is the one remedy which promotes internal cleanliness, without debilitating the organs on which it acts. It is therefore all important, in order to get its beneficial effects, to note when you purchase, that you have the genuine article, which is manufactured by the California Fig Syrup Co. only, and sold by all reputable druggists.

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CLAW-FINGERED COLONY.

It Exists in Cattaraugus Valley, N. Y., Peculiar Growth.

In Cattaraugus valley, N. Y., there is a whole colony of people who have claws on both fingers and toes. All are descendants of a man named Robbins. The peculiarity was inherited, as they became more pronounced in each succeeding generation. A peculiar thing about this strange heritage is that it



A CLAW-FINGERED HAND.

is impossible to tell where or in what form it will appear. Sometimes it is inherited from the father, sometimes from the mother; sometimes it appears in all the children of a family, and at others in only one or two in a large number.

Sometimes a father and mother who have well formed hands and feet will bring up a large family of children, all of them badly, and, perhaps, variously deformed, and again parents with unsightly digits will have children in whom no deformity appears.

Sometimes the disfigurement appears only in a person's hands, but not in his feet, or vice versa; sometimes it appears in one hand or foot only, and not in the other, and so on, until apparently all the possible combinations are exhausted.

Naturally, under these circumstances, the descendants of the Robbins family have not been welcomed as sons and daughters-in-law. They have been forced, therefore, to intermarry to a great extent, and in consequence this queer heritage has been handed down more persistently than it otherwise would have been.

Current Condensations.

"Gowf," is properly pronounced "goff," according to the editorial authority of the London Daily News.

An electric rock rests on the summit of Alpine Peak, California. It is so full of electricity that it is perilous to touch it.

In Dijon, France, there is a poplar tree which flourished in the year 722. Its height is 122 feet and its circumference 45 feet.

The fastest shorthand writer in the world is a young Dublin gentleman, George Bunbury. He can write 250 words in a minute.

Wire hairpins were first used in 1545 and were invented in England. Before that time the hair was held in place by little wooden skewers.

Powdered charcoal, if laid thick on a burn, causes the immediate abatement of the pain. A superficial burn can thus be healed in about an hour.

There are several springs along the range of the Allegheny mountains that are great curiosities. From these springs a very considerable current of air passes constantly, sufficient at any time to blow a handkerchief out of a person's hand, unless it is held very tightly. These phenomena have never been explained, but it is generally believed that they indicate caves, and that the breeze comes from the internal passages. The best known of these is called Blowing Springs, and is at the foot of Lookout Mountain, about six miles from Chattanooga. This is visited by a great many curiosity seekers and scientists. Others not so well known are found in North Carolina and Georgia.

OUR OYSTER SUPPLY.

In a Century Maryland Waters Have Yielded 400,000,000 Bushels.

The waters of Maryland produce one-third of the total oyster supply of the world. It yields twice as many of these luscious bivalves as are grown in all foreign countries combined. During present century it has put on the market 400,000,000 bushels of the toothsome mollusks. These have sold for the enormous sum of \$250,000,000. Almost all of this country is dependent for the abundance and cheapness of this edible on the supply of the Chesapeake. From here also come very nearly all of the oysters used for canning. In fact, the output of this industry of Maryland is equal to one-sixth of all the fisheries of the United States put together.

The quantity of oyster shells landed upon the shores of Maryland during the last century has been reckoned as 12,000,000 tons. Until very lately the canning firms have had much trouble in getting rid of the shells, having to pay, in fact, for the removal of all that they could not give away. Recently, however, they have been able to sell them. They are now shipped to all parts of the country and are utilized variously for roads, for lime, and employed in making coal gas. They have been found to serve almost as well as stone in the manufacture of special grades of iron for railway beds. Cultivators of oysters also employ them, having found that they afford suitable surface for younger oysters to attach themselves to. They are likewise used to some extent as chicken food. They are very good for hens, the shells of eggs being largely made of them. The trade received \$25,000 in a single year for the empty shells.

How Puss Regards Man.

The cat was a solitary roamer, whose companions were the trees of its native forests. It found a home in the hollow trunks and safety among the branches. How do we know that the cat's ancestors were dwellers in the forest? Because every kitten takes to a tree as readily as a duck to water. Also because nearly all forest dwellers are mottled in color, so that they may not be conspicuous among the light and shadows beneath the trees. While I was considering what was the probable view held by cats about human beings, writes Doctor Louis Robinson in North American Review, it was suggested by one ingenious friend that probably they regard man as a kind of locomotive tree, pleasant to rub against, the lower limbs of which afford a comfortable seat, and from whose upper branches occasionally drop tidbits of mutton and other luscious fruits. We may laugh at the theory, but it has quite a respectable string of facts behind it to back it up. If the Kanakas argued from the pig to the horse, why should the cat not pass from the familiar tree to the unfamiliar organism called man?

The cat, in spite of the domestic character it has acquired, is in reality the least tame of our animal servants. As far as its duties are concerned, man has taught it practically nothing. Its methods of pursuing rats, mice, and birds, are all entirely its own. It is, indeed, rather a wild animal which has taken up its residence in our homes for its own purposes than a servant or a slave.

Beware of Ointments for Catarrh that Contain Mercury.

as mercury will surely destroy the sense of smell and completely derange the whole system when entering it through the mucous surfaces. Such articles should never be used except on prescriptions from reputable physicians, as the damage they will do is tenfold to the good you can possibly derive from them. Hall's Catarrh Cure, manufactured by F. J. Cheney & Co., Toledo, O., contains no mercury, and is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system. In buying Hall's Catarrh Cure be sure you get the genuine. It is taken internally, and made in Toledo, Ohio, by F. J. Cheney & Co. Testimonials free. Sold by Druggists, 75c. per bottle.

Story of Barnato.

A Cape Town paper to hand tells a pretty little story of Mr. B. I. Barnato. As a boy Mr. Barnato went to the London Jews' Free School, which has produced so many leading Jews of the day. When he left his teacher, who was much attached to him, gave him a penny and his blessing. The years rolled by, the friendless youth had made his wonderful career in South Africa, and the little "Barney" had become a personage. About the time when half London and Paris were going crazy over the flotation of the Barnato Bank, "Barney" was seized with a fancy to visit his old schoolmaster. With great difficulty he managed to hunt up the old man.

"Do you recollect," he said, when they met, "do you recollect giving your little Barney a penny when he left school thirty years ago? Here it is back again, and with compound interest," and therewith he handed the schoolmaster a check for \$525.

Fanny Davenport.

One of the famous and successful actresses of the American stage is Fanny Davenport, who comes from old theatrical stock. She was born in London in 1852, but was educated in Boston, where her father was born. She appeared on the stage when only 13 years old, and has since retained a warm corner in the hearts of theater-goers. Her impersonations are numerous, and it is her intention to encourage American playwrights by acting their pieces.

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If you want to quit tobacco using easily and forever, regain lost manhood, be made well, strong, magnetic, full of new life and vigor, take No-To-Bac, the wonder-worker that makes weak men strong. Many gain ten pounds in ten days. Over 400,000 cured. Buy No-To-Bac from your own druggist, who will guarantee a cure. Booklet and sample free. Address Sterling Remedy Co., Chicago or New York.

I pity the man who can travel from Dan to Beersheba, and cry, 'tis all barren—and so it is, and so is all the world to him who will not cultivate the fruits it offers.

There is no excuse for any man to appear in society with a grizzly beard since the introduction of Buckingham's Dye, which colors natural brown or black.

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About Time.

Nearly three years ago we arrived in Culver City. We confess, owing to circumstances over which we had no control, we were in sore financial "straits," but nevertheless with a large amount of grit, and knowing what we could do in the newspaper line, we started the HERALD. The first two years of its existence we had no trouble about meeting every obligation, but the year of 1896, which has been the experience of thousands of others, we have had a hard road to travel, and today have a large number of subscribers enrolled upon our books who have not paid a cent on this year's subscription and owe us also on last year's. You know that to take the HERALD out of your homes would be a great calamity; you know it would be a hard blow to the community to have the only means removed that can chronicle to the world the happenings of the community wherein you reside. But have you ever paused to reflect that a newspaper cannot subsist on "wind"; that it has bills to meet, and when those bills are not met the publisher must necessarily seek other fields. Hence, if you want your home paper to flourish, instead of addressing your letters on blank paper, patronize the job department and in every way possible encourage the publisher by showing a disposition that you appreciate his labors for the upbuilding of the community wherein you reside. The price of the paper is small, but when there are several hundred that utterly ignore bills when sent to them, must necessarily make a newspaper man despondent and discouraged. Come to the front and give us a lift and we promise to make the HERALD a gem in the community to be proud of. To be sure we cannot please everybody, but we shall try to please as near as possible our large array of readers.

Mrs. Lute Rector, died at the home of the widow Rector, last Sunday morning; aged 26 years. She and her husband have been residents of Kansas the past few years and Mrs. Rector has been a sufferer with that dread disease, consumption. Her remains were laid at rest in the Poplar Grove cemetery Monday at 2 o'clock, Rev. Fonce officiating. Funeral services were held at the Christian church, Maxenkuckee.

Rev. Barber preached an interesting sermon last Sunday evening. His discourse was practically upon the question of Christians associating with sinners in order to lead them to a better life. He gave Christ's life as an example. Christ never looked after the righteous but was constantly with that class of people who needed repentance. He gave a very illustrative sermon, which was full of grand thoughts; and if church members in general, and preachers included, would practice what he preached, in less than a half century the whole world would be drawn to Christ and everybody would be happy. But like hundreds of other organizations, the building of fine edifices and having a large membership, is the main issue whether they are Christians or not. Hence, the poor who cannot keep pace with the fashions of the 19th century are left out in the cold, die and are forgotten. Yes, the sermon was a good one and should be printed in letters of gold and circulated all over the country. What a wonderful good the truly Christians can do if they once followed the teachings of Christ and became missionaries right in their own locality.

ADDITIONAL LOCAL NEWS.

Peter Keller, the tonsorial artist, made a business trip to Plymouth Monday.

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DeWitt's Witch Hazel Salve is an antiseptic, soothing and healing application for burns, scalds, cuts, bruises, etc., and cures piles like magic. It instantly stops pain. Culver City Drug Store.

The United States has an area of 3,602,990 square miles and a population of 62,662,260. The whole of the area of Europe is 50,000 square miles less than that of the United States, yet its population reaches 380,200,000.

Notice is hereby given that there will be a meeting held at the Christian church, in Maxenkuckee, Ind., Nov. 28, 1896, for the purpose of electing two Church Trustees. One for the term of two years, and one for the term of three years.

DANIEL W. MARKS, Clerk.

Mr. J. H. Zechiel is having the foundation laid for a residence just south of Rev. Zechiel's new residence, on Zechiel avenue. It will be a handsome structure when completed and we understand will be occupied by the famous contractor and builder himself. D. A. Smith & Co. are doing the stone work.

E. B. Vanschoiack went to Ft. Wayne Monday, and while there purchased a large stock of boots and shoes. He is determined to keep one of the largest and most select stock of footwear to be found in the county and guarantees every article first-class. Be sure to call and examine goods before buying elsewhere.

Six weeks ago I suffered with a very severe cold; was almost unable to speak. My friends all advised me to consult a physician. Noticing Chamberlain's Cough Remedy advertised in the St. Paul Zeitung I procured a bottle, and after taking it a short while was entirely well. I now most heartily recommend this remedy to anyone suffering with a cold. WM. KELL, 678 Selby ave., St. Paul, Minn. Culver City Drug Store. 1-Feb

We neglected to mention that a leap year party was held at Mrs. R. K. Lord's, Hallowe'en, and that the charming girls of Culver City entertained the bashful bachelors and gay young men in a most "illegant" manner, and treated them to a supper the "courses" of which were numerous and of the choicest variety. In fact the dear girls taught the boys a lesson in etiquette they will long remember.

Fidelity is a principle which cannot be too highly prized. We are living in an age of restlessness, unsettlement and change. Principles are easily abandoned and friends shaken off. The old virtue of faithfulness to our convictions and loyalty to our friends is greatly to be desired and honored. The world is too much given to gossip, and few, indeed, are able to hold their tongues even about secret things, if they can raise a laugh.

Of interest to American farmers is the announcement in a Consular report to the State Department that Germany, hitherto practically a rye eating country, is rapidly going over to wheat bread. The consumption of rye flour there is steadily decreasing, and that of wheat increasing. As the United States exports large quantities of wheat and wheat flour and scarcely any rye, the importance of the change is apparent. At present the United States follows Russia and the Argentine Republic in the value of wheat exports to Germany. American flour is more expensive than any other there, but the demand is growing and will have to be met.

Peter Keller, the barber, has moved his shop on Main street south of the post office.

Many political speakers, clergymen, singers and others who use the voice excessively, rely upon One Minute Cough Cure to prevent huskiness and laryngitis. Its value as a preventive is only equaled by its power to afford instantaneous relief. Culver City Drug Store.

The banker "passes in his checks," the cashier "goes to his last account," the mugwump "joins the great majority," the cobbler "breathes his last," the saloon keeper "seeks the spirit land," the hunter "crosses the Great Divide," the soldier "goes to answer the last long roll call," the gambler "shuffles off," the stableman "kicks the buckets," the spiritualistic medium "gives up the ghost," the accountant "goes to his long reckoning," but according to the newspapers very few people simply "die."

Mr. H. H. Culver is again in Culver City overseeing the job of preparing the ground for the foundation of the new annex to the Culver Military academy. Although not in the best of health he attends to directing the men under his employ with that hustling spirit that characterizes the man in all his undertakings. He is highly gratified over the result of the election and says it will be the means of starting business upon a new plane, and opening up the channels of commerce, as money will be more plenty and easier to get than when uncertainty stared the nation in the face.

One of the last of the great events connected with Hungary's millennial exposition, which has been in progress at Budapest since last May, was the opening of the Iron gates of the Danube by the Emperor of Austria and the Kings of Servia and Roumania. The entrance to the Iron Gates canal is about four miles from Orsova, Servia, and at this point a flower laden cord has been stretched across, the only obstruction now remaining to the commerce of the great Danube river. As the steamer on which were the three monarchs of the three nations specially interested in this great engineering work, snapped the flower laden cord, the salutes of cannon and the cheers of the people proclaimed that the dreaded Iron Gates of the Danube no longer had any terror for the navigator and that they are now forever open to the commerce of the nations on its banks. This event is a notable one, and in connection with the other events celebrated in this thousandth year of Hungary's existence as a nation, shows an awakened spirit of enterprise and national pride that augurs well for the future of Austri-Hungary. The Danube is to Eastern Europe what the Rhine is to Western Europe. It is a river of romance, of a picturesque beauty quite as great as that of the Rhine, but not, perhaps, as well celebrated, and is the noblest stream of the continent. Just sixty years ago the first steamer to take its departure from Vienna to Pesth began its trip with half the Austrian capital on the banks to witness the novel sight, and the same year the Iron Gates were passed for the first time by the Pannonia. But the rapids caused by the huge rocks in the bed of the river, the frowning precipices of the encroaching mountains and other difficulties have ever since made the passage of the Iron Gates one that was dreaded, frequently resulting in damage to vessels and sometimes in loss of life. The construction of the great canal and the removal of some of the rocks, have at last obviated the difficulty of passage, and the gloomy shadows of the mountains at the Iron Gates will henceforth be only a picturesque feature of the "blue Danube."

Look! Look! Look!

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We are showing the Cream Line of these goods for

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We are selling 'em daily to—and its the

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At Gold Standard Prices.

Seventy-three (73) acres, 2½ miles from Burr Oak and 4½ miles from Lake Maxenkuckee; fair house; about 50 acres under cultivation, balance good timber, 2 acres of vineyard all for \$1,400.

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One hundred and five (105) acres, 7 miles from Plymouth and 8 miles from Marmon; beveled log house; frame barn; well fenced; 70 acres in cultivation, balance timber and meadow.

These are only a few of the many Bargains I have to offer. Call and see me or address me at Plymouth, Ind. Respectfully yours.

SEARS BLOCK.

J. A. MOLTER.

CULVER CITY LOCALIZED.

And Put in Good Form for the Benefit of the Herald's Numerous Readers.

Dillon & Meredith shipped several car loads of fine beef cattle this week.

Quite a number of Republicans attended the Jolification at Plymouth Tuesday.

South Bend parties are contemplating a few days' hunting and fishing at Lake Maxenkuckee.

You should see the large and select line of dry goods Vanschoiack purchased while at Ft. Wayne Monday.

The Palmer House has closed for the season, and Mr. Palmer and his amiable wife have returned to their home in Chicago.

Eugene Marshal is the happiest man in Marshall county today. He will take possession of the sheriff's office on the 19th. Eugene will make a good sheriff.

Chronic constipation is a painful, disagreeable and life-shortening difficulty. It deranges the system, causes sick headache, bad breath, and poisons the blood. It can be readily overcome by DeWitt's Little Early Risers. These little pills are great regulators. Culver City Drug Store.

Albert Glen Casper, son of George and Nannie Caspar, was born Feb. 4, 1896 died Nov. 7, 1896, age 9 months and five days. Funeral services were held at Zion's Reformed church Monday after which the remains were interred in cemetery near by, Rev. J. W. Barber officiating.

A local paper in any vicinity is an invaluable medium to the people, and should be nurtured by everyone, old and young. They should subscribe for it, read it and should never miss an opportunity to do it some good; to keep it in their midst, for without a live, local paper, the community becomes dormant and uninteresting. It is now going on three years since the HERALD came into existence, and while we have no reason to complain (except a considerable amount of money standing out which would greatly enhance our standing in financial circles) there is still room for improvement. It should be borne in mind that if the people do not patronize, uphold and help their home paper along it must fall to a certain extent, and as a consequence it adds greatly to their loss. Not one solitary person should stop his home paper because they take one published a few miles off. They should stick to the one that does and will do them the most good—one printed at home, and the only one that is constantly looking after their interests and upholding everything that is right and just. A newspaper cannot be published in the interest of any one person and satisfy the masses; it must publish the news as it comes, if it be authentic, whether from observation, or whether it be from the pen of those who see fit to hand in items for publication. There is nothing in all this broad land so capable of furthering the interests of the common people as a paper published almost at their own door; it helps to build up the town, and the improvements are many it advocates, and every one such adds a lasting benefit, and brings forth praises from those from a distance who have at times an opportunity to be in our midst. Don't discard your home paper, but rather support it with all your might. Subscribe for it, read it, get your neighbor to do likewise, and always remember that \$1.00 paid for a year's issue of the HERALD will never be missed by anyone. So come, with one accord—pay up your back dues, pay a year in advance, and by so doing you will not only be helping us, but will also be benefiting yourselves and doing your duty.

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HE IS SELLING
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**Cheaper
Than Ever!**

Is our line of Underwear. The stock is very complete. If you desire you can purchase all the way from 15 cents up. We call special attention to our Ladies' All-Wool Garments—for the money we do not know where we could have purchased a better grade.

Also, we are giving some great values in Dress Goods. Never before were we able to give our customers the benefit of such bargains. Times are close, and please examine our stock of immense bargains before you let go your money. Our aim is to sell to one and all, goods worth the money paid.

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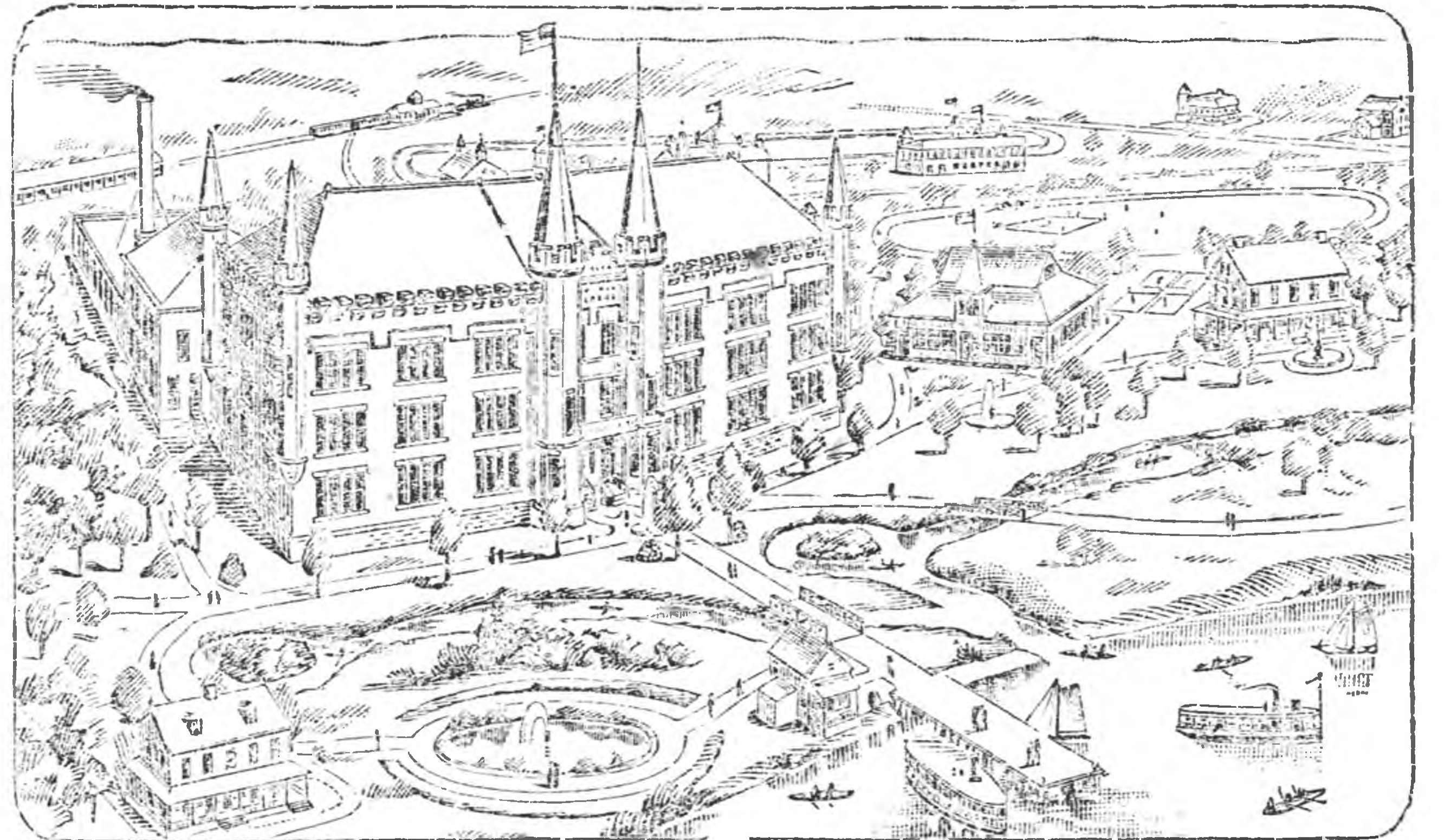
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MESSRS. LILLYBRIDGE & METTINGER, JEWELERS, PLYMOUTH, have Mr. Campbell, of Albany, with them now. He is an expert watchmaker and you should call in to see the fine hand-made watch he is making. Messrs. L. and E. are better prepared than ever to give satisfaction in every case than any one in town. If you cannot get that watch of yours to give satisfaction take it to THEM and you will not regret it. All work guaranteed or no pay.

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THIRTEEN DROWNED.

OCEAN TRAGEDY IN THE HARBOR OF ST. JOHN'S.

Big Steamer Cuts Down a Lumber-Laden Schooner—Liverpool and Australia Still Buying Wheat—Three Months in Prison for Mrs. Castle.

Boats in a Fatal Collision. The steamer Tiber, Captain de Lisle, bound for Sydney, came into collision with the schooner Maggie...

MARKET VERY STRONG.

Wheat Advanced Sharply Do to Great Milling Demand.

The Liverpool wheat market did not change its price for futures at the opening Friday and was quoted 1/4 higher for No. 1 northern on the spot...

Meyer L. Navera Commits Suicide. Meyer L. Navera, one of the most widely known insurance men in the South, committed suicide at New Orleans, La.

Ocean Rates to Advance Dec. 1.

An official of the Cunard Line at London informed a representative of the Associated Press that the increase in passenger rates, which the French Trans-Atlantic Steamship Company announced...

Kate Field's Funeral Delayed.

The remains of Miss Kate Field were not brought to San Francisco by steamer Thursday from Honolulu. Arrangements had been made for the funeral Sunday from Trinity Church...

Orders Chief Justice White Soid.

Judge Grosscup in the Federal Court at Chicago made an order directing the sale of the old excursion boat, Chief Justice Waite. The boat was tied up at the end of the last season by unpaid servants...

Mrs. Castle Guilty.

The trial in London of Mr. and Mrs. Walter M. Castle, of San Francisco, charged with shoplifting, took place in the sessions house at Clerkenwell, and resulted in Mr. Castle being acquitted and Mrs. Castle being sentenced to three months' imprisonment without hard labor.

General Joseph T. Torrence Dies After Two Years' Illness.

Gen. Joseph T. Torrence died Saturday night at his home, 88 Bellevue place, Chicago. Although he had been confined to his bed for only two weeks, he had been suffering two years with Bright's disease. Gen. Torrence was born March 15, 1843, in Mercer County, Pennsylvania.

OUT FOR MR. CASTLE NOW.

British Prosecutor Intimates a Belief He Helped Steal the Goods.

At the opening of the Clerkenwell sessions, London, Monday, Chairman McConnell directed the special attention of the Grand Jury to the case of Mr. and Mrs. Walter M. Castle, of San Francisco, who are charged with stealing goods from various London stores...

Protect the Public.

Summaries in the advance sheets of the Interstate Commerce Commission's annual report are designed to show the extent to which railway equipment is fitted with automatic couplers and train brakes.

Table with columns: Year, Brake, Incr., Coupler, Incr. Data for years 1895-1899.

Public Debt Shows an Increase.

The monthly comparative statement of the receipts and expenditures of the United States shows the total receipts for the month of October to have been \$25,282,829, as compared with \$27,901,748 for October, 1895.

Table with columns: Customs, Internal revenue, Miscellaneous. Values for October 1895 and 1896.

Flour Going Up.

Flour is going up in price with wheat. Just before the recent advance in wheat, flour was selling as follows: Patent, \$3.05; extra fancy, \$2.70; fancy, \$2.25, and choice, \$1.90.

Try to Steal Coffin Handles.

An attempt was made to rob the mausoleum of J. M. Foster in St. Louis Cemetery at Louisville. No motive can be assigned for the deed save robbery...

SHARP COMMENT TOUCHING TREATY DISCLOSURES.

Alleged that the Secret Diplomacy Should Yet Have Been Held a State Secret—Capitalists Interested in Canadian Coal Fields.

Criticize the Count.

The Reichsanzeiger of Berlin replies to Prince Bismarck's organ, the Hamburger Nachrichten, on the latest phase of the dispute concerning the disclosure of the Russo-German treaty of 1884-90...

COAL IN CANADA.

Giant Corporation Being Formed to Develop the Field.

Four months ago there was a discovery of coal in Algoma, western Ontario. The Lehigh Valley Railroad dispatched experts to the scene of the discovery with instructions to test the coal thoroughly...

STRATHNEVIS CASE.

Final Settlement of the Famous Pacific Salvage Claims.

Judge H. C. Hanford, at Seattle, Wash., has handed down his decision in the famous salvage case of the Canadian-Australian Steamship Line, owner of the Miowera, and the Pacific Improvement Line, owner of the steamship Minola...

Decamps with a Sack of Money.

While tearing off the roof of his house Edward Spangler, a farmer living at Spry, Pa., found a bag filled with gold and silver notes. Before he had time to count his find his hired man, William Sullivan, seized the bag and made off with it.

Poultney Bigelow Without Cash.

Poultney Bigelow, the well-known magazine writer, lawyer and erstwhile schoolmate of Emperor William of Germany, was before Justice Van Wyck in the Supreme Court, Brooklyn, in supplementary proceedings. Judgments aggregating \$24,325 have been obtained against Bigelow by Col. A. A. Pope.

Names Not on Ship's Manifest.

Six hundred Italians arrived at Ellis Island on the Clive. When the immigrants were counted it was learned that at least three "groups" were not on the ship's manifest. The owners of a vessel are liable to a fine of \$10 for each passenger whose name does not appear on the manifest.

Large Gains in Gold Reported.

The treasury at Washington Wednesday lost \$47,000 in gold coin and \$44,700 in jewelers' bars. The net gain at New York, however, was \$2,382,300. This leaves the reserve \$117,587,898.

Bolivia May Aid Cuba.

News has been received at Lima, Peru, from Sucre, Bolivia, that the Commissioner of Foreign Affairs of the Senate has presented a motion in that body for the recognition of Bolivia of the Cuban insurgents as belligerents.

Methodist Episcopal Bishops to Make Western Appointments Later.

The Methodist Episcopal Bishops as an official board closed their work at Pittsburgh, Pa., Monday afternoon. They will meet at Providence, R. I., next April to make appointments for the fall conferences in Ohio, Western Pennsylvania, West Virginia, and west of the Mississippi River.

NUGGETS ON THE SURFACE.

Report that the Yellow Metal Is Plenty in Yukon District.

William Ogilvey, a land surveyor who is in the Yukon district in connection with the delimitation of the Alaska boundary, has made a report to the Canadian Minister of the Interior stating that a great gold find has been made on Bonanza Creek, which flows into Deer River about forty miles from Fort Cadahy.

Checked on River's Edge.

The Rockport express, on the Eastern division of the Boston and Maine Railroad, had a narrow escape Friday from being precipitated into Saugus River, at Lynn, Mass., through the failure of the air brakes to work.

Annual Thanksgiving Festival.

On Wednesday President Cleveland issued his proclamation designating Thursday, Nov. 26, as a fitting day for the observance of the annual Thanksgiving festival.

Vote, then Died.

Charles Horton, a wealthy and aged resident of Middletown, N. Y., went to the polls and voted. He fell dead on returning home. He was the father of G. B. Horton, of Brooklyn.

Russia an Easy Creditor.

It is rumored that Russia, in view of Turkey's financial troubles, will reduce the yearly installment of the Turkish war indemnity of 1,000,000 rubles to half a million rubles.

MARKET QUOTATIONS.

Chicago—Cattle, common to prime, \$3.50 to \$5.25; hogs, shipping grades, \$3.00 to \$3.75; sheep, fair to choice, \$2.00 to \$3.50; wheat, No. 2 red, 74c to 76c; corn, No. 2, 24c to 25c; oats, No. 2, 18c to 19c; rye, No. 2, 36c to 38c; butter, choice creamery, 17c to 19c; eggs, fresh, 17c to 18c; potatoes, per bushel, 15c to 25c; broom corn, common short to choice dwarf, \$35 to \$100 per ton.

PRESIDENT CLEVELAND NAMES DATE OF THE FESTIVAL.

Proclamation Appoints Thursday, Nov. 26, as the Day for Acknowledgment to the God of Nations for Blessings Vouchsafed the United States.

Homage to the Universal Ruler.

The President Wednesday issued the following thanksgiving proclamation: "By the President of the United States: The people of the United States should never be unmindful of the gratitude they owe the God of nations, for his watchful care which has shielded them from disaster and pointed out to them the way of peace and happiness.

On that day let all our people forego their usual work and occupation and, assembled in their accustomed places of worship, let them with one accord render thanks to the Ruler of the Universe for our preservation as a nation and our deliverance from every threatened danger.

"And let us, through the mediation of him who has taught us how to pray, implore the forgiveness of our sins and a continuation of heavenly favor. "Let us not forget on this day of thanksgiving the poor and needy, and by deeds of charity let our offerings of praise be made more acceptable in the sight of the Lord. "Witness my hand and the seal of the United States, which I have caused to be hereto affixed. "Done at the City of Washington this 4th day of November, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and ninety-six, and of the independence of the United States of America the one hundred and twenty-first. "GROVER CLEVELAND. "By the President. "RICHARD OLNEY, "Secretary of State."

RAILROAD INTERESTS.

Prospects of Great Increase of General Traffic.

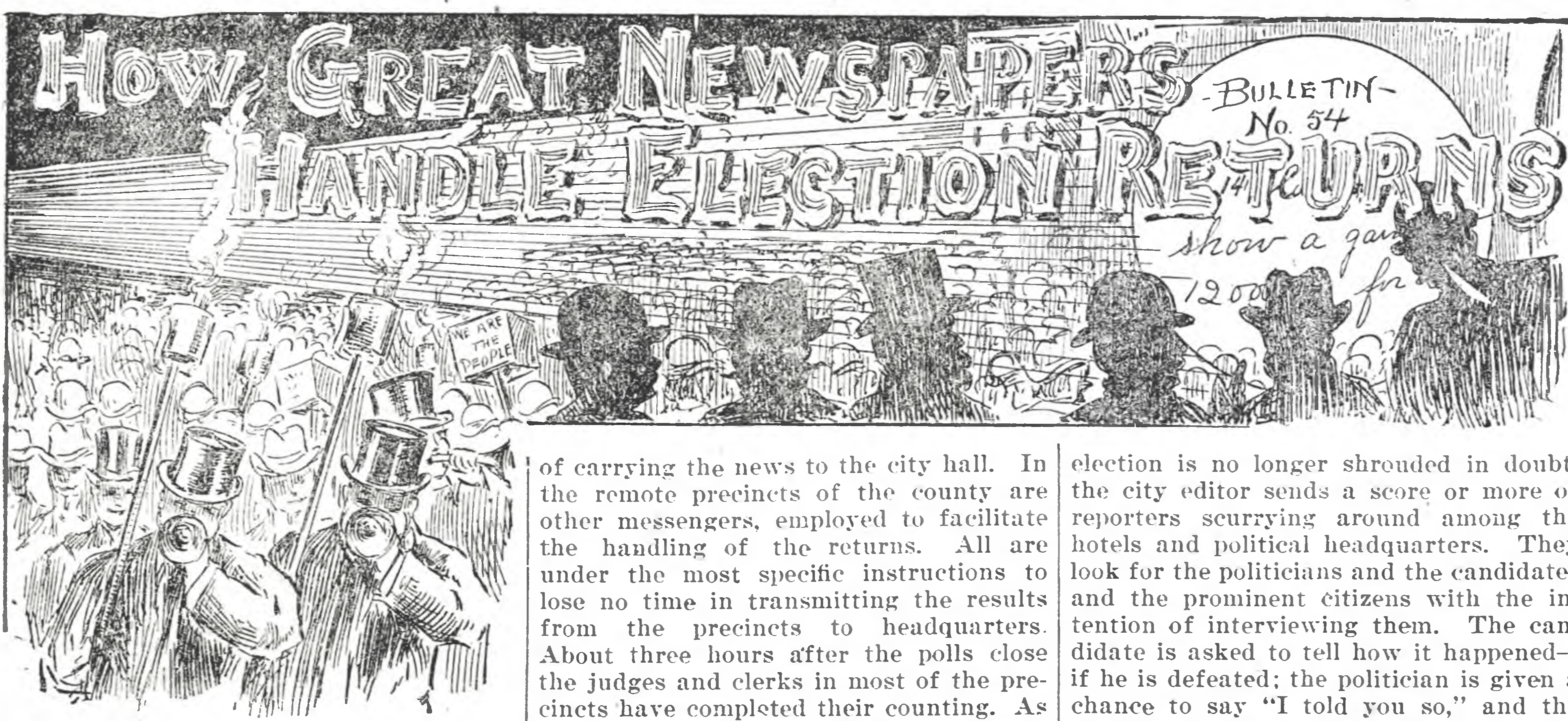
Chicago railroad officials say that for months their business has been exceedingly dull and earnings have been below the dull months of the last full year. Now a revival is looked for in freight circles. Officials predict one of the heaviest movements of merchandise known in many years.

No Second-Class Fares.

Lines members of the Central Passenger and Trunk Lines' committees are considering a proposition to abolish second-class fares. Another matter of more than ordinary interest to a large number of people concerns the policy to be followed next year in handling clergy business.

Telegraphic Brevities.

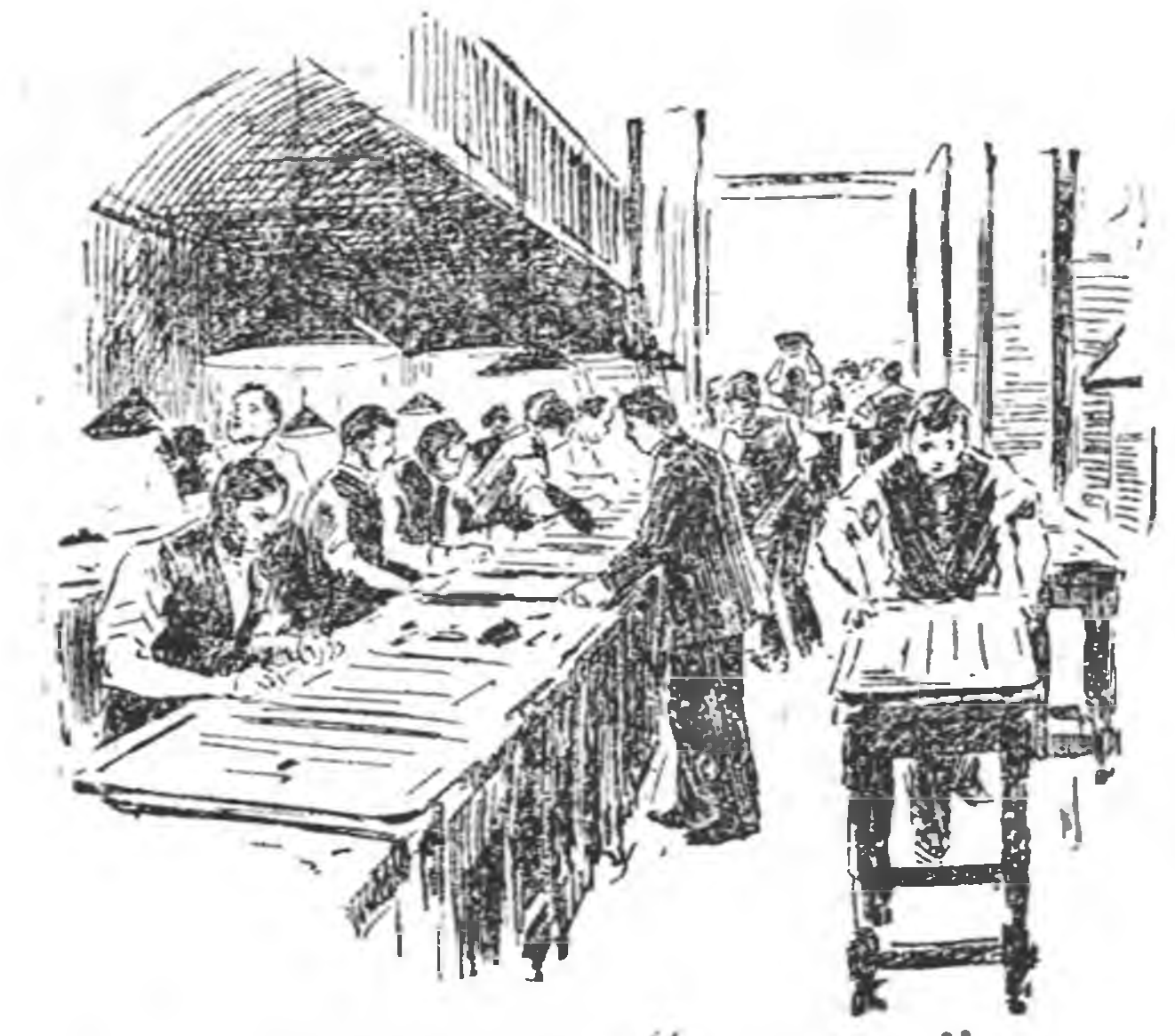
The insurgents made an attack upon the town of Mariet, the northern terminus of the trocha, but they were repulsed by the garrison, assisted by a gunboat in the bay. Prince August, heir apparent to the Duchy of Oldenburg, was married at Schwerin to the Duchess Ethelbert, sister of the Grand Duke Frederick Francis of Mecklenburg-Schwerin. Rev. A. C. Dixon, in the Hanson Place Baptist Church, Brooklyn, before a large congregation, delivered a sermon on the subject, "Should John Y. McKane Be Pardoned?" He followed the sermon by a prayer for McKane's pardon.



NOT more than one out of a hundred of the great number of American citizens, who, on the morning following a national election, permit their breakfast to grow cold while they read the complete story of the battle of the ballots, has even the vaguest knowledge of the tremendous task imposed upon the great newspapers of the country when a presidential election comes around. Quite in line with the progress of the day are the interesting methods by which the printing press produces a perfect mirror of events political within a few hours after the last ballot has been cast, giving telegrams from every State in the Union, the vote for President by counties in tabular form, the vote on the various State tickets, the political complexion of the different Legislatures, the standing of the next United States Senate, returns from every Congressional district, a list of the new members to the House of Representatives, the legislative returns for each State, and, finally, a complete report of the election in the city and county where the newspaper is published.

How the News Is Obtained.
The methods adopted for rapidly and effectively accomplishing all this have been reduced to an accurate system by all the great dailies, but those employed by the Chicago Times-Herald are particularly efficient. To carry them out requires weeks of preparation, the most liberal expenditure of money, the employment of the most skillful labor, the exercise of the keenest intelligence, and the utmost economy of time in every direction. The details are almost innumerable, yet all of them have to be executed to the letter, so closely are they connected with each other in the system which has been devised for handling the returns. First in its importance is the work of the Associated Press. Through this great agency the paper receives telegraphic reports of the election from all parts of the Union. At least a week before election the correspondents are forwarded printed instructions, giving them the form in which they shall prepare their dispatches, and other rules for their guidance in handling the news from their localities. These instructions are designed chiefly to insure promptness, accuracy and brevity. In addition to this force the special correspondents of the newspaper itself form an army which any general would be proud to command if assembled in a body. The Times-Herald has more than 2,000 of these vigilant news gatherers scattered from the Atlantic to the Pacific, and from the Gulf to the frontier line on the north. These watch the polls, ready to record the figures of the election as soon as they are announced. They supply the news from those towns and cities in which the Associated Press has no representatives, and perform other special duties devolving upon them should the election be marked by any unusual incidents in their respective localities.

An avalanche of telegrams begins to get in motion very shortly after the polls are closed on the night of election. Each special correspondent, impressed with the necessity of getting his dispatches on the wires as early as possible, rushes to the telegraph office. Each correspondent of the Associated Press, animated by the same desire, enlists the aid of electricity at the earliest moment. Thousands and thousands of telegraph operators click off the messages thrown upon their desks. At the same hour the City Press Association, upon which falls the task of collecting the returns for Chicago and Cook County is busily employed. There are some States in the Union which cannot boast of having more election precincts than are included in the territory covered by this association on election night. Chicago has almost a thousand precincts, in addition to which must be counted more than a hundred precincts



for other townships. Yet the complete returns from every precinct in this vast territory, populated by more than 3,000,000 souls, are in the offices of the several newspapers before midnight, and the majority of the figures are in type before that hour.

The polls close at 4 o'clock in the afternoon in Chicago. The reporters of the City Press Association watch every voting place in the city an hour later. These reporters are not necessarily newspaper men. In the city proper they are mostly policemen, detailed for the special duty

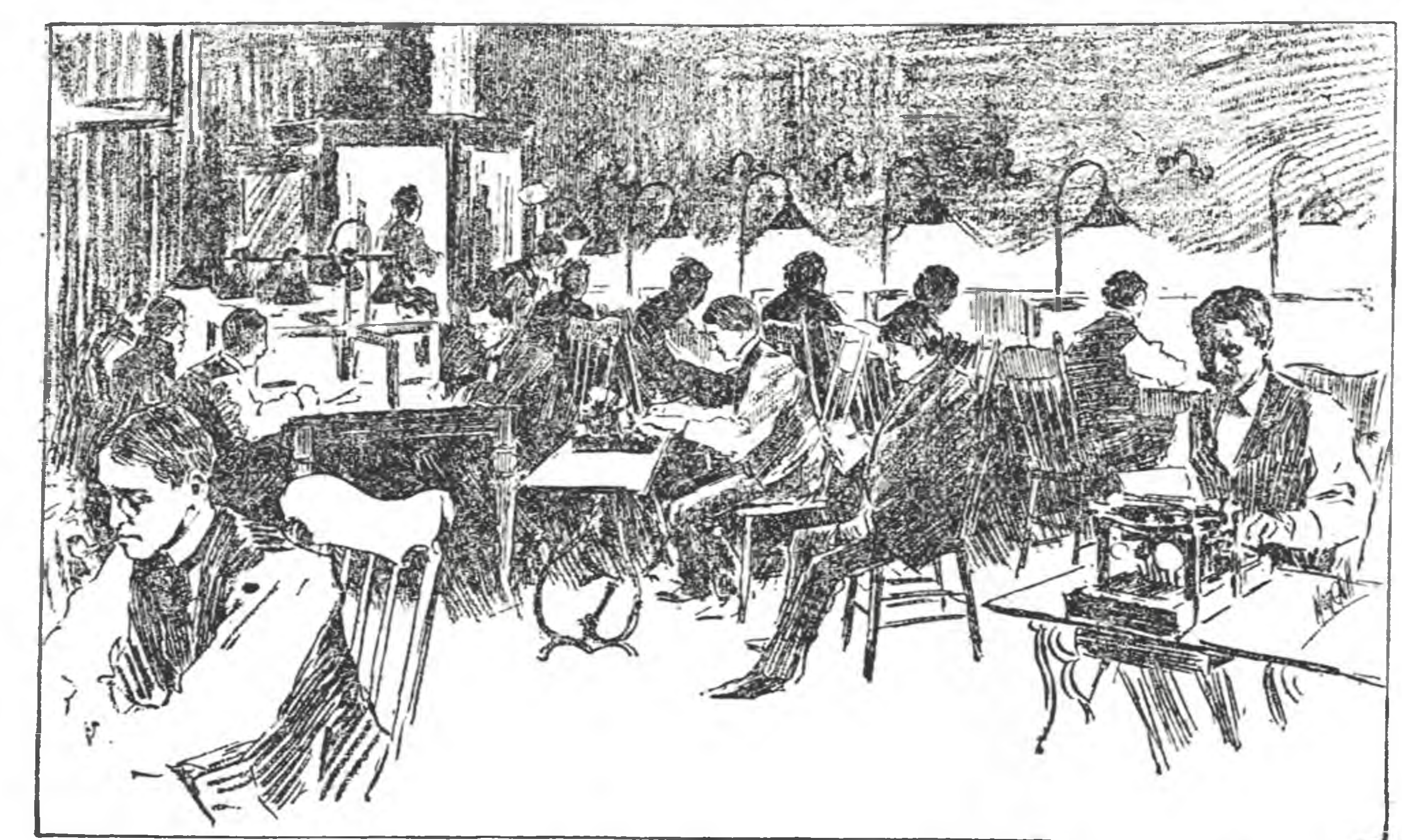
of carrying the news to the city hall. In the remote precincts of the county are other messengers, employed to facilitate the handling of the returns. All are under the most specific instructions to lose no time in transmitting the results from the precincts to headquarters. About three hours after the polls close the judges and clerks in most of the precincts have completed their counting. As soon as they have ascertained the vote of their precincts the result is given to the messengers in waiting. Then begins a race from all directions. Railroad trains, street cars, horses and bicycles hasten the transmission of the news to the headquarters of the Press Association, where scores of skilled accountants are in waiting to tabulate the figures for the newspapers. As fast as the figures are tra-



EXPERT ACCOUNTANTS AT WORK.

scribed, a pneumatic tube carries them with lightning swiftness to the newspapers. There they are copied, as a safeguard against any emergencies, and a check against any mistakes that might arise, and are sent to the composing room. The earliest returns on election night come in the shape of bulletins from different sections of the country. In the hands of trained observers, these bulletins are compared with the vote of the previous presidential election, and thus furnish indications of the result to be expected. As the bulletins increase in number they become more definite as the hour grows later, until they begin to tell the story without any need of comparisons. The figures are copied and then handed over to the telegraph editors to be prepared for the composing room.

Where Everything Hums.
With an army of telegraph operators, editors, reporters and typesetters all working at the same time to their utmost



THE TIMES-HERALD REPORTORIAL DEPARTMENT.

capacity, human intelligence is necessarily taxed to its limit to meet the situation. An able-bodied youth watches the pneumatic tubes, through which an almost constant stream of leather-covered cylinders come flying, to be discharged into the glass-enclosed receiving chamber. Each of these cylinders contains from one to a dozen sheets of "flimsy," the name given by newspaper men to the yellow tissue paper used by the press associations in the duplication of their news by the manifold process. The "flimsy" is distributed by hurrying "copy" boys between the editors, reporters and accountants, each of whom has been assigned to some special duty by his chief. On their desks are piles of heavy cardboard, ruled and labeled ready for the tabulation of the vote in the county, from President down to the local officials. Each ward, precinct and township has a separate blank, with separate blanks also for recording the vote of the Congressional and legislative districts. One man may have several of these tables to take care of. As the returns come into the office they are passed from one to another of the clerical force, who pick out the figures for their table, until the last return is duly recorded.

The expert accountants begin their work footing up the columns of figures as soon as possible. When a complete vote is obtained for any of the candidates, the total is quickly recorded on another table giving a summary of the vote, and the vote, by ward, or precinct, or outside town, is then "shot" through a pneumatic tube to the composing room above, to be set in type. Here it falls into the hands of the compositor, who sits before a typesetting machine and pounds away at a keyboard like a typewriter. When he finishes, the figures on his "copy" have been transformed into a glistening, solid line of type.

There are other matters to be looked after on election night, aside from gathering and handling the returns. Along about midnight, when the result of the

election is no longer shrouded in doubt, the city editor sends a score or more of reporters scurrying around among the hotels and political headquarters. They look for the politicians and the candidates and the prominent citizens with the intention of interviewing them. The candidate is asked to tell how it happened—if he is defeated; the politician is given a chance to say "I told you so," and the prominent citizen expresses his gratification or astonishment over the result. This is about the final chapter of the story of election day, as written by the reporters. They have already recorded the scenes and incidents of the day, from the opening to the closing of the polls, with a minuteness of detail characteristic only of the metropolitan reporter.

The desire to give every bit of information possible to its out-of-town readers is the reason why big morning newspaper offices on election night are about the busiest places on earth. A composing room is always a place where hustling is in fashion, but election night brings this feature out most strongly. About 9 o'clock the first election "copy" begins to pour into the copycutters' cage, and the stream never diminishes in volume until near daylight. Since the adoption of the typesetting machines the work of putting the copy into type and making up the forms for the stereotypers has been made much easier and shorter. Between the first and second editions of the paper comes the final strain of the night. This is from 1 to 3 a. m., after the editors, reporters and accountants have disposed of a hasty lunch. Later and more accurate returns make necessary a revision of a great part of the paper. Proofs are consulted; figures are stricken out and new ones inserted; headings are rewritten; totals are changed beneath the columns to conform to the changes made in their figures, and a hundred more changes have to be made in a few minutes that the paper may go out in a finished condition. When the great presses finally begin to roll off the second edition the work of handling the returns still goes on upstairs. Important news may come in at any minute changing the aspect of the election, and provision must be made for issuing an "extra" in such an emergency. For this reason the clerical force remains at work until the forenoon is well along, and a force of compositors is retained.

Story Told by Bulletins.
The scene outside the newspapers offices, hotels and campaign headquarters on election night is one of rare excitement and interest. In a great city like Chicago "watching the returns" has become



a feature of politics, attended with all the bustle, enjoyment and variety that ingenuity and intelligence can suggest. The plan adopted by the big dailies for keeping the public posted up to midnight scored some new and remarkable features this year. Intense interest in the election does not permit many city residents to remain at home on election night, and from 7 o'clock until daylight vast crowds parade the principal thoroughfares, going from point to point where bulletins are displayed. These take the form of huge canvas screens tacked across the front of a building opposite the newspaper office. Two powerful stereopticons are employed to flash the returns upon them.

By still another method the enterprising newspapers tell the story of the election for the benefit of the public, and this novel system of disseminating news was used on election night for the first time. One newspaper secured a searchlight of the greatest possible reflecting capacity which, under the guidance of an expert, flashed a code of signals up into the sky, visible as far as fifty miles away. The Times-Herald placed men on the top of its building, and exactly on the hour, from dark until after midnight, shot up into the air bombs of different colors. These burst as high as 1,000 feet aloft, and were visible fifteen miles from any direction. Each color had its individual significance, the number fired at one time indicating city, State or national report, as the case might be, and the color designating the political complexion of affairs at that hour. The bursting of a grand battery of bombs of all colors wound up the display, announcing that the presidential question was settled, and closing the exciting campaign of 1896 in a blaze of glory.

William the Conqueror, before the conquest of England, wore only the cap of a French duke, but after that event added a coronet with points.

THE PRESIDENT'S "SCHOOL."

Small Things He Must Learn with His Oath of Office.

The die has been cast and the choice made for the next President. The incomer, though a man long prominent in politics, begins immediately after his election to "go to school." He has much to learn before he can really become President of the United States. His school books will be the example of his predecessors, a lesson from the Judge of the Supreme Court who administers the oath of office, and the Constitution of the United States. Certain things are prescribed for the President to do. Others he does from long-established precedent.

The first thing a President has to learn is self-denial. His oath of office is administered in the open exposure upon the east Capitol front, and from there he delivers his inaugural address. A time-honored custom with the Weather Bureau is to provide a drizzly, sleety rain at this time, and the new President, with bared head, promises to forget himself, his own welfare, his opinions and his ambitions in the interests of the people. The rain baptizes his head with this decision. The people look on from their comfortable platforms, sheltered by umbrellas, and applaud. The President is practicing self-sacrifice, but he will have a cold in his head without doubt. Cleveland had a mild attack of grip after his last inaugural. Whew, how it snowed at the hour for the inaugural address!

The proceedings before the inauguration require study on the part of the incoming President. His duty is to be in Washington on March 4, ready to go to work. His term of servitude is four years, dating from that hour. Custom makes him do more. The day be-

lamations so that they go to the hearts of the people. This often requires study on his part. The most trying proclamation ever issued was the Thanksgiving message sent out by President Arthur a few weeks after Garfield's death. There was some curiosity to see how he would word such a message at such a time. But his supreme tact rose to the occasion. The incoming President should always learn tact. To be without it has made enemies for many a good Executive.

The President must learn to bear physical disturbance. Grant was awakened from his sleep at 2:30 the morning the Butler "salary-grab" bill was passed. The President's approval was necessary. By 10 o'clock the President had read the bill, approved it, and word was carried to the Capitol to that effect. That meant work in the wee sma' hours. When the bill was repealed the President worked none the less faithfully.

The President must learn to introduce. Not merely to pronounce names, but to conduct the art of presentation in a manner that shall be acceptable to all peoples and all nations. And at dinners he must be the gracious host, presenting, greeting, leading the way to dinner, denominating places and being ready for the return trip to the drawing-room at a mystic look from his wife. All told, the President has a severe task before him.

A Curiously Named Garden.

There is a garden in Brixton kept by an old gentleman, which presents some curiosities in floral nomenclature. The owner has been seized with a desire to label his flowers after the manner of botanists, but, knowing nothing of scientific terms, consulted an acquaintance. The result is more amusing than



DELIVERING THE INAUGURAL ADDRESS IN A STORM.

fore the inauguration the President-elect arrives in Washington. There is always a crowd to meet him at the station, and from the minute he registers at the hotel with his "suite"—in other words, his wife and relatives—he must hold an informal reception. He must take his primary lesson in affability. No matter if they do press in while he is taking his noontide bite to urge a postoffice appointment. No matter if Mrs. Brown, from Cobunkus, does arrive with the coffee and after-luncheon smoke to beg a button off the Presidential coat. Luncheon, coffee, cigars, all must be given up, and the President must smile and smile again.

In the afternoon the President-elect goes to call at the White House upon the President. His object is to notify him that he is in Washington, and is ready to assume the duties of office. He makes a call of ten minutes and goes back to his hotel. Within an hour the President calls at the hotel and notifies the incoming President that he is ready to deliver up the keys of state. In the evening all dine together at the White House. The next morning, the 4th of March, the new President goes to the White House at 11 o'clock. In a little while the Senate Reception Committee calls there and all get into carriages to go to the Capitol for the inauguration. There are the two Presidents, the two Cabinets, the head of the army, the commander of the navy and a large citizens' escort. A few preliminaries in the Senate and the President finds himself upon the porch of the Capitol addressing the crowd—in the storm.

A duty which the President has to learn early in his career is the writing of harmonious messages. Not only must he write correctly, but he must be able to word his messages and proc-

appropriate, and proves the folly of wisdom where ignorance is bliss. Scientific names have been affixed to all the flowers, but strictly on the principle that "a rose by any other name will smell as sweet." One row bears the inscription "Nux vomica;" another is boldly labeled "Nisi Prius;" a third is affirmed to be "Ipecacuanha," and another to be "Particeps criminis." The amateur gardener is exceedingly proud of his collection, and no one has enlightened him on the incongruity of the descriptions.—London Telegraph.

A Unique Republic.

The republic of Goust is the smallest in the world. Andorra is an empire in comparison. Goust is about a mile square, and it houses 130 persons. It has been independent these 250 years.

It stands on top of a mountain by the Spanish border, near the edge of France, and it gets along very comfortably without ever mixing itself in other people's affairs, and without reading the evening papers, or, so far as we know, the morning ones. The delectable 130 govern themselves by a council, one member of which is selected to see that the business agreed upon is executed. Matters go along very smoothly, and Goustians are all the happier because nobody knows much about them, and therefore they are unenvied.—Kansas City Times.

Nature.

"Unnatural father," sobbed the heroine. Indeed, he was to such an extent unnatural that the stage manager let him go at the end of the week.

English Widows.

In England there are 114 widows to every fifty-four widowers.

HOW TO PREVENT CROUP.

Some Reading That Will Prove Interesting to Young Mothers. How to Guard Against the Disease.

Croup is a terror to young mothers and to post them concerning the cause, first symptoms and treatment is the object of this item. The origin of croup is a common cold. Children who are subject to it take cold very easily and croup is almost sure to follow. The first symptom is hoarseness; this is soon followed by a peculiar rough cough, which is easily recognized and will never be forgotten by one who has heard it. The time to act is when the child first becomes hoarse. If Chamberlain's Cough Remedy is freely given all tendency to croup will soon disappear. Even after the croupy cough has developed it will prevent the attack. There is no danger in giving this remedy for it contains nothing injurious. Culver City Drug Store. 1 feb

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That Concert.

Thursday evening the Philharmonic Club gave a musical concert at Nussbaum, Mayer & Co.'s hall. The house was comfortably filled, but really standing room should have been at a premium, taking the merits of the entertainment into consideration. This club is under the direct supervision of that eminent vocal music instructor, Dr. B. W. S. Wiseman, who deserves a monument to his memory from the young people if they half appreciate the efforts he has put forth to advance them in that which is superior to all other arts upon the globe, viz., music. He had the club well in hand and every voice chimed with that perfection that denoted a perfect training. We have not space to give an extended account of the affair, but will simply say that the duet sung by Miss Florence Barber and Miss Nellie Garn was simply superb and would have pleased the ear of a Faust or a Jennie Lind. Edna Stahl and Augusta Zechiel also sang a duet which was really excellent, their young voices blending in perfect harmony, which thrilled and elevated the hearts of those present with thoughts of better things. These bright young girls have a great future. The piano solo by Otto Stahl brought down the house and so great was the encore that the talented young musician favored the audience with another selection. In fact it was a high grade entertainment and would have done credit to any city in the state. Dr. Wiseman is a worker, and takes especial pains in assisting the young in that which turns their attention to noble and soul inspiring thoughts. The Bible speaks of golden harps and songs of praise, and we believe that sweet, pathetic song has accomplished a great share toward elevating the world upon a higher plane.

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A very pretty home wedding took place at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Josiah Weller, five miles south-east of Kewanna on Tuesday Nov. 10th. The relatives, immediate friends and neighbors having arrived, promptly at one o'clock the bridal march was rendered on the organ by Miss Ethel Phiner, of Royal Center. The bride party entered the parlor, the officiating clergyman, Rev. H. G. Ogden in the lead, followed by Miss Ella Houghton, after which came the attendants Mr. Chas. Murphy, of Moresburg, and Miss Myrtle Weller, sister of the bride, and last the bride, Miss Mamie E. Weller, leaning on the arm of the groom, Mr. Lewis B. Leasure. In a few simple words they were made man and wife. After receiving congratulations the party repaired to the dining room where a wedding dinner was in waiting. The presents were pretty and very useful. The groom and groomsmen were dressed in conventional black. The bridesmaid wore light green French novelty, trimmed in lace and satin. The bride wore a handsome light blue dress trimmed in satin, lace and ribbon. She wore a bouquet of white crysanthemums in her hair. This was a happy occasion.

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 " 6, Ex. Sun. for St. Joseph, 11:30 a. m.
 " 20, Ex. Sun. for St. Joseph, 5:16 p. m.
 " 8, Ex. Sun. for South Bend, 9:37 p. m.

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 No. 20 has through sleeper St. Louis to Mackinaw.

For the South.

No. 13, Ex. Sun. for Terre Haute, 6:05 a. m.
 " 21, Ex. Sun. for Terre Haute, 10:56 a. m.
 " 11, Ex. Sun. for Terre Haute, 1:50 p. m.
 " 15, Ex. Sun. for Logansport, 8:21 p. m.
 " 17, Sun. only, for Logansport, 9:20 p. m.

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P. M.	P. M.
10:58	11:41
12:58	1:41
1:42	2:25
4:50	5:33
6:28	7:11
9:00	9:43
P. M.	P. M.
1:40	2:23
4:30	5:13
7:00	7:43
9:00	9:43

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