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## Tremendous Sacrifice Sale!

\$5000 worth of Ready to wear Clothing that must go, and LOW PRICE is the Mighty Lever which will move them. You know our goods: note these prices:

Men's Suits worth \$15 go for	\$12.00	Men's pants \$3.00 quality, go for	2.25
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" " " 10 go for	7.00	" " 1.50 " go for	1.15
" " " 8 go for	6.00	All good marked as low in proportion. If you want to save money come in. Look for the Big Sign in front.	
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### Time Table

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For the North

No. 10.....	8:07 A. M.
No. 14.....	12:13 P. M.
No. 8.....	9:41 P. M.

For the South.

No. 21.....	6:27 A. M.
No. 3.....	1:01 P. M.
No. 9.....	7:59 P. M.

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Does all kinds of Dental Work very Satisfactory.

### Announcements.

FOR SHERIFF  
James H. Castleman, of Union township, will be a candidate for Sheriff of Marshall county, subject to the decision of the Democratic Primary election, Friday April 6, 1900.

FOR TREASURER.  
WM. O'KEEFE is a candidate for the nomination for treasurer of Marshall county subject to the decision of the democratic primary election, April 6th, 1900.

FOR SURVEYOR.  
ELDRIDGE THOMPSON, candidate for the nomination for Surveyor of Marshall county, subject to the decision of the Democratic primary election, April 6, 1900.

FOR RECORDER.  
H. L. SINGREY, candidate for the nomination for Recorder of Marshall county, subject to the decision of the Democratic primary election, April 6, 1900.

FOR TREASURER.  
CHAS. R. CURTIS is a candidate for the nomination for Treasurer of Marshall county, subject to the decision of the Democratic Primary Election to held April 6, 1900.

FOR REPRESENTATIVE.  
I am a candidate for nomination of state senator for counties of Kosciusko and Marshall subject to the decision of the republican senatorial convention at Bourbon February 27. Primary Feb. 24 at Culver. The convention is called much earlier than I expected and I will not get to see all my friends personally but earnestly solicit the support of all republicans. JOHN A. McFARLIN.

### LOCAL BREVETIES.

More Snow.

Office seekers are numerous.

A. Hayes is upon the sick list. Mrs. Wm. Houghton is quite sick. The political pot has begun to "bile."

Underwear will go very cheap this Saturday. VANSCHOIACK.

Wm. Wise is visiting friends at Flora this week.

Prof. Daniel Wolf of Bremen, was in Culver over Sunday.

C. E. Hand of Argos, was transacting business in Culver this week. Don't miss the auctions Wednesday and Saturday afternoons. VANSCHOIACK.

Grandma Morris, mother to Capt. Ed. Morris, is very low. She is one of the oldest citizens in this section of the State.

Mrs. George Gerard and son Lloyd, left Tuesday for Gypsum, Colorado, where she will join her husband. She spent several months visiting friends in Culver.

Mr. Geo. Utery is quite ill. We want wood upon subscription. News items mighty scarce this week.

James Castleman made Bremen a visit this week.

The British army is still meeting with reverses in South Africa.

Enter Bourbon College next term. Expenses low; Catalogue free.

Samuel Medbourn made South Bend a business visit Tuesday.

Seems to be a great deal of sickness in this section just at present. Geo. York has moved upon the Henry Zeckel farm south of town.

There is talk of a property transfer of some importance in Culver at this writing.

Don't fail to attend the auction sale at Vanschoiack's store Saturday afternoon.

J. E. Myers and son of Rutland were in town Wednesday putting in large weigh scales at the grist mill.

The state board of tax commissioners have named March the 7th as the date for the meeting of county assessor.

We would like to have all those who owe us upon subscription to call and settle.

What's the matter? Are you going to attend the Auction sale at Vanschoiack's Saturday afternoon. If you don't you will miss it.

Remember that the Ridiculous club will give a grand entertainment at Osborn's Hall next Friday evening Feb. 23 for the benefit of the town clock.

A select number of friends gathered at the residence of Foster Groves at Hibbard Tuesday evening, and gave his wife an agreeable surprise. A most pleasant evening was spent.

Wm. Vanderweele of Burr Oak, was in town Monday looking hale and hearty. He says in spite of the recent fire, his thriving little town is still in the push, as in all probability the burned buildings will be rebuilt on a larger scale than ever.

"I have used Beggs' Blood Purifier in my family over two years and do not believe there is a better medicine made. It is the family remedy for us, and all we need," writes Frank Mitchell, Mason City, Ia. Purifies the system—makes new, rich blood old by at T. E. Slattry's druggist.

The maccabees of Argos will give a supper and entertainment at Huff's Opera House Tuesday evening Feb. 27. Admission 20 cents which includes supper. You are cordially invited to attend and have a good time, besides seeing a candidate initiated into the mysteries of the order.

The Vanschoiack stock of goods are now being sold out at auction, as the proprietor will move to South Dakota in the spring. The stock is clean and neat and is undoubtedly being sold at a great sacrifice. If you desire a good thing, or in fact the bargain of your life, call at the store any Wednesday or Saturday afternoons when the Auction sales are in progress. Everything goes regardless of cost.

Our readers will find in another column of the paper the announcement of John A. McFarlin as a candidate for state senator on the republican ticket. Mr. McFarlin is a man who is directly in touch with the people, one who knows their wants and has the ability to represent them well in the state senate. Perhaps no man in the county has a wider acquaintance in the county and state than he has. If you support him at the primary you will make no mistake.

B. F. Melbourn is on the sick list. Mrs. S. D. Liden is in very poor health.

Don't forget the "Town Clock" entertainment.

We wonder how some of those fellows feel that have "bucked the tiger" lately.

Special sale of dress goods Saturday. Don't miss the bargains. VANSCHOIACK.

Rev. Howard of Camden, formerly of this city, was calling upon friends here Tuesday.

Rev. Barber is still conducting services at the Zion Reformed church south of town.

Ed. Bradley is still holding his job as foreman on the Panhandle, R. R. and likes it.

Save your pennies for the "Town Clock" entertainment.

Revival meetings are still in progress at the Evangelical church in this city, with increasing interest.

Thomas M. Walker, recorder of Marshall county, died at his home in this city, Sunday night Feb. 11, 1900 aged 36 years and 5 months.

H. A. Deeds, Dentist rooms over corner hardware store corner Michigan and Laporte streets, Plymouth, Ind.

Mrs. Nathan Thompson who lives on the east side of the lake and who has been dangerously ill is slowly convalescing.

Closing out all our work shirts at 40c. Cheaper than can be bought of manufacturer. VANSCHOIACK.

John McFarland, who lives north of Burr Oak, was in town Thursday. It is said that he has a political bee in his hat.

S. A. Sackett of Bourbon, who represents the Ligoineer Buggy Company, was transacting business in Culver this week.

A large window has been placed on the east side of the Reformed church, so as to afford better ventilation for the gallery.

Crockery at 6 1-2c. per gallon. Now is the time to buy your milk crocks. VANSCHOIACK.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Bradley D. Krouse, Sunday night, a bouncing boy. Mother and child doing well so reports Dr. Parker the attending physician.

The oyster supper given by the Ladies' Aid society of the Reformed church Wednesday evening was a success in every particular, and all those in attendance enjoyed them selves in a par excellence manner.

We understand that Mr. Ira Rowe has resigned his position as teacher of the grammar department in the school of this city and left Saturday to accept another position which is financially better. Mr. Groves, of this city, but who has been sojourning at South Bend the past year will fill the vacancy. He is an instructor of ability, having had years of experience in the schools of Union township.

American soldiers in the Philippines were vastly surprised to learn that one of their American silver dollars would purchase two of the Mexican dollars in dollars in common circulation there, notwithstanding the fact that the Mexican coin contained more silver than the American. The explanation of the paradox lies in the fact that the Treasury of the United States stands ready to exchange an American silver dollar for a gold dollar, or vice versa. It is the maintenance of the gold standard that makes every American dollar, whether metal or paper, as good as gold the world over. Lent begins February 25.

Wood wanted on subscription.

The ten crackers of different brands, taste each without seeing the imprint, and if one of Fox's "Forex" Butter Crackers is among the number you'll decide it is the best, in each the best. That's the only fair way to find out the best.

D. H. Smith won the gold watch offered by D. R. Avery for the best shot, the contest being decided last Saturday. Mr. Smith also won the Spanish American War History offered by Mr. Avery sometime ago, consequently he is now the champion amateur shot in the city.

The C. & E. have placed an electric bell at every dangerous crossing, which rings when the train is about a half a mile away. A Herald reporter was in Monterey Monday and all at once a fire alarm began to ring and the reporter began to look for the fire, when with the velocity of lightning an express train passed and was out of sight like a flash. It is said that all the railroads will place these bells at crossings and thereby avert many accidents.

A remarkable thing about most of the smallpox cases which are now so numerous in Indiana is their mildness. The deaths have been few. If one were assured of proper care he might welcome the disease in its present form, as it would render him immune against the disease should he afterward encounter it in a more dangerous form. However, no community can afford to have smallpox, no matter how light the form, for the sake of becoming immune. Smallpox costs too much in the loss of business.

Uncle Dick Thompson, died at his home in Terre Haute Feb. 9th, aged 90 years. Sixty-six years ago he commenced his political career, being elected state senator. Since that time he has served for years in congress and has held many other prominent offices. He has attended since '68 all the presidential conventions and has framed a great many Republican platforms. He also was a prominent figure in state conventions. He was a "Great man" in every sense of the word, and will leave a glorious record for the rising generations to emulate.

Mr. Frank Dawson of Chicago visited his sister Mrs. L. C. Dillon for a couple of weeks and other relatives and friends. Last week accompanied by Mrs. Dillon, he went to Rushville, Ind., to visit a sister Mrs. Carson, whom he had not seen for 19 years. When he arrived at his sister's home, Mrs. Dillon remained in the background while her brother went to the house representing himself as a peddler, and importuned her to buy a table cloth, etc. After the lady had become very wrathful at his persistence, Mrs. Dillon appeared upon the scene and when Mrs. Carson learned that it was her brother she nearly fainted. A most pleasant reunion was the result.

### PUT ON YOUR "SPECKS"

When you order Fox's "Forex" Butter Crackers. Make sure that you get them. Put on your Specks and look for the imprint of "Fox." If it isn't there, beware. This is a new shape and has been patented and cannot be imitated.

### Look Here.

Mrs. John Matthews is now prepared to do all kinds of carpet weaving with her usual neatness and dispatch. Also has carpets for sale. Terms very reasonable. Give her a call and save money.

TAKE MORE ISLANDS.

FLAC HOISTED OVER TATANES AND CALAGAN.

Gunboat Princeton Takes Possession of Northern Islands Not Included in Terms of Paris Treaty—Sisters Meet After Long Separation.

It is reported that the United States gunboat Princeton visited the Tatanes and Calagan Islands, which were omitted from the Paris treaty of peace, being north of twenty degrees of latitude, raised American flags and appointed native governors. It is added that the Princeton found the Japanese flag flying at Bayat Island and refrained from landing there, pending orders. The Princeton occupied the northern islands under a Government order. The report that the Japanese flag was found flying is not confirmed, but there are rumors that Japan intended to take the islands. The natives willingly substituted the American for the insurgent officials and took the oath of allegiance. The natives of Samar and Leyte are returning to their towns and the normal conditions are being resumed.

EACH THOUGHT OTHER DEAD.

Strange Meeting of Two Sisters at La Porte, Ind.

Mrs. Rachel Schlorf of South Chicago has found in Mrs. John Kleinfeldt of Colon, Mich., a sister whom she had mourned as dead for twenty-nine years. The meeting of the sisters took place in LaPorte, Ind. Mrs. Kleinfeldt left the home of her sister in Germany in the days of her young womanhood, and soon after arriving in this country was married. About a year later letters reached Mrs. Kleinfeldt announcing the death of her sister, and she was mourned as dead until last week, when Mrs. Kleinfeldt learned that her sister was living in South Chicago, and the meeting of the two sisters was immediately arranged for. Mrs. Schlorf had also mourned her sister as dead.

ST. LOUIS MAN KILLS HIMSELF.

Hugo Kromrey Leaves a Note Declaring Himself Crazy.

Hugo Kromrey, secretary of the St. Louis Mutual Home Building Company, committed suicide in his office in that city. After carefully locking the doors leading to the office he entered the vault, placed a revolver to his head and shot himself. He was found dead half an hour later. Kromrey was well known in financial and realty circles. His friends are at a loss to account for his action. Kromrey was 50 years of age and single, and his habits were moderate.

ISLANDERS MASSACRE WHITES.

Wholesale Murders in Solomons Cause Sending of a Warship.

News has been received in San Francisco that the natives of the Solomon Islands group are murdering the white settlers on several of the islands and that a gunboat from the German Solomons has gone to punish the culprits. Many murders have taken place and in one instance the captain and mate and four of the crew of a trading schooner were killed while trying to protect a settler from the natives. In most cases robbery seems to be the incentive for the murders.

Trade with Porto Rico.

The War Department gives out the statement that the total value of imports into the Island of Porto Rico from the date of American occupation to Dec. 31, 1899, was \$12,191,829, and that the total value of exports from the island during the same period was \$11,696,807. The United States furnished \$4,687,826 of the imports and took \$3,502,766 of the exports.

Capital to Be \$15,000,000.

The Selby Steel Tube Company of America, with a capital of \$15,000,000, was incorporated at Trenton, N. J. The company is empowered to manufacture metal tubing for use in the manufacture of vehicles, and also for use in transmitting heat, gas and merchandise of all kinds.

Decides Against Depositors.

Judge Simons of the District Court at Fort Scott, Kan., has handed down an opinion to the effect that the depositors in the defunct State bank of that city, which was wrecked by the cashier, J. R. Solean, having stolen \$52,000 of its funds, have no right to sue the stockholders to recover the amounts of their deposits.

Treaty Fails by Default.

Owing to the failure of the Senate to ratify the Argentine reciprocity treaty by the 10th of the present month, the date fixed by the terms of the convention, it fails.

Roosevelt Will Not Accept.

Gov. Roosevelt of New York has made a public announcement that he would not accept the Republican nomination for Vice President.

Assaulted While in Barber's Chair.

At Lima, Ohio, Charles Holly was fatally cut by Slate Simons. Holly was in a barber's chair, being shaved, when Simons assaulted him with a razor.

Woman Dies at the Altar.

While bowed in prayer for a dead friend in St. Mary's church, Brooklyn, N. Y., Mrs. Mary Kearns was stricken with heart disease and died beside the altar.

University Student Drowned.

William Warley Day, a Syracuse University junior, whose home was at Highland Falls, N. Y., was drowned while skating on Onondaga Lake.

GEESE THAT LAY GOLDEN EGGS.

Kansas Waddlers Pick Tiny Nuggets Out of Creek Sand.

The goose that lays the golden egg has been found, and he is a Kansas bird. There is not only one of him, but a whole flock. Mrs. Mursell, who lives at the mouth of White Clay creek, a sluggish stream that empties into the Missouri river just below Atchison, is the owner of the birds. One of Mrs. Mursell's geese was sacrificed for the Christmas feast. When she went to clean the craw she discovered that it was filled with what at first appeared to be minute grains of sand. The brightness of the stuff and the curiosity it excited led her to keep it to show to her neighbor. The neighbor's husband, who is an old miner, saw it and at once pronounced it gold—almost pure gold. Tests made at the jeweler's subsequently corroborated the miner's opinion. Discovery led to investigation. A goose egg was analyzed. It was permeated with gold. Egg after egg was subjected to the test, and not one failed to show traces of gold. A brickyard is located in the vicinity of Mrs. Mursell's home. The mud for the manufacture of the brick made at these yards is pumped or sucked from the slimy bed of White Clay creek. A vast yard of it is constantly kept on hand. This oozy mass is the favorite haunt of Mrs. Mursell's geese. They waddle in it and eat it all day long. An analysis of this mud shows that it contains gold. A further analysis of the manufactured brick shows a percentage of gold in every one. Almost every house in Atchison is constructed of these bricks, and minute particles of gold in the brick can be seen with the naked eye—very distinctly under a microscope.

DULL WINTER AT DAWSON.

Weather Mild Until Dec. 20, Since When It Has Been Much Colder.

Advices from Dawson state that up to the end of the year business in the Yukon capital had been discouragingly dull, although work on the claims was progressing well. Up to Dec. 20 the weather had been so mild that but little gravel had been got out, although after that date this impediment of temperature was removed. The thermometer dropped to 40 degrees below zero and ranged as low as 57. There is now a good showing on the dumps. The Dawson banks estimate that \$21,000,000 will be taken out this season. From 2,000 to 3,000 Dawsonites are arranging to leave on the first boats down the river in the spring for the Nome field. The Dawson fire destroyed only eight buildings, occupying half a block. As the buildings were all flimsily constructed and lined with cotton, it is considered surprising that the fire was confined to so few buildings. Dawson has a well-equipped fire department with a force of thirty paid men. The fire engines are housed on the ice of the river, where the water can most readily be obtained.

MISTREATED BY INDIANS.

White Man, Who Refused to Give Up His Land, Nearly Lynched.

A special from Sapulpa, Okla., says: "To make F. G. Richardson, a white leaseholder, promise to leave the country, a mob of Indians placed a rope around his neck and dragged him from his home, sixteen miles southeast of Sapulpa, to a ravine a mile distant, hauled him up to the limb of a tree, and otherwise mistreated him. Richardson was rescued in time to save his life. His body is badly bruised. The names of several of the Indians have been reported to the United States authorities at Muskogee. Richardson aroused the enmity of the Indians by refusing to turn over his land to them."

Horse Drover Terribly Beaten.

H. E. Freed, a horse drover from Orwigsburg, Pa., was terribly assaulted on a Lake Shore train near Wauson, Ohio, and when taken off the train at Butler, Ind., it was thought he could live but a short time. Freed was taking some horses to Chicago, and slept in the car. He was awakened by a man who had broken into the car, and who told him he was going to kill him and get his money. The assailant used a coupling pin, and the interior of the car gives evidence of a terrific fight.

Revolver Used at Piano Works.

The piano and organ factories of Chicago are open after an idleness of fifteen weeks. Only one serious disturbance accompanied the general reopening of these factories. This was at the organ plant of Newman Bros. & Co., N. E. Nelson was stopped as he went to the factory and a fight followed. Some one struck him on the head, and then Nelson drew a revolver and fired one shot. He declared he wounded a man.

Prevents a Deer Hunt in Ohio.

Stark County, Ohio, sportsmen planned a deer hunt, having purchased for the purpose a vicious deer from the Wade Park "zoo" in Cleveland. Hundreds of hunters gathered for the event, but the State Humane Society sent Deputy Sheriff McKinney from Canton, who prevented the hunt.

Business Block Cleaned Out.

At Rush City, Minn., the S. C. Johnson block was destroyed by fire, causing a heavy loss. The Bank of Rush City, postoffice, Conrad Lindmark's clothing and shoe store, C. A. Rice's drug store and a number of lawyers and doctors' offices were in the building.

Illinois Storm Creates Havoc.

The town of Collinsville, Ill., narrowly escaped destruction by a tornado. Eleven persons were injured in the immediate vicinity of the village, some of them fatally, and there was much damage to property.

Big Increase in Trade.

The statement of the London Board of Trade for the month of January shows increases of \$3,344,200 in imports and \$3,236,400 in exports.

Large Machine Shops Burn.

The large machine shops of Sprout, Waldron & Co., the principal industry of Muncy, Pa., were totally destroyed by fire. The loss is \$100,000.

BOY IS A PARRICIDE.

CONFESSES COMPLICITY IN THE KILLING OF HIS FATHER.

Fifteen-Year-Old Lad Makes a Death-Bed Statement Incriminating Himself and His Mother—Large Movement of Mormons Is Projected.

About five years ago Middlesboro, Ky., was startled by the assassination of Thos. Howard, a prominent lumber man. He was shot through the window while he was eating his supper. No cloy could ever be found to the assassin. The other day John Lewis Howard, the 15-year-old son, who is dying with consumption, sent for the officers and to them confessed that he and his mother, Mrs. Amanda Howard, did the killing. He described how his mother arranged the table so that his father would sit with his back to the window while eating; how he placed a Winchester on the outside of the house before the father came in; how the shooting was done, etc. Upon this confession Mrs. Howard was arrested by Deputy Sheriff Charles Cecil.

RISKS LIFE FOR VALUABLES.

Scene at the Burning of the Home of H. C. Townsend in St. Louis.

Miss Amy Townsend, daughter of H. C. Townsend, the general passenger agent of the Missouri Pacific Railway, risked her life to secure her many valuable jewels from her burning home in St. Louis. At 2 a. m. Mrs. Townsend awoke to find the bedroom full of smoke. She aroused her daughters, who were asleep in adjoining rooms, and the trio then braved the danger of death in the flames by hurrying to the third floor and awakening the servants. Then all of the women ran into the bitter cold. Amy, however, suddenly left them and ran back into the blazing building to save her valuables. Her mother stood at the doorway until she returned.

MORMONS TO BUY LAND.

Selecting 200,000 Acres in the Big Horn Basin for a Colony.

Arrangements for a big colonization scheme have been made with the Wyoming authorities for the sale of 200,000 acres of land in the Big Horn basin under the Carey act to Mormons. A committee of Mormons is now selecting this land along the Stinking Water river. During the early spring the Mormons will start trekking over the mountains and plains to the new Zion. The Mormon leaders say there will be upward of 30,000 people immigrate to the colony during the present year.

Murder or Suicide.

The body of Burton H. Hardiman, better known in the literary world as Florence Hardiman Miller, has been washed ashore on Angel Island in the bay of San Francisco. Whether death was caused by suicide or accident is unknown. Hardiman's home was in Oswego, Kan., where his mother and one of his sisters reside.

Ends Life in a Hotel.

Alone in a room at the Hotel Grace in Chicago William M. Knapp, assistant special agent of the Phoenix Insurance Company, committed suicide by shooting himself in the head. It is thought that the act was due to temporary insanity caused by the deaths of friends and his father.

Burglar Dies from Wounds.

A man believed to be Abram Wachman of Marion, lately released from the penitentiary, died in the jail at Chillicothe, Ohio, from bullet wounds received while trying to escape arrest. He was detected trying to force an entrance to the safe in Higby's general store when shot.

American Student Punished.

An American freshman at McGill University at Montreal was knocked down and ducked in the dissecting bath for criticizing the British troops in South Africa. The student had referred to the British officers as "asses" and the troops as "cowards."

Steamer Gate City Ashore.

The steamer Gate City of the Ocean Steamship Company's Savannah line went ashore in a fog at Great South Beach, Long Island. The vessel is in good condition and will probably float when lightened of her cargo of cotton.

Gertie Homan a Bride.

Gertie Homan, who became famous as a child actress in the part of Little Lord Fauntleroy, was married at her home in Brooklyn to Edwin Thanhauser, manager of the Academy of Music, Milwaukee.

Blow a Safe and Steal \$5,000.

The bank at Malden, Mo., was entered by three masked men, who blew open the safe with dynamite and stole \$5,000. City Marshal Davis fired at and it is supposed wounded one of the men, though all escaped.

Labor Riots in Martinique.

At Fort de France, Martinique, a mob of about 1,200 miners prevented the harvesting of sugar cane. An infantry post of twenty-five men was attacked and fired on the assailants, killing nine men and wounding fourteen.

No Duty on Coal for Railroads.

On the proposal of M. De Witte, the minister of finance, the Czar has consented to the importation of coal, exclusively for the use of the Russian railways, free of duty until Sept. 1 next.

Printing Company's Fire Loss.

Fire caused several thousand dollars' damage in the McLean Building on 4th and Market streets, St. Louis, the principal loss being to the McLean Printing Company, occupying two of the floors.

Well-Known Indian Dies.

Col. Richard W. Thompson, ex-Secretary of the Navy, died at Terre Haute, Ind. He was known throughout Indiana as "Uncle Dick."

ELOPING SON DISINHERITED.

Guy C. McDonald Left Upon His Own Resources of \$10 a Week.

As a result of his secret marriage to Miss Pearl Flower Guy C. McDonald has been disinherited by his father, M. C. McDonald, a Chicago politician. The father declares that the son is now his own master and must support his wife on the \$10 a week that he is earning as an employe of a sign-painting company. The elopement is the culmination of a friendship that began when the two were mere children. The bride is 18 years old and her husband 19.

FLEES FROM THE COUNTY JAIL.

Desperate Prisoner at Peru, Ind., Seizes an Opportunity to Escape.

Ray Jones, the man who abducted pretty Nellie Berger from her home north of Peru, Ind., several months ago, and who, with the girl, was found by Sheriff Gast of Rochester, Ind., escaped from jail at Peru. The escape came about in the officers endeavoring to force a crazy person into one of the cells adjoining that of Jones, and in some manner leaving the barred gate leading to his cell open. Jones is a dangerous character. Miss Berger is now lying at death's door.

SHOOTS WIFE AND DAUGHTER.

W. M. Allen at Black Hawk, Colo., Then Tries to Kill Himself.

At Black Hawk, Colo., W. M. Allen, a carpenter, shot and killed his daughter, Lula, aged 16 years; then shot his wife twice, and finally shot himself in the breast. The cause assigned for the shooting is dissatisfaction expressed by Mrs. Allen because she was compelled to live in Black Hawk. The family formerly lived in Rock Island, Ill., and Kansas City, Mo.

Famine Grows in India.

Destitution and deaths from starvation are on the increase in the famine-stricken district of India in spite of the gigantic efforts for relief made by the Government. The State is now feeding 4,000,000 natives. With no probability of relief through the crops inside of four months and with the Government already taxed to its utmost, it can be seen that the conditions are alarming.

Train Robber Captured.

"Pat" Crowe, who is known to the police of Missouri as the most desperate leader of train robbers since the days of Jesse James, was arrested in Chicago, charged with being the principal in the robbery of the overland fast mail train on the Chicago and Northwestern Railway at tower "W," forty-six miles west of Chicago, on the night of Oct. 13, 1899.

Indignation Over Outrage in China.

The steamer Empress of China brings details of the murder of Rev. S. M. Brooke in Shan Tung. An imperial decree mildly condemns the outrage and criticizes the officials whose lack of administration made the coolies believe the assassination would be acceptable to the authorities. The mildness of the decree roused great indignation.

Wreck on the Alton.

A collision between an east-bound passenger train and a switch engine on the Chicago and Alton Railway in Chicago caused excitement among the passengers, who received nothing worse than a shaking up. Both engines were derailed and wrecked.

Die in an Explosion.

A powder magazine at the Crystal Falls, Mich., mine exploded, blowing two men to pieces. Seven boxes of powder were in the magazine at the time. No damage was done to the mine.

Closely Contested Election.

T. W. Hugo, Republican, was elected Mayor of Duluth, Minn., by the small majority of seven votes over Henry Truelsen, Democrat-people's nominee. The City Council is Republican.

Burial of Gen. Lawton.

Maj. Gen. Henry W. Lawton has been buried in the National Cemetery at Arlington, Va.

MARKET QUOTATIONS.

Chicago—Cattle, common to prime, \$3.00 to \$6.50; hogs, shipping grades, \$3.00 to \$5.25; sheep, fair to choice, \$3.00 to \$5.75; wheat, No. 2 red, 66c to 67c; corn, No. 2, 31c to 32c; oats, No. 2, 23c to 24c; rye, No. 2, 54c to 56c; butter, choice creamery, 24c to 26c; eggs, fresh, 12c to 14c; potatoes, choice, 40c to 50c per bushel.

Indianapolis—Cattle, shipping, \$3.00 to \$6.25; hogs, choice light, \$3.00 to \$5.00; sheep, common to prime, \$3.00 to \$5.00; wheat, No. 2, 70c to 71c; corn, No. 2 white, 22c to 23c; oats, No. 2 white, 26c to 27c.

St. Louis—Cattle, \$3.25 to \$6.50; hogs, \$3.00 to \$5.25; sheep, \$3.00 to \$6.00; wheat, No. 2, 71c to 73c; corn, No. 2 yellow, 32c to 33c; oats, No. 2, 24c to 25c; rye, No. 2, 53c to 55c.

Cincinnati—Cattle, \$2.50 to \$6.50; hogs, \$3.00 to \$5.00; sheep, \$2.50 to \$5.50; wheat, No. 2, 73c to 74c; corn, No. 2 mixed, 33c to 35c; oats, No. 2 mixed, 25c to 26c; rye, No. 2, 61c to 63c.

Detroit—Cattle, \$2.50 to \$6.50; hogs, \$3.00 to \$5.25; sheep, \$3.00 to \$6.00; wheat, No. 2, 72c to 74c; corn, No. 2 yellow, 34c to 35c; oats, No. 2 white, 27c to 29c; rye, 57c to 59c.

Toledo—Wheat, No. 2 mixed, 71c to 72c; corn, No. 2 mixed, 34c to 35c; oats, No. 2 mixed, 23c to 25c; rye, No. 2, 58c to 60c; clover seed, \$5.55 to \$5.65.

Milwaukee—Wheat, No. 2 northern, 65c to 67c; corn, No. 2, 31c to 33c; oats, No. 2 white, 25c to 27c; rye, No. 1, 56c to 58c; barley, No. 2, 46c to 47c; pork mess, \$11.00 to \$11.50.

Buffalo—Cattle, good shipping steers, \$3.00 to \$6.50; hogs, common to choice, \$3.25 to \$5.25; sheep, fair to choice, \$3.00 to \$6.00; lambs, common to extra, \$4.50 to \$7.25.

New York—Cattle, \$3.25 to \$6.50; hogs, \$3.00 to \$5.50; sheep, \$3.00 to \$6.00; wheat, No. 2 red, 77c to 79c; corn, No. 2, 41c to 42c; oats, No. 2 white, 31c to 32c; butter, creamery, 19c to 24c.



On Tuesday the Senate received from Mr. Aldrich amendment to pending financial bill providing that its passage shall not stand in the way of united action for international bimetallism at any future time. Also an amendment from Mr. Jones of Arkansas providing for an emergency treasury note fund of \$50,000,000, which may be issued to any citizen at 10 per cent. discount in exchange for United States bonds. Heard Senator Caffery in opposition to retention of the Philippines and Senator Butler in opposition to North Carolina's suffrage amendment. Adopted conference report on the urgent deficiency bill. The House adopted the conference report on the urgency deficiency bill and resumed debate on diplomatic and consular bill, Messrs. Gibson of Tennessee, Morris of Minnesota and William Alden Smith of Michigan speaking for expansion, and Williams of Mississippi, Neville of Nebraska and Cockran of Missouri against it, while H. C. Smith of Michigan championed the cause of the Boers. Mr. Williams held that the absorption of the Philippines by the United States would be ruinous to the American producers of cotton, rice, tobacco, hemp and sugar.

The feature of Wednesday in the Senate was a tilt between Messrs. Depew and Pettigrew over a letter from President Schurman of the Philippine commission, read by the New Yorker, flatly denying a statement made by the South Dakota Senator during debate some time ago that he (Schurman) "had tried to bribe the insurgents and failed." Senators Bate, Tanager and Allen spoke against the financial bill and Mr. Vest offered an amendment providing that the Secretary of the Treasury shall have prepared \$200,000,000 of treasury notes, to be known as "bond treasury notes," which shall be full legal tender for all debts and which shall be loaned by the Secretary of the Treasury to anybody who may deposit United States bonds for them, the note to bear the same interest as the bonds deposited. The House passed diplomatic and consular appropriation bill, carrying \$3,743,908, substantially as it came from committee. Indulged in desultory discussion of Philippine question and war in South Africa, principal feature being speech by Mr. Shafer in favor of mediation in South Africa under provisions of The Hague treaty.

The Senate spent Thursday in discussion of the financial bill. Mr. Allen concluded his speech, charging the Republican party with breaking faith with the people on bimetallism and systematically discrediting the work of the international bimetallic commission. Mr. Cockrell made a technical analysis of the House and Senate measures. He charged that the Senate substitute contained the initial movement toward the perpetuation of the national debt. In the House only minor business was transacted. The ways and means committee bill establishing tariff rates upon goods from Porto Rico into the United States and vice versa was reported and Chairman Payne gave notice that the bill would be called up the next Thursday.

As no Senator was prepared to proceed with a discussion of the finance measure the Senate transacted only routine business on Friday and adjourned early to enable members to attend the obsequies of Gen. Lawton. A bill was passed to erect a public building at Deadwood, S. D., to cost \$200,000. After a brief session at which no business was transacted a recess was taken in the House until 8 p. m. The night session was devoted to private pension bills.

In the Senate on Saturday, when there were only a dozen Senators present, a Boer sympathy resolution introduced by Mr. Allen was passed before its purport was realized. A minute later the vote was reconsidered and the resolution went over. The financial debate was continued by Mr. Chandler, who opposed the gold standard and strongly urged the double standard. Mr. Milton and Mr. Money also spoke. The House was not in session.

Speeches were made in the Senate on Monday on the financial bill by Messrs. Wolcott, Elkins and Butler. Mr. Allen's resolution introduced Saturday expressing sympathy with the Boers went over without losing its place. A large number of unimportant bills were passed. The House passed the bill to permit transit through the United States of goods in bond without the payment of duties; also private pension bills favorably acted upon at Friday night's session, and in District of Columbia legislation.

Odds and Ends.

A bullet landed in Gen. Botha's pocket while British were shelling Boers before Ladysmith.

Forty-three per cent of the fruit trees in Southern California are orange and 15 per cent lemon.

Cuba, Hawaii and Porto Rico will have American exhibits under "Old Glory" at the Paris exposition.

Stage scenery of the late Salvini was sold at Columbus, Ohio, for \$1,795. It originally cost \$30,000.

Count Von Buelow's speech in the Reichstag has aroused a fresh anti-British sentiment in Germany.

It was reported that the Admiralty Island natives killed and ate the crew of the trading schooner Nipamarra.

Medical inspectors excluded 452 pupils from the public schools of Chicago on account of more or less contagious diseases.

President McKinley has been invited by the executive committee of the Ecumenical Conference on Foreign Missions

# SWEPT BY A TORNADO

## TERRIBLE WINDSTORM AT COLLINSVILLE, ILL.

Many People Injured—Several Buildings Blown Down and Other Property Ruined—Much Havoc in St. Louis, Especially in Burned District.

A fierce storm sweeping eastward from the British Northwest burst over the little town of Collinsville, Ill., Thursday and almost wiped it out of existence. The storm also did much damage in St. Louis. In Collinsville houses, barns, trees and people were caught in the tornado's fury, and the whole country in the vicinity of the village was laid waste. Nine persons were injured, some of them fatally. Fine residences and miners' hovels were crushed to splinters. Telegraph poles and wires were leveled, and tangled wreckage was strewn over the earth for miles around.

The cyclone struck the hamlet in the darkness just before 3 o'clock. Miners who lived on the outskirts of the settlement first felt its wrath and were awakened by a terrible sound and by their roofs crashing in over their heads. To add to the terror of the situation fire started in the debris of some of the houses and threatened for a time to add a holocaust to the disaster. Eleven persons, at least, were seriously injured, two of them being blown several hundred feet.

Collinsville is twelve miles from St. Louis on the Vandalia Railroad. The wind struck at a point a mile south of the village and demolished the cottage of Frank Kobart. From there it rushed north, wrecked the frame houses of the miners who live on the outskirts of the village and left the occupants burned and bleeding in the debris. Three large residences which stood on a hill above the town were reduced to splinters. The immense smokstack on the Hight Club Coal Company's building was toppled over like a totem, and the walls were shattered. The Vandalia tracks for a quarter of a mile were blocked with wreckage.

After the Kobart house was blown down a group of three dwellings was felled by the wind. They were occupied by John Marquette and Paul Marquette and Philip Crossan and their families. Although the small dwellings were demolished, all the occupants escaped injury except John Marquette. His injuries from falling timbers are not severe, but he is badly burned, for debris caught fire from an overturned lamp and the flames reached him before the neighbors could rescue him. Kobart and his son and daughter lay in the ruins of their house for hours before they were rescued.

Beyond the Vandalia tracks stood a

# VICTORY FOR THE BOERS.

Buller's Third Advance to the Relief of Ladysmith Is Checked.

For the third time Gen. Buller has advanced in an attempt to relieve Ladysmith. He crossed the Tugela river and, after a three days' fight has been checked. He claims, however, to have concluded a strategic advance of certain value.

Early Monday morning a balloon ascended at Potgieter's drift, ostensibly within sight of the Boer position at Spion kop. Simultaneously British troops under Col. Wynne lined the river banks from Potgieter's to Swarts kop, while three batteries of field artillery advanced into the open.

Following directions from the balloon, the artillery opened a heavy shrapnel fire on the enemy's position. This fire soon began telling. The Boer guns on Spion kop replied. Then the Lancashire brigade deployed in open order, apparently intending another assault. The Boer fire grew hotter every moment. Soon it got too accurate for comfort, dropping shrap-



BULLET-PROOF SHIELDS.

nel among the British gunners and making the infantry seek every possible point of shelter.

This unequal artillery duel kept up for a while, when word was received from Buller ordering a retreat. Little difficulty was encountered in effecting retirement. The Boers, as on previous occasions, failed to follow up their apparent advantage.

There had been no secret that this attack was merely a feint, and officers and men were equally gratified to learn that their share in the day's program had been a complete success. Meantime the real attack had been quietly pushed ahead, from a point north of Doorn kop over cover of naval guns massed on Swarts kop and Doorn kop. The engineers constructed a pontoon bridge directly facing the rising upland known as Krantz kloof, on the north side of the river. Amid the general din of artillery operations on the

# PEACE PACT IS MADE.

## KENTUCKY POLITICAL LEADERS REACH AN AGREEMENT.

Acting Governor Taylor Abdicates in Favor of Beckham on Condition that a New Election Statute Be Enacted—Republicans Make Concession.

The peace conference held at the Galt House in Louisville Monday night between seven representatives of the Republican party and seven representatives of the Democratic party resulted in the unanimous signing of an agreement embodying seven specific propositions for the settlement of the party differences which have brought about two State governments in Kentucky. This agreement is in substance as follows:

1. That if the General Assembly in joint session shall adopt a resolution ratifying their recent action adopting the contest reports seating Goebel and Beckham the contestees, W. S. Taylor and John Marshall shall submit without further protest.
2. That all parties shall unite in an effort to bring about such a modification of the election law as will provide for non-partisan election boards and insure free and fair elections.
3. That the conditions shall remain in status quo until Monday, the General Assembly meeting and adjourning from day to day until that time.
4. That nothing shall be done to hinder or prevent a joint session of the General Assembly for taking action on the ratification resolution.
5. That the State Contest Board shall meet and adjourn from day to day until Tuesday without taking any action on the contests for minor State offices. This postponement is suggested in order that the action of the General Assembly on the ratification resolution may be taken first.
6. That the State troops shall be removed from the State capital at once, though with all necessary precaution for the public safety. This matter is to be under the direction of Gen. Dan Lindsay, of Frankfort.
7. That the Republican officials and officers of the State guard shall have immunity from charges of treason, usurpation, court martial or any other such offenses.



GOV. J. C. W. BECKHAM. Who Succeeds Goebel as Executive of the Blue Grass State.

The agreement was signed by the following:

Republicans—John Marshall, Judge John W. Barr, Gen. Dan Lindsay, T. L. Edeien, Dr. T. H. Banter, David W. Fairleigh and T. C. Ballard.

Democrats—J. C. S. Blackburn, J. C. W. Beckham, Sam J. Shackelford, Erey Woodson, James B. McCreary, Phil Thompson and Robert J. Breckenridge.

The news of the agreement was received with great relief in Frankfort. The strain of the previous ten days had been great and any lessening of tension was most welcome.

## SETTLE BIG CANAL QUESTION.

### Agreement Between Great Britain and America Reached.

Another step in the construction of the Nicaraguan canal was taken Monday, when Lord Pauncefote and Secretary Hay signed a treaty reworking that portion of the Clayton-Bulwer convention which prohibits the Government of the United States from constructing a waterway across the isthmus. The agreement provides in substance as follows: The United States is granted the right to build and control exclusively the waterway joining the Atlantic and Pacific, and the provision of the Clayton-Bulwer treaty providing for joint control is annulled. Neutrality of the canal is pledged by both of the signatory parties, both in times of peace and war. The great maritime nations will be asked to pledge themselves to the preservation of the canal's neutrality.

The present agreement was reached practically a year ago, when it seemed certain that the private corporations that had concessions for the canal would be compelled to relinquish the enterprise and leave the work to be done by the Government. It was not, however, formulated until a few days ago, since the pending bills were reported from the Senate and House committees. Great Britain yields its claims under the Clayton-Bulwer treaty, provided the United States will guarantee the neutrality and the protection of traffic upon the canal.

Here are a few interesting facts about the Nicaraguan canal concerning which the British-American treaty was signed at the State Department. The figures are gathered from various official reports and from private sources of information: Total cost of canal (estimated)... \$125,000,000 Money already spent by Maritime Canal Company... \$5,136,428 Total distance from ocean to ocean... 169.4 miles Length of proposed ditch... 27 miles Length of natural waterway... 142 miles Proposed width of canal... 330 feet Proposed depth of canal... 30 feet Quantity of earth to be excavated and dredged... 152,781,270 cubic yds Excavation proper... 29,907,966 cubic yds Highest elevation of canal from level of sea... 110 feet Distance from coast to ships going from coast to east... 8,000 miles Time saved (at war ship rate) by shortening of sailing... 42 days Increase in ocean traffic since 1881... 16,000,000 tons Distance from New York... 2,000 miles Distance from San Francisco... 2,700 miles Distance from Philippine Islands... 9,000 miles Distance from Honolulu... 4,210 miles Time required for construction... six years

# GEN. LAWTON AT REST

## SERVICES OVER REMAINS OF HONORED DEAD.

Tribute by Dr. Stryker—Well-Known Clergyman Delivers an Eloquent Address—President McKinley, His Cabinet and Other Officials Attend.

Maj. Gen. Henry W. Lawton was buried Friday in the National Cemetery at Arlington. The services at the grave were preceded by those at the Church of the Covenant in Washington, where President H. M. Stryker of Hamilton College, New York, delivered a funeral oration that has seldom been equaled in beauty of expression, nor could it have been in more perfect accord with the spirit of the solemn occasion that called it forth.

Never in the history of the capital has there been a more representative gathering of the nation's official life to pay a last tribute to the nation's honored dead. No mark of military pomp and ceremony that the regulations could provide was wanting to render the occasion solemn and impressive. Nearly all the available troops of the regular establishment remaining in this country were called out. Three thousand men, infantry, cavalry and artillery, followed the flag-draped caisson to the grave.

But mere official formulae were dwarfed beside the deep popular demonstration that the burial of the dead soldier called forth. Every department of the Government paid its official tribute. Flags hung at half-mast. The President and his cabinet, representatives of the Supreme Court, of the House and Senate and of the army and navy, all combined to fill the darkened church to its utmost.

But these official representatives of the people were lost in the great crowds that surrounded the church and lined the streets along which the procession passed. Lawton was to the people the ideal American soldier whose exploits in four wars made his name a household word and who, being a soldier first and only, died in the line of duty, leaving nothing to his children but the heritage of an honorable name.

## R. W. THOMPSON IS DEAD.

### Long Career of Indiana's Grand Old Man Is Closed.

Col. Richard W. Thompson, ex-Secretary of the Navy, died at his home in Terre Haute, Ind. His doctor said the patient's brain was paralyzed.

For more than half a century Richard W. Thompson had been prominent in political life. Although he was more than 90 years old, he was a delegate to the national Republican convention four



R. W. THOMPSON.

years ago, and was chairman of the State Republican convention in Indiana the same year. He had seen and talked to every President of the United States except George Washington and John Adams. He sat in Congress with John Quincy Adams, Henry Clay, Daniel Webster, Lincoln, Douglas, Calhoun and Jefferson Davis. He served in the Indiana Legislatures of 1834, 1835 and 1836, presided over the State Senate from 1838 to 1840, went to Congress in 1841, for the first time. He was Secretary of the Navy under President Hayes.

## MANY AT GOEBEL'S FUNERAL.

### Grief and Threats Commingle While Crowds Wait in the Rain.

More than 10,000 Kentuckians followed the body of William Goebel to the grave in Frankfort cemetery and stood with bared heads in the pouring rain while J. C. S. Blackburn, the white-haired Senator, and "Good Luck" Beckham told them the story of their leader's devotion and besought them to remain faithful to his doctrines. Curses for the assassin were mingled with the sobs of the men who stood about the tomb, and only the restraining eloquence of the orators subdued the revengeful passions of the crowd and prevented the armed mourners from transforming into an army of retaliation.

The ceremonies were conducted from the steps of the cemetery chapel. A quartet sang "It Is Well with My Soul," the Rev. William Stanley of Virginia delivered a prayer, Mrs. Jessie Caldwell sang and Senator Blackburn and Mr. Beckham spoke.

## CHURCH AND CLERGY.

The Volunteers of America are in touch with 10,500 men in prisons. A revival at Great Falls, Mont., resulted in the conversion of 160 persons. The translation of the New Testament into the Corvan language has been completed. The strength of the various sections of the Methodist Church by recent returns shows that throughout the world there are 7,957 churches with 44,598 ordained ministers.

# INDIANA INCIDENTS.

## RECORD OF EVENTS OF THE PAST WEEK.

Increase in Oil Product—Killing of Frank Carr Causes Sister's Insanity—Young Woman Shoots Herself—Former Poor Miner Gets Rich in Alaska.

The month of January was a record breaker in the Indiana oil field. The total number of completed wells during the month is 281 and the production 4,600 barrels. Fifty-one dry wells were put down. The increase in completed wells, fifteen; the increase in the output is 365 barrels, and the decrease in dry holes was five. The average in December was 20.7 barrels and the January average was 20 barrels. There are now 249 wells drilling and 161 rigs up—a total of 410 rigs. The increase in wells drilling was 35 and in new rigs 33, a net increase of 68 wells. There are several well-shooters in the Indiana field, and their occupation is more dangerous than employment around a powder mill. The average shot consists of eighty to 240 quarts of nitroglycerin, and from the time the shooter starts with his load of 750 quarts of the explosive in his wagon till he has completed his job no life insurance company will take a risk at any premium.

## Crazy Over Brother's Death.

When the republished report of Gen. Otis, containing a list of the killed in battle in the Philippines Jan. 18, reached Columbus, the name of Frank Carr, who enlisted from that place, appeared in the list. When John W. Carr, father of the dead soldier, learned the truth he went immediately to his home, and, rushing excitedly into the house, said to his daughter: "Frank is killed." The daughter was but 18 years of age, and, being of a nervous temperament, she swooned on hearing the sad news and for five days she lay unconscious. When she finally regained consciousness her entire past life was a blank. She could recall nothing and her friends and neighbors were strangers to her. She knows nothing of the death of her brother and seems dazed. Her condition is greatly puzzling her physicians.

## Young Woman Kills Herself.

In Peru Mrs. Elmer Ferkel, a handsome woman, aged 21 years, while at the breakfast table picked up a revolver and after playing with it a moment placed it to her breast and pulled the trigger. The ball passed directly through her heart, killing her instantly. She went there a short time ago from Andrews with her husband, but he left soon afterward for Chicago, where he is employed by the Chicago and Northwestern Railroad Company. It is supposed that unhappy domestic relations caused the suicide. Mrs. Ferkel tried to take poison some time ago, but was prevented.

## Brings Wealth from Alaska.

George Britton has returned from Alaska, where he spent the past two years, bringing with him nearly \$60,000 in gold. He says that he has a claim he has refused \$300,000 for. When he left Brazil he was a poor coal miner.

## Within Our Borders.

- Greenfield wants all night electric light schedule.
- Crawfordsville Masons will build a temple next spring.
- Goshen clerks have won in their fight for early closing.
- Loriston M. Fairbanks, father of Senator Fairbanks, is dead at Pasadena, Cal.
- Columbus merchants are going to do away with the trading-check system.
- The Henley polo team of Richmond defeated the Cincinnati team by a score of 4 to 1.
- Crawfordsville citizens have started a movement for the establishment of a municipal hospital.
- Charles Homes, tin plate worker, was scalded to death by the bursting of a steam pipe at Elwood.
- Frank McDaniel, aged 50 years, dropped dead on the street in Martinsville of heart trouble. He was a well-known farmer.

A sensation was created at Shelbyville when the grand jury returned fourteen indictments in connection with the shortage in the county treasury.

The Blue Goose Mining Company of Wabash and Indianapolis has sold its zinc holdings near Joplin, Mo., for \$30,400. Colorado Springs capitalists will exploit the property.

The Anderson Young Men's Christian Association will move into new and commodious quarters March 1, and will secure the services of a physical director at the same time.

Money received for the old posthouse at Terre Haute, which was supposed to be held over to build a new one, is missing, and the board of health is up a tree for a smallpox hospital.

Judge Mattison, Evansville, acquitted Dr. Louis, charged with practicing medicine without a license. The judge held that as he cured by laying on his hands, he is not legally a physician.

George W. Clapper, aged 82 years, died at Martintville as a result of breaking his hip by falling several days ago. He had been a resident there more than fifty years and was a leading citizen.

Peter Armstrong, who jumped from a second story window at Union City, in his desperate attempt to commit suicide, and splintered the bones of his leg, died after the injured member had been amputated.

The street car lines of the Brazil Rapid Transit Company running from Brazil to Hammond have been sold to the Terre Haute Street Railway Company for \$30,000. The latter is building a line from Terre Haute to Brazil to connect with the lines purchased.

## SALUTING THE WOUNDED.



It has long been a tradition of the British army to salute the first of the dead and wounded carried from the field of battle. A scene witnessed on the Modder river is here depicted.—Illustrated London News.

group of large frame houses, occupied by the Lawrence, Odderhole and Fix families. The storm leveled them. Mr. Odderhole and Mr. Lawrence received serious injuries, and members of the Fix family were wounded. Harry Fix and his sister, Sophie, were asleep in the same room on the second floor. The house seemed to separate, and brother and sister were let down with their beds to the ground floor. There they were found upon their couches, which had not been broken by the fall. Harry not injured in the least, but Sophie was crushed under a falling timber.

In St. Louis the storm was felt in great fury. The wind blew at a velocity of sixty miles an hour. The barometer fell to the lowest point ever reached in that city. A hard thunderstorm accompanied the wind, adding terror to the scene. One woman was killed and several persons were hurt. Scores of buildings were unroofed, and great damage to property was occasioned.

The greatest damage was to property in the burned district, between Franklin avenue, Morgan street, Third and Sixth streets. Here \$20,000 worth of property was destroyed. At 827 North Third street the four-story building occupied by the George Benton Commission Company and the Sage & Richmond Commission Company, and filled with produce, was blown down. It was next door to one of the buildings destroyed in Sunday's fire, and its walls had been weakened.

left the engineers completely escaped the enemy's notice.

Then the word was given for the infantry to advance at lively gait, and men in khaki swarmed from every quarter in the direction of the pontoon bridge, crossing without attracting the Boer fire, which was still busily engaged with Wynn's brigade on the left.

Vaal Krantz, which is the summit of Krantz kloof, was quickly stormed by the British infantry, supported by seven batteries of artillery. With a wild rush the men scampered up the hill, bayonets fixed, every nerve braced for the expected rifle fire, which the Boers have hitherto reserved till well within short range.

The Durham light infantry assailed the lower ridges, while Hildyard's brigade made for the loftier heights. Every attack was a complete success. The Boers mistaking the feint for the real attack were caught napping for the first time in this campaign.

Gen. Buller cables: "Our further advance is at the moment prevented, as the Boers enfilade us from their positions on Spion kop and Doorn kloof. Our casualties, although estimated at 250, are trifling, considering the great importance of the movement just concluded."

## WAR NEWS IN BRIEF.

The Eighth Army division will be kept in England for emergencies. In a letter, Sir Alfred Milner describes the Transvaal as "a huge arsenal." Complaint is made that many of the rifles of British troops are defective. It has been decided to keep the Channel Squadron in home waters for a time. According to advices received in Berlin, the Cape Dutch are joining the Boers. President Kruger has given a significant warning that if the Boers are forced to starve, the Britishers will share the same fate.

## GOVERNMENT DEPOSITS END.

Banks Notified in Regard to Internal Revenue Receipts. Washington advices received in New York Friday stated that the banks that were recently created additional depositories for Government money had been notified to turn internal revenue receipts into the subtreasuries in their territory. Assistant Secretary of the Treasury Vanderp authorized the statement that the depositories of internal revenue receipts in the additional depositories will now cease.

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**ACADEMY NOTES.**

Capt. Wickham will spend Sunday in Indianapolis.

Capt. Dutton was confined to his room Saturday, Sunday, and Monday nursing a lame ankle.

A game of base ball has been arranged with Lake Forest Academy for May 12.

The commissioned and non-commissioned officers are now meeting twice a week receiving theoretical instruction.

Cadets Tressler, Cunningham, Campbell G., Anderson J., Elean, D H. Mount, Davi, Cochran, DeVoy Saurman, Johnson, and Blackman are on leave.

Carpenters are at work constructing the new stage in the gymnasium and the initial production of the Dramatic club will be given February 21.

Brigadeer General Chas. King is expected to be present at the academy, February 20, when he will lecture to the cadets on the "The American soldier in the Philippines."

Cadet Maclean killed a great horned owl last Monday which is one of the largest and finest specimens ever found in this section of the country. He has mounted his owliship and it may be seen in the academy museum.

The invitations are out for the exercises on Washington's birthday, and consist of a card with "Culver" embossed in maroon at the top, and an old Revolutionary war musket and cocked hat in the upper left hand corner, with the body of the invitation in script. The exercises consist of a Dramatic club entertainment on Wednesday evening, February 21, at 8:30 p. m., a basket ball game at 2:30 p. m. Thursday, Feb. 22 a dance at 9:00 p. m. Although not quite so many visitors are expected as were in attendance at the thanksgiving day exercises, the cadets are looking forward to a very pleasant time.

Last Saturday afternoon C. M. A.'s basket ball team went to South Bend and defeated University of Notre Dame team by a score of 25 to 14. Everybody realized that our players had developed into a team capable of playing a very fast ball, but the fondest hopes of admiring friends did not predict such a brilliant victory over such worthy opponents. Fifteen minute thirds were played, the first third ending with the score standing 3 to 2, C. M. A.'s favor. At no time in the game was Notre Dame in the lead, as the second third ended with a score of 17 to 8 in our favor and the final third show a score of 25 to 14. Canfield and Crawford, of C. M. A. and Cornell of Notre Dame were the star players. The boys are very enthusiastic in their praise of the treatment they received and say that the Notre Dame students certainly know how to entertain a visiting team. Capt. Wood acted as referee and Capt. Greiner was one of the umpires, our players being as follows: Canfield (Capt) center, Bauman and Crawford, forwards, Voris and proctor guards.

Young & Keen, general machinists and wood workers, have again demonstrated that they are masters at the business. Some time since parties took an engine cylinder to the leading machine shop in Rochester and desired the master mechanic of the place to put a sleeve in the same; and was informed that it could not be done. Subsequently it was brought to Culver to Young & Keens who accomplished the same with neatness and dispatch, the job giving perfect satisfaction. This proves conclusively that the Culver Construction Company cannot be excelled and is prepared to do any repairing in the machinery line, and guarantee satisfaction.

Have you seen our stock of blankets and robes. They are going at coat prices at the harness shop. W. S. DuPea.

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For the next 30 days I will sell horse blankets and robes at sacrifice prices, at the harness shop. W. S. DuPea.

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### Grim Reaper.

The grim reaper has been very active in this section during the past two or three weeks, and many aged people have gone to that "bourne from whence no traveler ever returns." Henry Smith, aged 78 years, died at his home east of the Poplar Grove church, Sunday evening at eleven o'clock. He was an old veteran, and has lived in the neighborhood where he died, for 50 years. He leaves a wife and four children to mourn their loss. Funeral services were held at Poplar Grove church Tuesday at 11 o'clock, Rev. Frisley officiating. A large concourse of relatives and friends were present. Remains were laid at rest in Old Fellows' cemetery by undertaker Easterday of this city.

Mrs. Julia McMillan departed this life at her home east of Poplar Grove, Monday night, aged 83 years. She came with her husband on the east side of the lake, when savages roamed the woods, and rowed their canoes over the classic waters of beautiful Lake Maxinkuckee. Her husband who preceded her to the other world several years ago, in those early days, spent most of his time hunting, as game abounded in great abundance at that time. Funeral services were held at Poplar Grove church Thursday, Rev. Frisley officiating, and remains interred in Odd Fellows' cemetery. She leaves four children to mourn their loss; and scores of relatives and friends.

Wednesday morning, the grim reaper called at the home of John S. Garver who lived 2.2 miles north of Culver, and bade him join that innumerable throng which preceded him upon that other shore. He was born in Washington county, Kentucky, in 1812, and when but a child moved with his parents to Ohio, thence to Michigan and from there moved to Elkhart county, Indiana which was his home until 1854, when he came to Marshall county and settled upon his present magnificent farm in the township, where he has resided ever since. Although he had but limited educational advantages, he has been one of the foremost business men of his day and when in vigorous manhood was a leader and wise counsellor in the neighborhood. In August, 1857, he was married to Miss Mary Stutzman, of Elkhart county. To this union 13 children were born, eleven of whom are living, who sincerely mourn the loss of a kind and indulgent father. Politically, he was a democrat, and although he took great interest in the success of his party, he never sought office. He was a member of the German Baptist church, and always took great interest in the advancement of the doctrine laid down by the Master. When a young man he took part in the Black Hawk war, enlisting while a resident of Michigan. During the latter part of his life his eyesight began to fail and for two or three years previous to his death, was totally blind, but with all of his afflictions, he was ever cheerful and reconciled.

Funeral services were held at the Wesleyan church, Burr Oak, at 2 o'clock, Rev. John Appleman of Plymouth, officiating. His remains were laid at rest in Burr Oak cemetery by undertaker Easterday. The last sad rites were attended by a vast number of sympathizing friends and mourning relatives.

After but a very short illness, Mrs. Nancy Shaw, widow of Wm. Shaw, departed this life at the home of her son Mr. S. A. Shaw, three miles northeast of Culver, Wednesday evening Feb. 14, aged 69 years. She has lived in Union township for 55 years, and has seen this section grow from a wilderness to its present magnificent state, financially, civilization and prosperity. During all these years, she has taken an active part in its development socially and otherwise. She was a woman of great personality, and bated deception in any form. As a neighbor and friend, she is highly spoken of by a large circle of acquaintances. She leaves to reverse the memory of a kind and indulgent mother, four children, three sons and one daughter, one daughter and her husband having preceded her. The living are: Mrs. Charity Stahl, S. A. Shaw, J. C. Shaw and Alex. Shaw, the latter being a resident of Colorado, E. J. Shaw, at the home of her son S. A. Shaw, today, (Friday) at two o'clock. Rev. Frisley officiating, and remains interred in Luckiew cemetery.

Grandma Morris, mother of Capt. Morris, died at her home near the Academy Thursday night, after a long and painful illness. Obituary next week.

Mrs. Geo. Nearpass has been a great sufferer with neuralgia the past two weeks.

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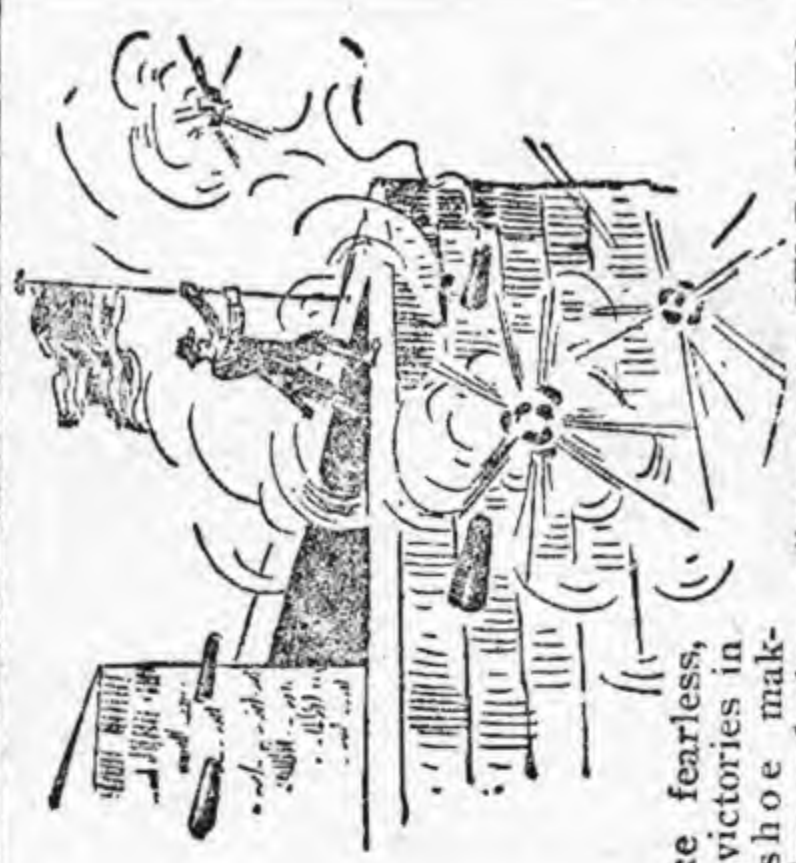
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# WASHINGTON



## FIRST IN AMERICAN HEARTS.

It is impossible at this day to add anything of a new character to the account of men and events of a hundred years and more ago, for the field of history, in so far as it relates to the American revolution and the men who were representative in its accomplishment, has been well explored and voluminously expounded by hundreds of men equal to the task. Nor is there a school child of 10 years in all this country, who has not written his essay on these same men and events, so that their history is in-burned in the minds of all Americans. Yet this is one of the hopeful signs of the disposition of a great people towards those who called their nation into existence. And of the leader of all those courageous men, the one who bore all others carried to an astonishing and successful achievement the herculean labors of bringing victorious a handful of ragged and untrained soldiers through the darkness of a struggle with one of the most powerful countries on earth, certainly nothing now needs be said.

As a young man, Washington was probably no less flippant and worldly than hundreds of others in the colonies. His manners, which have been thought extraordinary in their courtliness, were probably not the slightest bit more so than those of the majority of his acquaintances. He was not free from the faults of men of his time. He was accustomed to methodical exactness from his experience on his mother's plantation and to her he no doubt owed many of the traits which afterwards stood him in such good stead. From his school teachers, churchman Hobbs Thomas Williams, he learned to read and to write as well as to understand the art of computation. The latter of the two also gave him the rudiments of surveying which served as much as any other one thing to develop him into the general of the American forces. For it was on account of his knowledge of this science that he spent three of his years of early manhood in the wilds of the forests, running lines, determining levels, fixing boundaries. His wages at this time were sufficient to enable him to purchase large pieces of that trackless wilderness bordering on streams, which were afterwards of great value, thus developing his insight and shrewdness as a business man. But the lessons that he learned from that rugged nature in the solitary hours, were priceless, and the constitution that was hardened by his life in the woods enabled him in after years to endure untold strains of exposure and suffering, to rescue Braddock after that general's defeat by the French, to conceive the crossing of the Delaware on that bleak and cheerless December night, to undergo Valley Forge and to emerge from them all, the modest, self-contained, reserved gentleman. It was because of his knowledge of the ways of the forest that he was sent on that seemingly needless errand to warn the French of English territory in the winter of 1753-54, on which he acquitted himself well and learned his first lessons in practical warfare. The next year he was chosen to go with Braddock on his ill-fated expedition against the French. Here it was that Washington learned for the first time, that Americans were of just as good stuff as Englishmen, that they could fight just as bravely as the seasoned veterans of the mother country. For it was through the efforts of the "bush-whacking" Virginians that Braddock's force escaped entire destruction. The colonists knew better than did Braddock that the evolutions of the parade ground were of no avail in the sort of warfare in which they were at that time engaged. The physical strain undergone by Washington at this time was extraordinary. From the ninth to the sixteenth of that July, he had little sleep, walking and riding, sometimes all night long through the forest, and succeeding in bringing up some support for Braddock's retreating army. He was then 25 years old. In the course of that one expedition he had seen enough to give him an unconquerable faith in the valor and abilities of his fellow colonists. This faith, it may have been, that so upheld him through the dark hours of defeat and intrigue, when his army well nigh perished from lack of food and clothing.

Washington had no idea, even when the colonies were being greatly roused over the injustice of their treatment by England, that the end would be war. He did not desire war. And it was only when there was no other way to decide the momentous question of principle that he set his heart on hostilities. The courage of the man in accepting the position

of commander-in-chief which was offered to him by the assembly was sublime. The mother country could send hundreds of thousands of trained soldiers against the colonists; her ships ruled the seas. On the other hand, the colonists were a few thousands, undisciplined in any warfare except that against the Indians; their resources were comparatively insignificant. It seems as if there could have been but one outcome. But Washington modestly undertook the task, refusing first any money remuneration for the services he might render. And then his sagacity as a commander began to display itself. Quietly did he collect stores and ammunition and prepare for the struggle. The retreats which he managed in the following years were almost as inspiring as the victories he planned. His must be a waiting game to a great extent, and how well he played it history tells. He compelled England to recognize the trouble as more than a mere insurrection and secured thus the rights of civilized warfare.

How great the odds were against Gen. Washington can never be rightly estimated. Time and again was his army on the point of dissolving away. There were many true hearts in the Congress; but there were many, also, who still leaned a little towards England, fearing that the new order of things would never be successful. There was only a half-hearted support for the commander-in-chief. Jealousy inspired officers to scheme against him. Money was often scarce and sometimes not to be had. His men were sometimes without food, barefooted, and half clothed. Through all these trying years Gen. Washington had to rely mainly on himself. His volume of correspondence was enormous. Thousands of letters did he write, urging Congress, the governors, the influential men of the colonies to take this or that step, to raise men or money, to help on the work.

ton to the effect that he was bled to death by his attending physician, Dr. Craik, there was never any foundation for the accusations.

Washington was only ill two days, having exposed himself to the inclemency of the weather on Thursday, Dec. 12. He became violently ill on the following day and expired between 10 and 11 o'clock Saturday night, his death being directly due to a cold in his throat and lungs. The room in which Washington died in his Mount Vernon home is one of the most interesting portions of the colonial residence of the first President.

Washington's last words spoken to Dr. Craik were: "I am just going. Have me decently buried and do not let my body be put into the vault in less than three days after I am dead."

### NEWS TRAVELED SLOWLY.

Washington Was in the Tomb Two Days Before New York Knew It.

Had George Washington lived and died at the close of the present century instead of the last his death would have been known at all four corners of the globe inside two or three hours, whereas it was not known that he had passed away for several days afterward. Even in Philadelphia, the old capital of the United States, where the Sixth Congress had just assembled, it was not known that Washington was dead until Dec. 16—two days afterward.

News traveled slowly in those days; cable, telegraph, telephone and postal facilities were an unknown quantity, and it took days and weeks to transmit information then, where seconds and minutes figure now in this rapid age of invention and improvement.

The Alexandria Times was the first newspaper to announce Washington's death, printing on Monday, Dec. 16, a single paragraph obituary, thus: "It is

### GEORGE WASHINGTON.



He was the revolution. Almost always he had perfect control of his temper, which was by no means mild, and over his passions and his positive, aggressive spirit. But sometimes the overwhelming injustice of his treatment by Congress must have been a sore temptation to him. And when he watched the intrepid Hamilton dash on to victory in the redoubts at Yorktown he must have felt the weight of the heavy burden he was bearing rise from his great heart so that it beat the faster, for he knew that should Cornwallis surrender the war would probably result victoriously for the American arms.

The same quiet, firm, far-seeing character led him through the years of his life after he had laid down his sword. When he stepped out of the position of commander-in-chief of the victorious army, asking no reward, and quietly returned to the privacy of his own home, he foreshadowed the character of the nation he had so largely helped to make. It should be a nation of itself, not dependent on England or any other country under the globe for its customs or its policy. It was to embody principles hitherto unheard of in the annals of history. It was even in the distant future to take upon itself the yoke of a burdened and oppressed people, to free them from their oppression and to give them back their country with no thought of price or advantage. And yet this was a man.

### Washington's Last Words.

Although some statements have been made by early biographers of Washing-

our painful duty first to announce to our country and to the world the death of Gen. George Washington. This mournful event occurred last Saturday evening about 11 o'clock. On the previous night he was attacked with a violent inflammatory affliction in his throat, which in less than twenty-four hours put a period to his life.

The New York papers did not get the news of Washington's death until Dec. 13, and it was four days later when the Boston papers published their first information. President Adams issued a proclamation advising all citizens to wear crepe on the left arm for thirty days and setting apart Feb. 22, Washington's birthday, as a day when special services in honor of Washington should be held.

New York paid its tribute to the departed President on Dec. 31. No carts, carriages or horseback riders were allowed in the streets through which the funeral procession passed on the way to St. Paul's Church, where Gov. Morris delivered the funeral oration and Bishop Samuel Provost conducted the religious services.

### Change of Date.

Washington lost eleven days of his life in 1752, when 30 years of age, but he lived a great deal in his time and probably made them up. The first celebration of his birthday anniversary of which there is record occurred in Richmond, Va., on Feb. 11, 1782, old style. It was a feast and soul-flow day there and elsewhere until 1793, when Feb. 22 was adopted, according to the new style.

## SEEKS TO END SIEGE.

WHITE TRIES TO CUT THE INVESTING LINES.

Makes an Attempt to Get Out of Ladysmith Buller's Retreat Saves Army from Well-Laid Trap—Boer Guns Command Defiles.

It was generally believed in London Monday that Gen. White was making a desperate effort to escape from Ladysmith and cut through the Boer lines. The information regarding the move from the beleaguered town came in a dispatch from the Boer head laager outside Ladysmith and a dispatch from Lourenco Marquez, probably based on the same advice. The accuracy of news emanating from the Dutch camps has been proved so frequently of late that little doubt is felt regarding the truth of the latest report.

All experts admit that the situation in the besieged town must be serious, as not a pound of provisions or a package of ammunition has entered in months. It is felt that food and war supplies have been very low for some time, so that the only alternative would be surrender or a daring attempt to cut a way through the investing lines and join the British forces south of the Tugela river. Gen. White, those who know him say, would undoubtedly take the latter course, even though its cost would be terrific.

That Gen. Buller's retirement from his advanced position was timely is evidenced by the dispatches last received. These show that the immense British army was being led into a trap in which its annihilation was almost certain. Ballonists discovered the Boers mounting many big guns on the hills where they would command a defile through which the imperial forces would have to pass. These guns, while hidden and beyond reach of Buller's artillery, could sweep the whole road, the only possible route to Ladysmith, and massacre the Englishmen as they advanced. Retreat also would have been impossible, as the Dutch forces were prepared to take the British in the rear had they attempted to press forward.

### HARASSED BY THE ENEMY.

American Garrisons in Albay Fired Upon by Filipinos.

Of late the insurgents in Albay province, Luzon, have adopted harassing tactics against the towns which the Americans have garrisoned. They camp in the hills and maintain a constant fire upon the American outposts. When the troops sally against them they scatter, returning when the Americans retire.

They shoot burning arrows, and have thus burned a large part of the town of Albay. Indeed, most of the larger towns in that province are practically deserted except by the garrison. Scarcely any of the inhabitants return to their homes. They are camping in the interior and it is supposed armed insurgents prevent them going back. It is reported that there is much suffering among them owing to lack of food. As a result of these conditions the hemp business in that section is seriously hindered and ships going for cargoes are compelled to take gangs of coolies to do their loading. Hemp in the interior is quite inaccessible.

Col. Bell will take two regiments and a battery through the provinces of North Camarines and South Camarines, going there on transports. Many insurgents retreated to that part of the island from Cavite and Batangas provinces. Another expedition will soon start to garrison towns along the north coast of the island of Mindanao.

Guerrilla warfare continues south of Manila. Two attempts have been made to ambush the Americans. Col. Schwan, while returning to Manila with his staff and an escort of 100 cavalry from Matangas, was attacked by the insurgents. The latter were dispersed, but the Americans had five men wounded.

Lieut. Col. Beacon, with six companies of the Forty-second infantry, had a two hours' fight with Gen. Pio del Pilar's command, which attempted to ambush the Americans along the trail through Morong province near the lake. Here also the insurgents were dispersed, but the Americans had several wounded, among them a captain.

Col. Bell is operating southward through Zambales province with a small force. Another expedition is proceeding northward from Subig. It is reported that the insurgent general Alejandro has recovered from his wound and has assembled a large force in that district.

The plague continues. Eight cases were reported last week among the natives and Chinese. There is no excitement, however, and business and social life are undisturbed. Smallpox is prevalent among the natives along the railroad and in the towns on the northern coast. Two officers of the Thirty-sixth infantry have died of the disease and another officer and several soldiers have been stricken.

### Notes of Current Events.

The Illinois State Board of Health recommends that a sanitarium for consumptives be erected.

The resignation of Joseph W. Ivey as collector of customs at Sitka, Alaska, has been accepted.

Dreyfus' counsel, M. Labori, will lecture for thirteen weeks in the United States next autumn.

A postage stamp of the first issue of British Guiana, in 1850, sold for \$1,710 at auction in New York.

Tomato growers of Ohio, Indiana and Kentucky are organizing for protection from the canning combine.

A pan burst at Lewisburg, Tenn., in the pencil factory, killing Ernest Hester and injuring two other men.

The ladies of Mexico City will give a bull fight in aid of the girls' home. President Diaz and wife will attend.

The 1,800 employees of the Lehigh Coal Company, Hazelton, Pa., have been granted a 2 per cent increase in wages.

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**Current Question.**  
Quinn—What is the currency question in Chicago?  
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**Success in the Dairy.**  
To secure the best results in the care of milk and butter, attention must be given details. The milking must be properly done, and all vessels used must be kept scrupulously clean by washing night and morning in hot water with Ivory soap, then rinsed in cold water and set out to sun and air.  
ELIZA R. PARKER.

**Babies' Tears.**  
As a rule, tears do not accompany a baby's cries until it is 3 months old.

**What Do the Children Drink?**  
Don't give them tea or coffee. Have you tried the new food drink called GRAIN-O? It is delicious and nourishing, and takes the place of coffee. The more Grain-O you give the children the more health you distribute through their systems. Grain-O is made of pure grains, and when properly prepared tastes like the choice grades of coffee, but costs about 1/4 as much. All grocers sell it. 15c and 25c.

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DON'T DELAY  
TAKE  
**KEMP'S BALSAM**  
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Keeps both rider and saddle perfectly dry in the hardest storms. Substitutes will disappoint. Ask for Fish Brand Pommel Slicker. It is entirely new. If not for sale in your town, write for catalogue to A. J. TOWER, Boston, Mass.

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**Public Schools Gaining.**

The current annual report of Dr. William T. Harris, United States Commissioner of Education, estimates the population between the ages of 5 and 18 at 21,458,204. Of these 15,038,636 are enrolled in the public schools. The increase in attendance in the public schools is in excess of the increase in population. The present enrollment is 70 per cent. of the whole, against 65.5 in 1880 and 61.4 in 1870. The average term of the school year increased from 132 days in 1870 to 143 days in 1898.

**The Mystery of Dust at Sea.**

It is a puzzling fact that the decks of sailing vessels show dust at night, even if washed in the morning, and no work is done during the day. This is like indigestion and dyspepsia, which creep on one unawares. The only way to cure them is by the use of Hostetter's Stomach Bitters, which also prevents malaria, fever and ague.

**How She Knew.**

"Poor thing!" exclaimed one young woman at the theater. "That girl is beautiful, but she is very deaf."  
"How do you know?"  
"She has sat all through this French farce without blushing once."—Washington Star.

**\$100 Reward, \$100.**

The readers of this paper will be pleased to learn that there is at least one dreaded disease that science has been able to cure in all its stages, and that is catarrh. Hall's Catarrh Cure is the only positive cure now known to the medical fraternity. Catarrh being a constitutional disease, requires a constitutional treatment. Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system, thereby destroying the foundation of the disease, and giving the patient strength by building up the constitution and assisting nature in doing its work. The proprietors have so much faith in its curative powers that they offer One Hundred Dollars for any case that it fails to cure. Send for list of Testimonials.  
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**Their Secrets.**

"When a man has a secret he never tells any one he has it."  
"That's so; but when a woman has a secret she lets the people know it so they can coax it out of her."—Indianapolis Journal.

**Try Grain-O! Try Grain-O!**

Ask your Grocer to-day to show you a package of GRAIN-O, the new food drink that takes the place of coffee. The children may drink it without injury as well as the adult. All who try it like it. GRAIN-O has that rich seal brown of Mocha or Java, but it is made from pure grains, and the most delicate stomach receives it without distress. 1/4 the price of coffee. 15c and 25c per package. Sold by all grocers.

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"She pays her butler \$5,000 a year."  
"Yes, there are so few butlers who are really competent and yet look less important than her husband."—Detroit Journal.

**A FORMER AMERICAN SAYS WHAT**

Doubled Their Cultivated Lands and More than Doubled Their Stock.

The following letter written by Mr. John Cummings of Wetaskiwin, Alberta, Canada, formerly of Washington, to a friend in the United States is only one of a hundred similar cases, and what was done by Mr. Cummings can more easily be done to-day by any good, sober and industrious farmer who chooses to make his home in the Dominion.

Dear Sir—You want to know how I got along since I came into Northern Alberta. I am happy to inform you that I am not ashamed to tell.  
We located five miles northeast of Wetaskiwin; left Farmington, Washington, on the 29th of May, driving all the way.

We had time to build our log house the first fall and to make us comfortable for the family and stock. We then built four stables, 18x20 inside, so that we could put everything inside them when the cold got down to the fifties, and worked hard getting up the stable, and got through dubbing on the 1st of December, but to our surprise we had no use for the stables, only for the milk cow and two span of horses. The balance of the horses lived on the prairie all winter and took care of themselves. The doors of two stables were left open for them to go into in a cold time, but they would not do it, but stayed out on the prairie the coldest night we had and looked as spry as crickets.

I can go ten rods back of my house and count ten residents. I know all of their circumstances. Every one of them have doubled their cultivated land and doubled their animals, and a great deal more. All of us are comparatively out of debt and an unusually big crop to thresh and prospects of a fair price, and I expect we are as well contented lot of people as there are from Florida to the Klondike.

My son bought two pounds of twine to the acre, and when we started to bind some barley, we found that instead of taking two pounds to the acre, it was taking nearly five pounds. Then you ought to have seen him hitch up a team and make for town for 100 lbs. more. I cannot say how it will thresh. All I can say is that it is well headed, and takes an enormous amount of twine.

**Settlements.**

George—What will your father settle on the man who marries you?  
Milly—All the rest of the family, probably.—Harlem Life.

**Lane's Family Medicine**

Moves the bowels each day. In order to be healthy this is necessary. Acts gently on the liver and kidneys. Cures sick headache. Price 25 and 50c.

Don't swallow your food before you chew it; it's unhealthy.

Piso's Remedy for Catarrh is not a liquid or a snuff. It quickly relieves Cold in the Head, Headache, etc., and really cures Catarrh. 50c.

**Libby, McNeill & Libby**

Housekeepers frequently feel the need of luncheon meats which are either ready to serve or can be prepared for the table at a moment's notice. Such a need is abundantly supplied in the superior meats put up by the old reliable house of Libby, McNeill & Libby, Chicago, one of whose specialties is advertised in another column of this paper, and their booklet, "How to Make Good Things to Eat," is offered free on application.

**Richest English Noblemen.**

The death of England's richest nobleman, the Duke of Westminster, whose estate represented an income of \$3,000,000 or \$4,000,000 a year, calls attention to great fortunes in this country as well as England. It is estimated that if the present Duke should live to the age of the one who has just died the renewals of the London leases will bring his income up from \$3,000,000 or \$4,000,000 to \$12,000,000 or \$14,000,000. This great estate has been growing for 500 years.—Indianapolis News.

**Coughing Leads to Consumption.**

Kemp's Balsam will stop the cough at once. Go to your druggist to-day and get a sample bottle free. Sold in 25 and 50 cent bottles. Go at once; delays are dangerous.

**Not His Fault.**

Mother—Willie, why didn't you come to me sooner? I've called you four times.  
Willie—I only heard you twice.

Mrs. Winslow's SOOTHING SYRUP for Children teething; softens the gums, reduces inflammation, allays pain cures wind colic. 25 cents a bottle.

**Nervous Women**

are ailing women. When a woman has some female trouble she is certain to be nervous and wretched.

With many women the monthly suffering is so great that they are for days positively insane, and the most diligent efforts of ordinary treatment are unavailing.

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The advice of Mrs. Pinkham should also be secured by every nervous woman. This costs nothing. Her address is Lynn, Mass.

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**Try It.**  
Our Peerless Wafer Sliced Dried Beef is one of our thirty varieties of perfectly packed canned foods and comes to you as fresh, dainty and deliciously flavored as the moment it was sliced. Put up in convenient sized key opening cans. Ask your grocer. If not in stock, he will order it at your request.  
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Best Cough Syrup. Tastes Good. Use in time. Sold by druggists.

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See vice at the M. E. Church.

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Sr. League..... 6:00 p. m.

The Dewey Calendar by the Nickel Plate Road will be mailed anyone sending address with 10c in stamps to the General Passenger Agent, Cleveland, Ohio.

COMMISSION'S PLAN.

The state tax and salary commission will hold the most important meeting since its creation at Indianapolis on Feb. 28, at which a tentative plan for equalizing the salaries of all the county officers of the state will be agreed on.

The United States Steamer Nero has completed her survey for a cable across the Pacific.

When in need of Shingles, call and see me. I have them from \$1.75 to \$3.00 per M. My shingle umbrella is full to overflowing.

J. O. FERRIER, Culver, Ind.

Gibson Gets a Judgment.

The long contested suit of Jordan E. Gibson, of this city, contractor against the commissioners of Fulton county in the matter of the contract price for the erection of the Fulton county court house at Rochester, has come to judgment.

State Reform Laws.

John B. Conner, chief of the bureau of statistics, has just sent out a bulletin regarding the operations of the county and township reform laws.

The tax levy for county purpose in 1898, under the old law, in all the counties of the state was \$43.28 1/2 on each \$100 valuation or a total levy of \$5,666,245.30 for all counties. The levy for county purposes in all the counties in 1899 by the county councils, under the new law, was \$42.55 2/3 on each \$100 valuation or a total of \$5,577,391.81, for all the counties.

Funny Fellows!

An entertainment will be given by a company of "funny fellows" at Osborn's hall, next Friday evening Feb. 23, for the benefit of "Town Clock." The program will consist of two comical farces, interspersed with recitations, funny songs etc.

Valentine Day.

Wednesday was valentine day, and the show windows were decorated with the missives that excite love, admiration and "cuss" words. The shade of the departed saint got in his work rather early this year and the assortment he offers to the public was great—in various meanings the word.

The old notion was that birds chose their mates on that day, and hence arose the custom of young person choosing each other as "valentines" for the ensuing year by a series of lottery, and of sending love missives to each other. According to the legend St. Valentine was beheaded on that day, February 14, (year unknown and uncared for) at Rome, under Claudius. Well, it was pretty tough on the old fellow, of course, but we can not but feel that his fate was deserved if he was responsible for some of the hideous things that burden and insult people in these latter days.

APPLICATION FOR LICENSE.

To the Citizens of Union Township, Marshall County, and State of Indiana. The undersigned hereby gives notice that he will apply to the Board of County Commissioners of said county at their next regular term, to be held at the court-house, in the city of Plymouth, in said county, commencing on the first Monday of March, A. D. 1900 for a license to sell spirituous, vinous and malt liquors, in a less quantity than a quart at a time, with the privilege of allowing said liquors to be drunk on the premises where sold, for one year, and also for the privilege of selling soft drinks, lunch, cigars and tobacco, on the premises described as following.

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For all sores, ulcers, wounds, burns and skin diseases—Beggs' German Salve, the famous pile cure. C. H. Lidell, Nevada, Mo., says: "It gave me immediate relief from piles and effected a permanent cure." A GUARANTEED REMEDY, endorsed by physicians. Sold by T. E. Slattery's druggists



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GROPS IN GENERAL.

The crop bulletin issued by the government weather bureau, shows that the weather conditions during January were generally favorable for wheat, except in New York, Pennsylvania, North Carolina, Ohio and Michigan. With the exception of Ohio and Michigan and the limited area in Indiana, wheat was generally in excellent condition prior to the cold period at the closing of the month.

Thomas Walker.

Deceased was born in the southwest corner of Green township and had lived in Marshall county all his life. He received a good education and was for several years one of the prominent school teachers of the county, and was very popular with all classes of society.

He was elected recorder of Marshall county in 1892 and re-elected in 1896. His death was caused by congestion of the lungs and his illness was of short duration. Besides his bereaved wife and children he leaves his father, brothers, sisters, and many other relatives to mourn his death.

The funeral took place from his late residence near the court house at 2 o'clock Tuesday afternoon. The I. O. O. F., Woodmen of the World and Firemen of which organizations he was a member, attended the funeral in a body. The remains were interred at Oak Hill.—Plymouth Republican.

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In another column Chas. Curtis has announced as candidate for county treasurer. He is now deputy treasurer, consequently he thoroughly understands the business, which should be a great factor in his favor. Personally, Charley is a young man of exemplary character, and his friends in Marshall county are more than numerous.

Stop your hair falling out! "Erysipelas resulted in entire loss of my hair; two bottles Beggs' Hair Renewer gave me a fine growth."—John A Linder, Editor Advocate, Humeston, Ia. GUARANTEED for all scalp diseases; restores full growth and color. Sold by at T. E. Slattery's druggist.

SIX Lots for Sale.

Facing Toner Avenue. They are situated in Kreuzberger Park, and are the most desirable property in the city. They are within stone throw of beautiful Lake Maxinkuckee and one block from depot and steamboat landing. The park is one of the finest in the state, and this would be an excellent location for summer resorters. Call on or address

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Prof. M. H. Kasper, Evangelical Lutheran Seminary, Addison, Ill., writes: "I had been suffering for some time with severe Pains in my lung and coughed almost constantly. One bottle Beggs' Cherry Cough Syrup entirely cured me." It is GUARANTEED to cure.—has never failed. For sale by T. Slattery, Druggist.

A Narrow Escape.

Thankful words written by Mrs. Ad E Hart, of Groton, S. D. "Was taken with a bad cold which settled on my lungs; cough set in and finally terminated in Consumption. Four Doctors gave me up, saying I could live but a short time. I gave myself up to my Savior, determined if I could not stay with my friends on earth, I would meet my absent ones above. My husband was advised to get Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption, Coughs and Cold. I gave it a trial, took in all eight bottles. It has cured me, and thank God, I am saved and now a well and healthy woman." Trial bottles free at T. Slattery's drug store. Regular size 50c and \$1.00. Guaranteed or price refunded.

Mr. J. Sheer Sedalia, Mo., saved his child's life by the Minute cough cure. Doctors had given her up to die with croup. It's an infallible cure for coughs, colds, grippe, pneumonia, bronchitis and throat and lung troubles. Relieves at once. T. E. Slattery.

"One Minute Cough Cure is the best remedy I ever used for coughs and colds. It is unequalled for whooping cough. Children all like it, writes H. N. Williams, Gentryville, Ind. Neyer fails. It is the only harmless remedy that gives immediate results. Cures coughs, colds, hoarseness, croup, pneumonia, bronchitis and all throat and lung trouble. It early use prevents consumption. T. E. Slattery.

A Word to Mothers.

Mothers of children affected with croup or a severe cold need not hesitate to administer Chamberlain's Cough Remedy. It contains no opiate nor narcotic in any form and may be given as confidently to babe as to an adult. The great success that has attended its use in the treatment of colds and croup has won for it the approval and praise it has received throughout the United States and in many foreign lands. For sale by T. E. Slattery, druggist.

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