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#### Announcements.

FOR SHEATER

Junes H. Castleman, of Union other afflictious. toweship, will be a candidate for Sheriff of Marshall county, subject for North Dakota last Monday more-Primary election, Friday April 6, remain during the summer.

#### FOR TREASURER.

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

FOR BURYEYOR. ELDRIEGE TROM! SON, candidate for the nomination for Surveyor of Marshall county, subject to the decision of the

Democratic primary election, April 6, 1900 FOR BECORDER. H. L. SINGHEY, feandidate for the

nomination for Recorder of Marshall county primary election, April 6, 1900.

FOR TREASURER.

CHAS. H. CURTIS is a candidate for the nomination for Treasurer of Marshall county, subject to the decision of the Democcutio Primary Election to held April 6,

#### FOR RECORDER.

L. G. Engley, of Bourbon town ship, is a candidate for Recorder of in April, Marshall County, subject to the de cision of the Democratic primaries, to be teld April 6th, 1900.

WILLIAM F YOUNG of Center township. is enndidate for Treasurer of Marshall County subject to the decision of the democratic Primary Election, April 6, 1900. Your support is respectidely so-

#### For Representative.

"CLAY W. METSEER, publisher of the Marshall County Independent. will be a candidate for representative of Marshall County, subject to the decision of the Democratic Primaries April 6, 1900

rings in a cold wave.

lobster is in danger of extinction. This has no reference to the human variety.

A LIFE AND DEATH FIGHT.

Mr. W. A. Hines of Manchester, la., writing of his almost miraculous escape from Boath, says. "Exposure after measles induced serious lung fromble, which ended in of the county to investigate his Consumption. I had frequent hemorrhages and coughed night and day. All my docttors said I must soon die, then I began to will abide by their decision as to his use Dr. King's New Discovery for Consump- lovalty." tion, which completely cared me. I would not be without it even if it cost \$5.00 a bottle. Handrads have used it on my recommendation all say it never fails to cure "Planat Chestand Lung troubles." Regular size 500 mad \$1.00. Trial bottles free at T.

#### LOCAL SREVETIES

J. C. Zechiel's wife is quite ill. Mrs. S. D. Laden is still very ill. How do you like that condy? We have had a week of typical ing his family. March weather.

The Reformed Sunday school will hold easier services.

A new son made his apperance at L. Burkett's recently.

One hundred pair of shoes at 50c turning in about 10 days. per pair at Vanschniudk's.

A gentleman was in town Thursday trying to organize an order entitled "Modern Samaritans of the World." Its headquarters are at Elkhart.

Who were the young ladies that were having a genuine "scrap" over a necktie, Wednesday evening?

Harley and Fred Spencer left for Sharun, Wisconsin, Tuesday.

Noah Stayton and Jamliy left for Wisconsin Monday night where they will reside in the future.

Our stock must be reduced; prices way down. Come in.

VANSCHOIACK.

Harold Foes left with a consin were dead.

thing at Vanscholack's.

rick's Day. In some of the larger cities it was celebrated as asual, but; in Culver no demonstration was made he Irish being tow and far between in this section .

Special trittee & I be run to North Dakota Via. the worthean Pacific at. K., on March 27 and April 3. We would like to see many of our irrends. subject to the decision of the Democratic bocate up in that country and will assure you the best of trontment from the Northern Pacific people,

#### VANSCHUMER.

Rev. Newman preached his farewell Fermon, Sanlay morning at Twin Lakes. The house was well filled and he preached an excellent sermon. He goes to conference

O. J. Warner, of the firm of Warner & Kiser, was in town Wednesday buying first-class horses. In fact Thursday. good horses in this section are becoming scarce as "hens' teeth". During the past year this firm bas bought' and shipped 28 car loads from Argos. Then there were several other borsemen buying horses in the county.

Charles M. Walker, Democratic candidate for Recorder of Marshall county, was in Culver Thursday calling upon the voters in said party. In order to give our readers an idea of the man, we print the following: tion. Republican majorities were vot. She carried in her hand a beaureduced from 98 to 32. He sincerely asks that that the Democrat voters standing in his township, and he

time, we extend a special invitation to all our old customers to come in and get some of our many bargains and help us to get away.

VANSCHOILCK.

We are still ou dock and doing business at the old stand.

John Burns, who is employed in a grist mill in Chasterton, was in town from Saturday till Wednesday visit-

Tuesday night on the 6:20 train, Thos. Slattery and Dr. Hollister, left Chicago for Bowder, North Dakots, where they will hunt and take a general inspection of the country, re-

Mike Boland, formerly section boss at this place, and who was placed in charge of a section at Logonsport, resigned his position and left last week for Kansas City, where he will enter the employment of a railroad, at the munificent salary of \$35 per month.

A Fulton county farmer is poorer by the loss of two fine steers, as a result of keeping dynamite within their reach. Having been doing some blast-

to the decision of the Democratic ing, and if he likes the country will little state of Delaware for the kill. To which unit a were been at a cloth ing of 20,000 birds, within the next Bargains! bargains!! in every- 60 days the same, to be paid for at the rete of eight cents each. And all Monday March 19th, was St. Pac- the massers and death for womare fully in a corument. But there will be and ma dread accounting for this wholevals murder of the feathered tribes in lessoned crops, insect plagues and devastation.

> The new buildings being erected to furnish additional room at the Longcliff asylum, are rapidly awaring completion, and are sorely meeded, as there are many insane patients now confined in jail where neither adequate care or cons fort can be given them.

ver with a stock of groceries, queens house in the Osborn block next week.

Miss Unzeel Barber is suffering from an attack of Purpura.

Don't worry please, Indiana's state geologist says there is enough coal in the state to last 300 years. You'll not need it, maybe, by that time.

#### Wedding Bells.

Married at the residence of the bride's parents, east of Muxinkuckee. in the presence of fifty invited guests, by Rev Chas. W. Clifton, of Haveloc. "Charles M. Walker was born in Iowa, March 14,1900, Elby L. Robin-When in doubt the weatherman Miama county, Indiana, in 1864, and son an Miss Mary E. Hibray. The moved to Tippecanoe township, Mar- cermony was delivered according to A current report states that the shall county in 1868. He prides the beautiful ritual of the M. E. himself upon the fact that Tippeanoe, church. The groom was attired in township was the only township in conventional black, and the bride, s christian womanhood made her a Marshall county that did not retro- costume was turquies blue trimed place among relative s and friends grade on the ticket in the last elec. with white satin and dark blue vel- that none other can fill. tiful bouquet of daisies and picks.

The valuable presents attest the ppreciation of their many friends After the cermony a bountiful supper was served,

Mr. and Mrs. Robinson will go to As we will be here only a short housekeeping on the farm recently purchased near W. S. Robinson's in ence. Green township.

> May prosperity and happiness crown their lives with success.

#### OBITUARY.

Elmer Cochenhour, formerly a citizen of this city, was killed last Friday at Bradford, Ohio, at 10:30 a.m. After arriving at Bradford, he started through the yards with some weigh bills, and was run over by a train following the train he was on Both of his legs were cut off near the hips, and he lived about 40 minutes, but did not regain consciousness. His remains were brought to Logac. sport at which place his father claimed the remains and brought them to Starke county for burial. He leaves two children, his wife dying about six month ago, the children being cared for by their grandparents who live south of Kuox. The deceased was a brakeman for the Pauhsodic it R, and had been in its service about two years. He was well liked by his associates.

Lucy Connor was born in Wickiew ing upon his farm be had sevent sticks county, Anis Keray, Ireland, May 15; of the deadly explosive in the barn 1808, and died March 12th, 1900, and the cattle becoming loose from at Argos Ind., aged 91 years 1. their stalls, and finding the stoff months and two days. Her father Mrs. Edward - Dreese is yery ill agreeable to their palate, devoured suggested to this country when she with neuraliga of the stemach and the entire jet. The animals took sick was three years of age, her mother and before anything could be done dying three weeks after landing, leaving five children. She was mar-A contract has, been let in the ried to Chas. Brown in the year 1826, ten, live of whom survivo her, her haspand and five children appearing her to the better had, these forms are Mrs. Lucy Hand, Mrs. M. Roll back, Mrs. Silve Deemer, Kezi L New no ise, and Sylvenus Brown, one daughter living in Kansas, and tho son in Wisconsin. She united with Litter Day Saints or Mormon church in the year 1834, in which she was a firm beleiver until her death. She leaves many sorrowing triends and relatives to mourn their loss.

> Emily Thompson was born in Daycette county, Indiana, May 29, 1821, and moved to Marshall county . July 1837. Was married to Isaac John Osborn has returned to Cal- N. Morris Dec 1840. To this anien was bor 9 children, three sons and ware ste., and will open a business six daughters, of which four are still living, one sou, three daughters and W. S. Easterday and wife made her husband preceding her on the friends in Knox a visit Thursday! other shore, she raising her family of The Culver Military " Black Horse small children. She joined tue Troup" passed through Culver Cambellite church in her youth and lived her life in that faith. She died March 17, 1900, aged 75 years nine months and 18 days. Faneral services were held at the residence Mouday at 11 a.m., Rev. F. O. Fraley officiating, and remains told at rest in Burr Oak cemetery.

Mrs. Morris was one of the 'picneers of the county of whom there are very few who came here at the time she did Through industry, indomitable will and self-reliance they made a home in a new land much endured hardships that the present generation knows not of.

Mrs. Morris was one of this class of hardy pioneers and these qualities coupled with her qualities of true

There will be preaching at the Evangeleal church next Sunday vening by Rev. Newman. This will be his hual sermon during this conference year; be leaving next Monday for Dayton, Ohio, to be alsent a week or ten days attending confor-

Mess I and Trover of he ama Eng our, Mich was calling on firehas it Culver this week.

CULVER CITY. - - INDIANA.

#### DEAL NIPPED IN BUD.

SWINDLERS ALMOST SUCCEED IN FLEECING BRITONS.

Are About to Sell Rich Englishmen a Fraudulent Gold Mine, When the Latter Become Suspicious and All Is Off-Railway System Sold.

Sir Frederick G. Vigoe and T. D. G. Drayton, British capitalists, sailed for England the other day after having had a narrow escape from being separated from their money by a pair of shrewd swindlers. The Englishmen came to America several weeks ago to purchase a gold mine advertised for sale by R. G. Miller and William Schroeder. Negotiations were almost completed when the prospective investors became suspicious and frightened the alleged mine owners into disappearance. Wine suppers and entertainments costing about \$3,000 were wasted on the wily Britons. They went to Chicago with Miller and Schroeder and were taken to the Metropole. After seeing the city thoroughly they asked for a look at the samples from the mine. Nix gold bars were then taken from a box in the Merchants' Loan and Trust Company's vaults, and borings were made. showing that they were 76 per cent pure gold. Schroeder and Drayton then start ed for Golden City, Colo., while Miller and Sir Frederick remained behind. Forged telegrams signed with the latter's name and urging the closing of the deal met Drayton by the score at Denver and aroused his suspicions. The transaction was declared off. Miller and Schroeder disappeared. An assay of the gold bars was made, and it was discovered that they were composed of worthless alloy.

#### DROPS INTO A DEEP CAVERN.

Six Hundred Acres of San Jacinto Mountain Completely Disappears.

cinto, Cal., as it has been discovered that part of San Jacinto mountain has slipped into a subterranean cavern. A territory of 600 acres, at an elevation of 4,000 feet, was dislodged by the Christmas earthquake and slipped 150 feet lower than it had previously stood for centuries. The face of the new valley is thickly traversed with fissures and cracks, varying in width from an inch to six feet across, and it is possible to see neither bottom nor to sound the to see by throwing stones into them, the depths man was lowerones into them. A young ice, and the bered forty feet in the crevthe and the bottom could not be seen by The great earthquake of Dec. 25 has been succeeded by dozens of light shocks, and, although these are becoming infrequent, residents are much alarmed.

#### RAILROAD SOLD AT AUCTION.

Kansas City, Pittsburg & Gulf Railroad Under the Hammer for \$12,500,000.

The Kansas City, Pittsburg and Gulf Railroad was sold at public auction at the depot in Joplin, Mo., by E. H. Stiles, master in chancery, to satisfy a \$23,000,-000 mortgage with one year's accrued interest held by the State Trust Company of New York. But one bid was made, that by Silas W. Pettit, chief counsel of the Philadelphia reorganization committee, of \$12,500,000, the upset price.

Big Fire at Piqua, Ohio.

Fire broke out in Orr's linseed oil mill at Piqua, Ohio. The flames spread rapidly until Gray's woolen mills were soon enwrapped. The blaze spread across the street and became so threatening that the departments from Lima, Sidney, Dayton, Urbana and Springfield were called. The loss will reach several hundred thousand

Kills Son-in-Law and Wife.

Thomas Pooley, a saloonkeeper at Butte, Mont., shot his son-in-law, Thos. Littlejohn, and the latter's wife, Lyda, during a difficulty on the street. There had been bad feeling between Littlejohn and Pooley since the former married the latter's daughter without the father's

Manila Census Taken.

A census of the city of Manila, taken by the sanitary corps of the city, has been received at the War Department in Washington. It shows the population of the city proper, not including the suburbs or the residents of houseboats, convents or seminaries, to be, approximately,

Cape Nome's Rich Gold Field.

Eastern advices say that more than 5,000 square miles of gold-bearing territory in western Alaska has now been prospected and found rich, according to Nome advices brought to Dawson by R. R. McRae and E. H. Nagle, who left Nome City in January.

Three-Cent Fare Ordinance Invalid. Judge Swan in the United States District Court at Detroit rendered a decision which denies the validity of an ordinance passed some months since by the City Council requiring the street railway companies to reduce rates of fare to 3

Big Fire in an Chio Town.

Fire which broke out in Troy, Ohio, at midnight destroyed almost an entire square, including seven business houses. The loss will reach \$100,000, with partial insurance.

Horse Nips Off Doctor's Nose. A vicious horse snapped at Dr. J. C. Tritch, one of the most prominent physicians in Findlay, Ohio, and nipped off LABOR SCARCE IN ENGLAND.

Drain of Men for the War Seriously Affects Manufacturing.

This being the sixth month of the Transvaal war, its full effects are beginning to be felt in British trade and labor circles, especially in the manufacturing districts of England, from which thousands of recruits have been drawn since Dec. 1. The percentage of unemployed is considerably lower than at any similar period in a decade, as is shown by the monthly memorandum issued by the labor department of the London Board of Trade. The South and West of England particularly report a great scarcity of labor. During the recent severe storms it was found impossible in many cities and towns to get the necessary additional labor to clear the streets of snow, despite the fact that in many instances unusually high wages were offered. The scarcity of labor is felt all the more keenly because of the increased demand for numerous products caused by the war. This is true in many lines of manufacturing, such as the making of flannels, tenting, saddlery, tinned foods and other articles necessary for the equipage and maintenance of a great army in the field.

BIG OIL WELL SHOT IN OHIO.

Fills Rivulets and Drenches Workman

a Mile and a Half Distant. The attention of the oil world is yet riveted on the Tiffin, Ohio, oil field. The center of attraction is oil well No. 2, located on the Van Nett farm and owned by a Buffalo syndicate. It was drilled in and shot recently. Very disheartening were the indications that oil would be struck. But just as they shot it a roar was heard and oil spouted over the derrick sixty feet, submerging acres of surrounding territory and filling rivulets. A man working in a woods one and a half miles from the well was drenched and farm houses near by had difficulty in extinguishing their fires. The flow continued over four hours and water wells three-fourths of a mile distant were filled with oil produced by the concussion of the earth. The gusher remained quiet for two days and then started to flow for several hours at the rate of a barrel per minute. It was estimated that over 800 barrels were lost by this action.

#### SMALLPOX IN THE CAPITOL.

Congressmen. A feeling of panic reigned in the House corridors at Washington when it was learned that one of the Osage Indians who have been there for several days had smallpox. The Indians had made the room of the committee on Indian affairs their headquarters, and when Chairman Sherman was advised of the situation he bundled the whole lot outside and had bundled + to the pesthouse. They were them sent the capitol at the time, and not all at were at once set to work to the police the strolling visitors and get round up the pesthouse. The necesthem off to the pesthouse. The necessary fumigation was made and no serious results are feared from the exposure to contagion.

Stabs a Rival with Scissors. At Omaha Mrs. Daisy Morrison stabbed Vina Williams with a pair of scissors, inflicting an ugly gash in the left arm. Miss Williams warded off a blow

aimed at her heart. Mrs. Morrison sent for Miss Williams and accused her of seeking to win the love of Mr. Morrison, her husband. The latter's screams brought assistance in time to save her

Plant to Cost \$30,000,000.

The Wellman-Seaver Engineering Company of Cleveland has closed a contract with the Nickel Steel Company of Hamilton, Ont., to design and build what will, when completed, be the largest steel and iron plant in Canada. The total capacity of the plant will be 2,400 tons a day. The entire plant will cost nearly

\$30,000,000.

Humiliation for Finland. The Cologne Gazette announces that the Czar has abolished the rule which provided that district governors of Finland should take a special oath upon entering the Russian state service. This oath was framed on the status of Finland as a grand duchy, and its abolition has crushingly impressed the Finns.

Intervention Means War.

Great Britain, in her answer to the overtures for peace in behalf of Presidents Kruger and Steyn, serves notice on all the nations of the world that she will not tolerate any interference by any of them with the prosecution of the war in South Africa.

Burlington Train's Escape.

The Chicago-Denver flyer on the Chicago, Burlington and Quincy Railway. known as "No. 1," had a slight accident at Tower 310, twenty-five miles west of Ottumwa, Iowa. The engine and front truck of the baggage car left the track. No person was injured.

St. Louis Midwife Found Guilty,

The jury in the case of Mrs. Henrietta Bamberger, the St. Louis midwife, returned a verdict of guilty of the charge of manslaughter and fixed her punishment at five years in the penitentiary. It was charged that she caused the death of Wilhelmina Spoeri.

Throat Cut by His Brother. Ben. Higgins, one of the best known merchants of Culloden, W. Va., had his throat cut almost from ear to ear by his only brother, Walter Higgaus. trouble grew out of the election of town officers.

Clothing Manufacturers Assign, Henry J. Schloss and Nathan J. Schloss, who composed the firm of N. J. Schloss & Co., formerly manufacturers of clothing in New York, have filed a petition in bankruptcy. Liabilities \$735,-000, no assets.

McKinley Signs Financial Bill. President McKinley has signed the financial bill, and so completed the legislation that gives the United States a curWILL BUILD AN EDEN.

PECULIAR PLAN OF A CONNECT-ICUT FARMER.

Wealthy Man Wishes to Construct a Modern Paradise, and Is Searching for an Eve-A Fire Works Havoc in Mohawk, N. Y.

Evans Weed has a fine farm in Newfield, Conn. He is a bachelor. Mr. Weed has always thought well of the garden of Eden. Having reached mature years, with wealth and leisure on his hands, he has announced his intention of carrying out the cherished dream of his life. The Weed farm is to be transformed to a counterpart of the fascinating place told of in holy writ. He will make artificial lakes that will appear to be genuine. Every known flower will bloom and shed fragrance, and bees will get their honey from them. Abundant verdure will afford generous shade, and thousands of birds will sing in the leafy trees. Mr. Weed intends to have all the beasts of the field that are not too wild. There is to be an Eve also. Mr. Weed's first move in this respect will be to petition the Legislature to change his name to Adam. Then he will advertise for an Eve. He says the only provision he will insist upon as to his prospective helpmeet is that she shall be a good woman and, of course, not too old for him. Her name must be Eve by baptism. No Legislature-made Eves will answer.

THREE SISTERS BEAR TWINS.

All of the Six Births Occur Within Three Hours.

Three sisters at Mendham, N. J., within about three hours the other night were safely delivered of healthy twins. Mrs. J. W. Garrabrant gave birth about S o'clock to two boys. An hour later two tiny boys put in an appearance at the home of her sister, Mrs. Charles Freeman, and soon after a third sister, Mrs. Frederick Guerin, presented her husband with twin girls. There will be a sextuple christening, with ceremonies worthy of an event so unusual.

BIG BLAZE IN MOHAWK, N. Y.

Great excitement prevails in San Ja- Indian with the Disease Mixes with the Hotel, Postoffice and Town Records Are Burned Up.

The Mohawk Valley Hotel block at Mohawk, N. Y., was burned. It contained, besides the hotel, five stores, the postoffice, the offices of the town clerk, justice of the peace, insurance office, Masonic Hall and opera house. Little except the mail was saved from the building. All the town records were burned, as were also the records and charter of the Masonic lodge. The total losses are estimated at \$100,000.

Papers Issued to Armours.

License to incorporate Armour & Co. of Chicago was issued by the Secretary of State of Illinois to J. Ogden Armour, P. Anderson Valentine and Louis C. Krauthoff. The capital stock of the corporation is \$20,000,000. The object of the corporation is to engage in all industries incident to the packing house busi-

Find Hepp Guilty of Murder.

The jury in the Hepp murder case in Chicago returned a verdict of guilty and fixed the punishment at fourteen years in the penitentiary. Hepp shot and killed his brother-in-law, Frank A. Anderson, at the home of the latter, Nov. 14, 1899. The shooting grew out of a quarrel between Mrs. Hepp and Mrs. Ander-

For Angora Goat Breeders. The rapidly increasing interest in the

breeding and raising of Angora goats in the Southwest has resulted in the formation of the American Angora Goat Breeders' Association, which will have its headquarters in Kansas City. A herd book will be provided as a means of guaranteeing pedigrees.

Fatal Injury to Six Persons.

A gasoline explosion occurred at the residence of James Weaver in Columbus, Ohio, when George White attempted to start a fire with gasoline, resulting in the death of one child, fatal injuries to five other persons and serious injury to another.

Cigar Exploded in His Mouth.

Willard Ducomb, ex-deputy inspector of workshops and factories, was severely injured at Findlay, Ohio, by a loaded eigar that had been presented him by a practical joker. The eigar exploded while he held it in his mouth. He may lose the sight of one eye.

Wrecked Off Kodiak Island. The Wolcott, of the Pacific Steam Whaling Company's Alaska line, lies a total wreck on the shores of Kodiak Island, midway between Karluk and Uyak bay. Her crew and seven passen-

gers escaped.

Big Chain Combine. The organization of the Standard Chain Company has been perfected in New York. Nine manufacturers turned over their property to the company and elect-

ed officers and directors. The company is capitalized at \$3,000,000. Big Fire at Hopkinton, Mass, Fire destroyed five of the best business

buildings in Hopkinton, Mass. The loss is estimated at \$75,000 to \$100,000. The local fire department was unable to cope with the conflagration, which ultimately burned itself out.

Local Option Again Beaten. By a vote of 15 yeas and 16 nays the Ohio Senate defeated the Clark bill giv-

ing local option on the liquor traffic to municipalities and wards in municipali-

Double Loss for Aguinaldo.

Flores, Aguinaldo's secretary of war, has surrendered to Gen. MacArthur. Aguinaldo's infant son, who was capturPITIFUL SLAUGHTER OF BIRDS.

Gotham Millinery Firm Contracts for Twelve Thousand Bodies.

Nothing has occurred for many months to so stir up the feelings of the Audubonists and others who are opposed to the wanton slaughter of birds for their plumage as has the news of the big contract which has just been closed by a large millinery firm in New York. The contract is made with parties in a certain county in Delaware, which abounds with the smaller species of birds. Its terms call for the bodies of 12,000 birds, for which from 10 to 50 cent's apiece is to be paid. The particular varieties specified in the agreement include meadow larks, bluebirds, red-wing blackbirds, crow blackbirds, English sparrows and baby owls.

SHOT AND KILLED BY HIS WIFE.

Charles Adams Mcets a Sensational Death at Cincinnati,

Charles Adams, a passenger agent for the Union Pacific, with offices in the Carew building, Cincinnati, who went there with his wife from Omaha fast October with their two children, Irving and Fay, aged 2 and 5 years, was shot and killed by his wife, Jessie Turman Adams, in the Primrose flat, in Race street. Mrs. Adams said her husband threatened her life, that he held her oldest son by the heels, head downward, outside of a fifthstory window and had been habitually

COLVILLE RESERVE OPENING.

Would-Be Settlers Already Gathering for the May Season,

It is understood that the forth half of the Colville Indian reservation in Washington will be thrown open for settlement about May 1. The district contains rich agricultural, timber and mineral lands, and boomers are already gathering at Spokane and other towns to rush across the line. "North half" comprises 1,500,-000 acres, 300,000 of which was allotted to the Indians under the treaty of cession. The mineral portion is known to contain immense bodies of low-grade

Outbreak at Copper Mines. A pitched battle, in which knives and pistols were used, was fought between Mexican and American laborers at the Helvetia copper mines, Tucson, Ariz. The fight was precipitated by drunken Mexicans "shooting up" the camp. One Cisneros was killed.

Killed by Dynamite Explosion. While Charles E. Siegelberg and his brother were thawing dynamite at St.

Anthony Park, St. Paul, Minn., four sticks exploded and Axel Siegelberg was blown a distance of fifty feet and instantly killed. His brother's legs were badly shattered. Mob Tears a House to Pieces.

The house of the tollgute keeper on the Mount Pleasant and Columbia turnpike near Mount Pleasant, Tenn., was torn to pieces by 100 armed men. The tollgate keeper, who had been warned, escaped before the arrival of the mob.

General Elwell Is Dead. Gen. John J. Elwell, one of the bestknown citizens of Cleveland, and a hero of the civil war, is dead. Death was due to old age, but probably hastened by injuries received during the war,

Roberts Enters Bloemfontein,

The British general, Roberts, has entered Bloemfontein in triumph, and has announced that the Orange Free State Government has ceased to exist,

Famous Authoress Marries. A cublegram announces the marriage of Mrs. Frances Hodgson Burnett, the famous novelist, to Stephen Townsend, London, her secretary.

Wainwright at Annapolis. Commander Richard Wainwright has assumed his new duties as superintendent of the naval academy at Annapolis.

Missouri High School Burned. Fire totally destroyed the brick high school building at Kirkwood, Mo. Loss \$20,000, fully insured.

MARKET QUOTATIONS.

Chicago-Cattle, common to prime, \$3.00 to \$5.75; hogs, shipping grades, \$3.00 to \$5.25; sheep, fair to choice, \$3.00 to \$6.00; wheat, No. 2 red, 66c to 67c; corn, No. 2, 37c to 38c, oats, No. 2, 23c to 25c; rye, No. 2, 54c to 56c; butter, choice creamery, 23c to 25c; eggs, fresh, 16e to 17e; potatoes, choice, 30e to 45e per bushel.

Indianapolis-Cattle, shipping, \$3.00 to \$6.00; hogs, choice light, \$3.00 to \$5.25; sheep, common to prime, \$3.00 to \$5.25; wheat, No. 2, 70c to 71c; corn, No. 2 white, 36c to 37c; oats, No. 2 white, 27c to 29c.

St. Louis-Cattle, \$3.25 to \$6.00; hogs, \$3.00 to \$5.25; sheep, \$3.00 to \$6.00; wheat, No. 2, 72e to 73c; corn, No. 2 yellow, 35c to 37c; oats, No. 2, 27c to 28c; rye, No. 2, 55c to 57c.

Cincimnati-Cattle, \$2.50 to \$6.00; hogs, \$3.00 to \$5.25; sheep, \$2.50 to \$6.25; wheat, No. 2, 73c to 75c; corn, No. 2 mixed, 38c to 39c; oats, No. 2 mixed, 25c to 27c; rye, No. 2, 61c to 63c.

Detroit-Cattle, \$2.50 to \$6.00; hogs, \$3.00 to \$5.25; sheep, \$3.00 to \$5.25; wheat, No. 2, 71e to 73e; corn, No. 2 yellow, 38c to 40c; oats, No. 2 white, 27c to 29c; rye, 58c to 60c.

Toledo-Wheat, No. 2 mixed, 71c to 73e; corn, No. 2 mixed, 36e to 38c; oats, No. 2 mixed, 24c to 25c; rye, No. 2, 57c to 59c; clover seed, old, \$4.95 to \$5.05.

Milwankee-Wheat, No. 2 northern, 65c to 66c; corn, No. 3, 36c to 38c; oats, No. 2 white, 25c to 27c; rye, No. 1, 57c, to 50e; barley, No. 2, 42c to 44c; pork, mess, \$11.00 to \$11.50.

Buffalo-Cattle, good shipping steers, \$3.00 to \$6.00; hogs, common to choice, \$3.25 to \$5.50; sheep, fair to choice, \$3.00 to \$6.50; lambs, common to extra, \$4.50

New York-Cattle, \$3.25 to \$6.00; hogs, \$3.00 to \$5.50; sheep, \$3.00 to \$6.25; wheat, No. 2 red, 79c to 81c; corn, No. 2, 44c to 45c; oats, No. 2 white, 31c to 33c;

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#### AN INDIANA HEROINE.

PARIS WILL HONOR LITTLE JEN-NIE CREEK.

Mill Grove Girl Who Saved a World's Fair Special Train and Was Decorated with the Cross of the French Legion of Honor.

indiana will be represented at the Paris exposition by Miss Jennie Creek of Mill Grove. She is only a simple American girl, barely 18 years of age, but is entitled to wear the famous five-pointed golden star of the French Legion of Honor, founded by Napoleon Bonaparte. Since the beginning of the order it has been conferred upon but two American

Winning the French Legion of Honor is an ambition that scientists, writers and artists have struggled for many years, and ofttimes in vain. Its medal was awarded to Jennie Creek nearly sevon years ago, when she was 11 years of age, to commemorate a deed of exceptionable bravery and remarkable presonce of mind.

From the little village of Mill Grove to the rich reception rooms of the National Humane Society of France this young lady will journey and be presented to the thousands of Parisians and visitors at the exposition as one of the most dis ringuished young women in the world.

In the afternoon of Sept. 10, 1893, the world's fair special left Chicago and was speeding along the Panhandle Railroad within a few miles of Mill Grove, when his little curly headed child caught the odor of burning wood as she strolled along the ravines of her uncle's farm. Being of an investigating turn of mind, she discovered the long wooden bridge partly consumed by fire, and while hesitating over how to act she heard the shrick of the locomotive around the curve and less than three miles away.

Quickly recovering from the sudden shock she fairly flew toward the fast coming train, tearing off her red underskirt as she ran, and frantically waving it at the engineer. He at once perceived the bright danger signal, which almost Hashed in his face, and reversing his engine he came to a stop within a few feet of the burning bridge. In that act Engineer Frank Williamson saved hundreds of precious human lives, and made little Jennie Creek one of the heroines of the world.

Having accomplished alone and unaided the act of saving the hundreds of passengers from the great ugly gulch below, this modest little country maiden was returning home, breathing a prayer of thanks to the Lord for permitting her to be in time, when she was overtaken by two passengers and triumphantly carried back and through the coaches that the passengers might behold their deliverer

Wha fearful accided her story of it all this little Indid to child modestly reiterated that she had done nothing and wanted to go home without so much fuss. Money of all denominations was rapidly showered into a purse before the little miss was permitted to depart. Some prominent French people who were on the train carried the story to their native land, and the Legion of Honor Society. through President McKinley, then Governor of Ohio, conferred upon and decorated the girl with the golden star and watery ribbon of scarlet hue, of almost priceless value, when measured in a financial way.

She was and is the youngest person in the world to ever receive the proud insignia of this famous order. Now that she has accepted the invitation of the National Humane Society of France, she will probably be the youngest guest of honor entertained by the Paris exposition.

#### PLAN TO SET ASIDE A WILL.

Widow and Children of an Old Man Aver He Was Demented.

The widow and children of the late Charles L. Price, Sr., of Richmond filed suit in the Wayne Circuit Court to set aside his will. Mr. Price was 85 years aid and one of the most prominent men of Wayne County. He died recently as a result of paralysis.

During his early life he accumulated a fortune, but nearly all of it was given to charitable institutions and at his death his estate amounted to but \$10,000. When the will was opened the heirs were both surprised and shocked. The widow is given the family home to live in during life and at death it goes to the youngest son. In addition she receives the interest on \$1,500, which gives her about \$15 annually when taxes are paid on the home property. None of the six children receives a bequest. The residue of the estate is bequeathed to the John Ruskin co-operative settlement in Tennessec, of which the decedent knew little or nothing. The widow and heirs ask that the will be set aside on the grounds that the decedent was of unsound mind.

### FINE RESIDENCE DESERTED.

The Peculiar Will of an Indiana Man

Causes Trouble in the Family. What was once the handsomest and inest residence in Dublin is now but a miserable and deserted wreck. Twenty years ago or more Benjamin Kelly, a wealthy Eastern capitalist, came to Dubfin and took up his residence in the north side of town, where he made his home with his second wife, who soon died. He married a third wife, who, with his only daughter by his first wife, is now the beneficiary of the provisions of his will. The house is evenly separated by a long hall. To his daughter, who now resides in California, he bequeathed the north side of the house and the south side of the lot, and to his third wife the south side of the house and the north side of the lot. There is bitter feeling between the heirs, and neither has occupied her portion of the house since Kelly's death. The property cannot be sold or leased, and has long been unoccupied. Of diseases.

### BUSINESS SITUATION.

Chicago Correspondence:

The most important development of the week was the enactment of the new currency law. The passage of the bill came at an exceedingly opportune time for the security markets. The surplus reserves of the New York banks, which stood at \$30,000,000 about two months ago, are now practically wiped out, and but for the knowledge that relief is at hand through the operation of the new law it is more than likely another stock market panic such as occurred last December would be seen.

Wheat was in good speculative and consumptive demand, and, in consequence, its price was firm. Europe, after strenuous endeavors to live on what it expected to get from Argentina, discovered there still remained an aching void which could be filled only by increased shipments from this country. As a result, it has been preparing for emergencies by free purchases of wheat for shipment during the latter half of this month and April. Large engagements have been made for shipments from Chicago and Duluth and considerable sales were also made for transit by way of gulf ports. The demand from lake shippers was not all for export requirements, but was largely, and perhaps to a greater extent, for home consumption in the East, where the warehoused stocks are in diminutive contrast to the large quantities held at Chicago and the terminal points of the Northwest.

The corn market gave indications of great strength. It advanced 2 cents a bushel Monday, a little more Tuesday, but during the remainder of the week it underwent the reaction due to a too rapid advance the first two days. Its future is still regarded with much confidence by a majority of the heavier traders. Government made the stocks in farmers' hands March 1 smaller than they were at a similar time the year previous, without any such stocks of cribbed corn in commercial hands as was the case a twelvementh ago. It is asserted by those who believe in higher prices that no such reserves being in existence this year supplies for the remainder of the season are likely to run short.

The immense and unusual quantities being fed to cattle in the States of heaviest production, a matter frequently expatiated upon in former references to the influences governing the corn market, is still subject of daily remark. The only weak point in the bull argument is that with all the scarcity of cribbed corn, smaller farm stocks and immense quantities being fed, enough is coming to hand not only to fill all other requirements, but also to add to the visible supply.

#### GREAT GAIN TO THE FARMERS. Agriculturists Received \$1,600,000, 000 More in 1899 than in 1894.

The improvement in agricultural conditions now, contrasting with the depth of depression in 1894-96, is as little appreciated by the outside public as was the farmers' condition during the hard times. It is conservative, however, to say that the produce of the United States farms for the last year was worth to the farmers over \$1,600,000,000 more than in either of the depressed years noted. This is an average advance of 31 per cent it values compared with the low point.

These statements are made by the American Agriculturist for March, which contains an elaborate review of the agricultural situation from a financial and industrial standpoint. The live stock of the country is said to be worth \$700,-000,000 more than during the hard times, or a gain of 38 per cent. Staple crops are worth \$400,000,000 more than then, while other crops show an increase of \$200,000,000 in value, or a gain of 25 per cent compared with the depression of 1894-95-96. The produce of live stock, such as meats, dairy products, calves, mutton, sheep and lambs, hides and pelts, colts, mules, etc., are said to show a gain of \$370,000,000, or 40 per cent above the low point.

The American Agriculturist estimates that the farms in the United States have increased by some 400,000 during the last ten years, against a gain of nearly 600, 000 in the previous decade, and of 1,500, 000 from 1870 to 1880, and affirms that a larger proportion of these farms (69 per cent) are occupied by their owners now and then, while the number of farms now under mortgage that are occupied by their owners is no greater than in 1890. As near as this authority can get at it the amount of mortgages on farms occupied by their owners is now about \$300, 000,000 less than at the beginning of the decade.

#### WORSE THAN DEATH.

Pathetic Story of a Young Man Afflict ed with Leprosy.

Young, with a full pocket that made the world look golden to him, with a charming girl ready to be his bride when the April blossoms fell, there was pronounced upon Archibald Mandeville one day last week a sentence that carried with it a doom almost inconceivable in its horror. Henceforth he is to be a pariah. He is a leper. Doctors in his native Barbadoes had given different names to his malady. Finally he came to New York for treatment and at the nation's gate, the barge office, a sharp-eyed doctor looked at Mandeville's face and hands, bared his arms and his chest, then lost his own professional calm, and fell

back a step, gasping: "A leper!" Mandeville is only 22 years old, and comes from Bridgetown, Barbadoes, He is a Government clerk in Bridgetown, and his father is a wealthy ship broker there. While employed in the Government offices at Bridgetown he had felt that he was a sufferer from some strange malady. He came to New York for advice. Dr. M. Victor Safford of the barge office examined him and discovered that ore. he was suffering from the most terrible

#### SOMEONE RECORD OF THE WEEK

INDIANA MICIDENTS TERSELY TOLD.

A Wife Beater Is Whitecapped-Want Their Wages Every Week - Winter Wheat Injured-Silver Found in a Cave -Nancy Hanks Monument Accepted.

Peter Huffman, a miner living at Lyford, was the victim of a white-capping outrage which may result in his death. In the past two or three weeks his wife has complained to neighbors of his treat ment of her, saying that he was abusive, and more recently he struck her and nearly bit off one of her fingers. When the act became known in the town a mob of twenty or thirty persons was formed and each armed himself with a mule driver's whip from the mines in the vi cinity. Huffman was taken from his bed and led to the edge of the town, where he was unmercifully whipped.

For a Weekly Pay Day.

Prosecutor William Edwards has brought mandamus proceedings in the Superior Court at Anderson against the Wright Shovel Company, operating plants in Anderson and Elwood; the American Plate Glass Company, operating in Alexandria, and the American Tin Plate Company, operating in Anderson and Elwood, to compel the companies to pay their employes weekly, in compliance with the Indiana law. The State labor commissioners have revoked the permit issued to these companies some time ago to pay bi-monthly. The demands of the employes is practically unanimous for a weekly pay. There are 4,500 operatives interested.

Indiana Wheat Has Suffered.

That the winter wheat crop of Indiana has suffered intensely by the variations of temperature is very evident by the large number of reliable reports received by the crop bureau of Indiana. In the northern part of the State the average will not equal 50 per cent of the normal yield. The wheat on high ground has suffered the most and a great deal of it will not return the seed used. Farmers in general expect about half a crop in Whitley, Allen, De Kalb, Steuben, La Grange, Fulton and Marshall.

#### Silver Ore in an Indian Cave.

Silver ore has been discovered in Orange County. David Ross, a farmer, discovered a cave on his farm rich in quartzbearing ore. It is believed that when the cave is explored the find will be of much importance. Near the entrance to the cave are Indian hieroglyphics, cut in the bark of trees, and on several trees is the figure of a human hand pointing toward the cave. The concealed opening of the cave was found through these guiding hands.

Accepts Offer of Monument. The Nancy Hanks Lincoln Memorial Association met at the Governor's office in Indianapolis and decided to accept the proposition of J. S. Culver, a Springfield, Ill., contractor, to erect, free of charge, a monument over the grave of Lincoln's

#### Within Our Borders.

Another big oiler has been struck at Lagootee.

mother, near Lincoln City.

The Indiana oil field is said to be more profitable now than at any time since it was discovered.

In Kokomo Charles Fisher, a lineman, was killed by a live wire while extending a telephone line. Floyd Miller, 24, Scottsburg, shuffled

off with ten grains of morphine in stomach. No apparent cause. Christopher Shepherd, 73, Sullivan,

was dragged sixty feet by an Illinois Central coal train and killed. Clark County grand jury adjourned

without returning an indictment against

County Treasurer M. E. Pangborn, charged with defalcation. In a drunken fight which occurred fifteen miles southwest of English among

a number of young farmers several of them were seriously if not fatally wound-

Mormon conference at Terre Hante was not attended by the citizens. The Mormons confessed they have made a poor drag in the past two years, but say they feel encouraged.

At Muncie Mr. and Mrs. Edward Hiner were awakened by a loud knocking at the door. The latter answered the call and found a basket containing a girl baby, which had been deposited on the doorstep.

John Baker is dead and Hiram Harris is severely wounded as a result of an attack on an unknown man at Cedar Grove. Baker and Harris met the man, who was with his wife, and began abusing him. The man pulled his revolver and began firing.

A west-bound freight train on the Panhandle Railway, consisting of thirty-three loaded cars, was wrecked at Milgrove. Ten cars were telescoped and the contents-sugar and general merchandisescattered about. No lives were lost, but the property loss is large.

David Vance, twenty-five years old and single, who lived near Springport, was drowned in a small pool of water. He was washing some carrots in a spring when he was attacked with an epileptic spasm and fell into the water on his face. He was dead when found.

Marx Carll has returned to Anderson from Joplin, Mo., where he went a few months ago and invested \$10,000 in lead and zinc mining leases. Before leaving Joplin he was offered \$40,000 for one of his leases, which is now yielding him a royalty of \$250 per week. Mr. Caril has sunk a shaft through rock ninety feet, striking very rich paying zinc and lead

John Wisley, 74, Spencer, was found

dead in beal

#### **NEWS FROM** OUR COLONIES. on monomonomono

The higher class of Filipinos are very exclusive. They are educated, refined and intelligent and great lovers of music and the fine arts, as far as they have had opportunity to become familiar with them. "Few Americans," writes a Manila correspondent, "become familiar enough with the better class of people to realize that they are very clever. They live in strict retirement all day, but at night they shine with brilliancy and beauty upon those who are fortunate enough to be admitted to their circle. They are natural born musicians. In fact, I think all Filipinos are. A very pleasant evening can be spent in the house of some of the wealthiest merchants of the city who are natives when once the ice is broken and the invitation given. The largest business enterprises in the city are owned and controlled by natives and their homes are models of luxury and comfort. Few of them live in the walled city, but preferably build out on the Malacanan, the swell residence street of Manila."

States telegraph corps in the Philippines in a letter home tells of the difficulties which the corps encounters. Recently two big army wagons, each drawn by six mules, were loaded with rubber insulated wire, a battery and a reel to reel it out, keeping up with the troops. The road became so bad they had to strap the reel on a mule's back and the rest of the wire on other mules, leaving the wagon in the mud up to the hubs. One mule carried the folding field telegraph table, with instruments all attached, Every few miles they would stop and telegraph back to Manila the progress of the column. To do so they would take the table off the mule, unfold it, cut the wire from the reel on the other mule, connect it with the instruments and do the necessary telegraphing. This was generally done when the troops stopped for a few minutes to rest.

Spaniards are going to Cuba in almost as large numbers as Americans, according to the latest report to the War Department from the part of Havana, During January 1,720 persons from the United States landed on the island, 1,200 | ity of the republican allies, although the from Spain and 546 from other countries. overwhelming pre-eminence of the Brit-For the year 1899 the total Spanish immigration to Cuba was 16,260; American, 22,301. Only 257 persons left the island | the British Government complacently, for Spain, while 1,722 left for the United States. The port collections for the national courtesy could demand, nothing month, \$1,152,513.43, were the largest further will be done except to act as a of any month since the Stars and Stripes began to float over the governor general's palace.

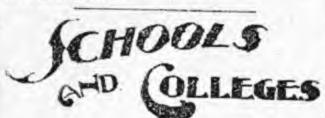
The steamship Tacoma brings the news that the Japanese Government has prohibited further emigration of Japanese to Hawaii. For months thousands of Japs have been leaving Yokohama monthly, being shipped generally by comploy-ment bureaus, which expected a fee from each. It now develops that 4,000 more Japs have been shipped than the agencies had employment for. These laborers are now in distress, and the strict sanitary regulations enforced at Honolulu add to their troubles. Japan is contributing to their support.

In the Hawaiian Islands, according to the latest reports, there are 21,616 Chinese. Of these 15 are doctors, merchants and traders number 822, including 3 women; 1,356 are clerks and salesmen, 18 of these women; of mechanics there are 220; mariners, 15 only; fishermen, 294; drivers and teamsters, 105. In the country, apart from Honolulu, there are 36 Chinese coffee planters, 98 ranchers, 718 rice planters, 2 of them women; of farmers and agriculturists 1,278, and the laborers number 10,941. There are no Chinese lawyers.

A little item from the Manila Tribune gives a fair idea of the cost of living in America's Oriental capital. Lee You, a Chinaman, runs a restaurant and the prices are given in Mexican money. Steak is worth 25 cents; bacon and eggs, the same; pic, 10 cents; coffee, 10 cents; tea, 5 cents; chicken, or chicken pot pie, 50 cents; pork chops, 25 cents. If the prices are reduced to American money they would be just about one-half.

A well-known Cuban correspondent, J. D. Whelpley, writes from Havana under recent date that the feeling against annexation to the United States is surprisingly strong on the island. The American who visits Cuba to-day, he says, "will be astounded at the strenuous demand for independence and the strong feeling of resentment, unmistakably manifest, at the continued presence of Americans in control of the island."

The Manila (P. I.) Times states that the attendance of children at the Manila schools was 4,849 for the month of November last, a gain of thirty-two girls and thirty-one boys as compared with the previous month.



London spends \$140 a year on the education of each child in the public schools, In the Danish high schools the cost of educating students, including everything except clothing, is \$65 a year.

The Yale faculty and corporation are considering the advisability of opening a bank for the use of college students.

Massachusetts imposes a tax of 5 per cent on bequests coming to universities and colleges from outside the State limits.

Wesleyan University, at Middletown, Conn., may found an annex for women students on the plan now in vogue at Harvard and Brown Universities.

#### POWERS WARNED OFF

BRITAIN GIVES NOTICE THAT INTERVENTION MEANS WAR.

American State Department Receives Lord Salisbury's Answer, Which Plainly Says "Keep Out"-Boers Now Determined to Fight to the End.

Great Britain, in her answer received by the State Department in Washington to the overtures for peace submitted by the United States Government in behalf of Presidents Kruger and Steyn, serves notice on all the nations of the world that she will not tolerate any interference by any of them with the prosecution of the war in South Africa. This ultimatum is distinctly set forth in Lord Salisbury's response, the declination of the Boer suggestion that the United States be permitted to mediate being applicable by Lord Salisbury to "any nation." It is regarded as a warning to Russia and France that if they attempt to bring the war to an end before the British Government is ready to make A Kansas man who is with the United terms of peace the two continental powers must be prepared to fight Great Britain. That is the plain English of Lord Salisbury's brief reply.

Lord Salisbury has probably voiced the will of the majority of the British people by sending notice to Presidents Kruger and Steyn that her majesty's government is upprepared to assent to the independence of either the South African republic or the Orange Free State. The correspondence between the South African executives and the British prime minister was laid before Parliament. Lord Salisbury places the sole responsibility for the war on the republics and announces Great Britain's determination not to acquiesce in the further existence of Boer independence in South Africa.

The dispatch received from the two presidents does not read much like the supplication of a thoroughly beaten and penitent foe. It is regarded in London rather as a reasonably frank statement of the situation from the Boer point of view, containing, too, a pronounced suggestion that unless the independence of the republics shall be recognized the war will be continued to the limit of the abilish empire is conceded.

Washington officials take the note from and say that, having done all that intermedium for the transmission of messages between the contending powers.

#### FINANCIAL BILL IS LAW.

President McKinley Affixes His Signature to Measure.

President McKinley signed the financial bill Wednesday afternoon, after it had been signed by the president pro tem, of the Senate in open session, and immediately the measure became a law. In explaining the provisions of the bill Secretary Gage said:

waeth bill se salms "The am reaffirms that the unit of value is the dollar, consisting of twentyfive and eight-tenths grains of gold ninetenths fine and makes the duty of the Secretary of the Treasury to maintain all forms of money issued or coined at a parity with this standard. It puts into the hands of the Secretary ample power to do that. For that purpose the bill provides in the treasury bureaus of issue and redemption, and transfers from the general fund of the treasury's cash \$150,-000,000 in gold coin and bullion to the redemption fund, that gold to be used for the redemption of United States notes and treasury notes. The law permits national banks with \$25,000 capital to be organized in places of 3,000 inhabitants or less, whereas heretofore the minimum capital has been \$50,000. It also per mits banks to issue circulation on all classes of bonds deposited up to the par value of the bonds, instead of 90 per cent of their face, as heretofore. This ought to make an immediate increase in national bank circulation of something like \$24,000,000. National banks are permitted under the law to issue circulation up to an amount equal to their capital. The total capital of all national banks is \$616,000,000. The total circulation outstanding is \$253,000,000. There is, therefore, a possibility of an increase in circulation of \$363,000,000."

#### CHURCH AND CLERGY. できにもだりだらにまだめたもだるだった

The average salary paid to Methodist preachers in the United States last year was \$473.35.

The Young Men's Christian Association in Rome is now six years old and is in a flourishing condition.

Efforts have been started in Brooklyn to give the gospel in some direct form to every adult during 1900.

Last year the Presbyterian Church in England contributed \$109,000 to missions and other plihanthropic objects.

Two young Christian Chinamen in Hoilo have started a movement for the Christianization of the Filipinos.

An international congress of Roman Catholic workingmen will be held in Paris during the coming summer.

An effort will be made to raise \$3,000,-000 to insure the perpetuation of the D. L. Moody institutions at Northfield.

The Methodist Year Book, which has just been issued, shows in the United States 17,583 ministers and 2,871,949 probationers.

The Congregational Church Building Society received for its work last year nearly \$250,000. The loan fund now ex-

ceeds \$650,000. Publishing firms state that the rise in the price of Bibles is caused by the advance in paper, and not by a desire to

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#### OUR LEADING CITIES.

The Position of Several of Them Will Be

Changed by Next Census. There were only seven cities in the United States that by the Federal census of 1850 had more than 400,000 in habitants, New York, Chicago, Philadelphin, Brooklyn, Et. Louis, Boston and Baldmore, in the order named, Between 200,000 and 400,000, a measure of population quite frequent in European countries, there was none in the United States, those most nearly approaching the 300,000 mark being San Francisco and Cincinnati, each having almost the same population, and Cleve- pity in some cases to waste so much land and Buffalo following with more fish. than 250,000. Since the census of 1800, Greater New York, the boundaries of is just as ignorant. Chicago have been enlarged, and the growth in population of other American cities has not been so uniform as to make it probable that each will retain the position it held in the census of ten years ago.

New York, which is now a city of 3,000,000, will, of course, remain at the head and so far at the head that any serious thought of netual rivalry from any other city may be dismissed. Chicago has now a "claimed population" of 1,800,000, 800,000 more than it had in the last Federal census and one-balf as large as the present population of

New York.

Philadelphia, as in Benjamin Franklin's time, retains a position of prominence among American cities, and it is nov third on the list with a population of 1,500,000. Philadelphia, which long enjoyed the distinction as the greatest city of the country territorially, has torfeited that position since the last United States census, New York having an area of more than 300 square miles, Chicago of 188 and Philadelphia of only 130. The position of fourth city on the list among American municipalities formerly occupied by Brooklyn, cannot be fixed in advance of the official census in June. Two cities expect it. Baltimore and St. Louis. By the census of 1890 the population of St. Louis was 450,000 and of Baltimore 434,000. St. Louis is now claiming close enough. 623,000 and Baltimore 626,000.

Whatever may be the claims of rival they judge others. cities as to fourth and fifth places in the census of 1900. Boston is secure in a great many others. sixth place with a population of 550,-000, the other important cities being San Francisco, with a claimed population of 350,000; Cincinnati, 400,000; Pittsburg, 325,000; Cleveland, 400,000; Buffalo, 400,000; New Orleans, 300,000; Detroit, 350,000; Washington, 250,000; Milwaukee, 250,000; Louisville, 225,000; Newark, 250,000; St. Paul, 200,000; Denver, 100,000; Minneapolis, 200,000; in your direction very rapidly. Indianapolis, 200,000-or nearly that.

#### ODD BITS.

The only windows in Korean houses are pieces of glass about the size of a nickel.

More than a third of the French crown jewels have been bought by Americans.

Several Berlin hospital physicians have pronounced pure alcohol the best disinfectant for the hands. German feeling in the Tyrol is very

bitter against the Italians on account of their wholesale slaughter of birds.

Up in Canada the bears are so thick that they would have destroyed all the deer had it not been for the great crop of blueberries, which made the bruins so fat that they were not able to run. It is thus that matters are evened up in the world.

Crete has lost through political disturbances of recent years olive trees to the value of \$10,000,000. It will take forty years to restore the orchards to full-bearing condition, and the meantime 200,000 Mohammedans and 350,-000 Christians will have to starve.

Waterproof paper is made from water glass mixed with oil, preferably vegetable oils; melted wax is added. and the composition thoroughly mixed and spread on both sides of the paper. which is rendered water and moth proof, but is transparent enough to be used for tracing drawings.

A Bucks County man spent nineteen years of his life trying to get the appointment of postmaster. Finally he worked his strings properly and was appointed. When he learned that he was counted only as a fourth-class postmaster he immediately resigned. He said he had worked long enough to be a first-class postmaster, and derned if he hadn't sense enough to Cresners etc. He is fairly certain of Muow it.

#### WEIGHTS AND MEASURES.

One cupful of butter weighs half a

Two tablespoonfuls of liquid weigh an ounce.

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dered sugar weigh an ounce. One heaping tablespoonful of granu-

lated sugar weighs an ounce. Two ounces of numelted butter are

as large as an egg of medium size. Four tablespoonfuls of liquid are equal to one wineglassful. (A' sherry or claret glass is not a wine glass ordinarily alluded to in measurements,)

#### IRONICAL IFS.

he is to be pitted. If you would successfully argue with

a woman just keep silent.

If a man isn't sober he should never attempt to walk a tight rope. If fish is good brain food it seems a

If one-half the world doesn't know Brooklyn has been absorbed into the how the other half lives, the other half

> If a man is too proud to beg and too honest to steal, the only thing left for lungs and keep experimention easy. him is to get trusted.

If G. Washington was never asked by a fond mother what he thought of her cute baby, then it may be true that he never told a lie.

#### Born in an Emigrent Wagon.

John Carson Needham, the new member of Congress from the Seventh Caligrant wagon on the desert of Nevada, while his parents were crossing the plains to California.

#### His State of Mind.

"Your bookkeeper is subject to fits of ill humer, isn't he?"

"No: he has widely isolated attacks of amiability." Until a man has passed through the

furnace he never knows how much

#### WISE AND OTHERWISE.

Dislike begets like dislike.

regain their sanity.

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dross is in his composition.

Recraits are, of course, more raw

Generally a stump speech isn't cut off Men are often judged by the way

One settled purpose is apt to unsettle

but add fools to the fiames.

Tell a man larger than yourself to go to the devil and he will usually proceed

The boarding-house patron is a poor man for church treasurer. He feels like an impostor when passing the plate

#### Circumstantial Evidence

"You don't mean," said Dolly, "that her color is not genuine?"

"Oh. I wouldn't breathe a word against her," replied Madge. "But you know her father is a painter and decorator."

#### A Smokeless Fire.

Blinkers-I understand that there was a fire at your place yesterday? Binin-Yes. Right in my quarters. Blinkers-Much damage?

Binin -No; only to myself. The boss put me out himself.

#### It Puzzled Pa.

Tommy-Paw, isn't England our fatherland?

Mr. Tucker-Yes. Tommy-Then how can it be the mistress of the seas?

Mr. Tucker-Why, ali-

#### Her Objection. Snifkins-Why did the young lady

object to being called a poem? Birkins-Because poems are measured by feet!

#### Stingy.

"You say he's stingy?" "Stingy! Why, he's so stingy he wouldn't even tell a joke at his own expease."

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ACADEMY NOTES.

The base ball men have been pracdug considerably this week. Candidates for the first team have en called for, and about 20 have sponded. A majority of the memrs of last year's team are again th us, and with all the new mater. l to pick from, there seems to uo good reason why we should ot have a good team.

Adolf Krouse of Chicago, was here bursday visiting his son.

Several of the boys bave telegraph struments, and a network of wire ouncet their rooms, giving the boys nuch pleasure and a liberal amount f knowledge in communication with ach other. During the past week he signal corps have been practicing pon the instruments, this being a part of the regular work.

Cadet Sauerman, of Crown Point, nd., returned to the Academy Monlay after a six week's absence on ac count of sickness,

The naval bill introduced by Senaor Fairbanks, providing for the furnishing of a naval boat for each 20 cadets, in all Military Schools, passed the Senate last Saturday, and as this includes C.M.A., a naval department may soon be added to the school. Nearly all of the first classman have handed in their subjects for

their graduating address. The khakie riding trousers recently ordered for the cavalry department have arrived, and were issued to the troopers last Wednesday, They may be sent back since they do not give very good satisfaction.

Capt. Eisenhard was in Ohio over Sunday.

cottage the greater part of this week suffering from an attack of the grip.

Mrs. E. M. Kelly, of Chicago, was here Sunday, Monday, and Tuesdey visiting her son.

P.M Sternes of Des Moines, Iowa, paid b. Russell, of Des Moins, Iowa, Cs here Sunday visiting cadet Cole. Mr. and Mrs. Goo March, of Ohio, were here Sunday visiting their son.

Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Pearce, of Indianapolis, were Sunday visitors at the acbdemy.

To Whom it May Concern.

I wish to place before both parties a very substantial and highly essential plan before the time for election arrives: Namely, to abolish the office of Marshal, the city board to appoint a good man to look after the road and street work in the town's interest. Also that during excursion days, the board appoint one or two men empowered to keep the peace, assisted by the constable. This course will not cost half the marshal's salary and be a saving all around. A Tax Payer.

There will be preaching services at the M. E. church next Sunday both morning and night at the regular hours. Sunday school at 10 a. m. Junior Epworth League at 2:30 p. m., and Senior League at 6 p. m. revival meetings will be continued throughout next week. An invitation is given to all to attend who are in any way interested in salvation, "Seek ye the Lord." "So shall ye know that I am the Lord your God dwelling in Zion." F. O. FRALEY.

Thankful words written by Mrs. Ada 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 octors 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 Colds. 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 money refunded.

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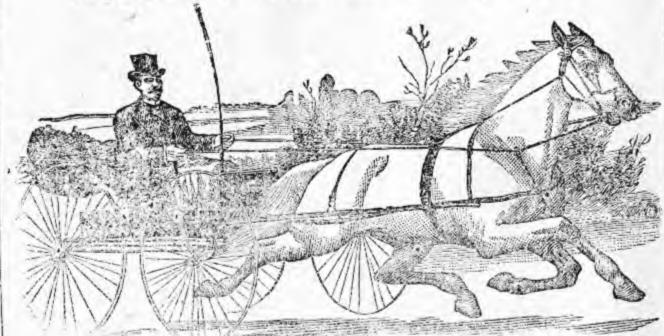
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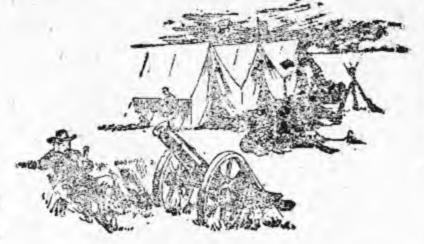


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law's delays," but the war people have shown that when it comes to delaying, the law is "not in it" with them.



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course, were purchased in 1899 a prices far less than now, and are now marked as remnants based on cost of 1899 from 20 to 30 per cent below their value now. Remember we give Trading Stamps or Atlas Checks pur= chases, even on the Special Remnant Sale.

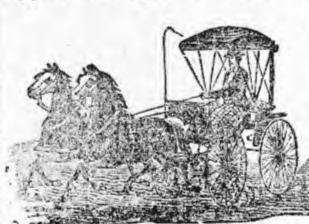
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Across the plains the ruts are deep Where engines of destruction passed; The blinds are drawn where orphans

Shrinks pale behind the skirts of War!

And blood is flowing free and fast; The hills give back the cannon's roar; The Song of Peace is heard no more!

My brother mocks me in his heart, I blame him for the stand he takes; The world Christ saved is rent apart, And every tie that bound us breaks! The war god shrieks, the sabre gleams, And crimson streaks are in the streams.

But God was reigning in the sky When David went to smite his foe: And God is reigning still on high, And still inspiring men below!

And when the sounds of battle cease, And when the work of War is o'er, Then shall the hopeful Song of Peace Swell higher, clearer than before! -S. E. Kiser, in Chicago Times-Herald.

HOW HE SAVED HIS TRUNKFUL OF DIAMONDS.

from the command of a transatlantic his skeleton keys, and this did not esgreyhound, joined the little circle of cape the notice of the acute smuggler. men seated around the stove in a He had locked the door. Who opened it? downtown shipping office, where they He became suspicious and then alarmhad spent the greater part of the after- ed. From a steward he learned that noon discussing rates for over-sea Sweeney had been seen loitering freight, marine insurance and other around the passageway some time beinterests of the maritime world, the fore. That was sufficient, He never conversation naturally turned to the had liked the way Sweeney had eyed grave responsibility resting upon the him on various occasions. What was aptain of a modern ocean liner. They to be done? At 5 o'clock the next alked of the thousands of human lives which are annually entrusted to his Lightship. He thought a minute, then care; of dreary hours on the bridge, when the white fog hangs and wind moans of the shipwreck and the drowned, or when the winter gale is whistling and the icy spoon-drift hurtles against the funnels. They talked of the sodden derelict and the iceberg, which so often defy the skill and watchfulness of the transatlantic caprain. "Is it any wonder then," said one of the circle, "that a skipper's hair is white before he is fifty and that his face is as wrinkled as a crumpled bank note. Look at Capt. Owens, Looks ten years older than he really is, I'll warrant."

"Well, gentlemen," replied the captain, with a twinkle in his gray eyes which seemed out of keeping with the general trend of the conversation, "it away from that fact. Yes, you have got to think pretty quick at times, and sometimes you have to act before you think. Speaking on this strain reminds me of how Capt. Blank of the Nereid once saved his vessel and the lives of all on board by acting promptly in an emergency. Capt. Blank is not very proud of the whole affair, and I doubt if he ever told it to any one. At all events he never received a vote of thanks suitably engrossed from the passengers, but perhaps he was not much disappointed." After this preliminary the captain told the story, which in substance is as follows:

Just before the Imperial Line steamship Nereid, Capt. Blank, pulled out of its dock in Liverpool for New York filty, some years ago, a thick-set man with a heavy black mustache ran up the gang-plank and gazed anxiously at the pasengers, who were crowded along the rail watching the bustle and confusion on the dock. He evidently found the person for whom he was looking, for he gave a sigh of satisfacdon, rushed down the gang-plank and sent a cablegram. Then he boarded the vessel again, secured a stateroom and did not appear on deck nor at the seat assigned to him at the dining table in the saloon until the vessel was well out to sea. He registered under the name of James Sweeney This is the cablegram he sent:

Collector of Port at New York: "James Packard, smuggler, on board steamship Nereid. Thousand of dolars' worth of diamonds concealed in small trunk. Will arrest him at quar-

McGRATH, Inspector." antine. The inspector's cablegram caused much satisfaction among the revenue officers in the city; for diamonds had long been leaking into this country from England and the dispatch gave evidence that no mistake had been made when McGrath was selected to cross the ocean and hunt the smug- him hand and foot, while the rest laid glers down.

had made such good time that the caping voyage, while the passengers, no and Packard, the smuggler. Captain ately and with greater effect

less eager, made bets regarding the Blank assured them that he had never exact time that would elapse before the vessel arrived abreast of the Sandy Hock Lightship. Packard, who was known aboard the ship as Thomas Gray, a broker, was the most gentlemanly of smugglers, and his engaging conversation and polished manners made him the life of his table and established him as a prime favorite among the passengers in general. Mc-Grath, known to the passengers as Sweeney, was not so popular. No one knew anything about him or his business, and, moreover, he ate with his knife. And then, too, his eyes had a suspiciously roving cast which set him down in the minds of many as a professional gambler. But the inspector did not care. In fact, he was supremely happy; for he had forced an entrance into Gray's stateroom with the aid of a skeleton key during the smuggler's absence and had located the small trunk. That was all he wanted. When the time came he would seize the trunk, point Gray out to the inspectors and his work would be accomplished.

"The only thing that bothers me," said the inspector to himself one day, as he sat in the smoking room, puffing a very fat, black eigar, "is how the devil he ever expected to get that trunk ashore." That thought, however, did not worry him much and he soon became engrossed in a game of heavyweight pugilist.

Had the smuggler remained in blissful ignorance of the identity of the inspector he would probably at the present time be enjoying an enforced confinement at the expense of the Government. But, unfortunately, the inspector had forgotten to lock the state-When Capt. Owens, recently retired room door after he had forced it with morning the vessel would be off the ran to the smoking room and, as he expected, found Sweeney absorbed in his favorite game. That was just what he wanted. He went back to his stateroom, and then tip-toed noiselessly to the inspector's door, a little further down the passageway. It was unlocked. He left it wide open and then ran back to his stateroom, seized the trunk-it was a small affair-carried it to the inspector's room and shoved it under his berth. This done he shut the door with a sigh of satisfaction and went on deck. He had still one more card to play, and if things worked right it would be a trump.

Sweney retired late that night and neglected to take off his clothing. It is likely he would have retired with is a wearing life; there's no getting his hat on had he not left it in the smoking room.

> At 6 o'clock the next-morning the smuggler played his trump. With a mysterious air he beckoned Capt. Blank down from the bridge. The vessel had not broken a record and the captain was in a sour mood,

"Well, well," he said impatiently: what is it?"

"Listen," said the smuggler impressively. "I have a confession to make. I come to tell you that in a short halfhour this ship will be blown to atoms. It is my duty; it is in your power to prevent it Listen This man Sweeney is a dynamiter and anarchist, an arch fiend whose hands and heart and soul areare red with blood of the innocent lives he has taken. Years ago his father was lost in the wreck of one of your vessels. He has sworn revenge, it has been his main object in life. I fell under his hynoptic influence and was compelled to aid him in his dastardly scheme. But the spell is broken and I hasten to save your ship and our lives."

"Well, what is it man? Out with it!" roared old Blank excitedly.

"It is this," said the smuggler calmly. "Under his berth there is a small trunk. It contains nitro-glycerine in a sufficient quantity to wreck New York City. A time lock is attached and it is set for 6:30. Don't hesitate; act promptly or we are lost. Do something, dispose of the trunk somehow and all will be well." And Gray frothed at the mouth and fell to the floor in a very realistic faint.

The captain barely noticed the smuggler. With a roar and a bellow he summoned the first officer and half the

"Get that trunk," he roared, "and heave it overboard. Clap the man into irons."

The crew made a rush for Sweeney's door and broke it in with a bang. Half of them fell upon Sweeney and bound hold of the trunk, carried it up stairs Meanwhile the Neroid ploughed her with a rush and hove it far over the way through the waters of the North stern. Sweeney was locked up in his Atlantic and on the third day out she stateroom and when the revenue officers boarded the vessel at Quarantine is not the case with the present occumin began to look for a record-break. and asked for McGrath, the inspector, pant of the Elysee, who fires deliber-

heard of either of the gentlemen. He said that he had a dynamiter aboard named Sweeney who had tried to blow up the ship, but no smugglers or detectives. The smuggler was the first man down the gangplank when the vessel was warped into the dock and when McGrath was released he told Captain Blank several things that made him blush. The other inspectors did likewise. The trunk was picked up by a sailboat containing the smuggler's confederates, who had sailed out from Sandy Hook to signal Gray that the authorities at this port were on the lookout for him.-New York Sun,

#### TRIED THE CHINESE WAY.

Paid His Doctor Only When Well, but the Plan Had Its Drawbacks.

"The Chinese system of paying their physicians while the patient keeps well and shutting off the salary when he gets sick always struck me as being singularly sensible," said one of the tenants of a big. New Orleans office building. "You see, it gives a doctor every incentive to make an unavoidable illness as brief as possible, while our method of paying while we are disabled offers just the opposite inducement. Of course, I don't mean to say that any reputable practitioner would deliberately keep a patient laid up for the sake of his fee, but the temptation poker with two actors and a champion is certainly mighty strong and last New Year's, after settling a whopping big bill for the preceding quarter, I made up my mind to give the Chinese method a trial-just as an interesting experiment.

"I was afraid to make the proposition to my regular physician, who's a very stiff-necked old-timer, and would probably have brained me with a stethoscope under the impression that I was impugning his honor, so I hunted up a very earnest, able young doctor whom I knew to be struggling hard to get a footbold, and laid the scheme before him. 'I'm in delicate health,' I said, 'and your profession generally gets a good deal of my money from one year's end to another, besides penning me up in bed and preventing me from attending to business. Now, I'll give you \$12.50 a month as long as you keep me well. If I get sick your pay stops until I'm up again. He thought a moment and accepted."

"Well, how did it turn out?" asked one of a group of listeners.

"I'm just coming to that," replied the speaker. "For a week or so it worked all right. The doctor dropped in once or twice to look me over casually, and I had a pleasant feeling that some one was vitally interested in seeing that I kept well. Then came the first unpleasant experience. We had a rainy day, and I was hurrying up Canal street toward the office when a man suddenly pounced on me and dragged me into a hallway. It was the doctor. 'Good heavens!' he fairly yelled, 'where are your rubbers?' 'I don't know,' I stammered, startled half out of my wits. Then give me the money to buy you a pair at once,' he said, 'or you'll be down with pneumonia and I'll lose a whole month's wages.' He was so fierce that I shelled out and missed several important engagements while I waited.

"A few nights afterward I was quietly eating a rum omeletteinarestaurant when who should rush up but that confounded doctor. Rum omelette!' he grasped, turning pale as death. 'Why man alive! do you want to take the bread right out of my mouth!' and with that he grabbed the omelette and ordered me some tea and toast, "Your digestive organs are very sensitive,' he said, 'and an attack of gastritis would mean \$8 or \$10 out of my pocket. I'm a poor man,' said he, 'and I can't afford to take any such chances. It wouldn't be just to my

family.' "I ate the tea and toast, which I abominate, and began to wonder whether the Chinese system was quite as much of a cinch as it seemed at long range, Well, I won't bore you with all the details, but I give you my word that for the next two weeks I suffered martyrdom. That infernal doctor was continually bobbing up at unexpected places, determined to keep me well or perish in the attempt. At last he passed the limit. I was at the theatre with a party of friends, and by some horrible fatality he was sitting in the next row. He kept shifting about uneasily, and finally, right in the midst of the performance, he leaned over and whispered hoarsely: 'Say did you remember to put on your chest protector? Everybody near us tittered, and I yearned for his gore,

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#### French President a Sportsman,

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There is more catarrh in this section of the country than all other diseases put together, and until the last few years was supposed to be incurable. For a great many years doctors pronounced it a local disease, and prescribed local remedles, and by constantly failing to cure with local treatment, pronounced it incurable. Science has proven catarrh to be a constitutional disease, and therefore requires constitutional treatment. Hall's Catarrh Cure, manufactured by F. J. Cheney & Co., Toledo, Ohio, is the only constitutional cure on the market. It is taken internally in doses from 10 drops to a teaspoonful. It acts directly on the blood and mucous surfaces of the system. They offer one hundred dollars for any case it fails to cure. Send for circulars and testimonials. Address.

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In the Senate on Tuesday personal explanations were made by Mr. Allen and Mr. Batler of their positions on the financial question, both announcing their belief in the free and unlimited coinage of silver at the ratio of 16 to 1. Mr. Turner began an extended speech on the Porto Rico bill, maintaining that the pending measure is clearly unconstitutional. The House passed the conference report on the currency reform bill by a vote of 166 to 120. The report had previously been accepted by the Senate.

Two speeches on the Philippine question consumed the day Wednesday in the Senate. Mr. Teller maintained that the constitution could not extend over territory acquired by the United States. Mr. Turner took a view precisely opposite. In the House the District of Columbia appropriation bill was taken up and under the latitude allowed Mr. Adamson (Ga.) discussed the Nicaragua canal, Mr. Cowherd (Mo.) the Philippine question, Mr. Howard (Ga.) questions relating to the Philippines and the "open door" policy in the Orient, Mr. Rucker (Mo.) the advisability of electing Senators by the people, and Mr. Boutell (Ill.) replied to Mr. Cowherd. A resolution setting aside alternate Fridays for the consideration of private bills reported by the war claims committee was adopted. Bills were passed to settle the title to real estate in the city of Santa Fe, N. M., and for the relief of Thomas Paul,

The Senate devoted most of the day Thursday to discussion of the \$2,000,000 Porto Rican appropriation bill. Heard Mr. Wellington in opposition to the seating of Mr. Quay. When Mr. Penrose asked to have time set for a vote on the Quay case Mr. Gallinger said he desired to speak on the subject. Mr. Penrose said the New Hampshire man had told him he did not wish to speak thereon, and Mr. Gallinger replied by passing the lie direct. The proposition to fix a time for a vote was postponed one day. The House passed the District of Columbia Careless Mothers Who Use appropriation bill carrying \$6,608,378, and also a bill granting the abandoned Fort Hays military reservation to the State of Kansas for experimental station and normal school purposes.

On Friday the Senate passed the \$2,-000,000 Porto Rican appropriation bill without division. Agreed to take up the Quay case Tuesday, April 3, and to discuss it until disposed of, the discussion not to interfere with the unfinished business, the Spooner bill authorizing the President to govern the Philippines until otherwise directed, the appropriation bills or conference reports. Voted to adjourn Monday, March 19. In the House it was first private but day under the new rule. About two hours was spent in the discussion of a bill to pay Representative Swanson \$1,769 for extra expenses incurred by him in his contest in the last Congress, but the bill was ultimately abandoned. Six bills of minor importance were passed.

The Senate was not in session Saturday. In the House members pronounced eulogies upon the late Monroe L. Hayward, Senator-elect from Nebraska, who died before taking the oath of office. No other business of importance was trans-

On Monday the Senate passed the legislative, executive nad judicial appropriation bill, carrying more than \$25,000,000, and the measure providing for the appointment of a commission to adjudicate and settle claims of the people of the United States growing out of the war with Spain. For a brief time the Porto Rican government and tariff measure was under consideration. Mr. Foraker, in charge of the bill, submitted some committee amendments. A few of them were agreed to, but the important ones were left pending. A free trade amendment to the bill was offered by Senator Beveridge. The House refused to concur in the Senate amendments to the Porto Rican tariff bill and conferces were appointed. Rest of the day devoted to District of Columbia business.

#### This and That.

Two years ago the zinc mining companies of Missouri numbered about & dozen; now they exceed 200.

The Crown Prince of Germany will at tain his majority on May 16, and will enter the University of Bonn.

G. W. Blick, a merchant at Emporia. Va., was murdered by an unknown man

for \$140, of which he was robbed. In Great Britain last year there were 711 strikes, and it is estimated that 15.

000,000 days were lost to workmen. The director of the census expects to have the main reports of the twelfth census published not later than July 1,

Caught in a snowslide near Eureka. Colo., Chris Ihmsen, one of the owners of the Lucky Friend mine, was swept to his death.

Mrs. Henrietta Snell, widow of Amos J. Snell, the Chicago capitalist, whose murder has not been solved, died from heart disease.

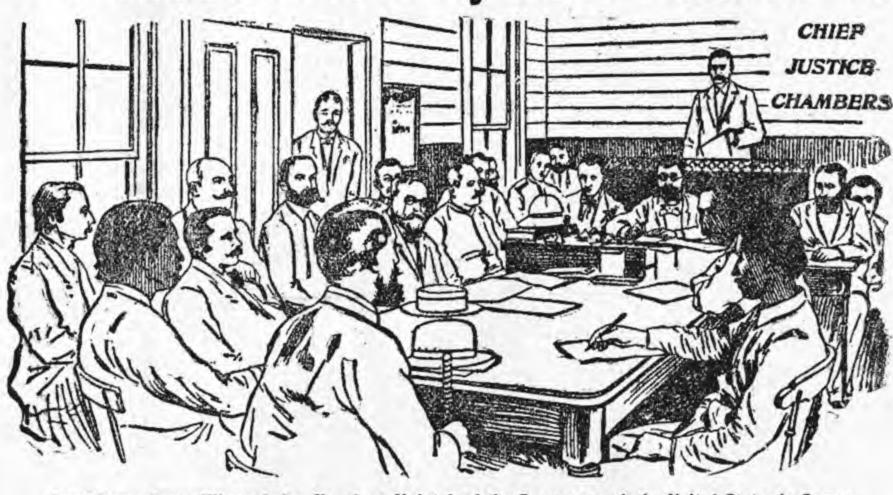
The total revenue receipts for January. 1900, amounted to \$23,019,423, an increase as compared with the same month in 1899 of \$2,206,672.

It was said in Madrid that a special envoy from Aguinaldo would arrive in Paris in March and go to Berlin to raise funds to continue the war.

Because she wept on the way to her husband's funeral, George Williams, colored, shot his mother dead in the procession at Pleasant Hill. Ga.

The acquisition of three Spanish gunboats by Admiral Watson will make possible the early recall of some of the larger vesseus non in the I himppines.

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and his friends were walking through the curredor of the hotel when Mr.

"That's the his prescher," said one of the on ty. Mr. Mondy halted for a mamouton by ling this remark and surfed in a pleasant memor. Promoty the my soul! horse-aware led the prize fighter up to factore over the last and said:

pied for wanted to meet you." " . I'man mins, how are you, s'r." seld the sympolist. "I hope we shall rousing good times. Came in gonde-The Hiran- it is nothing but a commenter. I believe you would enjoy it." In h

all, he ain't hair had, is her re-

of a box. All but Firzsimmons seemed to weary of the sermon, but he stay of mer Mr. Moody in the hotel, and, interruptue the latter while he was talk his to a party of friends, he said: "I was with you resterlift and I unjoyed the laik,", and both, like a blushing school-E'rl. burr'i il a way.

It had a weatherful man be would be Hearing for the Lord instead of Gentle : prangelia, as Fitzsimmons harded toward the elevator.

#### WINGED DESTS.

There are six species of mosquito found in New Empland.

The largest American ity is a little over tail on high in fought.

I) is said that horms never use the Strike Wal a surumit sements.

Argording to the Mosale law, the

Italians will hausis "little hers s. and the Cormon term for these pests is "cay horses,"

sive paper has been observed to show signs of life at the end of play days.

The wheat fir is said to have been nearly as destructive to the wheat

Mosquitees and other guats fuguish placest the sole fund for a very large family of insect eating birds known as Althoratebreau

of commontant skill and adaptation of means to end which rival the same taland our time have.

The Rosh fly products about 20,000

The wash is an insect highwayman, Wasse have oil a been observed to reliables will a flore industrious workthun, are relating to the live.

Papa (at the breakfast table): "Willie, my boy why are you looking so thoughtful? Are you not feeling

Willie (very seriourly): "Yes, papa: but I had a strange dream this morn-

Paper: "Indeed? What was it?" Willer: "I dreamed, pape, that I a party of most was talking over the ldi I and went to heavou; and when fight with to best, when a sudden havet g . Here, and me of the gate, instead to les of streets, which cost £80,000. | door beating to the king hallway of the bit showing no the way to the golden sirous, as I expected, he took me out Into a large field, and in the middle "Morely is holding services, and he's at the field there was a ladder reaching away up into the sky and out of "I would like to meet that civip, he I still to. Then St. Peter told me that heaven was at the top, and that in a few moments byter the prize fighter corder to get there I must take the big piece of chala he gave me and slowly Bood come horry ng in from Michigan climb the ladder, writing on each rung some sin I had committed."

Paper (laving down his paper): "And dad on finally reach beaven,

n ...... o, papa, for just as I was Mo dy this is Mr. Finzelmenous, print trying to think of something to write has the wild put I'm Corbett on West, and the second rong, I Loked up into and saw you coming down.

Page: "And what was I coming

Willie: "That's just what I asked warm a wave of his hand Mr. Maney you, popul, and you told me you were good after more chalk."

This is a great year for politics and sil off, failer? lectrors in Indiana. The town and invo, iumy state senators and all ple. until the last. A day later be again representatives will be elected; also many county officers. On top of Il the above, the state will vote ou president and vice president of the United States.

It is thought that after the census is to am, Indiana will have a popula-Mis follow-men." was the remark of the Hon entitling it to at least eightteen congressmen.

Enumerators appointed to take the consus in June will be furnished with to be worn in a cospicuous place so as to be plainly seen, and which will he their credentials for gathering heir statistics. These badges will be usule of German silver, one and onetourth inches wide, by one and fiveights long, shield shape, surmounti by an eagle and bearing the words Uni d States Cipsus, 1900" my lar has already been placed for A fly which has been enught by adde (1) to "these budges by the direct--- 11803.

crops of this country as the Hessian SIX Lots for Sale. Foring Toner Avenue, They are situated in Krezberger Park, and are the most desirable property in he city. They are within stone I me nest of the wash shows a digree throw or beautiful Lake Maxinkuckee and new block from depot and steam much bidnig. The park is one of The mosanitoes found in swamps, the him to the state, and this would Almost every nation, with the except and drupt woods are generally move the exception for summer restricts. Calou or address

> M. KRETZBERGER, Logausport, Ind.

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Mrs. June M midews is now prepared to do no ands or carper weaving with her donn hydress and dispaten. Also has ern, forten with the feutle of on expedit Costone for sale. Terms very reasonable tive ner a call and saye money.

Railroad Wreck.

has had for some time occurred Sat orday night west of the Vandalia and limits of the city. The trouble was ing close together, the wrack, however being directly caused by a cabous and several cars breaking away from the first section and dropping back quickly that Engineer Curtis of the second section could not stop before he crashed into them. As a result the engine went into the disch with the caboose and cars and also draging in several other cars. The entire wreck took lire and the two chemical engines were called out to do what could be done to save the rest of the train. It was possible only to prosome of the cars noton fire, as the burning mass was beyond control of even the poweful chemicals.

The Wabash was asked for an engine to pull the rest of the train out of the way. They sent one down to Clymers station and up on the Vandalia to the scene. The escape of Engineer Cartis and his fireman who jumped from the engine pulling the the second section is still exciting much talk, as had they waited a secoud longer they would have been pinned under the wreck. Engineer Chapman, in charge of the first section, was not in the wreck, his train being attackted from the rear. Conductor Tracy was in charge of the first section and conductor Price in burned cars was loaded with lumber and another with hides and the blozlighted up the sky for miles around. A call at the Vandalia station this Farmers, S: Affention morning elicited the information that one engine was badly damaged and that two cars burned, while several others were bully damaged. The wild report that that cars were destroyed; was emphatically deuled, - Loganopurt Phares

Sammy- Vasuumev der root out

Isade Slim-Yes, Sam; en you Porthevith the party entered the above eity elections will occur in May. In most dry and do all de good you can November all state officers, congress- in life by gedding it away from pec-

> Ducks and geese are again froquenting their old haunts upon the

> "I presume you carry a memento of some sort in that locket of yours?"

> , Precisely; it is a lock of my husband's hair."

"But your husband is still blive." "Yes, but his bair is all gone."

The Boers threaten to destroy the budges by the government, which are Johannesburg gold mines. If they do what will England have to fight for?

CLORIOUS NEWS.

Comes from Dr. D. H. Cargile, of Washits, I. . He writes: "Four buttles of Elegtric Pitters has cured Mrs. Brawer of scrofula. which had caused her great suffering for years, terrible seres would break out on her head and face, and the best doctors could give no herp, but her cure is complete and her health is excellent." his shows what thousands have proved, -that Electric Bitters is the Lest blood purifier known. It's the supreme remedy for eczema tetter, sait rheum, ulcers, boils and running sores. stimulates liver, kidneys and bowels, expels poisons, helps digestion builds up the strength. Only 10 cents. Sold by T. E. Slattery, Druggist. Gusranteed.

I have been afflicated with "rhoumatism for fourteen years and nothing seemed to give any relief. I was able to be around all the time, but constantly suffering. 1 had tried everything I could hear of and at | last was told to 'ry Chamberlain's Pain Balm, which I did, and was immediately relieve and in a short time cared. I can happy to say that it has not since re- Picture Frames, Mobilings, etc., keep turned. - Josn. Edgar, Germantown, Cal. For sale by T. E. Slattery, Druggist.

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