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VANDALIA LINE	
Terre Haute and Logansport R. R.	
For the North	
No. 10.....	8:07 A. M.
No. 14.....	12:13 P. M.
No. 8.....	9:41 P. M.
For the South.	
No. 21.....	6:27 A. M.
No. 3.....	1:01 P. M.
No. 9.....	7:59 P. M.
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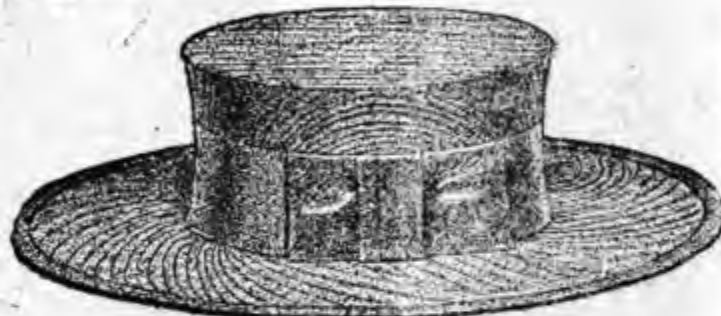
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DIALS, 219 Michigan St. Plymouth.

LOCAL BREVETIES.

The Aubbeenaubee was launched Thursday.

F. M. Harwood and family, of Indianapolis have opened their cottage for the season.

Several railroad officials of the Vandalia registered at the Lake View Hotel Thursday.

Frank R. New and wife of Indianapolis, have opened their cottage near the Palmer House for the summer.

General Manager Taylor of the Vandalia, passed through Culver Wednesday on his way to South Bend.

H. R. Bliss, of Indianapolis, has purchased the cottage formerly owned by J. B. Dill and has taken possession.

Frank R. New placed a new Gasoline Launch in Lake Maxinkuckee today, Friday. It was christened the Adella and for beauty and excellence of finish, is second to none upon the lake.

Lost watch Charm, a small base ornament and hung in clefts. Reward by returning to this office or Capt. Essen hard.

Sunday school will be at 9 a. m. next Sunday at the M. E. church, so as to give ample time to those who wish to hear Dr. H. at the academy.

Married, at the M. E. parsonage, Thursday evening by Rev. F. O. Fraley, Schuyler Burkett and Florence Hutchins.

Trinity class on Rev. Newman's charge will hold Children's Day exercises next Friday. These services will be held in a grove on the banks of Twin Lakes in the form of a picnic. Services will begin at 10:30 a. m. and will have a forenoon and afternoon session.

Rev. Newman baptised fifteen applicants in Twin Lakes Thursday afternoon, mostly of Trinity class. Miss Anna Bush of Culver, was one of the number. One was baptised by pouring, four by sprinkling and ten by immersion.

Rev. Newman left for Lucerne last night on the 8 o'clock train to visit his brother, whose barn was struck by lightning last week and burned to the ground. He will return Saturday.

The school library will be opened Friday June 8 from 2 p. m. to 3 p. m., and every Friday thereafter at the same hour. Florence Barber will keep the register. "When Knighthood was in Flower," "His Grace of Osmond," "Wampumbell," "Two Little Pilgrims' Progress, and Johnson's American Politics," will be added to the library.

During Decoration Day services, the business houses in Culver were closed.

We received a communication this week, but as the writer's name was not signed to the same we consigned it to the waste basket. We have repeatedly stated in the Herald that no communication would be published unless we know the author. Please bear this in mind and act accordingly.

H. Clark, Chauncey, Ga. says DeWitt's Witch Hazel Salve cured him of piles that had afflicted him for twenty years. It is also a speedy cure for skin diseases. Be ware of dangerous counterfeits T. F. Slattery.

Smoke Reed's 205. 45tf.

J. H. Castelman will wholesale ice cream in Culver this summer.

North, east, south and west, "Town Clock" cigar always the best.

We need money. Hence, call and pay your subscription.

You should take the advantage of the 30 day sale at the harness shop.

The Sunday trains will be started upon the Vandalia R. R. June 3.

"Town Clock" "Town Clock."

The Palmer House and Arlington are transacting an immense business.

Don't forget the 30 day sale at the harness shop, you will miss some bargains.

M. E. Garn states in a letter that he likes North Dakota immense.

Culver merchants handle "Town Town Clock."

Is it not about time you paid your subscription?

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Green returned from Ohio, Wednesday evening, having been there visiting relatives. They leave for their home in Terre Haute today, (Friday.)

You smoke and I smoke and we all smoke the best, "Town Clock."

Whip sale—commencing May 28, ending June 2nd, at the harness shop.

The farmers of the south part of the county have arranged to have an institute to be held at Argos Tuesday and Friday June 14 and 15. An interesting program has been arranged and farmers from all parts of this county and everywhere else will be welcome.

The commencement exercises occurred at Syracuse, Ind., May 15, and received a very flattering mention in the Syracuse Register of May 17. There were nine graduates, who received excellent advice from the principal of the school, Prof. Allen A. Norris, relative to their future life. The professor is a native of Maxinkuckee, and has met with great success, as he is an instructor of high attainments. He has conducted the above school the past two years, and has been retained for the ensuing year with the privilege of selecting his own assistants.

Numerous strangers are in town. Call at this office for your job work.

Baled timothy hay for sale at Porter & Co's.

Lewis Wheeler has opened Shady Bluff for the season.

Thomas Wilson's cottage is open for the season.

Read Porter & Co's advertisement in this issue.

Chas. Loudon is busy re-roofing and putting Mr. Vaughn's cottage in shape for the summer.

Scissors and pocket knives at John Osborn's.

Have you seen that new queensware at Hollister & Co's?

The grangers of Wolf Creek will attend a meeting at South Bend on the 6th of June.

A. L. Bogardus, contractor and builder has just finished putting Joseph Strong's and M. Martin's cottages in shape for the season.

Charles Loudon has just completed a porch ten feet wide and ninety feet long, on one side and both ends of Mrs. Judy Heller's cottage on the east side.

Thomas Bigley and Frank Garn shipped several car loads of live stock via the Nickel Plate Thursday. They loaded at Burr Oak.

W. Kubn, of Indianapolis, was at his cottage at the north end over Sunday.

J. H. Vagen and Mr. Johnson, of Indianapolis, who have been at the lake fishing for the past few days, returned home Tuesday.

FOR SALE—I have a lumber wagon and a good fresh cow for sale at a bargain. Enquire at the grist mill. 4764

JOEL BAUMGARTNER,

Culver, Ind.

F. R. New and wife of Indianapolis, are guests at the Palmer House.

Remember the Children's day exercises occur at the Evangelical church one week from next Sunday evening. Great preparations are being made to make this an interesting event. All are cordially invited.

Monday's Indianapolis News says: Fifty-nine young lawyers, all graduates of the Valparaiso Normal School, were admitted to practice in the United States court, this morning.

The Democratic convention to nominate a candidate for prosecuting attorney for Marshall and Fulton counties was held at Rochester Ind., Saturday afternoon. Plymouth had no candidate and Arthur Metzler of Rochester was nominated by acclamation.

The papers are filled with items reporting the loss of pocket books with various sums of money. So far we have failed to notice a single editor among the lot of unfortunates.

Those fine meat roasters, 40 cents, at John Osborn's.

The Lake View Hotel opened for the season Tuesday, with that prince of landlords, Graham, at the helm.

These wooden bowls, at John Osborn's.

Mrs. F. O. Fraley, who has been visiting her parents and relatives in the southern part of the state, returned home last Friday.

Clothes ringers \$1.50 at John Osborn's.

It is only a question of time when rural mail delivery will be universal throughout the country.

Three tin cups five cents at John Osborn's.

First class padlocks for 15 cents at John Osborn's.

Mr. Edward Culver and family of St. Louis are guests at the Palmer House.

Fruits and vegetables in their season at John Osborn's.

Mrs. John B. Elam and Mrs. John G. Williams, of Indianapolis, are here cleaning their cottages.

A large number of our citizens attended the circus in Plymouth last Monday.

At a meeting of the town Board Tuesday evening, Henry Overman was appointed city marshal, in place of David Smith, who tendered his resignation at said meeting, owing to the fact that he was not able to attend to the duties of marshal, on account of the fact that he must devote all of his spare time to his motherless children.

A large number of our citizens were in Plymouth Monday transacting business.

We visited W. E. Hand's dairy farm this week and were shown about 30 as fine cows as you can find in the state. His herd is composed of Jerseys and Holsteins, and are all great milk producers. He has several cows that \$60 would be no object so far as selling is concerned. He furnishes the Culver Military Academy milk and during the summer season, he supplies the cottage owners, hotels and boarding houses with milk and cream. He warrants his milk pure and rich, and those desiring a first class article should give him a trial.

People in the country who are annoyed by flies should remember that clusters of the fragrant clover, which grows so abundantly by nearly every roadside, if hung in the room and left to dry and shed its faint fragrant perfume through the air, will drive away more flies than sticky saucers of molasses and other fly-papers can ever collect.—New York Tribune.

The steamer Aubbeenaubee has been thoroughly overhauled and repaired by Capt. Morris, Culver's celebrated boat builder, and is now in first class condition. The Captain has also built 27 clinker boats the past winter, the most of which will be used as new stock at his boat houses.

Quite a number of Culver Epworth Leaguers are planning to attend the District convention to be held in Kewanna, June 19 and 20.

The telegraph liar is still abroad in the land. The latest is that an unknown disease has broken out in Fulton, Pulaski, Starke and Marshall counties, and that the State Board of Health intends to send physicians to investigate the disease. There are 148 persons in various towns who are awaiting admission to Longcliff. Of these seventy-two are women and seventy-six men. When the new addition is completed there will be ample room for all of these unfortunates.

The sentiment that United States Senators should be elected by the people is growing. The late scandals in regard to the lavish use of money to secure seats in that body has set the people to thinking, and from thinking they have gone to demanding that such corruption shall cease.

Cleanse the liver, purify the blood, invigorate the body by using DeWitt's Little Early Risers. These famous little pills always act promptly. T. E. Slattery.

SLAY AT ANOKA, MINN.

UNKNOWN ASSASSINS ATTEMPT WHOLESALE MURDER.

Farmer, His Wife and Two Sons Shot While Sitting Around a Table in the Evening—Scow Sunk in Lake Michigan by a Ferry Boat.

The other night as William Wise, a farmer ten miles north of Anoka, Minn., was sitting at a table playing cards with his wife and four children, some one fired through the window with a shotgun and a Winchester rifle. William Wise, Jr., 7 years old, fell dead, a bullet striking him in the back and emerging from his cheek. James Wise, 11 years old, was shot through the right lung and lost two fingers of his right hand. William Wise, 38 years old, was shot in the right shoulder from behind, then buckshot entering his body. He is paralyzed and will die. Mrs. Wise was shot in the back, the bullet emerging from her abdomen. She was also hit in both arms, and will die. Eliza and Martha, the daughters, escaped by jumping into a closet. It is not yet known who did the shooting, but the suspicion of the authorities falls on two persons. In all ten or eleven shots were fired. The Wise family had recently moved there from Wisconsin, where they are said to have been involved in a case. They also had had some litigation going to Minnesota.

RUN DOWN IN THE LAKE.

Is Wrecked by a Ferry—One Man Is Drowned.

A scow Silver Lake was cut down by a ferry Pere Marquette fifteen miles off Manitowish. Henry Eastman, a sailor, was drowned. The captain and sailors succeeded in getting into the boat before the Silver Lake went down, and were rescued by the Pere Marquette. The lost vessel was bound up the Michigan with a cargo of wood, ran into a dense fog half an hour before the collision occurred. The Pere Marquette struck amidships, cutting the scow in two. It is said that the steamer was running at nearly full speed. The lost boat was owned by Nels Johnson of Racine and was worth \$1,500.

STUDENTS KILLED AT PICNIC.

Bridge Timbers Collapse, Crushing Two Persons Beneath Them.

As a result of a terrible accident at Manitowish Falls, Ill., Wesley Smith, 18 years old, son of former Congressman D. C. Smith; Miss Jessie Skaggs, aged 16, daughter of G. B. Skaggs, are dead, and Miss Mabel Clauser is severely injured. They were members of the Pekin High School, which had its annual picnic at the falls, and about 4 o'clock in the afternoon walked across the long trestle there and stepped on a pile of bridge timbers. The pile collapsed and they were buried in the debris. Smith's back was broken, as was Miss Skaggs' neck. Miss Clauser extricated herself and gave the alarm.

Contests on the Diamond.

The standing of the clubs in the National League is as follows:

	W. L.		W. L.
Philadelphia	19 10	St. Louis	16 14
Brooklyn	12 12	Cincinnati	12 16
Chicago	17 14	New York	10 18
Pittsburg	18 15	Boston	8 18

In the American League the standing are:

	W.	L.		W.	L.
Indianapolis	18	8	Kansas City	15	17
Milwaukee	18	13	Minneapolis	15	18
Chicago	17	14	Buffalo	11	17
Cleveland	14	14	Detroit	11	18

Utah Outlaws Murder Two.

Sheriff Taylor of Grand County, Utah, and Sam Jenkins, a deputy and a cattle owner, were shot and killed by outlaws on Hill creek, about fifty miles north of Thompson's Springs. Herbert Day, another deputy, who was with them, says the three men unexpectedly came upon the camp of the outlaws. Sheriff Taylor and Sam Jenkins dismounted and accosted them. As they turned to go to their horses they were shot in the back.

Row in Kansas City Times.

The Kansas City Times is now issued under new management. The paper was recently purchased from Banker Wiley D. Cox by Secretary of State A. A. Lesueur, County Judge J. Lee Chrisman and J. S. Sullivan, the millionaire owner of the big saddle-tree works at the Missouri penitentiary, Jefferson City. After a serious disagreement over the policy of the paper Lesueur and Chrisman purchased all of Sullivan's stock.

Mormons to Live in Colorado.

In a caravan including 170 wagons and large herds of cattle the first Mormon colony from Utah has arrived at its destination in the Big Horn valley of Colorado. Temporary homes are rapidly going up on the land bought by the colonists along the north bank of the Stinking Water river.

Lone Highwayman Again.

The passengers on the sleeping car of train No. 1 of the Missouri Pacific were held up and robbed between Kansas City and Stella by a lone highwayman. There were not many passengers in the sleeper and he did not get much.

William S. Taylor in Business.

William S. Taylor, ousted from the Kentucky governorship, has engaged in business in Indianapolis. This will take him out of politics.

HUSBAND AS "STAR BOARDER."

Judge in Cincinnati Court Makes an Unusual Suggestion.

Judge Pfeiffer at Cincinnati has solved the knotty problem of Joe Hoenschmeyer, the Court street grocer, and Mary, his wife, who left Hoenschmeyer and took their children. As the wife and mother positively refused to live with her husband and he must support the little ones and cannot be deprived of their society, the court suggested: "Let Mrs. Hoenschmeyer take her husband to board with her and charge him enough to keep the family." The proposition to change the status of husband to that of "star boarder" was taken under consideration by Hoenschmeyer. The father has a right to call on his children at reasonable times. Both testified that they quarreled from five to twelve times every day.

OLIVET POSTOFFICE IS LOOTED.

Men with a Marked Map Arrested Later at Charlotte, Mich.

Cracksmen robbed the safe in the post-office at Olivet, Mich., stole two teams and escaped to Charlotte, it was believed, to catch a train east. Sheriff Shepard and deputies found the teams, and after a running exchange of shots captured three men, who, besides revolvers, had dynamite, fuses, pepper, knives and a map of Michigan, with a circle around Olivet. The prisoners had only 20 cents, and it is believed the men with the plunder fled another way. The prisoners registered at the jail as Edward G. Gillman, machinist, Hillsdale, Mich.; James Gilmore, railroad man, Albany, N. Y., and Frank Graham, railroad man, Buffalo.

FOUR CHILDREN DIE IN FIRE.

Parents Leave Them in House and Attend Church Services.

The house of Thomas Brody, ten miles from Nashville, Tenn., was consumed by fire, and four of his children perished in the flames. Brody was a tenant farmer and lived in a small frame house. He, his wife and two grown daughters went to church in the evening. They left the four smaller children asleep. Returning from church at 10 o'clock the house was found in a blaze. The entrance was obstructed by flames, but the children could be seen still asleep in the room. The four were burned to death. Two of them were boys and two were girls, and their ages were from 5 to 13 years.

Shooter Hits Human Targets.

An accidental shooting, in which nine persons were hurt painfully and several more injured slightly, took place near the close of a performance given by the Buckskin Bill Wild West company in Terre Haute. The accident was caused by the accidental discharge of a Winchester shotgun in the hands of Elmer Mendenhall, one of the performers, who was engaged in fancy shooting.

Big Boiler Works Burned Down.

Reeves Brothers' boiler works at Alliance, Ohio, were destroyed by fire. Loss on building, machinery and stock, \$144,000, with \$40,500 insurance. The origin of the fire is unknown. A large number of men are thrown out of work. The plant will be rebuilt.

Indiana Salary Law Upheld.

Judge Ryan of the Madison County, Indiana, Superior Court upheld the weekly pay law in mandate cases to compel the American Plate Glass Company of Alexandria, the American Tin Plate factory and the Wright shovel works of Anderson to pay employees weekly.

Roasted to Death in Wreck.

In a freight wreck on the Charleston and Western Carolina road near Laurens, S. C., William McKinney, engineer, and Charles Haynes, brakeman, were hurled violently against the engine furnace and covered with coals. They were roasted to death.

German Meat Bill Passes.

The German reichstag, voting by roll call, adopted the meat bill by 163 to 123 votes. The measure prohibits the importation of canned or sausage meat and places other restrictions on American packers.

Frederic A. Bell Is Dead.

Frederic A. Bell, who made a vast fortune in the bituminous coal business in Philadelphia and who was subsequently president of the Buffalo Elevating Company, is dead at his home in Madison, N. J., aged 55 years.

French Peace Assured.

Peace for France during the exposition is now assured. The vote of confidence in the military passed by the chamber of deputies the other day renders this certain. All the papers lay emphasis thereon.

Fearful Loss of Life.

Twenty-two miners—ten white men and twelve negroes—lost their lives in an explosion at the Cumcock coal mines, North Carolina. The explosion is supposed to have been caused by a broken gauge in a safety lamp.

Allusions to First Wife Cruel.

William Kinnaman of Marion, Ohio, taunted his wife continually by comparing her unfavorably with his first wife. Judge Tobias decided this was extreme cruelty and gave the wife a divorce.

Cincinnati Warehouse Burned.

Fire destroyed the contents of John Sauer & Co.'s cigar leaf tobacco warehouse in Cincinnati. The building was a four-story brick, and it was well packed with stock. The loss will be \$50,000.

Lover Kills Girl and Himself.

At Hood River, Ore., Miss Ida Foss, a school teacher, aged 25 years, was shot and instantly killed by her lover, Benjamin Wagnitz, in a fit of anger and jealousy.

Give Up Arms to Gen. Wheaton.

Gen. Wheaton reports two companies of insurgents, comprising 171 men, with 168 guns in good condition, small quantity of ammunition, surrendered at Tar-

LOVE IS TRIUMPHANT.

AGED SPINSTER AND A YOUNG MAN ARE MARRIED.

Woman of 73 Weds a Doctor Who Is Only 28, in the Town of Newburgh, N. Y.—Millions of Feet of Logs Held Up in Minnesota.

Miss Louisa Pierce, the aged and wealthy spinster, who owns property in the heart of the aristocratic suburb of Newton, Mass., and Dr. W. H. Barnes, her 28-year-old lover, have at last succeeded in getting married. The ceremony was performed by Rev. A. K. Fuller of Newburgh, N. Y., at the home of Dr. Barnes' parents in that city. Dr. Barnes' father and mother were witnesses and made no objection to the marriage. In a statement Dr. Fuller said that he noticed the disparity in the ages of the couple, and questioned them carefully. Both answered his questions frankly and openly and gave no indication of trying to conceal anything. Miss Pierce gave her age as 73 and said she had never been married. The doctor gave his age as 28. Miss Pierce's friends are greatly shocked over the final result, as they had hoped to be able to prevent the wedding.

LUMBER INTERESTS HARD HIT.

Bursting of a Dam Leaves 40,000,000 Feet of Logs Hung Up.

Word has reached Little Falls, Minn., of the going out of the main dam on the Crow Wing river, used for log-driving purposes. It was at the mouth of the Shell river and its loss in this season of low water is a serious blow to the logging industry, as 40,000,000 feet of logs are now hung up, when with the water stored up by the dam they could have been driven to mill. A dam at Little Falls had previously been blown up by farmers who claimed to suffer damage, but the cause of this event is not definitely known.

Dog Causes a Fatal Accident.

Superintendent E. A. Donkin of the Dakota division of the Great Northern Railroad was killed in an unusual manner. He was on his way to Inkster on his railroad gasoline motor, when a small dog crossed in front of the machine, throwing him and the car from the track. The accident occurred in front of the depot at McCanna, N. D.

Ambushed Near Vryheid.

It is officially announced in London that Col. Bethune, while marching in the direction of Newcastle, Natal, was ambushed by a party of Boers six miles west of Vryheid, in the Transvaal, and that very few of his force escaped. His casualties numbered sixty-six men.

Fatal Railway Accident.

The engine attached to the west-bound fast mail train on the Lake Shore road went into the ditch at Westfield, N. Y., and Engineer Reagan and his fireman, William Leighbody, were killed.

Two Killed in Train Wreck.

A local Southern Pacific train was wrecked in Oakland, Cal. Frank Shaw, engineer, and Harry Wetzel, fireman, were killed and several passengers were injured.

To Push War Against Yaquis.

The Mexican Government is sending a large force of troops into the Yaqui country to re-enforce the troops now there under command of Gen. Torres in quelling the rebellious Indians.

Big Firm in a Crash.

Price, McCormick & Co., brokers, 30 Broad street, New York, failed, with liabilities of \$13,000,000 and unknown assets.

Peremptory Note for Turkey.

United States sent a peremptory note verging on an ultimatum to the Sultan demanding a prompt settlement of the indemnity claims.

MARKET QUOTATIONS.

Chicago—Cattle, common to prime, \$3.00 to \$6.00; hogs, shipping grades, \$3.00 to \$6.50; sheep, fair to choice, \$3.00 to \$5.50; wheat, No. 2 red, 66c to 67c; corn, No. 2, 37c to 38c; oats, No. 2, 22c to 23c; rye, No. 2, 56c to 57c; butter, choice creamery, 19c to 20c; eggs, fresh, 11c to 13c; new potatoes, \$2.75 to \$3.25 per barrel.

Indianapolis—Cattle, shipping, \$3.00 to \$5.75; hogs, choice light, \$3.00 to \$5.50; sheep, common to prime, \$3.00 to \$5.00; wheat, No. 2, 71c to 73c; corn, No. 2 white, 39c to 41c; oats, No. 2 white, 26c to 27c.

St. Louis—Cattle, \$3.25 to \$5.75; hogs, \$3.00 to \$5.50; sheep, \$3.00 to \$5.50; wheat, No. 2, 71c to 73c; corn, No. 2 yellow, 37c to 39c; oats, No. 2, 23c to 25c; rye, No. 2, 56c to 57c.

Cincinnati—Cattle, \$2.50 to \$5.75; hogs, \$3.00 to \$5.50; sheep, \$2.50 to \$4.75; wheat, No. 2, 72c to 73c; corn, No. 2 mixed, 41c to 42c; oats, No. 2 mixed, 24c to 26c; rye, No. 2, 60c to 62c.

Detroit—Cattle, \$2.50 to \$5.75; hogs, \$3.00 to \$5.75; sheep, \$3.00 to \$5.00; wheat, No. 2, 73c to 74c; corn, No. 2 yellow, 39c to 40c; oats, No. 2 white, 27c to 29c; rye, 60c to 62c.

Toledo—Wheat, No. 2 mixed, 74c to 76c; corn, No. 2 mixed, 39c to 40c; oats, No. 2 mixed, 23c to 25c; rye, No. 2, 56c to 58c; clover seed, new, \$4.95 to \$5.05.

Milwaukee—Wheat, No. 2 northern, 65c to 67c; corn, No. 3, 39c to 41c; oats, No. 2 white, 25c to 27c; rye, No. 2, 56c to 57c; barley, No. 2, 42c to 44c; pork, mess, \$11.25 to \$11.75.

Buffalo—Cattle, choice shipping steers, \$3.00 to \$6.00; hogs, fair to prime, \$3.00 to \$5.50; sheep, fair to choice, \$3.00 to \$5.25; lambs, common to extra, \$4.50 to \$6.50.

New York—Cattle, \$3.25 to \$6.00; hogs, \$3.00 to \$5.75; sheep, \$3.00 to \$5.50; wheat, No. 2 red, 80c to 81c; corn, No. 2, 42c to 44c; oats, No. 2 white, 28c to 30c; butter, creamery, 16c to 21c; eggs, west-

MAKES MANY MOTHERS MAD.

Address of Professor Chrisman Is Resented by 3,000 Women.

At the second day's session of the National Congress of Mothers in Des Moines great indignation was raised by the address of Oscar Chrisman, A. M., Ph. D., professor of pedagogy or child study in the State normal school at Emporia, Kan. "Men never love as women do," he said. Instantly the big convention hall was filled with hisses, and it was several minutes before the speaker could proceed. He continued to say that women were made for love and men for reason. This was greeted by an indignant protest from 3,000 throats. The professor dropped this branch of the subject and went on with his address. At its conclusion a dozen women leaped to their feet and demanded recognition.

Mrs. Birney, who was presiding, gave the floor to Mrs. Winfield S. Hall of Berwyn, Ill., who cried in a voice that reached the street, "Men do love!" Mrs. Hall then gave Prof. Chrisman a tongue-lashing for fifteen minutes. When she ceased a man and fifteen women jumped up. The man, T. H. Smith of Harlan, Iowa, was recognized. "It is false," he said. "Men do love. It is a slander that the professor has given you. He ought to be ashamed of himself for standing before this audience and saying such things. Men do love their sweethearts and wives. As boys they love their mothers. As men they love their families. Prof. Chrisman has queer ideas for an educator of the young. He has no business telling this congress of mothers that men do not love. They know better, and I am glad of this magnificent rebuke the speaker has suffered justly at your hands." The man closed, and the women cheered.

The meetings of the congress were well attended and full of interest. More than 1,000 delegates were in attendance from out of the town. Policemen had to help keep the doors closed Tuesday on account of the crush. Gov. and Mrs. Shaw received the delegates in a formal reception at the State House Tuesday evening.

TWENTY-TWO DIE IN A MINE.

Colliery Explosion at Cumcock, N. C., Terrible in Its Effects.

Twenty-two miners, ten white men and twelve negroes, lost their lives in an explosion at Cumcock coal mines, Chatham County, North Carolina, Tuesday afternoon. The explosion is supposed to have been caused by a broken gauge in a safety lamp. Between forty and fifty men were in the mine at the time.

About fifty people from Sanford, a town six miles from the mine, started immediately when the news of the disaster was received to assist in the work of rescuing the dead and helping the injured. Within an hour after the explosion the work of rescue began and by night all the bodies except one had been brought to the top. This is the second explosion this mine has had within the past four years, the former one having occurred on Dec. 28, 1895, when forty-three men lost their lives.



Yates clubs are organizing all over Illinois.

Rockford, Ill., traveling men have organized a McKinley Club.

Indiana friends of Fairbanks will boom him for President in 1904.

Republican congressional committee headquarters will be in Chicago.

Hawaiians have agreed to join neither the Republicans nor the Democrats.

James R. Keene has bet \$7,500 to \$10,000 that Bryan will be the next President.

Webster Davis says politics are uncertain, and no one is expected to keep promises.

The Ohio House has adopted a resolution urging Congress to pass a per diem pension law.

Alabama Democrats in Gen. Wheeler's district have called a convention for July 3 to select Gen. Wheeler's successor.

Philadelphia convention hall only lacks the decorations. Otherwise it is ready for the Republican national convention.

In Ohio bequests to the State and to political subdivisions have been exempted from provisions of the collateral inheritance tax law.

Democratic nominees for State offices in North Carolina are touring the State in a body. They are making their hardest campaign in the counties where there is most opposition to the pending constitutional amendment disfranchising the negroes.

Massachusetts lawmakers want a higher salary, and fifty-five members of the House have put themselves on record as favoring a bill to make the compensation \$1,000. The Senate gave a majority for the bill amended, to take effect at the next Legislature.

Following is a list of the States which by action of their Legislatures have approved election of Senators by the people: Nevada, Utah, Washington, Wisconsin, Wyoming, North Carolina, Montana, Arkansas, Idaho, California, Colorado, Florida, Indiana, Illinois, Iowa, Kansas, Kentucky, Louisiana, Michigan, Minnesota, Mississippi, Nebraska, New Hampshire, North Carolina, North Dakota, Ohio, Oregon, and Pennsylvania, New York, Massachusetts, Missouri, Texas and New Jersey are among the States



The Senate on Wednesday agreed to the conference report on the army appropriation bill, passed the Morgan resolution calling upon the Secretaries of War and Navy for information regarding the cost of the transportation of troops to the Philippines, and devoted the rest of the day to debate on the Cuban postal frauds, with Messrs. Platt (Conn.), Spooner and Hale as speakers. The House passed resolution for sine die adjournment June 6; also resolution authorizing committee on ways and means to sit during recess of Congress to frame bill reducing war taxes; also the Neely extradition bill.

The Senate devoted Thursday to debate on the nation's duty toward its new island possessions, Messrs. Spooner, Allen and Bacon leading in the discussion. Sent to the committee on contingent expenses Mr. Bacon's resolution directing the committee on relations with Cuba to make an investigation into the island's finances. The House devoted eight hours to consideration of the Alaska civil government bill. Three amendments of importance were adopted. One authorizes the Secretary of War to issue permits to excavate or dredge for gold below low water mark on Cape Nome beach. The Secretary has heretofore issued permits, but the bill as it passed the Senate canceled them. Another provides for a territorial delegate to Congress. The House also struck out the chapter relating to arrest and bail which permitted arrests in certain civil actions. The conference report on the Indian appropriation bill was adopted.

In the Senate on Friday discussion of the Spooner Philippine bill was continued by Mr. Morgan. On the general question of government of the islands by the United States he was in accord with Senators Spooner and Lodge, but he regarded the Spooner bill as unwise and dangerous legislation because of the great power it placed in the hands of the President. Mr. Allison then called up the sundry civil appropriation bill, which carries \$65,812,930, or over \$4,000,000 more than the bill as it passed the House. Sixty-five of the 157 pages of the bill were disposed of. The House devoted two hours to consideration of the Alaskan civil government bill without completing it. The session from noon until adjournment was devoted to private pension bills. Mr. Talbert (S. C.) continued his obstructive tactics. After 100 bills had been favorably acted upon in committee of the whole he blocked their passage in the House with the point of no quorum. Among the bills favorably acted upon were the Senate measures to pension the widow of Captain Gridley, who commanded the Olympia in the battle of Manila, at \$50 a month, the widow of Commodore R. W. Meade at \$40 a month and the widow of Gen. M. F. Force of Ohio at \$50 a month.

The Senate on Saturday agreed to the resolution for an investigation by the committee on Cuban affairs of the Cuban postal and other irregularities, authorizing the committee to visit Cuba if necessary to pursue the inquiry. Some time was given to the sundry civil appropriation bill without completing it, and to District of Columbia business. One of the latter measures provides extensive depot and terminal improvements in Washington for the Baltimore and Potomac and Baltimore and Ohio railroads, and for the removal of the historic "long bridge," the highway from the North to the South during the war of the rebellion. Passed the bill granting a pension of \$50 a month to Mrs. Mary L. Stotsenberg, widow of the late Col. Stotsenberg of the First Nebraska volunteers, who was killed in the Philippines. The House practically completed the consideration of the Alaska civil government bill. Mr. Cooper (Wis.), chairman of the committee on insular affairs, presented a favorable report on the Hay resolution calling upon the Postmaster General for certain information regarding the reports of E. G. Rathbone, director of the posts in Cuba, and the resolution was adopted without division. Another resolution from the same committee, introduced by Mr. Jones (Va.), calling upon the Secretary of War to report in detail the payments made and to whom from the revenue of Cuba and Porto Rico, was also adopted.

In the Senate on Monday reading of the sundry civil appropriation bill was completed, but not all of the committee amendments disposed of. A lively debate was precipitated over the proposition to continue the life of the industrial commission until Oct. 31, 1901. Charges were made that the commission was being used as a Republican campaign machine and that important testimony had been suppressed. The committee amendment, however, was agreed to. In the House the Alaskan civil government bill was passed and some odds and ends of legislation were cleaned up. Mr. Dailzell gave notice that the anti-trust resolution and bill reported by the judiciary committee would be considered Wednesday, Thursday and Friday under a special order.

National Capital Notes.

This year's Pacific exports will exceed \$100,000,000.

There were no fatalities from yellow fever in April in Havana.

Supreme Court will hear arguments on Chicago drainage canal in October.

More engineer officers are needed for the American fleet at Asiatic stations.

The bill preventing interstate commerce in convict-made goods passed the House.

The House extended the eight-hour bill

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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 bears 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 \$25,000,000. It will take 10 years to restore the orchards to their former condition, and the 200,000 Mohammedans and 300,000 Christians will have to starve.

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WINGED PESTS.

There are six species of mosquito found in New England.

The largest American fly is a little over half an inch in length.

It is said that hornets never use the same nest a second season.

According to the Moslem law, the locust was "clean" and might be eaten by the Jews.

Italians call locusts "little horses," and the German term for these pests is "hay horses."

A fly which has been caught by adhesive paper has been observed to show signs of life at the end of nine days.

The wheat fly is said to have been nearly as destructive to the wheat crops of this country as the Hessian fly.

Mosquitoes and other gnats furnish almost the sole food for a very large family of insect-eating birds known as flycatchers.

The nest of the wasp shows a degree of engineering skill and adaptation of means to end which rival the same traits of the bee.

The mosquitoes found in swamps and damp woods are generally more brilliantly colored than those varieties which frequent human habitations.

The flesh fly produces about 20,000 young in a season. The larvae are hatched almost instantly from the egg, and at once begin their work of destruction.

The wasp is an insect highwayman. Wasps have often been observed to rob bees while these industrious workers, laden with the fruits of an expedition, are returning to the hive.

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Not every songster's swelling throat
Pours forth its wealth of song to bless
Our ears, but countless carols float
Unheard in the deep wilderness.

Not every arrow finds its mark,
But sped all eager from the bow.
Too deftly feathered, floats too high,
Too lightly driven, falls below,
Not every effort finds success
But fails, as fails the archer's dart.
Not every sunbeam gilds the gloom,
Nor every song may reach the heart.

Yet, though I fail, mine effort lives,
And somewhere on a seron engrossed
The glory of my striving is.

For nothing fruitless, nothing lost
That like a seed sown of the soul,
May fall and die in desert hot,
But would have blossomed and borne
Fruit

If fallen in some fertile spot.
—J. W. Foley, Jr., in Bismarck Tri-
bune.

A Sailor's Love

The Grey Eagle went on her course,
parting the waves of the Indian Ocean.
She was a packet steamer in the em-
ploy of a great English company, and
carried many passengers. Among
these, standing on the promenade deck
forward and looking out across the
broad expanse of water before her,
was a beautiful girl, in the flush of her
youth and beauty.

In the wheel-house stood a young
man, second mate of the ship, looking
at Mabel Vane. He was young, with
a bold, manly face, curling brown hair
and beard and speaking gray eyes—a
man, in grace of person, manly beauty
and pure heart—a man worthy of the
name. He was only a sailor, and had
risen to his present rank from cabin
boy, but yet he dared to love the
daughter of the East Indian million-
aire, Arthur Vane.

He loved her and had no hope—loved
her as we worship a star which is far
beyond our reach. Nothing was fur-
ther from his thoughts than to insult
her by telling her that he loved her;
but to be near her, to see her often,
perhaps to do some service which
would win a smile from her—that was
reward enough for Will Clay.

She never dreamed of his adoration;
and he had heard her say among her
friends that she liked him better than
any other officer on board the Grey
Eagle. She said it in the careless way
of girlhood, and yet he treasured it in
his heart. Standing there, watching
the course of the ship and ready to
give a word of warning to the wheel-
man if it were needed, he never took
his eyes from her long.

"Mr. Clay," said the man at the
wheel, as he gave it a half turn and
rested there, "don't you smell smoke?"

"It comes from the galley."

"Perhaps so, but what are they burn-
ing rosin in the galley for?"

"Rosin," cried Will, raising his head
quickly and snuffing the air. He
caught the peculiar smell himself and
leaped down from the wheel-house.
"Keep steady," he whispered to the
man at the wheel. "There may be dan-
ger, but if there is, for God's sake,
keep it quiet."

The man nodded quietly and took a
firmer hold on the wheel. Will Clay
crossed the deck without apparent
haste, and yet with a terrible fear tug-
ging at his heart. He caught sight of
the captain coming out of the gentle-
men's cabin and hurried up to him.

"There is something wrong," he
whispered. "Don't you smell burning
rosin, captain?"

The old sea captain suppressed a cry
of horror. With fifty passenger on
board, in the midst of the Indian
Ocean, far from land, a fire was one
of the most horrible things which
could come upon a ship.

"Go forward and investigate," he
said, in a low tone. "If you find that
it is a fire, you will know what to do.
How are the boats?"

"All right, sir; you may trust to
them."

They had good cause for fear. The
entire forehold was filled with rosin, in
boxes and casks, and if a fire started
there it might as well be in a nest of fat
pine. Will ran down to the lower deck,
where he was met by a crowd of ex-
cited firemen and coal-passers, who
were rushing madly on deck. Quick as
thought he seized the foremost and
hurled him back.

"Get back, you fools!" he cried.

"Where are you running to?"

"Fire!" whispered the man, hoarse-
ly. "Fire in the forehold!"

"Suppose there is. Is it your duty to
rush on deck and alarm the passengers,
or get buckets and try to put out the
fire? Back, there, all of you, for I
will brain the man who dares to flinch
a hair now! Stand back, I say!"

The men cowed before his superior
will and saw that they might yet do
something to save the steamer.

A guard was placed at the hatch, so
that no one could come down, and the
scuttle which led into the forehold was
opened. No sooner was this done than
a dense volume of black smoke rolled

out, and the scuttle was closed again,
for Will saw that nothing could be
done in that way. The men ran for-
ward with axes, but had scarcely gone
a dozen steps when they felt the deck
tremble under their feet, and saw
small jets of flame shooting up through
the planks. A moment more and
there was a sort of explosion, and the
red flame leaped up suddenly and
caught the planks above.

There was no hope of concealing the
danger from the passengers now, for
the steamer was full of smoke, and
wild cries from the deck announced
that the danger was known. They
must face the most terrible situation
known to the sea—the one or all others
the most feared—fire! Women shriek-
ed and fainted, strong men trembled
and could not move hand or foot, and
others ran wildly about the decks,
rendering no assistance. Mabel Vane,
utterly bewildered by the sudden hor-
ror, felt a strong hand clutch her arm,
and saw Will Clay, blackened by
smoke and singed by flame.

"Go aft," he said, hoarsely. "Stand
on the port quarter and wait for me,
and I will save you or die trying. Obey
me, girl; I am your master now."

She looked at him in mute wonder
and obeyed him in silence. He sprang
away and began to fight the fire as he
could, aided by the officers and crew
and some few of the passengers who
kept their heads. Among these was
Arthur Vane, a handsome old gentle-
man, with an engaging face.

"You are a man, William Clay," he
said, as the two hurled the contents of
a great water cask down the open
hatch. "If we ever escape, the com-
pany shall know that they have got
a man in their employment. If we
don't, it is all the same. Have you
seen my daughter?"

"I sent her aft just now, and told her
that I would save her or lose my life.
And I'll do it, too, because I love her."

"Love her—you!"

"Just now you said I was a man."

"I'll tell you. Lay hold on that
cask, you. What are you shirking for;
can't we talk and work, too?"

A strange smile came over the face of
the old merchant, and they hurled the
cask into the water, and assisted the
man working at the fall in raising it.
"Don't think I'm a fool, Mr. Vane,"
said Will. "If I lived a thousand years,
and saw her every day, I wouldn't tell
her as much as I've told you. And
what's more, you wouldn't have heard
me say it if it had not come out before
I thought."

Mr. Vane said not a word, and Will
Clay was silent. They worked hard to
save the steamer, but the flames
gained, upon them inch by inch, and
drove them aft.

"Give it up, captain," whispered
Will. "Get out the boats and provision
them. Take time for all you want, and
we will fight the fire."

The sailors worked with a will until
they saw the boats drawing up to the
gangway, and the passengers taking
places, when they left their work, and
sprang for the boats. The passengers
made a rush at the same moment, but
as they neared the gangway they met
Will Clay, a pistol in each hand, and
his eyes flashing fire.

"Stand back, there!" he cried. "Do
you call yourselves men? Do you want
to swamp the boats, and spoil our only
chance?"

"Get out of the way!" hissed a giantic
Swede, raising his heavy hand.
"Out of the way or I will crush you
with a single blow!"

A pistol cracked and the man fell
back, shot through the shoulder. The
crowd recoiled before the determined
young man, for even in an hour like
this men fear sudden death.

"Keep back, I say!" repeated the
young man. "Pass along those ladies
first, for they go in the first boat."

The order was promptly obeyed, and
then six of the crew, called out by
name, went into the boat and pulled it
away from the gangway, under com-
mand of the first mate. Boat after
boat pulled up to the gangway, re-
ceived its load and pulled away. There
was no more rushing, for there was
death in the eyes of the young man
and the captain, who had taken his
place by his side.

"My daughter is not in the boats,
young man," said Arthur Vane,
hoarsely.

"Miss Vane," cried Will, "you can
come now."

Mabel, who had been standing apart,
hurried forward. Mr. Vane stepped in-
to the boat and the last of the crew
followed. Then a panic seemed to
seize them, and they pushed off, leav-
ing the captain and mate upon the
doomed steamer, as long tongues of
flame leaped out toward the boat.
Through this fiery barrier the two men
dashed and were seen striking out for
the boat.

"Stop!" cried Mr. Vane. "You have
left the captain and Mr. Clay."

The men looked at him fiercely, but
the steady eye of the old man awed
them, and the two were helped into the
boat, the captain supported by the
strong arm of his gallant mate. The
boats pulled away together, while the
columns of flame which shot into the
air announced the fate of the Grey
Eagle. They reached the islands safe-
ly after a week had passed.

There is a young man who sails a
steamer from London to Alexandria,
whose name is Will Clay, and he is
married. The name of his wife is

Mabel, for Arthur Vane, having "found
a man," knew how to make him all his
own.

Chinese Names.

In China there is no fixed nomencla-
ture—even the country itself is without
a name—and this lack of distinct and
recognized appellations was a frequent
source of difficulty. Of personal infor-
mation from natives there was none
obtainable on which any credence
could be placed. A Chinaman, unless
he be a porter coolie or a boatman,
rarely travels or gets during his life
more than a few miles in any direction
from the place where he was born.
When trying to procure information
concerning the immediate locality it
was no uncommon thing to have a na-
tive, and even sometimes men of local
position, say, "Oh, I have never been
so far away as that;" or, "I have never
been across that hill, and so do not
know what is beyond."—Harper's
Weekly.

A PECULIAR MISHAP.

Unfortunate Experience of a Fat Man With a
Mousetrap.

"Talk about your peculiar mishaps,"
said a young man employed in one of
the railroad offices in St. Charles,
"something happened at our boarding-
house the other night that I think is
entitled to first money. One of our
lodgers is a very fat man, who has a
job as bookkeeper in a wholesale house
near the river. He is almost as tall
lying down as he is standing up, and
with such a paunch, is rather slow in
getting around; but for all that he is a
perfect bundle of nerves and the most
excitable man I ever knew in my life.
Well, he has a room directly under
mine, and lately we have all been
bothered more or less by mice. The
landlady declared war on them, and
for light artillery she bought a lot
of small wire traps—those dome-
shaped affairs with holes around the
top for the beasts to stick their head
into. The servant put one in each
room, and, a few evenings ago, when
she was going around baiting the lot,
was careless enough to leave the fat
man's standing on top of his dresser.
He happened to be out attending a
singing society that night and didn't
get home until about 1 A. M. His
room was pitch dark, but he knew
there were some matches on the
dresser, and, moving cautiously across
the floor, he began pawing around for
the box. At about the first plunge he
made he stuck his fat forefinger into
one of the apertures of the mousetrap,
and the thing snapped down on him
like the jaws of a bulldog.

"Now imagine, if you can," con-
tinued the railroad clerk, "how you
would feel yourself if you were prowling
around in a dark room and some
unknown monster suddenly nailed you
by the finger and hung on. I am free
to say I would probably have howled
just as loudly as the fat man did. He
supposed, of course, that the thing
that had hold of him was alive, and
when he tried to knock it off his hand
encountered the corpses of two mice
that had been caught in the other holes
before he came in. The touch of their
soft, furry bodies confirmed the idea
that it was a living creature, and it
was then, as he explained afterward,
that he tried to escape to the hall and
got tangled up with the furniture. How
he came to demolish so many different
things in such a short time is a mys-
tery, but you know how easy it is to
bump into all the articles in a dark
room under the most ordinary circum-
stances, and a fat man with a mouse-
trap hanging to his finger would natu-
rally be a great deal more destruc-
tive. Anyhow it was that first bellow
of mortal terror that awakened me,
and the next thing I heard was a suc-
cession of frightful crashes, mixed up
mixed up with the noise of breaking
glass, scuffling feet, torn cloth, falling
furniture, and ten-ply profanity. I
could have sworn that my neighbor
was having a fight with at least eight
burglars, and, needless to say, the
whole house was up in a moment. Of
course nobody was anxious to go in
and get murdered while that awful
row was in progress, but presently it
died down, and when we pushed open
the door we found the bookkeeper sit-
ting in the middle of the room, totally
collapsed, with the mousetrap still
hanging to his finger and the floor lit-
tered with the wreck of all his be-
longings. A fifty-pound lyddite shell
couldn't have produced a more pic-
turesque ruin. Ever since then a des-
perate argument has been in progress
as to who is responsible for the dam-
ages. The landlady declares that the
fat man will have to pay for the
smashed furniture, and he swears by
the nine gods he won't give up a cent.
On the contrary, he wants remunera-
tion for his lacerated finger, the shock
of his nerves, and the suit of clothes
ruined in the battle. I wouldn't be
surprised if the case got into the
courts, with the mousetrap as 'exhibit
A.'—New Orleans Times-Democrat.

The bicycle built for two may be a
thing of the past, but the hammock
holds its own

THE RUSH TO CAPE NOME.

Nothing Like It Has Been Seen in the
Past Half Century.

The greatest rush to a new gold field
for half a century is now in progress.
Cape Nome is the destination of the
crowd. The rush to the Klondike was
the largest to any gold mining country
since the excitement in California, but
statistics show that fewer than 26,000
went to the Klondike and the Yukon river
country during 1898, and there was 6-
200 more in 1899. It is estimated that
40,000 or 50,000 people are preparing to
start for Cape Nome.

The season of navigation in the Arctic
has just opened, and already 5,100
men and women have sailed from Seattle,
Vancouver and San Francisco for Cape
Nome. Passage to Cape Nome has been
provided for about 7,000 more who will
sail this month. Capt. Hanchett, who
has long been in the Alaska steamship
business, thinks that almost 60,000 men
and women will have gone to the Alaska
mining fields when the season of naviga-
tion closes next October.

The rush to Cape Nome involves the
transportation of an enormous quantity
of mining machinery, portable houses,
tents, beasts of burden, stocks of mer-
chandise and articles of household use.
One steamer started from San Francisco
last week for Cape Nome with hydraulic
machinery aboard to the value of \$350,-
000, and another steamer similarly laden
left Seattle two days later. For months
the iron founders and mining machinery
builders of the Pacific coast have been at
work on new devices to meet the de-
mands of gold mining on the sandy sea
beach and among the gravel beds of the
creeks of Cape Nome, for, in some re-
spects, the mining conditions in the new
Alaskan field have revolutionized placer
mining methods. A race is now on
among several freight steamers to see
which will reach Cape Nome soonest and
thereby make the profit there will be in
disposing of newly invented machinery
for washing the golden specks from sand
and gravel. Several machine companies
have each put tens of thousands of dol-
lars in gold rockers and mammoth sluices
for use in the Cape Nome placers. A
half-dozen schooners cleared from Seattle
and Vancouver a week ago, laden with
coal and lumber for use in the new min-
ing field, where there has been a very se-
rious fuel famine all winter. A company
of Denver and El Paso capitalists have
invested \$75,000 in barges and steam
tugs for carrying freight from the ocean
steamers to the land at Nome.

BIG NEW YORK FAILURE.

Price, McCormick & Co. Go Up—Tremen-
dous Sensation on 'Change.

Inability to effect a corner in cotton
brought the New York firm of Price,
McCormick & Co. to the ground with li-
abilities of \$13,000,000. The reports of
good crops in the South were too strong.
Announcement of the company's suspen-
sion caused a tremendous stir through-
out Wall street and threw the Cotton ex-
change into a spasm of excitement. Traders
in the pit went wild while cotton
slumped 78 points on May, 46 points on
June, 47 points on July and 15 points on
August. Not content with these things
Wall street further excited itself by giv-
ing credence to ugly rumors concerning
the financial soundness of other broker-
age houses, all of which were put forth
on the strength of the failure.

The firm, composed of W. G. McCor-
mick of Chicago, Theodore Price of New
York, R. M. Stuart-Wortley of England,
a son-in-law of Rear Admiral Schley, and
George Crocker of California, had tried
for months to corner cotton. Prominent
as one of the oldest and most substantial
private-wire firms in the country, it was
represented on the New York cotton ex-
changes, the produce exchange and the
Chicago Board of Trade.



Some Fast Runs.

From Los Angeles to Chicago,
2,265 miles in..... 57:56:00
Average speed per hour..... 39.9 miles
Made by the Atchison, Topeka and Santa Fe
special train carrying C. R. Peacock to
Pittsburg in time to attend a meeting of
Carnegie directors.
From Chicago to Omaha, 480.9
miles in..... 10:00:00
Average speed per hour..... 48.9 miles
Made by the C. B. & Q. fast mail in con-
test for government business on the night
of Jan. 2, 1899.
From Chicago to Omaha, 502.2
miles in..... 11:00:00
Average speed per hour..... 45.6 miles
Made by the Chicago and Northwestern fast
mail in competition on the night of Jan. 2,
1899.
From Grand Central Station,
New York, to East Buffalo, 436.5
miles in..... 7:10:36
Average speed per hour..... 61.56 miles
Made by the New York Central on Sept.
14, 1891.
From Cheyenne to Omaha, 517
miles in..... 8:00:00
Average speed per hour..... 64.62 miles
Made by the Union Pacific.

R. F. Nilson has been appointed gen-
eral agent for the Burlington road, with
headquarters at Salt Lake City, Utah.

The Manitoba Government has asked
the Northern Pacific Railroad upon what
terms that company would sell or leave
their system in Manitoba.

The pay of section men on the Chi-
cago division of the Eastern Illinois has
been advanced from \$1.10 and \$1.15 to
\$1.25. Scarcity of laborers is the cause
of the rise.

Fourteen new Pullman sleepers have
been turned out and assigned to the Rock
Island road. They will be put in service
between Chicago and Denver. The cost
of each car was \$20,000.

RECORD OF THE WEEK

INDIANA INCIDENTS TERSELY TOLD.

His Mind Was Long a Blank—Sports-
man Breaks His Neck—Mysterious
Disappearance at Daleville—Railroad
Practically Tied Up by a Snake.

Fred Fry, under detention for several
days at the Indianapolis police station as
an insane person, has been recognized by
his father, Stephen D. Fry, a well-known
traveling man, and released. The young
man is 19 years old, and until his father
arrived his mind was a positive blank as
to his own identity, but the moment he
saw his sire his mental condition seemed
to clear. His father reports that his son
has been ailing for several years, and
physicians have been unable to afford per-
manent relief. He usually is rational on
every subject, but occasionally he loses
his own identity, and if away from home
at the time the attack seizes him he is un-
able to give information of himself, al-
though talking readily on other subjects.
Last June he wandered away and after
a long search was found at Kokomo,
where he had been earning his own liv-
ing, no one suspecting him of mental in-
firmity.

Squirrel Hunt Proves Fatal.
Because his wife expressed a wish for
a squirrel for her supper, Elijah Myers,
a farmer of Prairie Creek township, met
his death. Mrs. Myers has been a help-
less invalid for more than two years. She
is suffering from consumption and cannot
live longer than a few weeks. The other
night she expressed a desire for some
squirrel broth, and her husband went in-
to the woods. He shot a squirrel, but the
animal lodged in the fork of a tree, and
Myers, in climbing the tree, fell and
broke his neck, dying instantly.

Assaulted and Spirited Away.
Because of the strike at the Daley
store works at Daleville, Arthur Walker,
aged 20, has disappeared. He was a
union man, and was going to the factory
to work when he was attacked by a
crowd of the strikers. The crowd af-
ter beating Walker took him away in a
buggy and searching parties have failed
find trace of him. Muncie officers ar-
rested three men on charges of being im-
plicated in the assault. Walker's home is
Portsmouth, Ohio.

Snake Ties Up a Railroad.
Traffic on the Chicago and Erie Rail-
way was delayed the other day on ac-
count of a big rattlesnake. The reptile
crawled up a telegraph pole near Preble,
and stretched itself across the wires. As
a result the current was broken and mes-
sages could not be sent. A special crew
was sent out from Huntington to ascer-
tain the cause of the delay in the trans-
mission of dispatches, and the snake
discovered and dislodged.

Within Our Borders.
Bushels of counterfeit money over the
State.

A Goshen man saved 3,500 tobacco tags
and got a gun.

It is said gold in paying quantities has
been found north of Hope.

Mrs. John Fenton stabbed to death her
husband at Clinton, after a quarrel.

Muncie incendiaries made three fruit-
less attempts on a factory in ten days.

Laporte First National Bank has in-
creased capital from \$25,000 to \$50,000.

Delaware County farmers will form a
union, and use the union label on all their
products.

A new insect is damaging apple trees
and farmers are fearful that the crop will
be ruined.

The Ontario Silverware works resumed
operations with 250 hands after several
weeks' shut-down.

Surveyors are running a line across
Steuben County and the people are mys-
tified as to what is up.

Mrs. J. A. Schenk, Muncie, and Mrs.
Florence Kirby, Paris, Ill., sisters, met
for the first time in forty years.

A 300-gear bicycle was exhibited at
Waterloo. Some of the local speeders
were able to ride it by hard pumping.

The 4,000 lots platted by the Muncie
Land Company during the gas boom have
been sold to Akron, Ohio, capitalists for
\$80,000.

William Henry Atkinson, at one time
a familiar figure in Logansport and worth
\$30,000, is dead in the Cass County in-
firmity.

The Union Trust Company, Indianapo-
lis, and W. H. Roney, Cicero, have been
made receivers of the Bonita glass fac-
tory, at Cicero.

An explosion of natural gas at Marion
caused the destruction of the Harwood
& Bailey bedstead factory, entailing a
loss of \$70,000.

Mrs. Ida Dooley, Daleville, whose hus-
band, a Big Four brakeman, was killed
two years ago, has compromised with the
company for \$2,500.

Mayor Durand, Peru, has forbidden the
Mormons to hold any more religious meet-
ings, giving as a reason the Mormons'
alleged belief in polygamy.

The Indiana Odd Fellows home was
dedicated at Greensburg in the presence
of one of the largest crowds of people
ever assembled in the city.

Mrs. George Ray of Garrett, whose
husband was fireman on a Baltimore and
Ohio Railroad and killed in a wreck near
Chicago, has begun suit in the United
States Court asking \$10,000 damages.

The Rev. J. W. Williams, pastor of the
Second Baptist Church in Anderson, con-
ducted the services there on a recent Sun-
day, and early the next morning began
suit in the Superior Court against his
congregation for his salary. He was en-
gaged in 1898 and claims that he was to
be paid monthly, but has not received a
cent.

Decoration Day.

CULVER.

The Decoration Day services at Culver as compared with former years were rather slim, plainly showing that the patriotic sentiment which thrilled the pulses of our citizens in former years is beginning to be a thing of the past, yet, notwithstanding the seeming lack of interest, a goodly number were present and helped honor the memory of the dead heroes by appropriately decorating their graves. But, there was lack of martial music, and a few old veterans, followed by children and other citizens comprised the procession. No orders were represented, and in fact it looked rather discouraging relative to the promulgation of future Decoration Days. The services at the M. E. church were very impressive and the speech by Rev. L. Newman was a masterly effort, full of patriotic sentiments, and calculated to increase the interest of our citizens in greater activity toward honoring the memory of the men who positively saved the Union at the cost of their lives. That grand old veteran, Jacob Myers, of Rutland, was Officer of the Day at Burr Oak, Poplar Grove and Culver, and did it well.

POPULAR GROVE.

A large crowd of citizens met at Poplar Grove Tuesday, and decorated the graves of fallen heroes. Services were held at the church, and McNeely of Argos gave a rattling patriotic speech to the veterans and those present. All in all it was a grand success.

BURR OAK.

The Decoration Day services at Burr Oak passed off with the usual patriotic enthusiasm characteristic of its citizens, nothing being left undone to make the affair a success. A good speaker was in attendance who gave an appropriate address, after which the soldiers' graves in Burr Oak cemetery were solemnly decorated.

Card of Thanks.

The old veterans desire to hereby extend their sincere thanks to those who so kindly furnished vocal music during Decoration Day exercises, and also to others who furnished floral offerings and otherwise assisted in making the services a success.

THE VETERANS.

Celebrate the Fourth.

For years nearly every town in this section of the world has held 4th of July celebrations. What's the matter with Culver? We should have one this year, and as we have the ideal spot on earth for such a celebration, why not have it? Wake up! citizens and business men, get together at once, select the committee and get things in order for a rousing old Fourth. Don't let this grand old Independence day go down in history without a celebration! Get to work NOW and make it a success! We want no half-bledged second consideration affair. Every day leads us nearer the grand Fourth. Who will start the ball to rolling.

His Life Saved

by Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy. "I am sure that Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy at one time saved my life," says A. E. Lafayette, of Gregory Landing, Clark county, Missouri. "I was in such bad shape that the doctors said I could not live. When I was at the lowest point, one of my neighbors brought in a bottle of Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy and I took it and got instant relief. I soon got up and around. That was five years ago and am still in good health. Since then that medicine has always been in my house and always will be. It is the best on earth. For sale by T. E. Slattery.

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It is the truth that we are in position to sell you
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at prices which will surprise you, for the simple reason that we know enough to buy at the right time.

It is the Truth

that we show the Largest and BEST line of shoes at RIGHT PRICES in this section of the county.

It is the Truth,

that we show the Largest and Most Stylish line of Shirts, Hats and ties in Culver.

It is the Truth

that we can save you money, and that we will pay the highest market price for country produce. A Large and choice Line of Groceries a Specialty.

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Have a full line of all kinds of

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Which is fully guaranteed as a good HEATER and PERFECT Baker.

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F. M. Higgins, Editor Seneca, Ills., News, was afflicted for years with Piles that no doctor or remedy helped, until he tried Bucklen's Arnica Salve. He writes two boxes wholly cured him. It's the surest Pile cure on earth and the best salve in the world. Cure guaranteed. Only 25 cents at Slattery's.

W. H. SWIGERT, Experienced.

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Good delivered to any part of the city and around the Lake.

Prompt and quick service is our motto, and charges reasonable.

Hard and Soft COAL at rock bottom prices for CASH (strictly).

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J. I. Carson, Prothonotary, Washington Pa., says, "I have found Kodol Dyspepsia Cure an excellent remedy in case of stomach trouble, and have derived great benefit from its use." It digests what you eat and cannot fail to cure. T. E. Slattery.

Dr. U. B. Shantz,

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DENTIST.

At DR. HOLLISTER'S Office

Every Monday.

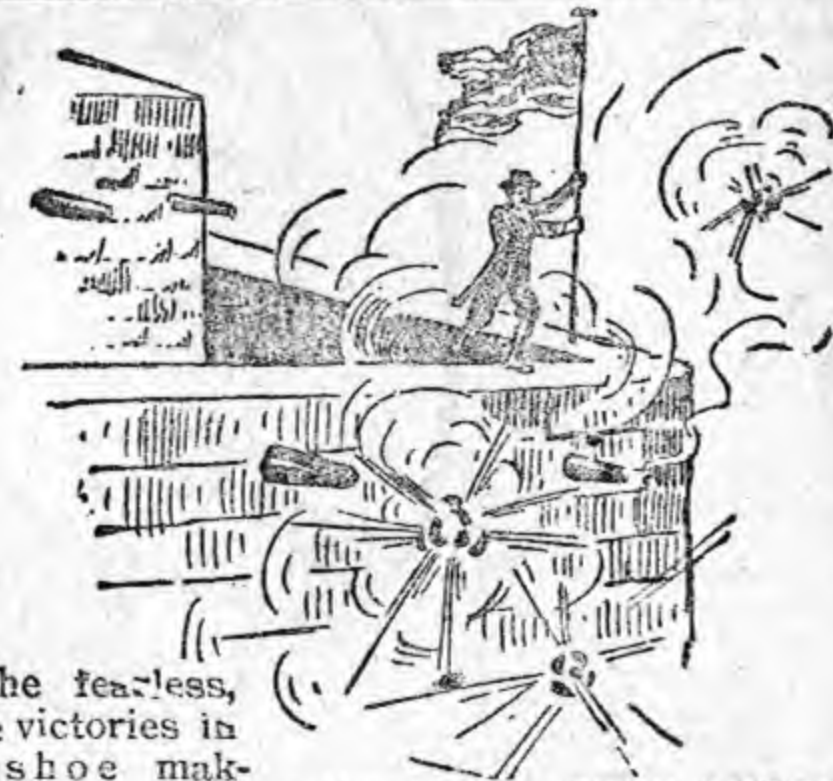
Does all Kinds of Dental Work very Satisfactory.

FARMERS

Are you in debt? If so, call and see J. A. Moulter, at Plymouth, Indiana, he has from \$5,000 to \$30,000 to buy equities on Marshall and Starke counties farms.

A. Moulter, Plymouth, Ind.

The Fortunes of War



go to the brave, the aggressive, the fearless, the daring. The victories in



shoe making and shoe selling go to SELZ SHOES because they have the same qualities of sterling worth that go to make up the victorious soldier or sailor. Aggressively honest they fear no foe and have won the friendship of more feet than any other shoes. It costs nothing extra to wear a SELZ although you get lots of extra wear out of them.

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BIG SPECIAL Clothing = Offer!

The Entire Kuhn Stock of Clothing and Furnishings at Fifty Cents on the Dollar.

Having assumed control of the Clothing and Furnishing Goods Stock of J. C. Kuhn and Son at about 40 cents on the dollar, I am in a position to make you prices that come once in a lifetime. I do not intend to keep the stock, as I have plenty of work on my hands without embarking in the clothing business, but want to close out the entire stock in bulk or at retail. Any person wishing to go into the clothing business can get a great bargain of us. Stock and Fixtures will be sold at a tremendous sacrifice. If we cannot find a buyer for all the stock, we will proceed to close it out at retail as quick as it can be done.

SOME DRY GOODS SPECIALS

This department will not be neglected, but we will give you many a bargain in the Dry Goods line. We have the greatest line of Wash Goods and White Goods to be found in the county, at last season's prices. Look at these prices:

34-inch French Gingham, worth 15c. at 10c. 34 inch Fine French Madras Gingham, value 15c. at 10 cents.
Crash you can't buy them as low at 3, 5, 10c. 50 inch Homespun All-Wool suitings at 79c. shirt Waists-largest line of 1900 styles at 50

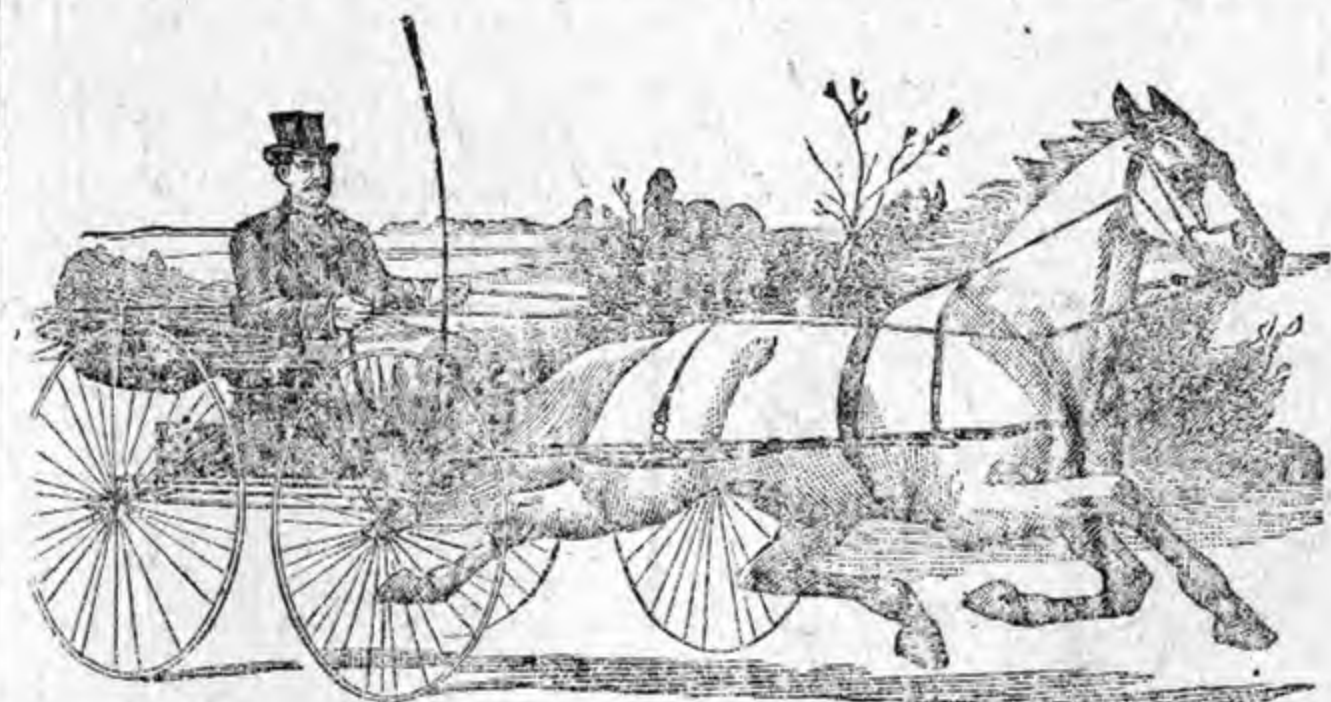
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Culver,

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WILD DAY FOR WIND.

FOURTEEN TORNADOES SWEEP OVER KANSAS.

Many Prairie Counties Are Visited—Breaking Up of Hurricane Center Reduces Force of the Wind—Small Loss of Life Results.

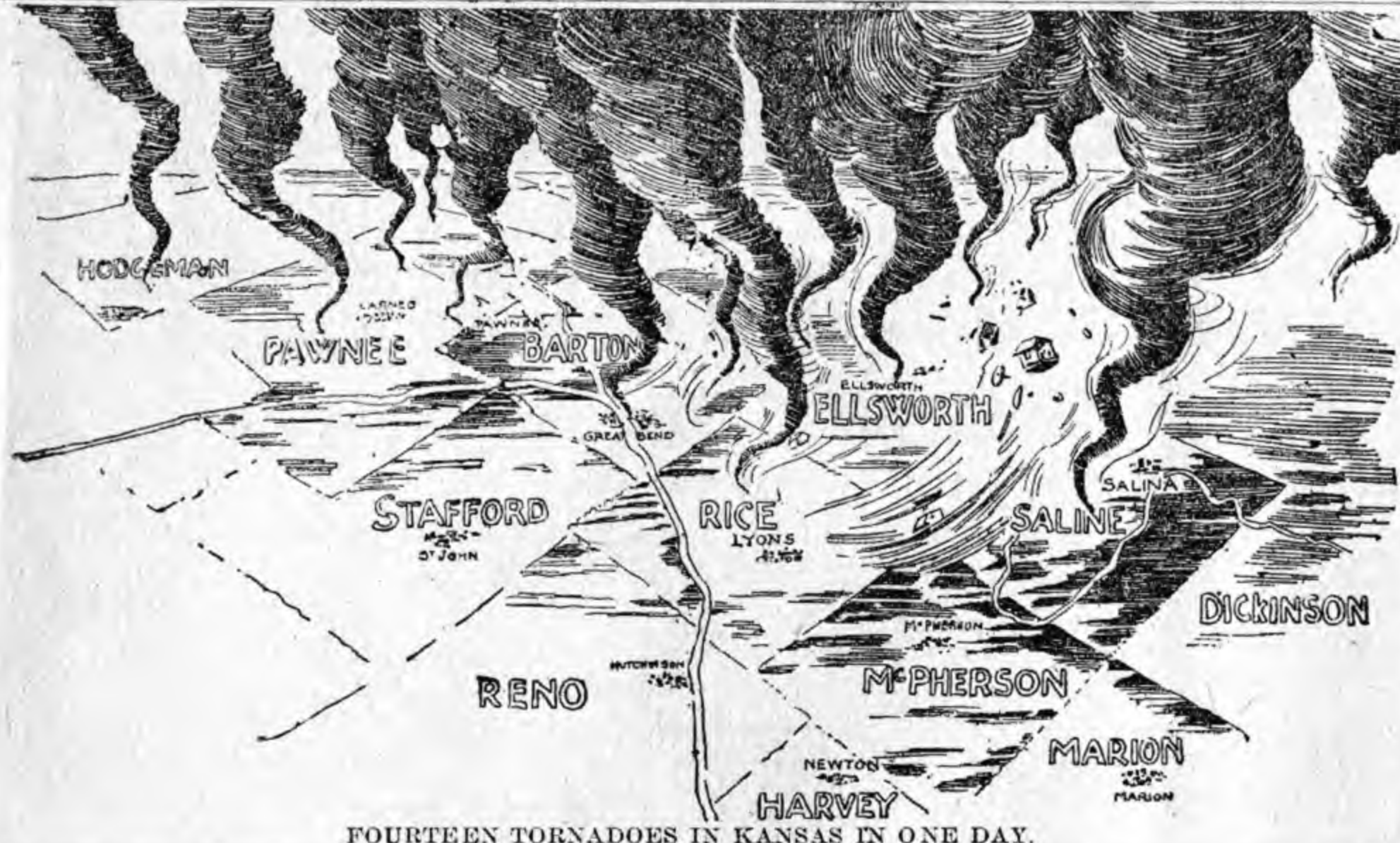
This season Kansas has had fourteen tornadoes in one day. This beats all records in the tornado line, even in Kansas. According to weather forecasters, however, the unusual number of these storms is precisely the thing that prevented the most wholesale destruction of life and property that ever visited the State. Originally it is believed that one great tornado was formed and that almost at once it split up into subdivisions. This segregation reduced the force of the wind, so that only two people were killed by the storms and twenty injured. A great deal of damage was done to crops and many cattle and horses were killed. Over the whole Southwest as far as Texas the storm wave spread, and as far as human prescience could discover, conditions in that section of the country were never so favorable for great loss of life and property. For some mysterious reason the storm wave widened and the strength was reduced by 50 per cent or more.

The first storm formed in the neighborhood of St. Peter and Paul's Church, five miles north of Ellinwood, Kan., at 5 o'clock Sunday afternoon, destroying one house completely and damaging several other farm houses and outbuildings. Almost simultaneously another tornado formed about four miles east of Great Bend and, moving in a northeasterly direction, demolished fences and barns and killed considerable live stock. Here a farm house and building were demolished, but the family escaped. Another storm at about the same time struck near Pawnee Rock, thirteen miles southeast of Great Bend, and wrecked several buildings and destroyed crops. Considerable damage, with no loss of life, is also reported at and near Claflin, in the northeast part of Barton County, and at Fredrick, in the western part of Rice County. Rain and hail following the storm did great damage to crops in some localities.

VISIT THE PRESIDENT.

Boer Peace Envoys Are Received at the White House.

Messrs. Fischer, Wessels and Wolmarans, the three Boer envoys, who are now in this country, visited the White House Tuesday morning, according to previous arrangement, to pay their respects to the President. No official stat-



FOURTEEN TORNADOES IN KANSAS IN ONE DAY.

was given the visitors and they presented no credentials.

The envoys were received in the blue parlor, no one being present but themselves, the President and Secretary Cortelyou. At first the conversation touched upon a variety of subjects. The Boers talked about Washington; told how they admired the city and the President escorted them to the porch at the rear of the executive mansion, where a splendid view is obtainable of the Washington monument and the Potomac river. President Kruger's name finally was mentioned and the visitors then stated their purpose in coming to this country. They said they understood that what Secretary Hay had told them was final and that the position of the United States was that this country could not interfere in the present struggle in South Africa. The President confirmed this view. He said that the action he took some time ago



PEACE ENVOYS FROM THE SOUTH AFRICAN REPUBLIC.

he did with great pleasure in the hope that it might possibly bring the conflict to an end. This offer had been declined by Great Britain, and, he said, there was nothing further that the United States could do in the premises.

CUBAN POSTAL OFFICERS.



MAJOR RATHBONE,
Director of Ports.



POSTMASTER THOMPSON,
Of Havana.

BISHOPS ARE CHOSEN.

Methodists Elect David H. Moore and J. W. Hamilton.

Dr. David H. Moore of Cincinnati, editor of the Western Christian Advocate, and the Rev. John W. Hamilton, also of Cincinnati, corresponding secretary of the Freedmen's Aid and Southern Education Society, were chosen bishops of the Methodist Episcopal Church on the seventeenth ballot at the general conference in Chicago Tuesday. The balloting was: Total number of votes, 665; necessary to choice, 444; D. H. Moore, 534; J. W. Hamilton, 510; J. R. Day, 104; H. Spell-



DR. HAMILTON. REV. MOORE.

meyer, 71; T. B. Neely, 41; J. F. Berry, 22; C. J. Little, 13; scattering, 23. By an overwhelming vote the general conference on Wednesday decided to abolish the pastoral time limit, by which a minister has been able to remain in one charge not longer than five successive years. This one of the fundamental laws of the denomination and one of the principal features of the itinerant ministry is laid aside, and preachers may remain in places as long as the bishops appoint them.

FACTS ABOUT THE CENSUS.

When the young man with the winning smile rings the door bell and announces that he is a census enumerator, if you have the slightest hesitancy in accepting his word for that fact, just ask him to show you his badge. If he is really Uncle Sam's agent he will unbutton his coat and display a silver badge just like that shown in our illustration. This confers upon him all the powers of an officer of the United States Government, and as such he is entitled to all due respect. When his labors are over Uncle Sam generously is going to allow him to keep the emblem of his authority as a souvenir.



CENSUS BADGE.

The director of the census will make an effort to obtain exact returns from every gin and press in the South of the number of bales of cotton they handle during the present season. No gin is too small or insignificant to be overlooked, and the information sought is so important to the Southern people that the enumerators and special agents anticipate their helpful cooperation. The work will begin on the

SOUTH AFRICAN WAR

FIELD OF OPERATIONS FAST NARROWING DOWN.

Lord Roberts Gradually Crowding the Boers Into Their Last Ditch—Burgher Leaders Declare They Will Fight to the Death.

The relief of Mafeking, effected by the British, is the most important feature of the South African war since the siege of Ladysmith was raised. The relief of the town narrows down the field of operations to a great extent. The British from all sides are now closing in on the Boers, Johannesburg and Pretoria being the objective points. Gen. Roberts in moving north from Kroonstadt is practically covering a front of forty miles. Including the column of Methuen on his left and that of Brodhead and Rundle on his right, he is covering a front of more than a hundred miles. Methuen is probably advancing from Hoopstad along the Vaal so as to keep in touch with French on the Rhenoster river, and at the same time threaten Klerksdorp. Occupying this long front, Roberts is moving toward three crossings of the Vaal river, his center marching along the railroad toward the crossing at Vereeniging on the direct road to Johannesburg, his right toward Villiersdorp, and his left toward Reitzburg.

With this formidable force in front overlapping their flanks and pressing them relentlessly back, the small Boer army is threatened by the movement from upper Natal as well as by the movement from Mafeking on the west. Under such conditions the only course left open to the republican army is an orderly retreat to a point of concentration like Johannesburg or Pretoria. From a strictly military standpoint a battle at either place is in the nature of a useless sacrifice. Any other nation, even though it had the strength of Germany or France, would make peace at the frontier. But the Boers are not like any other nation. They are fighting for their institutions and their country, and they are not controlled by the views that obtain among military men or statesmen of Europe.

The conditions of battle on the Transvaal frontier, it must be remembered, are not like those that have prevailed in any other great war. Where armies are of about the same strength, and where the field of operations is large, an enemy may be attacked and defeated in detail. There is little chance for this in the Orange Free State. There will be less in the Transvaal. The circumstances, the narrowing field of activity, the great strength and mobility of the British army compel the Boers to a strictly defensive campaign. They cannot detach commands, as could the generals in our civil war, to surprise an enemy on the flank or to crush an isolated division.

Practically, there are no isolated divisions in the British army. Gen. Roberts is moving his several army corps on converging lines on positions of vital importance to the Boers. The latter cannot exhaust themselves in fruitless endeavors to stay the march; they cannot permit themselves to be diverted by threatening movement in one quarter while their lines are broken in another. Under the circumstances they are following military precedent, and acting on approved principles of strategy in retiring to a position where to give battle will be to advance their own cause and not to weaken it.

It is not known where the Boers will make their stand against Lord Roberts nor how strenuously they will defend Pretoria. Their leaders say that when Pretoria falls the Boers will retreat to the mountains and continue to fight while life lasts. The Boer envoys in this country having failed in their mission to induce the United States to intervene in behalf of the republics, the Boers have now only two alternatives, that of surrender or of fighting to the last ditch. According to the envoys the latter will be their choice. The envoys were told by Secretary of State Hay that this Government could not intervene in behalf of the republics.

CUBAN CUSTOMS NEXT.

Service Is Said to Be Honeycombed with Fraud.

A special from Washington says that an explosion in the Cuban customs service is threatened, which promises revelations as scandalous as the disclosures in connection with the postal service. An official of the customs service, who has just returned to New York from Havana, brings information that the customs service there is honeycombed with fraud and corruption, and the employees interested are trembling in fear of investigation. It is declared that investigation will show that through lax business methods and incompetent and unscrupulous employees, thousands of dollars have been diverted from legitimate channels into the pockets of dishonest officials and their accomplices. Disbursements of sums ranging from \$100 to \$10,000 have been made to persons who have not performed any service whatever, it is said, and in many instances without the formality of presenting vouchers.

The Assistant Secretary of War estimates that it will take about a month to complete the investigation started in Cuba. The fact that the customs service is to be included in the inquiry will increase the task and lengthen the time. The official announcement that this department is under suspicion confirms the rumors which have been current in Washington for some time.

Told in a Few Lines.

Independent steel manufacturers are cutting prices.

Plague has claimed seventy-three victims at Snyder, N. S. W.

Hanover bank, New York, will increase its capital from \$1,000,000 to \$3,000,000.

How Much You Eat

Is not the question, but how much you digest, because food does good only when it is digested and assimilated, taken up by the blood and made into muscle, nerve, bone and tissue. Hood's Sarsaparilla restores to the stomach its powers of digestion. Then appetite is natural and healthy, and dyspepsia is gone.

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Hood's Sarsaparilla

Is America's Greatest Blood Medicine.

Sour Grapes.

Nell—No girl could have refused him if he had proposed to her as sweetly as he did to me.

Bess—Well, he ought to have it down fine by this time. Practice, you know, makes perfect.

Try Grain-O! Try Grain-O!

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

To Scare the Wolf.

"Ah, yes!" sighed the artist, "I am compelled to paint to keep the wolf from the door."

"Oh," exclaimed the critic, "then you are going to hang the picture outside, are you?"

Ask Your Dealer for Allen's Foot-Ease. A powder to shake into your shoes. It rests the feet. Cures Corns, Bunions, Swollen, Sore, Hot, Callous, Aching, Sweating feet and Ingrowing Nails. Allen's Foot-Ease makes new or tight shoes easy. Sold by all druggists and shoe stores, 25c. Sample mailed FREE. Address Allen S. Olmsted, Le Roy, N. Y.

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Sufferers from piles! Go and do likewise! Buy and try Cascarets to-day! It's what they do, not what we say they'll do, that proves their merit. They make the liver lively, the bowels regular, the blood pure. All druggists, 10c, 25c, or 50c, or mailed for price. Send for booklet and free sample. Address Sterling Remedy Co., Chicago; Montreal, Can.; New York.

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The Pinkham Remedies

For disorders of the feminine organs have gained their great renown and enormous sale because of the permanent good they have done and are doing for the women of this country.

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Mrs. Pinkham counsels women free of charge. Her address is Lynn, Mass. The advice she gives is practical and honest. You can write freely to her; she is a woman.

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"Miss Quickstep had miserable health until she became engaged to be married, and then she grew as strong and vigorous as anybody."

"She accounts for it on the theory that the love microbe drove all the others out of her system."—Chicago Tribune.

What Do the Children Drink?

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

Cases Alter Circumstances.

Maude—Would you marry a man you didn't love?

Clara—No, indeed!

Maude—But suppose he had a million?

Clara—Oh, then I'd love him.

Very Low Rates.

The B., C. R. & N. Ry. will make very low rates to Sioux Falls, S. D., for the A. O. U. W. meeting in June.

Call on your ticket agent for rates, limits, etc., and see that your tickets read via this line.

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"What," she asked the man who had written a famous poem, "is your greatest pleasure in life?"

"Getting others to understand what a miserable lot they are," he replied through his tears.

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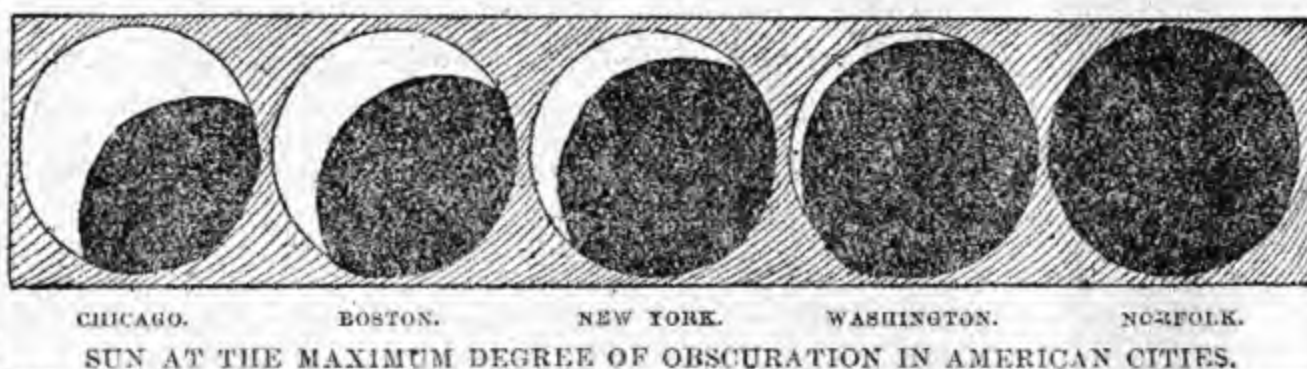
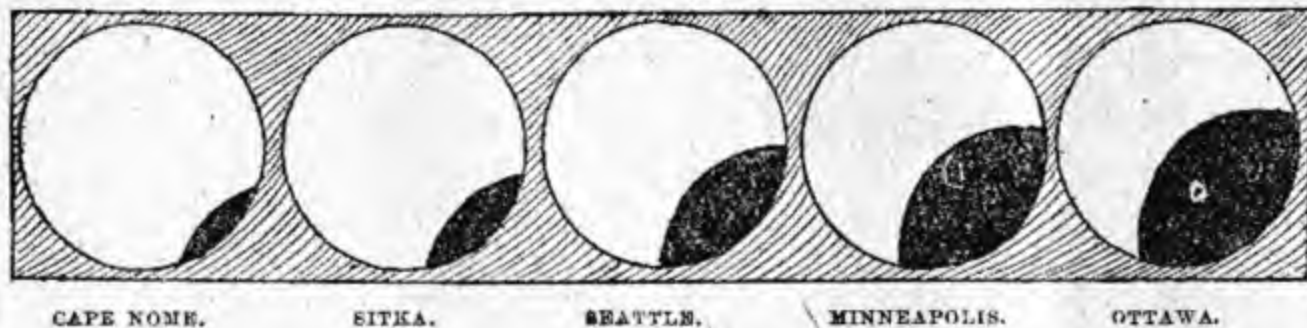
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ECLIPSE OF THE SUN.

MILLIONS OF AMERICANS OBSERVE THE PHENOMENON.

Clear Weather Along the Path of Total Obscuration—Government Observers Are Greatly Gratified at Results Obtained—Many Photographs Taken.

The eclipse of the sun Monday morning was visible to many millions of the inhabitants of the North American, European and African continents, being total in this country in portions of the States of Louisiana, Alabama, Georgia, North and South Carolina and Virginia. Its entire duration was five hours and twenty-three minutes; its totality began in the Pacific ocean, 1,000 miles nearly due west of the City of Mexico, and ended 300 miles south of Cairo, Egypt, near the shore of the Red sea, and the speed of the moon's shadow passing from west to east was 2,500 miles an hour. The total eclipse was observed over a moving belt forty-five miles broad extending from New Orleans to Norfolk, Va., and besides the cities of New Orleans, Mobile,



Montgomery, Raleigh and Norfolk, the path of darkness included thirty other towns, which are large enough to have their names on the map.

It will not be until 1948 that the people of the United States have the opportunity of observing another total eclipse. It has been eleven years since a similar event was witnessed, but the advancement of astronomical science and the marvelous improvements in telescopes, photograph and electrical appliances insured more complete observations than ever before known.

The United States Government and all great educational institutions made elaborate and costly preparations to get the best possible observations and millions of dollars were expended in this way. Astronomical parties were established at Pinehurst, N. C., Barnesville, Ga., and Tripoli, North Africa. In addition to these the War and Navy Departments sent out parties, while the leading universities and colleges of the country had astronomers on the ground. The Mexican governments had observations made at the National University in the City of Mexico. European astronomers chose the Siberian peninsula and the northernmost coast of Africa as the places for taking the best observations. The British Government expedition, under the direction of Sir Norman Lockyer of the Royal Observatory, was stationed at Alicante; the Dublin University party, which numbered some of the foremost British astronomers, viewed the eclipse from a point near the Spanish post of Plazencia; the Portuguese Government granted special facilities to foreign astronomers desiring to view the eclipse from points in that country, all the resources of the Royal Observatory at Lisbon being placed at their disposal.

Interest in Study of Corona. While great interest attached to the eclipse itself, the object of the astronomers composing the "eclipse expeditions" from all parts of the country was not alone to observe the passing of the moon before the sun, but the study of the corona. This particular branch of the many phenomena generally attending an eclipse, has always been an unsolvable problem. It is the belief of many astronomers that the corona is a product of the sun and has nothing to do with the earth or moon as formerly suspected.

To the accurate observation of this paramount feature of the eclipse every appliance of the instrument makers' art, combined with the astronomer's knowledge, was directed in the hope of reaching a solution of his "philosopher's stone," generally speaking. The observations taken by the astronomers were confined to three separate lines of work—the old method of telescopic observations, viewing of the eclipse with the naked eye and the photographing of the phenomena of the eclipse.

The eclipse furnished a beautiful sight, and all the observers unite in pronouncing the conditions perfect. Prof. Barnard, of Yerkes observatory stated that the totality period was slightly shorter than calculated, which proved the moon tables to be slightly incorrect. All the principal work was photographed and the program completely carried out. Many photographs were taken by all the parties at intervals, and especially of the corona. Telescopes were used in trying to discover more satellites between the sun and the planet Mercury.

WILL FLEECE THE VISITORS.

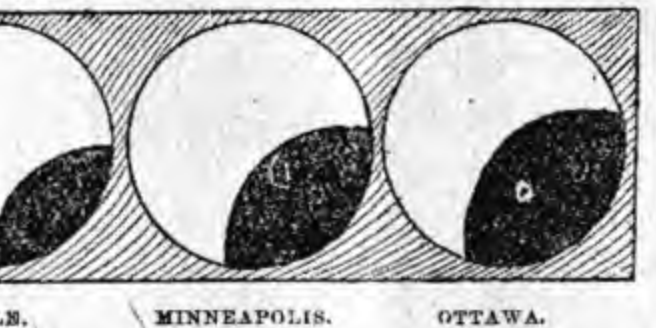
Hotel Rates in Philadelphia and Kansas City to Be Doubled.

Unless stricken with premature remorse, a Philadelphia correspondent says, there is every indication that the hotelkeepers of the city will fleece the delegates, politicians and other visitors who attend the Republican national convention. In nearly every instance the hotels of Philadelphia, to start with, have doubled the per diem rate. Rooms that ordinarily rent for \$2 a man will rent for \$4 a man. Rooms that rent for \$3 will rent during the convention at \$6. But this is only a starter. Those rooms generally are let to one person. During the convention a single room will be expected to accommodate two or three persons and a double room four or five. The result is that rooms that now are given for \$2 and \$3 a day will be expected during the convention to bring from \$18 to \$20 a day.

Suites, consisting of parlor, bedroom and bath, will cost from \$40 to \$75 a day, according to location, and many of the hotels are already full, every room being booked and these hotels are sending applicants to lodging and apartment houses, charging the regular hotel rates.

Reports from Kansas City convey the information that little better may be expected there during the Democratic convention. The hotel accommodations are not of the best and unquestionably some of the hotels will ask unusual, perhaps extortionate, rates. Even at the best hotels during the convention, instead of one person occupying a room, as many persons will be assigned to each room as can be accommodated. This may be three, four or five.

The allegation that there is to be a four-day minimum in hotel rates for the convention—that one must pay for four



days, whether he is there that long or not—has only the shadow of foundation. Most of the delegations which have contracted for rooms at the big hotels have contracted for July 2, 3, 4 and 5. These will pay for four days, no matter if the convention finishes up the first day. Hundreds of homes in Kansas City will open their doors to convention visitors.

CURRENT COMMENT

Ten years ago the St. Louis directory contained 155,429 names. This year the number is 220,265—an increase of nearly 50 per cent.

Statistics of the criminal population of the United States show that only 6 per cent of the total number of criminals are women.

There were 91,323,260 pounds of oleomargarine made in this country in the past twelve months.

The Argentine Government has sent fifty young men from the different provinces to be educated in the agricultural schools of the United States.

The seventeen-year locusts are about due. Myriads of them may be expected early next month. They will keep the air alive with their singing.

It will cost the Government nearly \$15,000 to purchase the paper with which to manufacture the extra money provided for by the currency law, in the way of additional national bank circulation.

Smallpox was practically stamped out in this country, before the Spanish war. Now there have been 7,267 cases, with 402 deaths from the disease, in the United States during the past three months and a half.

Farmers in the vicinity of Wichita are arranging to attend the Democratic convention in Kansas City in caravans. There will probably be a train of 100 wagons. They will leave their farms a week before the convention.

There was shipped to the United States from the Dutch colonies coffee to the value of \$427,000 in 1897, \$307,000 in 1898, and \$440,000 in 1899, and a smaller but still considerable item of Dutch exportation is to be found in cocoa.

Efforts are being made in St. Paul and Minneapolis, Minn., supplemented by friends in California, to raise a fund to pay off a mortgage on the home of the widow of Maj. M. C. Wilkinson. Maj. Wilkinson was killed in the Indian outbreak at Leech Lake, Minn., in October, 1898.

Naval experts say that the fortifications of the Dardanelles are equipped with modern guns of a very formidable character. Although a single warship would probably suffer severely if it attempted to make the passage to Constantinople, it is likely that a fleet of warships could slip through without being very seriously disabled.

No Danger of Investigation.

"Aren't you afraid to put that Latin title in your club paper when you don't know what it means, Josephine?"

"No; it will mystify all the other women more than it does me."—Detroit Free Press.

Sleep Changes the Verdict.

A jury recently agreed upon a verdict, sealed it and went home. After sleeping over it, they disagreed. This shows the power of sleep to strengthen the mind. Those who are troubled with insomnia or stomach disorders should try Hostetter's Stomach Bitters. It puts the stomach in good condition and induces sound sleep.

His View of It.

She—I think it's a shame that so many of our society women are going on the stage.

He—Oh, I don't know. A woman isn't to blame for trying to get up in the world.

Lane's Family Medicine

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

Connubial Calorics.

Yorkrode—I see they have a new cure for rheumatism. They roast the patient.

Towson—My wife must think I have it.—Baltimore American.

Piso's Cure for Consumption is an infallible medicine for coughs and colds.—N. W. Samuel, Ocean Grove, N. J., Feb. 17, 1900.

Gorgeous Badge of London's Mayor. The Lord Mayor of London wears a badge of office which contains diamonds valued at \$600,000.

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Is taken internally. Price 75 cents.

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VITALITY low, debilitated or exhausted cured by Dr. Kline's Invigorating Tonic. FREE \$1 Trial Bottle containing 2 weeks' treatment. Dr. Kline's Institute, 361 Arch Street, Philadelphia. Founded 1871.

If a girl can't sing and will sing she should be muzzled.

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New line via Rockford, Dubuque, Waterloo, Fort Dodge and Council Bluffs. Buffet-laboratory-smoking-cars, sleeping cars, free reclining chair cars, dining cars. Send to the undersigned for a free copy of Pictures and Notes En-Route illustrating this new line as seen from the car window. Tickets of agents of I. C. R. R. and connecting lines. A. H. HANSON, G. P. A., Chicago.

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Perhaps you have already discovered that powders and washes will not cure these eruptions on your face. They may cover up and suppress, but they cannot remove. Rashes, boils, salt-rheum, shingles, hives, eczema, tetter, etc., are but surface indications of a deeper trouble. And

That's Bad Blood

The question for you now is,—how to make bad blood good blood; how to get rid of all these impurities in your system. Everybody knows the answer,—a perfect Sarsaparilla. No ordinary Sarsaparilla, such as you can buy at almost any store, will answer; it must be a perfect one. There is such a Sarsaparilla, and it differs widely in every way from all other Sarsaparillas.

That's AYER'S

"The only Sarsaparilla made under the personal supervision of three graduates: a graduate in pharmacy, a graduate in chemistry, and a graduate in medicine."

\$1.00 a bottle. All druggists.

"I had frequent and most painful boils. I was treated by a number of physicians, but they did me no good. I tried many kinds of patent medicines, but without effect; but when I tried Ayer's Sarsaparilla I got hold of the right thing, for I was soon completely cured."—R. P. CROUSE, Attica, N. Y.

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FACTORY LOADED SHOTGUN SHELLS
"New Rival," "Leader," and "Repeater"
Insist upon having them, take no others and you will get the best shells that money can buy.
ALL DEALERS KEEP THEM.

