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MEMORIAL DAY.

Appropriate Exercises to be Held at Stephen's Grove.

Memorial Day, will as usual, be appropriately obseved by the G. A. R. and citizens of Genoa on next Wednes- They Endorse Hunt for the Senate Friday evening, June 1, 1894, at Crawday afternoon, commencing at 1:30

The procession will form in front of G. A. R. hall, and will be compsoed as follows:

Genoa Brass Band.

School children under the supervision of teachers, in charge of G. H.

Grand Army of the Republic. Other Civic Societies.

Citizens on foot and in carriages. The line of march will be to Stephen's grove, where exercises of memor-

ial nature will be held. The program will be as follows.

Music.....

Address.....Temperance Baldwin, Memorial Address, Rev. W. H. How-

At the conclusion of the program the procession will reform and march credentials was read and there being to the cemetery where the loving task no contests the report of the commitof decorating the graves of our soldier | tee was accepted. dead will be preformed and other exercises of a memorial nature will be tion was made permanent.

of our soldiers for were they not delegates for the several conventions, success from the first. Generally it among the best and bravest of the The successful nominee for senator takes time to mark inequalities and whole army, famous among friends selecting his own delegates. and foe for their bravery and triumphs. Hon. Isaac Elwood put in nomina-What act more loving and tender to tion D. D. Hunt, of DeKalb, for state tion But so careful has been the their memory can we do than in see- senator. He paid a pleasing tribute to ing that their graves are kept fresh Hon. Fuller, of Kirkland. and bright, with the fragrance of of sweet flowers.

Then let everyone who has flowers tion. or can procure them do this little act of sweet remembrance for them that sponded in a few effective words his work of the Opera Company has re-

Republican Caucus.

At the caucus held last Saturday R. J. Holcomb was the successful candidate in the contest for the delegations instruction for sheriff, he receiving 98 votes, against 34 for Becker and 22 for Beers. J. W. Foster for treasurer and Chas, Preston for coroner received the support of the delegation. The delegation was instructed for A. J. Hopkins, for congress and D. D. Hunt for the state senate. The following delegates were appointed. D. S. Brown, H. H. Slater, Jas. Stott, A. M. Hill and G. E. Sisley.

Owing to the absence of chairman Hollembeak of the town central comcaucus was called to order by G. E. Sisley member of the committee. K. Jackman was elected chairman and Ira. J. Brown, Secretary.

Persons who sympathize with the affleted will rejoice with D. E. Carr of for his nomination. 1245 Harrison street, Kansas City. rheumatism, but has not heretofore Sandwich. been troubled in this climate. Last winter he went into Wisconsia, and in like duty for R. J. Holcomb, of Sycaconsequence has had another attack. more. "It came upon me very acute and severe," he said. "My joints swelled A. Becker. and became inflamed; sore to touch or almost to look at. Upon the urgent request of my mother-in-law I tried Chamberlain's Pain Balm to reduce comb 24, Becker 31. the swelling and ease the pain, and to On the third ballot Holcomb's name my agreeable surprise, it did both. I was withdrawn from the convention. have used three fifty cent bottles and believe it to be the finest thing for The nomination was then made unanirheumatism, pains and swellings mous. extant. For sale by F. T. Robinson druggist.

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As a remedy for all forms of Head- mously nominated. ache Electric Bitters has proven the very best. It effects a cure and the convention for coroner and the first most dreaded habitual sick headache bollot resulted in the election of Potyields to its influence. We urge all ter, he receiving 62 votes and Preston who are afflicted to procure a bottle, 25, balance scattering. and give this remedy a trial. In cases of habitual constipation Electric Bitters cures by giving the needed tonic to the bowels, and few cases long resist the use of this medicine. Try it once. Large bottles only fifty cents at F. T. Robinson's drug store.

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SELECT A STRONG TICKET

DEKALB COUNTY REPUBLICANS DO THEIR WORK WELL.

Hopkins for Congress and Atkins for Treas.

The Republican County Convention was called to order by J. B. Stevens chairman of the County central com-

ted temporary secretaries.

On motion the chair appointed H. Male Quartet. of Paw Paw, a committee on credenti- Male Quartet,...

On motion a committee was appoin Hill, and Jas. Fals, on resolutions.

On motion the covention adjourned to meet at 1:30 p. m. At 1:30 p. m. chairman Graham called the conven-Music.....[ard.] tion to order,

The report of the committee on

On motion the chairman of each We have special reasons to be proud delegation was instructed to select first-class organizations start in with

unamious endorsement of the conven-

ment given him.

in nomination as county judge and on Company, "Tribune" says, "The enmotion his nomination was made by semble has steadily gained in excellacclamation.

thanked the people of DeKalb Co. for carried forward with the most agreehis unanimous endorsement.

J. D. Pierce placed in nomination nomination was also made unanimous. the nomination were well received.

A. L. Wells, of Shabbona for treasurer. | marked degree. W. W. Cole, of Kingston, placed in nomination J. W. Foster, of Kingston, Hussar', the second comic opera of

in a very original speech. unanimous.

Capt. Shafter was placed on nomin-He is an old suffer from inflammatory ation for sheriff by Bert Castle, of the entire strength of the superb

Mr. Byers placed in nomination, J.

The first ballot resulted, Shafter 47,

Holcomb 38, Becker 25, The second ballot, Shafter, 55; Hol-

Shafter receiving 76 and Becker 34.

H. T. Smith, of Sycamore, nominated L. M. Gross, for county superintendent of schools and he was unani-

Five candidates were sprung on the

It went through with a whoop. There was'nt a single contest in the whole convention.

A kind of mechanical movement prevaded the convention. It was nearly a unanimous conven-

But there was plenty of enthusiasm governorship. floating around.

The ticket is a strong one and will receive the full vote of the county. The caucuses of Saturday virtually settled the queston, hence the quick

work of the convention.

THE COMMENCEMENT.

Exercises to be Held at Crawford's Hall, Friday, June 1st.

The tenth annual commencement of the Genoa High School will take place ford's Hall commencing at 8 o'clock. The following programme will be ren-

mittee.
S. L. Graham of DeKaib was elected temporary chairman and F. O.

Male Quartet.

Messrs. Plerce, Overaker, Howard, and Robinson Oration, "A Vision of Ambition."

Lizzie McCormick. "Friendship, C. Whittemore, of Sycamore, Jas.
Pierce, of Malta, and Frank Hampton

Oration, May I. Pierce.

Oration, Evangelical Advantages,

Nora M. Reed. Fred S. Abraham.

Oration and Valedictory.

> To defray expenses an admission fee of 15c will be charged, no reserved In Table Linens seats, doors open at 7 o'clock.

Schiller Theatre.

The public appreciation won by the Schiller Comic Opera Company of the Schiller Theatre, is something unprecedented in the successes achieved by similar organizations in Chicago.

It is scarcely ever the case that even adjust difficulties to bring about a well balanced and smooth organizadiscrimination with which the Schiller Opera Company has been created, On motion Mr. Hunt received the that ever from the first performance of the "Beggar Student," which is continued at the Schiller Theatre Mr. Hunt was called for and re- throughout the present week, the gave up their lives for their country. gratitude for the unanimous endorse- ceived general public approval, and highest praise from critical directions. G. F. Dutton placed Chas. A. Bishop In speaking of the Schiller Opera ence and evenness of balance and the Judge Bishop in response to a call performances of the week have been able results." The "Hearld" says; "The Opera Company is not only A. S. Kinsloe for county clerk and his popular, but its representation of the "Beggar Student" has been a signal His remarks on his acceptance of success. From the first performance the reception of the comic opera has W. Jackman placed in nomination been generally appreciated in a Next Sunday evening the "Black

the summer series will begin.

On the first ballot Capt. Wells re- It is a very popular work, delightfully ceived 67 votes and Capt. Foster 43. melodius, and will be presented with On motion the nomination was made artistic excellence and effects of brilliant spetacle as have made the produc-Capt Wells thanked the convention | tion of the Beggar Student such an immediate and remarkable success. The casts includes all the stars and Schiller Company. In it are strong H. H. Carnes, of Sycamore, did a parts for the favorite prima donna, Agnes Delaporte; the vivacious and musically accomplished Jane Stuart. who as the soubrette of the Beggar Student has literally caught the fancy and won the applause of the large and critical audiences that have crowded the Schiller nightly last week. Wm. Wolf, the favorite basso comedian who has an immensely funny part in "Hackenback." the magistrate; Aldrich Libbey, the famous baritone, who sustained the dashing character of "Von Helcert" Colonel of the Black Hussar, etc., etc. Scenically the "Black Hussar" will be put upon the stage with the same degree of charming picturesque effect, handsome stag-ing and lavish and brilliant accessories, which has characterized the "Beg-

CONVENTION NOTES.

The county press was well represented by VanGalder and Hix, Sycamore; Fay, DeKalb; Ray, Shabbona; M. B. and A. Castle and Deacca, Sandwich; Lander, Malta; Fahs, Hinckly; Sisley, Genoa

A number of Genoaites attended the convention.

Senator Hunt selected the delegates in favor of himself to the senatorial Wm. McKinley's name for presi-

denet created considerable enthusiasm as did congressman Hopkin's for the

Harmony reigned supreme.

Halcomb will make a good deputy

Kinsloe's speech of acceptance was an unusually good one. He has the proper timber for a successful stump

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The Joy of a Reunited Family After Prolonged Separation.

If We Expect to Meet Our Families in the World to Come We Must All Follow the Same Road-Which Shall It Be?

Rev. T. De Witt Talmage delivered the following sermon in Little Rock, Ark., on the subject of "Recovered Families," taking for his text:

Then David and the people that were with him lifted up their voice and wept. until they had no more power to weep. * * * David recovered all.—I. Samuel xx., 4. 19.

There is intense excitement in the village of Ziklag. David and his men are bidding good-by to their families, and are off for the wars. In that little village of Ziklag the defenseless ones will be safe until the warriors, flushed with victory, come home. But will the defenseless ones be safe? The soft arms of children are around the necks of the bronzed warriors until they shake themselves free and start, and handkerchiefs and flags are waved and kisses thrown until the armed men vanish beyond the hills. David and are families you represent broken his men soon get through with up. No battering ram smote in their campaign and start homeward. Every night on their way home, no sooner does the soldier put his head on the knapsack than in his dreams he hears the welcome of the wife and the shout of the child. Oh, what long stories they will have to tell their families, of how they dodged the battle ax! and then will roll up their sleeve and show the half-healed wound. with glad, quick step, they morch on, David and his men, for they are marching home. Now they come up to the last hill which overlooks Ziklag, and they expect in moment to see the dwe the dwelling places of their loved ones. They look, and as they look their cheek turns pale, and their lip quivers, and their hand involuntarily comes down on the hilt of the sword. "Where is Ziklag? Where are our homes?" they cry. Alas! the curling smoke above the ruin tell the tragedy. The Amalekites have come down and consumed the village, and carried the mothers and the wives and the children of David and his men into captivity. The swarthy warriors stand for a few moments transfixed with horror. Then their eyes glance to each other, and they burst into uncontrollable weeping; for when a strong warrior weeps the grief is appalling. It seems as if the emotion might tear him to pieces. They "wept until they had no more power to weep." But soon their sorrow turns into rage, and David, swinging his sword high in air, cries: "Pursue, for thou shalt overtake them, and without fail recover all." Now the march becomes a "double-quick." Two hundred of David's men stop by the brook Besor, faint with fatigue and grief. They can not go a step farther. They are left alone. But the other four hundred men under David, with a sort of panther step, march on in sorrow and in rage. They find by the side of the road a half-dead Egyptian, and they resuscitate him and compel him to tell the whole story. He says: "Yonder, they went, the captors and the captives," pointing in the direction. Forward, ye four hundred brave men of fire! Very soon David and his enraged company come upon the Amalekitish host. Yonder they own home. With hands joined, amidst see their own wives and children and a congratulatory audience, the vows Yonder they mothers, and under Amalekitish guard. were taken. In three days from that hushed to sleep in your arms. There Here are officers of the Amalekitish | time one of those who stood at the | they are, their brow more radiant than army holding a banquet. The cups are full, the music is roused, the dance begins. The Amalekitish host cheer and cheer and cheer over their victory. But, without note of bugle or warning of trumpet, David and his four hundred men burst upon the scene. David and his men look up, and one glance at their loved ones in captivity and under Amalekitish guard throws them into a very fury of determination; for you know how men will fight when they fight for their wives and children. Ah! there are lightnings in their eye. and every finger is a spear, and their voice is like the shout of the whirlwind! Amidst the upset tankards and the costly viands crushed underfoot, the wounded Amalekites lie (their blood mingling with their wine), shrieking for mercy. No sooner do David and

perish! Now they are coming home, David and his men and their families-a long procession. Men, women and children loaded with jewels and robes and with all kinds of trophies that the Amalekites had gathered up in years of conquest-everything now in the hands of David and his men. When they come by the brook Besor, the place where stayed the men sick and incompent to travel, the jewels and the robes and splendent. But as they were like us in rieth by the stuff.

his men win the victory than

they throw their swords down into the dust—tot do they want with swords no and the broken

families come together amidst a great

shout of joy that makes the parting

scene in Ziklag seem very insipid in the

comparison. The rough old warrior

has to use some persuasion before he

can get his child to come to him now

after so long an absence; but soon the

little finger traces the familiar wrinkle

across the scarred face. And then the

empty tankards are set up, and they

are filled with the best wine from the

hills, and David and his men, the hus-

bands, the wives, the brothers, the sis

ters, drink to the overthrow of the

Amalekites and to the re-building of

Ziklag. So, O Lord, let thine enemies

all kinds of treasures are divided deficiencies, we ought to be like them as well the sick among the well. Surely, the lame for the deficits. Had it not been for and exhausted ought to have some of the treasures. Here is a robe for a pale-faced warrior. Here is a pillow for this dying man. Here is a handful of gold for the wasted trumpeter. really think that these men who fainted by the brook Besor may have endured as much as those men who went into the battle. Some mean fellows objected to the sick ones having any of the spoils. The objectors said: "These men did not fight." David, with a magnanimous heart, replies: "As his part is that goeth down to the battle, so shall his part be that tarrieth by the This subject is practically suggestive

to me. Thank God, in these times a man can go off on a journey, and be gone weeks and months, and come back and see his house untouched of our childhood we wondered why there incendiary, and have his family on the step to greet him if by telegram he has fortold the moment of his coming. But there are Amalekitish disasters, there are Amalekitish diseases, that sometimes come down upon one's home, making as devastating work as the day when Ziklag took fire. There door, no iconoclast tumbled the the statutes, the flame leaped amidst the curtains; but so far all the joy and merriment that once belonged to that house are concerned, the home has departed. Armed diseases came down upon the quietness of the scene-scarlet fevers, or pleurisies, or consumptions, or undefined disorders came and seized upon some members of that family, and carried them away. Ziklag in ashes! And you go about, some times weeping and sometimes enraged, wanting to get back your loved ones as much as David and his men wanted to reconstruct their despoiled households. Ziklag in ashes! Some of you went off from home. You counted the days of your absence. Every day seemed as long as a week. Oh, how glad you were when the time came for you to go aboard the steamboat or rail car and start for home! You arrived. You went up the street where your dwelling was, and in the night you put your hand on the door-bell, and, behold! it was wrapped with the signal of bereavement, and you find that Amalekitish Death, which has devastated a thousand other households, had blasted yours. You go about weeping amidst the desolation

more power to weep. Ziklag in ashes! Why these long shadows of bereavement across this audience? Why is it that in almost every assemblage black is the predominant color of the apparel? Is it because you do not like saffron or brown or violet? Oh no! You say, "This world is not so bright to us as once it was;" and there is a story of silent voices, and of still feet, and of loved ones gone, and when you look over the hills, expecting only beauty and loveliness, you find only devasta-tion and woe. Ziklag in ashes!

of your once happy home, thinking of

the bright eyes closed, and the noble

hearts stopped, and the gentle hands

folded, and you weep until you have no

One day, in Ulster county, N. Y., the village church was decorated until the fragrance of the flowers was almost bewildering. The maidens of the village had emptied the place of flowers upon one marriage altar. One of their own number was affianced to a minister of Christ, who had come to take her to his own home. With hands joined, amidst altar exchanged earth for Heaven. The ever before you saw it, their lips waitwedding march broke down into the ing for the kiss of heavenly greeting, funeral dirge. There were not enough | their cheek roseate with the flowers now for the coffin-lid, because they had all been taken for the bridal hands beckoning you up the steep, The dead minister of Christ is brought to another village.

He had gone out from them less than a week before in his strength; now he comes home lifeless. The whole church bewailed him. The solemn procession moved around to look upon the still face that once had beamed the messages of salvation. Little children were lifted up to look at him. And some of those whom he had comfronted in days of sorrow, when they passed that silent form, made the place dreadful with their weeping. Another village emptied of its flowers-some of them put in the shape of a cross to symbolize his hope, others put in the shape of a crown to symbolize his triump. A hundred lights blown out in one strong gust from the open door of a sepulcher

Ziklag in ashes I remark, in the first place, if you want to join your loved ones in glory, you must travel the same way they went. No sooner had the half-dead Egyptian been resuscitated than he pointed the way the captors and the captives had gone, and David and his men followed after. So our Christian friends have gone into another country, and if we want to reach their companionship we must take the same road. They repented; we must repent. They prayed; we must pray. They trusted in Christ; we must trust in Christ. They lived a religious life; we must live a religious life. They were in some things like ourselves. I know, now that they are gone, there is a halo around their names; but they had their faults. They said and did things they ought never to have said or done. They were sometimes rebellious, sometimes cast down. They were far from being perfect. So I suppose that when we are gone, some things in us that are now duly tolerable may be almost re-

in taking a supernal Christ to make up Jesus, they would have all perished; but Christ confronted them, and said, 'I am the way," and they took it.

I have also to say to you that the path that these captives trod was a troubled path, and that David and his men had to go over the same difficult way. While these captives were being taken off, they said: "Oh! we are so tired; we are so sick; we are so hungry!" But the men who had charge of them said: "Stop this crying. Go on!" David and his men also found it a hard way. They had to travel it. Our friends have gone into glory, and it is through much tribulation that we are to enter into the Kingdom. How our loved ones used to have to struggle! how their old hearts ached! how, sometimes, they had a tussle for bread! were so many wrinkles on their faces. We did not know that what were called "crow's-feet" on their faces were the marks of the black raven of trouble. Did you ever hear the old people, seated by the evening stand, talk over their early trials, their hardships, the accidents, the burials, the disappointments, the empty flour barrel when there were so many hungry ones to feed, the sickness almost unto death, where the next dose of morphine decided between ghastly bereavement and an unbroken home cir-Oh. yes! it was trouble that whitened their hair. It was trouble that shook the cup in their hands. It was trouble that washed the luster from their eyes with the rain of tears until they need spectacles. It was trouble that made the cane a necessity for their journey. Do you ever remember seeing your old mother sitting on some rainy day, looking out of the window. her elbow on the window sill, her hand to her brow-looking out, not seeing the falling shower at all (you well knew she was looking into the distant past), until the apron came up to her eyes, because the memory was too much

I remark, again, if we want to win the society of our friends in Heaven we will not only have to travel a path of faith and a path of tribulation, but we will also have to positively battle for their companionship. David and his men never wanted sharp swords and invulnerable shields and thick breastplates so much as they wanted them on the day when they came down upon the Amalekites. If they had lost that battle they never would have got their families back. I suppose that one glance at their loved ones in captivity hurled them into the battle with tenfold courage and energy. They said: "We must win it. Everything depends upon it. Let each one take a man on point of spear or sword. We must win it." And I have to tell you that between us and coming into the companionship of our loved ones who are departed there is an Austerlitz, there is a Gettysburg, there is a Water-loo. War with the world, war with the flesh, war with the devil. We have either to conquer our troubles or our troubles will conquer us. David will either slay the Amalekites or the Amalekites will slay David. And yet is not the fort to be taken worth all the pain, all the peril, all the besiegement? Look! Who are they on the bright hills of Heaven yonder? There they are, those who sat at your own table, the chair now vacant. There they are, those whom you rocked in infancy in the cradle or health of eternal summer, their the feet bounding with the mirth of Heaven. The pallor of their last sickness gone out of their face, never more to be sick, never more to cough, never more to limp, never more to be never more to weep. They are watching from those heights to see if through Christ you can take the fort, and whether you will rush in upon them-victors. They know that upon this battle depends whether you will ever join their society. Up! strike Charge more bravely! Remember that every inch you gain puts you so much farther on toward that heavenly reunion.

You say that all this implies that our departed Christian friends are alive. Why, had you any idea they were dead? They have only moved. If you should go on the second of May to a house where one of your friends lived, and find him gone, you would not think that he was dead. You would inquire next door where he had moved to. Our departed Christian friends have only taken another house. The secret is that they are richer now than they once were, and can afford a better residence. They once thank out of earthenware they now drink from the King's chalice. 'Joseph is yet alive," and Jacob will go up and see him. Living? are they Why, if a man can live in this damp, dark dungeon of earthly captivity, can he not live where he breathes the brac ing atmosphere of the mountains of Heaven? Oh, yes, they are living!

May God Almighty, through the blood of the everlasting covenant, bring us into the companionship of our be oved ones who have already entered the Heavenly land, and into the presence of Christ whom, not having seen, we love, and so David shall recover all, "and as his part is that goeth down to the battle, so that his part be that tay-

WATER-BOUND.

Business Suspended and Railroad Traffic Blocked by Floods.

Enormous Damage to Property in Pennsylvania and New York-Johnstown Again a Sufferer-Farmers Lose Their Crops.

TEN LIVES LOST.

PITTSBURGH, Pa., May 22.—The heavy rains of the last few days have swollen all the rivers and streams of western Pennsylvania to floodtides. Boats, bridges, houses and other property have been destroyed. Ten lives have been lost already. The rivers are still rising and the damage is becoming worse hourly. The cellars of all the business and dwelling houses along the banks of the streams are under water and people are moving their goods to upper rooms. Some of the timid are leaving their houses and seeking places of safety on higher ground. Part of the exhibition building is inundated and the league baseball park is out of sight.

The list of those dead, so far as

known, is as follows: Two children of John Knaskoky, aged 8 and 10 years respectively, fell into the creek at Wilkesbarre and were drowned; Thomas McFeeters, aged 18, drowned at East Conemaugh while trying to ride a log; Adrian Weichel, driver for D. J. Heinze at Sharpsburg, Pa., drowned, while trying to rescue, a team of drowned while trying to rescue a team of horses that were floundering in the water; William Weltman aged 15, drowned at Allegheny; unknown man drowned at Herr's is-land; unknown man drowned at Frankstown; two unknown men, members of Galvin's branch of the industrial army, drowned in an over-turned freight car at Johnstown; unknown man drowned in the Juniata at Huntingdon.

At midnight the Monongahela, Allegheny and Ohio rivers were still rising and flooding all the cellars in the lower part of Pittsburgh and Allegheny. From 28 to 30 feet of water is expected in the Monongahela. This will be 5 or 6 feet short of the stage registered during the disastrous flood of ten years ago. The people living in the lowlands are moving all their effects to the up-

per stories of their houses.

PHILADELPHIA, May 22.—The storm in the eastern part of Pennsylvania has been raging for nearly to days, and looks as if it may continue. Schuylkill river began rising rapidly Sunday and has been gradually rising ever since with every prospect of a flood. The city fronts on both sides of the river are overflowed. Baltimore & Ohio tracks under nearly 5 feet of water for a considerable distance. the mills and factories along the Schuylkill river from Reading to this city, a distance of 60 miles, are closed. At Norristown the water is 23 feet deep in some of the mills. The Delaware and Lehigh rivers are swollen considerably and are still rising rapid-All navigation on the Delaware & Lehigh canal is stopped, the water covering the banks. The Reading railroad between here and Norristown has 4 feet of water over the tracks.

The storm has been a bad one on the farmers, many corn fields have been ruined, the corn being washed from the ground. Throughout the city trees were blown down, cellars flooded and many washouts occurred. A dozen or more families in South Pottstown

have been driven out of their houses. All the factories along the Lehigh river are closing down. At Easton and Bethlehem the factories are flooded with 8 feet of water. The flood at Reading is likely to prove as disastrous as that of 1889. Three bridges have and traffic is completely checked. The reports from the coal regions say that many of the collieries have been flooded and it may require a week to pump them out.

WILLIAMSPORT, Pa., May 22.—The river continued to rise during the night and nearly the entire business portion of the city is under water. The Western Union Telegraph office, which is situated on comparatively high ground, has 6 inches of water on its floor. There has been no telegraphic communication with Lock Haven since 5 o'clock Sunday afternoon, at which hour the telegraph operator was driven from his office by the rising flood.

Surrounded on every hand by the slowly rising destroyer, which has already swept away \$1,000,000 worth of property and may sweep away \$1,000,-000 more, the condition of Williamsport is indeed pitiable. With 33 feet more water in its channel than is its normal height, the north branch of the Susquehanna threatens to engulf the town. Every foot of ground in the city is from 4 to 8 feet under water, and much of it is 15 feet below the surface of the stream. Many of the families are homeless.

DANSVILLE, N. Y., May 22.—The flood now being experienced is the worst that

has occurred in the Genesee valley for years. The water is 2 feet above high water mark of the great freshet five years ago. As far as the eye can see down the valley is a vast expanse of water. Immense trees torn from the banks of the raging streams and all sorts of timbers and wreckage are floating everywhere. The destruction of growing and newly planted crops is com-plete, and the damage the farmers have sustained will run up into the hundreds of thousands. The Bradner creek at Cummingsville has swept everything along its banks, carrying down acres of rich farming land and depositing the soil in the creeks in the valley below. The decision covers bottles, cases in which the liquor is contained.

HE WAS APPROACHED.

Senator Kyle Admits Being Offered \$14,-000 for His Vote.

WASHINGTON, May 22.—The committee to investigate the charges of bribery in the senate was on hand promptly at 10 o'clock Monday in the room of the committee on privileges and elections. Senator Hunton (Va.) was at the meeting as a witness. C. W. Buttz, with his attorney, was without the doors of the committee-room, and there were other expected witnesses in the corridors. Mr. Buttz made a written application to be pres-

The committee sat in secret session until 10:30 o'clock, when Senator Hunton was summoned to testity. Senator Hunton remained with the committee about half an hour and after he emerged from the committeee-room his son, Eppa Hunton, Jr.. was called in and asked to state what he knew of the alleged effort to bribe his father. He was detained only about fifteen minutes. Both witnesses were cautioned by Senator Gray against giving the newspapers any report of the proceedings, the senator remarking that when this branch of the inquiry should be concluded the proceedings would all be made public. Both Senator Hunton and his son stated that C. W. Buttz was the man who had approached Senator Hunton. The narrative did not differ materially from the story heretofore given to the press by Senator Hunten.

Senator Kyle (S. D.) was before the committee for more than an hour and was informed that he would probably be called again. He put the committee in possession of all the information in his power, stating that he was first approached by Buttz about two months ago with the proposition to vote against the tariff bill and receive pay for his vote, the amount offered being \$14,000. In reply to a question Senator Kyle said he was confidant Buttz represented other parties, and the proposition, if it had been accepted, would have been made good. Senator Kyle also stated that Buttz intimated to him that if \$14,000 was not enough he could have almost any sum he would name, as high as \$75,000.

At 3 o'clock Maj. Buttz was called, but after he had entered Chairman Gray told him that he had been called a little too soon and to retire until a point which was under consideration could be settled. Buttz announced that he wanted his attorney present when he testified. He still adhered to his determination not to testify unless furnished a copy of the testimony heretofore given, saying that the committee might send him to jail for eternity before he would change his resolution on

this point. A few minutes later Buttz was again called, and his attorney was admitted with him. The committee has been considering the advisability of going to New York to obtain a portion of the testimony in relation to the sugar allegations, but the ultimate course has not been decided upon. The committee has summoned James W. Walker, an attorney of Washington, D. C., to appear before it. He is the man who gave Buttz the letter of introduction to Senator Hunton's son.

KILLED BY A TRAIN CREW.

Fight Between Officers at Enid, O. T., and

Rock Island Men. OKLAHOMA CITY, O. T., May 21.been carried away on the Pine Creek OKLAHOMA CITY, O. T., May 21.—division of the Reading railroad at Great excitement prevails over the Suedburg, Stony Creek and Dauphin capture of a Rock Island train by oflicers of the city of Enid for violation of the city ordinance against running faster than 6 miles an hour within the city limits. A fight occurred between the crew of the train and the city officers, in which one of the officers was beaten to death with a coupling pin in the hands of a trainman. The railway company has refused to stop trains at Enid because of a preference for North Enid, 2 miles distant, where the company owns much property. The Enid authorities retaliated by passing the ordinance. A freight train running 30 miles an hour was passing through the city when a link pin broke and the caboose came to a standstill. The officers boarded the train for the purpose of arresting the crew. A fightensued between the trainmen and officers, coupling pins, clubs and revolvers being freely used. During the progress of the fight the engineer backed and the caboose was down attached to the train, the throttle was thrown open and the train went tearing away, carrying three officers who were trying to arrest the trainmen. The officers were overpowered and ejected, bruised and bleeding, at Hennessey, the next stop. One of them has since died of his injuries.

HARD ON LIQUOR-SELLERS.

Iowa Purchasers May Recover Every Pollar That They Pay.

DES Moines, Ia., May 22.—The supreme court has decided that every dollar paid for liquor that is to be sold contrary to law may be recovered from the person or firm to whom it is paid. That under the law the money is received with that express understanding. A Des Moines dealer recovered about \$3,000 in this case from a Peoria brewing firm, besides about the same amount of liquor that he had received and had not paid for. The decision covers bottles, cases, etc.,

THE VETERANS.

Annual Encampment of the Grand Army at Rockford.

It Was Inaugurated with a Grand Parade Officers Report on the Order's Growth-New Officials-The Woman's Corps-Ohio Veterans.

BRAVE BOYS WERE THEY.

ROCKFORD, 111., May 17.-The greatest parade ever seen in northern Illiinaugurated the twenty-eighth annual encampment of the Illinois Grand Army of the Republic in this city on Tuesday, over 2,000 veterans being in line. In the evening two big campfires were held. Charles A. Works gave the address of welcome and Commander Blodgett responded. Other addresses were made by Commander in Chief Adams, ex-Commanders Fairchild and Weissert, ex-Gov. Fifer, Gen. John McNultra, Judge Tuthill, of Chicago, and others.

The Business Session.

The business session of the encampment began at the opera house at 10 a. m. Wednesday, Commander Blodgett in the chair. Maj. Blodgett, after having made a short address in opening



the session, was presented with a gold, diamond-studded G. A. R. badge, and also with a cane from the battlefield at Wilson Creek. He responded feelingly. Annual Address.

At the afternoon session the annual address of Commander Blodgett was delivered. He made an eloquent plea for thorough and careful investigation before suspending members for nonpayment of dues.

He urged that every member of the order, of whatever political faith, exact from their candidates for representatives and senators in the next legislature a pledge to vote liberal aid to the Soldiers' Orphans' home at Normal.

With reference to pensions he said: "The grand army believes and insists that the pension roll is, and should be, a roll of honor; that it is the duty of every soldier to report to the government any case within his knowledge where a pension is being paid which has been obtained by fraud."

Reports of Officers.

In the afternoon the reports of officers were submitted. That of Adjt. Gen. Spink showed that on December 31, 1892, there were in good standing 608 posts, with a membership of 30,962. life. A motion for a new trial was For the first term, ending June 1893, there were gains of 1,533, and losses from all sources of 2,268. The statement for December 31, 1893, showed gains of 1,456 and losses 2,162. On that date there were in good standing 559 posts, with 29,521 the doctor's confederate. It was exmembers, five posts having been mussince the last encampment, and \$10,479.25 expended for charity.

Dispensed in Charity.

W. H. Brydges, of Elgin, department | ilar crimes before. inspector, gave a review of the work of his office for the year. He inspected



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440 of the 599 posts, which have 25,583 members in good standing and dispensed \$12,171.29 for relief since the last encampment.

Resolutions.

The report of the committee on resolutions was presented by Charles Part-ridge, mayor of Waukegan. The resolutions eulogized the present management of the orphans' home and recommended that all boys and girls be kept there until they are 16 years of age, instead of 14, as the rule is now. The superintendent of cussed. public instruction was urged to declare Memorial day a legal holiday for the schools. The resolution to indorse a flag day in June was voted down. memorial resolution on the death of Medical Director I. S. Hughes was adopted. A resolution of thanks to the reports that senators have specu-Rockford was also adopted.

Election of Officers.

The annual election resulted in the tion.

choice of the following officers: Department commander, H. H. McDowell, of Pontiac; senior vice commander, E. A. Keeler, of Irving Park; junior vice com. 64 days, 11 hours and 20 minutes.

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manded, J. B. Inman, of Springfield: medical director, 'Dr. W. P. Pierce, of Hoopeston; chaplain, Frank C. Bruner, of Urbana.

Council of administration: Thomas W. Cole, post 1, Rockford: O. R. McKenney, post 40, Chicago: A. D. Cadwallader, post 182, Lincoln; H. P. Thompson, post 700, Chicago.

Delegates to the national encampment: Thomas C. Fullerton, Ottawa; P. G. Galvin, Pana; Dr. J. R. Corbus, Chicago: F. A. Freer, Galesburg: P. M. Romeiser, Belleville; Henry H. Gage, Chicago; Joseph W. Fifer, Bloomington; James O'Donneil, Chicago; Charles Bent, Morrison: S. G. Burdick, Centralia.

Bloomington was chosen as the location of the next encampment.

The Woman's Relief Corps.

At the meeting of the Woman's Relief Corps reports were submitted by the officers, which can be summarized into the statement that the membership numbers 7,728, an increase of 242 during the year. During the year \$676 was expended for the relief of soldiers or their dependents. Officers were chosen as follows:

President, Mrs. M. R. M. Wallace, of Chicago; senior vice president, Mrs. Carrie Briggs. Delavan: junior vice president, Mrs. Jenning G. Harrison, Sterling; treasurer, Mrs. Mary E. McCauley, Olney; chaplain, Mrs. Morris, Marengo; executive board, Mrs. Craig, Springfield; Mrs. Bradford, Peotone: Mrs. Coffenbury, Chicago; Mrs. Sutton, Decatur; Mrs. Ward, Gibson City.

Ladies of the Grand Army.

The Ladies of the G. A. R. at their meeting reported a membership of 409, an increase of 186 during the year. Mrs. V. R. Winslow was elected president; Mrs. Quienton, of Aurora, senior vice president; Mrs. Mary E. Polk, of La Grange, junior vice president, and Mrs. Howe, of Chicago, treasurer.

Ohio Veterans.

CANTON. O., May 17.—The twenty-eighth annual encampment of the department of Ohio, Grand Army of the Republic, was formally opened Tuesday morning. After the formal exercises Department Commander Williams submitted his annual report. He made a plea for service pensions. He maintained that a soldier's discharge certificate should be sufficient evidence to obtain a pension certificate. His report showed that the amount per capita tax paid national headquarters for 1863 in excess of the preceding year was \$17,-

Canton, O., May 18.—The grand army encampment on Wednesday elected E. E. Nutt, of Sidney, as department commander. The Woman's Relief Corps elected Sarah D. Winans, of Troy, as department president. The ladies of the G. A. R. elected Emma Kennedy, of Berea post, as president.

A resolution was adopted requesting the boards of education to set aside the Friday preceding May 30 for memorial day in the schools. Sandusky was selected for the next encampment, and Ohio's vote will be for Louisville, Ky., for the next national encampment.

FOUND GUILTY.

Dr. Meyer is Convicted of Poisoning at

NEW YORK, May 19.—The jury in the case of Dr. Henry Meyer, who is accused of having poisoned Ludwig Brandt, came into court and rendered a verdict of murder in the second de-

The penalty is imprisonment for entered. Dr. Meyer was accused of poisoning Brandt in order that he might profit from the latter's life in-Brandt had married Dr. surance. Meyer's wife, supposing her a single woman, whereas she was in reality pected that she would receive the insurance and then she and the doctor would enjoy it together. It is alleged that the doctor had been guilty of sim-

HEAVILY FINED.

Chicago Election Commissioners Punished for Contempt of Court.

CHICAGO, May 18.—To pay a fine of \$1,000 and to remain in jail until such fine be paid was the penalty imposed by Judge Chetlain on Election Commissioners P. H. Keenan, A. W. Hutchings and Henry Schomer for refusing to obey the court's or-der to submit to inspection by the grand jury the ballots cast at the April election in the twenty-second precinct of the Twentyninth ward. The proceedings were dismissed as to Chief Clerk W. Taylor, because it had been shown that he had no authority over the ballots. The respondents were not in court and an order of commitment was at once issued and sent to Sheriff Gilbert, instructing him to arrest the contumacious commissioners and lock

Bishop Newman to Preside.

ROME, May 18.—Bishop John P. Newman, D. D., will preside over the annual conference of the Methodist Episcopal church, in Italy, which will be held in Milan from May 24 to 29 inclusive. The reports of the conference committee will deal with the church, tions which will be exhaustively dis-

To Be Hunted Down.

WASHINGTON, May 19.—The senate passed a resolution to investigate the charges of attempted bribery, of the alleged contribution of funds for campaign purposes by the sugar trust, of lated in sugar stock and all other charges deemed worthy of considera-

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going to school any more." "Why, dear?" "Cause 'tain't no use. I can never learn to spell. The teacher keeps changing the words every day." "Ma," said a discouraged urchin, "I ain't

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The Republicans of the counties composing the Eigth Congressional District, state of Illinois, are requested to send delegates to a convention to be held in the City Hall, in the city of Aurora, Kare County, Illinois, on Tuseday, June 7th., 1894, at 11 o'clock a. m., for the purpose of placing in nomination, a candidate for Representative in Congress and to transact such other business as will properly come before said convention. The several counties of the district will be entitled to delegates as follows:

..19 | Kane..... ..12 | Kendall11 | McHenry. ABRAM ELLWOOD, DeKalb,
T. S. Rogers, DuPage,
FRANK CLARK, Grundy,
H. T. Rockwell, Kane,
J. E. Tupin, Kendall,
G. W. Eldredge, McHenry,
Congressional Committee

It is quite probable that if Henri Watterson does not bridle his tongue there will be a second "reading out of the party." His latest utterance is that if he had a dog that would not bark at the tariff bill he would kill the animal at once.

THE tariff reform of the present senate, which was promised the people of the United States to be "a tariff for revenue only" has been so twisted and overhauled, to suit certain sections and monopolies that an exchange dubs it "Tariff for sectional rascality and revenue only.

THAT change which so many of our agriculturists so mdch desired in 1892. causes them but very little enjoyment now. Farm products bring prices now that causes the agriculturalists of the country to weep bitter tears at their own stupidity.

THE Republicans of DeKalb County met in a convention at Sycamore yesterday and nominated the following

County Judge,	C. A. Bishop
County Clerk,	
Sheriff	J. N. Shafter
Supt. of Schools	L. M. Gross
Treasurer,	A. L. Wells
Cononer	.F. M. Potter

The convention passed resolutions endorsing Congressman Hopkins, Senator Hunt and the candidacy of Smith D. Atkins for the state treasuryship.

For the first time in the history of the state the women of the state of Illinois will take part in elections. This fall they have the right to assist in the choice of four state officers and one county official—the three trustees of the University of Illinois, the state superintendent of public instruction and the county superintendent of schools. Politicans are wondering how this new order of things is going to affect the general result. The old campaigners think that the vote of the women will tut no particular figure, as they say few of the woman will take advantage of the right. A heavy vote will no doubt be polled and that the educational candidates who cater to the women will be the ones who will most likely secure the positions. How the votes will be placed is what is bothering politicans. It is believed every woman who votes will cast the ballot marked the same as the one cast by her husband. It is estimated by Mrs. Catherine Waugh McCulloch that 200,000 woman will vote at the next election, but the men think she is placing the figures rather high. "The question of women voting," said a democrat, "settles itself down to this. There has got to be some gallantry in this campaign. If the republicans get the inside track they will cut us out. It will remind some of us of our school days."

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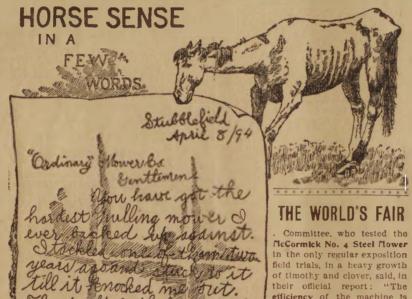
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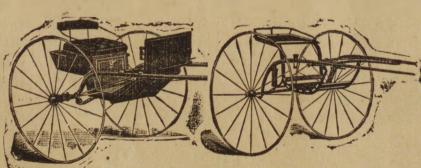
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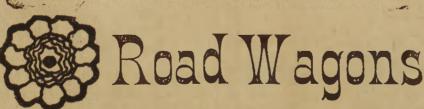
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Personal Notes, Happenings, Etc., Pertaining to Genoa.

In the game 'twixt spring and winter We can notice now, alas! That, no matter what the cards are, Winter still object to pass .- Stolen .

Ward Prouty was a caller Tuesday. Mr. W. H. Wager has gone to Chica-

Martin Malana, Jr. has been on the sick list.

Visiting and wedding cards at this

Rev. W. C. Howard was in Chicago Monday.

Miss Nora Malana visited in Elgin over Sunday. B. Goldman was a Chicago visitor

Monday last. Miss Gough, of Rockford, is visiting

Bennie oGoldman was in Chicago candidates.

Wednesday

tives in Chicago. Mr. and Mrs. S. II, Stiles were in

Sycamore Tuesday

was a visitor Tuesday. Mr. A. Hollenbeak was a Garden

City visitor Saturday. Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Stiles were Chi-

cago visitors yesterday. Miss Alice Gaugh, of Rockford, vis-

ited Genoa friends last week. Miss Ella White returned Tuesday by F. T. Robinson, druggist.

from a week's visit in Chicago.

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lington, spent Saturday in our town.

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No. 34, Express... 8:41 a. M....10:30 a. M. No. 92, Way Freight 12:15 p. M.....7:05p.m.

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Fred Holroyd is nearly ready for business. He went to Chicago today to buy a new stock of goods.

Rev. Geo. French pastor of the Advent Christian church preaches in the Y. M. C. A. hall at Elgin tonight.

A lawn social is to take place at the All are invited to attend,

this week.

John Kneif, Miss Kirk, Miss Lena and Katie Maurer, of Burlington, attended the calico dancing party here last Friday night.

If you know yourself to be indebted to The Issue for subscription, will you not kindly call and settle same by June 1st. At that time we will be oy June 18th. At that time will be in urgent need of money with which to liquidate our obligations.

place to find these goods and all the best makes, is John Lembke's. Sure to fit you in price and make.

To RENT-Desirable house in a desirable locality. Good residence prop-D. S. BROWN. erty for sale.

Geo. E. Smith wishes to announce to the people of Genoa, that his next call here will be June 6th. He will take a short vacation. A representative of the Woodmen

accident association was in town the latter part of last week, soliciting accident policies. S. S. teachers meeting for lesson study will be at Prof. Gibb's next

Friday night from 8 to 9 o'clock, everybody interested is invited. Rev. Richard Pichler, pastor of the

Evangelical Lutheran church, is attending the annual conferance of his church at Chicago this week.

The Illinois Central will sell excur sion tickets to Rockford and return June 8th, at one and one third fare the round trip, returning June 9th.

Mrs Mathews has sold her property here and will move to Rockford. A Mr. Carb, of Kingston has bought the place and will move here next fall.

Jack Frost's recent visit was rather of a nipping kind, although but slight damage to crops was done. The old inhabitant will now be heard from.

A number of the Masonic fraternity went to Hampshire Tuesday night and assisted the brethren there in conferring the third degree on three Refreshments were served at the conclusion of the work Mrs. T. Canavan is visiting rela- and a general good time was indulged

Say Sam, did you ever hear tell of a McCormick binder? You bet I have. it is the best machine made. Steel Gertrude Whitney, of Kingston, frame and steel platform. They are a dandy. K. JACKMAN & Son, Agts.

> A lady at Tooleys, La., was very sick with bilious colic when M. C. Tisler, a prominent merchant of the town gave

DeWorf and Abott are now settled be used to advantage in ascertaining ing somewhere.

On account of bad weather the church foundation was not completed as soon as expected. Therefore the ILLINOIS GENTRAL RAILWAY Big Jo \$1.00 per sack. No extra second payments for subscriptions charge for sacks. K. Jackman & Son. were not called for last week, but subscribers will please be ready any time in Burlington the last part of last next week and thereby greatly oblige the committee.

> they will be prosecuted, as they are well known.
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> John Lambke. well known. John Lamber Thursday, May 24, 1894.

attend. There will be a program leaves passngers getting on at or west of rendered consisting of singing and

speaking, principally by children. We hope for a pleasant and profitable time in the name of the Lord.

GEO. J. FRENCH.

Doty and Smith's Casino Comedy Company are playing at opera house in Hampshire this week. The plays for the remainder of the week are Thursday, Fireman's Ward; Friday, Davy Crockett; Saturday, New Mexico. Ward Prouty of Genoa who is with the company is improving rapid.

Rockford.

No. 32 stops only to take passengers from Rockford, and the voud.

Nos. 1, 2, 3 and 4 daily through trains from Chicago to Souix City. No. 31, Chicago to Freeport. No. 32, Waterloo to Chicago, and Nos. 33 and 36 daily milk Chicago and Rockford.

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Just keep in mind the fact that Ladies' kid and lisle thread gloves, Genoa ought to have an attractive Fourth of July celebration. A celebration that will attract the Mrs. Bartholomew has returned to country round will be of untold bene-Dakota after a pleasant visit with fit to the merchants of our town. It's a matter of dollars and cents gentlemen; also a big advertisement for Genoa's enterprise.

Next Sunday is the annual Memorial Day. Appropriate services will be held in Crawford's Hall at half past en a. m., which the G. A. R. Post will attend in a body, and to which all the wives and children of soldiers and home of Mrs. D. C. Waters, tonight. sailors are especially invited. The pastor will preach to the G. A. R., L. M. Olmstead has been buying and the music will be in keeping with hay and oats for a Chicago firm. He the day. The evening serving at 7:30 bought two car loads of such produce will be along the same line, but addressed more especially to the young people. Everybody should attend all these services in the interests of patriotism and good government.

> Every lady that desires to have a nice pair of proper fitting shoes. buys the Geo. W. Ludlow make. They are always to be found in the leading shoe stores in the country.

The dance given at Crawford's hall last Friday evening was a gratifying success to its promoters. An unusually good time was had.

That Terrible Drop.

In flour has caused a great demand for Pillsbury's flour at Cohoons'. H has been compelled to put in another carload which arrived Tuesday, and he is selling it at that same "awful drop

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DR. M. D. I.EFEVRE, Veterinary Surgeon and Dentist. Office Robinson's Drug store. Calls attended day or night.

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A F. & A. MASONS. GENOA LODGE No. 288, meets in regular session o Wednesday evening on or before the fu moon of each month. W. M., J. M. Harvey

PNDEPENDENT ORDER OF ODDFEL 1 lows. Kishwaukee Lodge No. 768, meets n regular session every Monday evening. F. M. Overaker, Sec. A. U. Schneider, N. G.

KNIGHTS OF THE GLOBE. GENOA Garrison No. 56, meets in regular session on the second and fourth Tuesday of each month.

J. M. Harvey, Pres. E. H. Lane, Adj.

C. M. & St. PAUL

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prominent merchant of the town gave her a bottle of Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarraoea Remedy. He says she was well in forty minutes after taking the first dose. For sale by F. T. Robinson, druggist.

A World's Fair searchlight could be used to advantage in ascertaining what the matter is with the spring season. There seems to be a cog sliping somewhere.

No 1 434 and 35 run daily. No 2 except Monday No 3 except Saturday. No 2 and 4 stop on signal for Chicago passengers. No 1 and 3 stop on signal for Chicago passengers and pick up through passengers west, all other trains stop. No 1 and 4 Omaha limited trains Close connections made for important pollute north and west through cars for St Paul, Minneapolis and Sioux City. No 2 and 3, Omaha, Kansas City and Cedar Rapids, Dubuque Express No 25 and 26. Cedar Rapids, Dubuque Express. No 21 and 22, Rockford and Janesville and local points. Through tickets to all important points in United States and Canada.

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TIME CARD

PASSENGERS EAST GENOA

No. 2, Vestibule11.20 A, M.... 1:10 P. M No. 4, Express 4:12 A. m.... 7:00 A. m No. 32, Express..... 5:20 P. M.... 7:30 P. m No. 92, Way Freight 12:15 P. M.... 7:05p.m

PASSENGERS WEST. Miss L'zzle Brown and Mrs. Robinson have been spending a week in the windy city.

Thursday, May 24, 1894.

Children's Day will observed at the Advent Christian church June 3rd. at 10:30 a. m. All are cordially invited to attend. There will be a program.

No. 1, Vestibule... 3:48 p. m. 2:00 p. m. No. 3, Express... 2:02 A. m. 11:35 p. m. No. 31, Express... 2:02 A. m. 11:35 p. m. No. 33 Express... 2:02 A. m. 11:35 p. m. No. 33 Express... 2:02 A. m. 11:35 p. m. No. 35, Milk Train... 5:54 p. m. 3:00 p. m. No. 35, Milk Train... 5:54 p. m. 3:00 p. m. No. 91, Way Freight 4:08 p. m. 9:30 a.m. No. 92 stops for Chicago passengers and

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THE NEWS.

Compiled From Late Dispatches.

CONGRESSIONAL.

In the senate on the 15th Senator Allen (Neb.) called up his resolution to investigate the industrial condition of the country, but it went over for the day. A bill to place Dunbar Ranson on the retired list of the army as cap-tain was passed and the tariff measure was further considered....In the house the naval appropriation bill was passed and the agricul-tural appropriation bill was discussed. The committee on pensions voted to report a bill increasing the rates of all pensioners of the Mexican war and Indian war from 18 to \$12 a

On the 16th tariff discussion occupied the time of the senate. A resolution for an investigation of the charge that bribery had been attempted to defeat the tariff bill was offered.... In the house the joint resolution authorizing ar invextigation of the industrial depression was reported from the committee on labor. A bill was introduced for the erection of a national memorial home for aged colored people in Washington. The agricultural appropriation bill was considered.

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On the 18th a resolution calling upon the atterney general for information as to the existence of a sugar trust in violation of the law was adopted in the senate. The tariff bill was considered... In the howse the legislative, executive and judicial appropriation bill was discussed. At the evening session private bills were considered. Adjourned to the 21st.

On the 18th a bill was introduced in the senatory.

On the 19th a bill was introduced in the sen-ate to authorize several American citizens to accept decorations and testimonials from the Hawaiian government. Several bills of minor importance were passed....The house was not

DOMESTIC.

ANALSON HYATT, a well-known citizen of Waverly, N. Y., while drunk stabbed his wife fatally and then killed

Poison, supposed to have been placed in the well by an enemy, killed two children of Mart Adler, of Monroe, Ind., and Adler and his wife would probably die.

TENNESSEE bankers in convention at Memphis passed resolutions opposing the repeal of the state bank tax law.

A STORM of wind and rain swept over portions of Minnesota and Wisconsin and several million dollars' worth of property was destroyed, all the railroads running through that section were blocked and four persons lost their lives.

CHARLES SAMSMULLER, aged 50, killed his mother, aged 90, in New York and then took his own life. Poverty was

lowA prohibitionists have organized for a three years' fight for a temperance amendment to the state constitu-

GAUDAUR broke his own 3-mile world's fair record of 19:06 at the professional regatta at Austin, Tex., beating Peterson in 19:021/4. IN Chicago Election Commissioners

Keenan, Hutchings and Schomer were fined \$1,000 each for contempt by Judge Chetlain for refusing to turn over ballets to the grand jury.

Dr. Samuel A. Mutchmore, of Philadelphia, was chosen moderator of the Presbyterian general assembly in sesion at Saratoga, N.

H. H. McDowell, of Pontiac, was elected department commander of the Illinois G. A. R., and Mrs. M. R. M Wallace, of Chicago, was elected president of the Woman's Relief Corps

BANKERS, brokers and investors report no improvement in the general business situation and are correspondingly depressed.

WHEAT touched 53% cents, the lowest price ever known in Chicago.

A FIRE which started in the United States appraiser's office in Boston caused a loss to the government of \$150,000 and other losses amounted to \$30,000.

THE conference of coal miners and operators came to an end at Cleveland. nothing having been accomplished toward settling the strike.

OWING to the coal famine the Grand Trunk railroad refuses to accept lake and rail shipments of grain from Chi-

Norwegians in Chicago celebrated the eightieth anniversary of Norway's independence.

HAILSTONES 3 inches in diameter fell at Decatur, Iil., and much damage was done to windows and vegetation.

A CYCLONE passed one-fourth of a mile west of Kunkle, O., doing great damage to property and killing Daniel Barrett and his wife and their two grand-daughters, Myrta and Martha Caso, and George Oxinger. Charles Cole and his wife were fatally injured.

Over 13,000 sheep perished in a snow and windstorm on the Sierra Nevada ranges.

DURING a terrific gale on Lake Michigan the beach from Glencoe to South Chicago was strewn with wreckage. Eight vessels came to grief and at least ten lives were sacrificed. The financial scene off the lake front was unparalled in Chicago's history. During the storm the old cottonwood tree in Chicago, marking the Fort Dearborn mas-

sacre of 1812 was blown down. THERE were 220 business failures in the United States in the seven days ended on the 18th, against 206 the week previous and 247 in the corresponding a number of judges and clerks of electime in 1893.

Five men and a woman were drowned by the wrecking of the schooner M. J. Cummings at Milwankee.

The anniversary of the establishment of the first post office in America was celebrated at Breeze cottage, Garden

MRS. MATILDA A. PETERSON, of Chicago has petitioned congress to appropriate \$5,000,000 to purchase lands on which to settle unemployed thousands.

THE exchanges at the leading clearing houses in the United States during the week ended on the 18th aggregated \$887,677,573, against \$903,225,545 previous week. The decrease, compared with the corresponding week in 1893 was 27.6.

An agent for the Missouri Pacific bought the Kansas City & Beatrice railroad at auction for \$100,000.

CINCINNATI authorities forced food down the throat of Father O'Grady, the murderer of Mollie Gilmartin, who was starving himself.

DURING a storm in New Jersey fourteen houses were struck by lightning in Bridgeton, three in Cedarville, four at Newport, two at Dutch Neck, seven at Vineland and several in Millville.

ONE man was killed, one fatally injured and four seriously hurt by the explosion of a boiler at West Bay City,

WILLIAM MCKEILL was hanged at Mobile, Ala., for the murder of his wife, whom he found to be unfaithful to him.

BOOKKEEPER J. J. KEAN, of the Harlem river bank in New York, was charged with stealing \$19,000 of the bank's funds.

Frank Goodale, a well-known jockey, was thrown from Judge Payne at Louisville and trampled to death by the horses following him. ALL the employes of the Chicago, Bur-

lington & Quincy railroad have been requested by the company to submit to vaccination.

VIOLENT storms of wind and snow swept over Illinois. Wisconsin, Ohio, Iowa and Indiana, doing vast damage to crops and buildings and causing

THE National Editorial association will meet in tenth annual convention at Asbury Park, N. J., July 2 to 26.

APPLICATION was made in Philadelphia for a receiver for the order of Tonti. The liabilities were said to reach into the millions.

EXPERIMENTS in Washington with a new brand of smokeless powder discovered by a Virginian proved it superior to any yet tested.

JUDGE BOOKWALTER, of Danville, dismissed the suit attacking the senatorial apportionment of Illinois, and the case will be taken to the supreme court.

THE percentages of the baseball clubs in the national league for the week ended on the 19th were: Cleveland, .810; Baltimore, .696.; Philadelphia, .680; Pittsburgh, .667; Boston, .565; New York, 478; Brooklyn, 478; Cincinnati, 474; St. Louis, 409; Louisville, 316; Chicago, 300; Washington, 120.

STRIKING miners called Walter Glover, a nonstriker, to his door near Birmingham, Ala., and riddled him with bullets.

THE Conemaugh river at Johnstown, Pa., overflowed its banks and the streets were covered with water to the depth of 2 feet.

AT Cambridge, Mass., James Wilson, 40 years old, murdered his wife by cutting her throat and then fatally

wounded himself. off the harbor of Chicago during the the hands of a receiver with heavy lirecent storm was twenty-eight.

HEAVY rains caused disastrous floods throughout Pennsylvania. At Williamsport the boom which contained \$1,000,000 worth of lumber gave way.

GREAT damage was done by frosts to growing crops over an extensive range of territory. The effect of the cold wave was felt from the northern line of Dakota to the gulf, and it also went well toward the Atlantic, especially in the southern states.

Seven men were killed and a number injured in a collision between Chesapeake & Ohio trains in Standing Rock tunnel near Princeton, Ky.

WHILE attempting to rescue the crew of the waterlogged schooner William Shoupe four sailors were drowned near Port Huron, Mich.

EX-GENERAL MASTER WORKMAN T. V POWDERLY, A. W. Wright and P. H. Quinn were expelled from the Knights of Labor on a charge of plotting the order's destruction.

THE Julius Schiel company's drygoods store and L. Dannenbaum's wholesale millinery establishment in Philadelphia were destroyed by fire, the loss

being \$525,000. Two MASKED men attempted to hold up a stage near Milton, Cal., and one

was killed by the express messenger. THE Kellys and Raffertys at Southville, Mass., settled a long-standing feud with revolvers and two would die

and two others were badly wounded. Property valued at \$145,000 was destroyed in Akron, O., by a blaze which started in a planing mill.

A CLOUDBURST southwest of Dunkirk, Y., caused one of the most disasloss was estimated at \$100,000. The trous floods known there in many

THE special grand jury in Chicago decided upon the indictment of fiftyeight persons for violation of the election law at the December and April elections. Among those on the list are two election commissioners, one exelection commissioner, three aldermen, tion and several policemen.

THE Ohio legislature adjourned sine Among the bills passed was one to hold but one session in two years.

THE Traders' bank of Tacoma. Wash, suspended payment for a sceond time.

PERSONAL AND POLITICAL

JOSEPH YOUNG (colored) died at Tuscola. Ill., aged 115 years. He served in the late war and was married a second time at the age of 102.

THE populist state convention of Georgia nominated J. K. Hines, of Atlanta, for governor. T. W. PHILLIPS was nominated for

congress by the republicans of the Twenty-fifth Pennsylvania district. NATHANIEL P. CRANE, aged 84, and Mrs. Chloe Gibson, aged 78, were married at Belvidere, Ill. The officiating

minister is 82 years of age. In the Congregational church East Northfield, Mass., Emma R. Moody, daughter of the evangelist, was married to Arthur P. Fitt, of Chi-

REV. DR. EDWARD BRIGHT, the editor of the Examiner, a prominent Baptist newspaper, died at his home in New York, aged 86 years.

THE democrats renominated H. C. Snodgrass for congress in the Third district of Tennessee

of Indiana nominated E. A. Riggins, of Davies county, for congress.

THE Nebraska populists will hold their state convention at Grand Island on August 15.

The republican state convention of

North Dakota will meet in Grand Forks July 11. ANDREW J. GRAHAM, author of the system of shorthand which bears his

name, died at his home in Orange, N. passed. J., aged 64 years.

FORFIGN.

States consul general, died at Berlin from brain fever.

Grand The Edwards, of Ohio, United gave me, I managed to live though barely through the fall."

Here Mr. Thomas II.

GEORGE GRIFFITHS, of London, completed a trip around the world in 64 days 11 hours and 20 minutes. Nellie Bly's record was 74 days.

ONE HUNDRED German Baptists from Kherson and Volhynia, in Russia, embarked from Liban for America. Religious persecution forced them to emigrate.

THE British royal commissoners to the world's fair, in their official report, pay a glowing tribute to the great

vorce suit connects prominent people of the dominion with several mysterious crimes EDMUND H. YATES, editor and proprietor of the London World and the author of many novels, died suddenly,

aged 62 years. EMILE HENRY, the author of the explosion in the cafe of the Hotel Terminus in Paris, was guillotined.

LITER

DEBATE on the tariff bill occupied the time of the United States senate on the 21st. An amendment to put iron ore on the free list was defeated. In the house in committee of the whole an amendment to the legislative appropriation bill declaring the statute authorizing the sergeant-at-arms to 'dock" members for absence to have been repealed was carried.

THE latest estimate of the loss of life company at Elkhart, Ind., went into

abilities. THE flood in western Pennsylvania still continued, and boats, bridges, houses and other property had been destroyed and ten lives were reported The property loss at Williams-

port alone was placed at \$1,500,000. Six of the accomplices of Pallas in the attempt to assassinate Marshal Campos were shot on the plaza at Barcelonia, Spain.

THE Manchester ship canal was formally declared open to the commerce of the world by Queen Victoria.

Coxey, Browne and Jones, the commonweal leaders, were sentenced to twenty days in jail for displaying partisan banners in the capitol grounds.

GEN. PHILIP COOK, secretary of state, died at his home in Atlanta, Ga., aged 77 years.

The worst wind and rainstorm known in fifty years prevailed at Toronto, Ont., and considerable damage was

THE Illinois Congregationalists celebrated in Chicago the fiftieth anniversary of their state organization.

In trying to arrest three outlaws at Yukon, O., T., two deputy sheriffs were fatally shot and one of the bandits was wounded.

INVESTIGATION of the attempted bribery of senators to vote against the tariff bill was begun in Washington Senators Kyle and Hunton and Buttz, the alleged briber, were before the

committee. At Niagara Falls, Buffalo, Dansville and Rochester, N, Y., great damage was done by high water.

THE new constitution of Hawaii provides that the new government is to be called the Republic of Hawaii. cabinet will consist of five members and the senate and house of fifteen members each, congress to meet every two years, the sessions to be limited to ninety days, and all members must be able to read and write the English language. The new constitution will be presented to the convention on May 30 for its approval.

A MAN WITH A HISTORY.

The Terrible Experience That Befell John W. Thomas, of Theta, Tennessee.

Afflicted with a Peculiar Disease-His Body Covered with Lumps-Could Not Eat and Thought He Was Going to Dry Up-His Recovery the Marvel of Tennessee.

[From the Nashville, Tenn., Banner.] Mr. John W. Thomas, Jr., of Theta, Tenn., is a man with a most interesting history. present he is interested in blooded horses for which Maury County is famous.
"Few people, I take it," said Mr. Thomas

to a reporter who had asked him for the story of his life, "have passed through as re-markable a chain of events as I have and remained alive to tell the story "It was along in 1884, when I was working in the silver mines of New Mexico, that my troubles began; at first I suffered with indigestion, and so acute did the pains be-come that I went to California for my health,

but the trip did me little good, and fully im-

pressed with the idea that my last day

nearly dawned upon me, I hurried back here to my old home to die.
"From simple indigestion my malady de-"From simple indigestion my mixed veloped into a chronic inability to take any substantial food, I was barely able to creep times I was prostrated by

district of Tennessee.

The prohibitionists in state convention at Oakland, Cal., nominated a full state ticket, headed by Henry French, of Santa Clara, for governor.

The populists in the Second district My condition on September 1st, was simply the Language of the Clarate of Santa Clarate of Second S horrible, I weighed but seventy pounds. whereas my normal weight is 165 pounds. All over my body there were lumps from the size of a grape to the size of a walnut, my fingers were cramped so that I could not more than half straighten them. I had entirely lost control of my lower limbs and my hand trembled so that I could not drink without spilling the liquid. Nothing would remain on my stomach, and it seemed that I must dry up before many more days had

> 'I made another round of the physicians, calling in one after the other, and by the aid of morphine and other medicines they

> Here Mr. Thomas displayed his arms, and just above the elbow of each there was

a large irregular stain as large as the palm of the hand and of a purple color, the space covered by the mark was sunken nearly to the bone. "That," said Mr. Thomas, "is what the doctors did by putting morphine

"On the 11th of December, 1893, just eight months after I took permanently to bed-I shall never forget the date—my cousin, Joe Foster, of Carters' Creck, called on me and gave me a box of Dr. Williams' Pink for Pale People, saying they had cured him of partial paralysis, with which I knew he had all but died. I followed his directions TESTIMONY given in a Canadian diand began taking the medicine, as a result I stand before you to-day the most surprised man on earth. Look at my hand, it is as steady as yours; my face has a healthy look about it; I have been attending to my duties for a month. Since I began taking the pills I have gained 30 pounds, and I am still gaining. All the knots have disapreared from my body except this little kernel here in my palm. I have a good ap-petite and I am almost as strong as I ever

was.
"Yesterday I rode thirty-seven miles on horseback. I feel tired to-day but not sick. I used to have from two to four spells of heart palpitation every night, since I began the use of the pills I have had but four spells

the use of the pills I have had but four spells altogether.

"I know positively that I was cured by Dr. Williams' Pink Pills, and I believe firmly that it is the most wonderful remedy in existence to-day, and every fact I have presented to you is known to my neighbors as well as to myself, and they will certify to the truth of my remarkable cure."

Dr. Williams' Pink Pills for Pale People are not a patent medicine in the sense that name implies. They were first compounded as a prescription and used as suchin general practice by an eminent physician. So great was their efficacy that it was deemed wise to place them within the reach of all. They are now manufactured by the Dr. Williams' Medicine Company, Schenectady, N. Y., and are sold in boxes (never in loose form by the dozen or hundred, and the public are cautioned against numerous imitations sold in this shape) at 50 cents a box. or six boxes for \$2.50, and may be had of all druggists or direct by mail from Dr. Williams' Medicine Company.

"It's a lucky thing," said the sad-eyed mon decency would then have compelled me to let up on sarcastic remarks about his not knowing good poetry when he saw it."—Washington Star.

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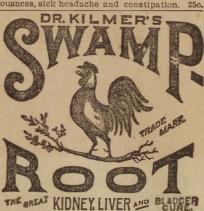
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WHEN POLLY TAKES THE AIR.

A little wicker basket rolls Along the pavement walk, And at the sight, the young and old Begin to laugh and talk,

And wave fair hands, and kisses throw, And cry: "Look here!" "See there!" "This way it comes'"--and all because Sweet Polly takes the air!'

The newsboys run and shout with glee,

And follow on behind,
The coachman and the footman gaze
As if they had a mind

To do the same—the good old priest Stands still with solemn stare, Sweet Polly takes the air!

From every window shines a head
Of clustering, golden curls,
And every door grows bright with throng
Of merry boys and girls;
The butler and the maid forget
To work—as on the stair
The peep and pry, with curious eye,
When Polly takes the air!

And all the while sweet Polly sits
In dainty gown and hat,
And smiles on one she loves the best,
Her pretty Maltese cat—
And soitly coos, when pussy purrs,
Without a thought or care

vithout a thought or care
w all the town turns upside down
Vhen Polly takes the air!
—Zitella Cocke, in Youth's Companion.



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CHAPTER XX. A GLEAN OF HOPE

Le Fevre never released his hold on my collar till we were out of sight of

about it; but I've got my senses, and you've lost yours. You want to do something desperate and foolish."

"Let me go!" I cried. "I'll kill him." "Come along, I say, you young idiot! What good would it do to kill him? That would only make things worse her, don't you?

'I'll die before I leave her here in that man's power! I would—"

"Yes, I know how you feel. I've got some feeling myself on the subject. and there go ashore. I've got a plan, too; but I tell you flatly, Dorr Jewett, if you don't come along with me and quit your crazy notion of taking the girl out of the house by force, with those roughs standing between, I'll go my own way, and leave graph can overhaul us, and we will you to your destruction."

His words calmed me; I ceased to resist, and followed him as he strode hrough the came. His hopeful words, his strong confidence in himself put money; that and a little adroitness new life into me; I leaned on him as upon a human providence.

He never stopped till he reached the edge of the great swamp, more than a quarter of a mile back of the house. It was overgrown with scrub oak and cypress; festoons of Spanish moss, ivy, and other parasites ran from tree to tree; where the heat had dried the with laughter. edges of the swamp for many rods, a mosquitoes gave us a warm greeting.

"We shan't be overheard here," said my companion. "I'll make a smoke to save us from being devoured alive."

He lit a cigar and consumed it with short, emphatic puffs. I watched his face anxiously, and saw that his square under-jaw was set, and that he was thinking hard. Suddenly he put the question to me:

"What do you think of me, anyway, Dorr Jewett?"

A little disconcerted by the abruptness of the question, I presently answered, and told him the exact truth:

"When I first came here, I thought you were rough and cruel to the negroes. Afterward I found out that you were more rough than cruel; and still later, I have known you for a good friend."

"Yes; that's pretty near the truth. Before I tell you my plan, I want you to know enough about me to under- ted. The stress and suspense of the stand that I am not coming to your I'll face it; and you must know it. I had been pictured to me. I suppose the real thing strikes different people from the north in different ways; some might have seen all that I've seen, and be confirmed in their notions of the institution. I haven't been, Contact with the negro in this state, where there are as many of him as there is of the white man, has made me rapidly toward Donaldsonville. believe that a condition of slavery is a good thing, the only thing for him."

"But Coralie-" "Hold on; I'm coming to her. Such has been my opinion. In a single day I am brought face to face with the ugheard of such things as this. I never of the negro women who listened in supposed that the facts must be dis- for some hint as to what was to betorted and evaggerated. Now, there is | come of herself and "the people" of him not-but he done would do it."

pened on this plantation. I won't sicken you by reminding you of what may happen. You'd say, I would say, almost every planter in the La Fourche would agree, that the treatment which that beautiful white girl--I tell you it just as it is-is likely to receive at the hands of her own kin, her half-brother, just as you heard him threaten itis more than brutal. Sir, it is damnable!

He stamped his foot in his excitement.

"And the law would permit it?" "The law would ask just one question: Was her mother a slave? We know what the answer would be in

this case. Nothing else would be regarded." "Must we submit to such a mon-

strous condition of law?" I cried. He looked fixedly at me.

"Boy, you've got spirit; you need to be guided, but you've the true stuff. The girl's safety and deliverance are a thousand times more to you than to me; yet hang me if the fix she's in don't appeal to me in a way that I can't And if you ask me if we shall submit to have Coralie sent to New Orleans and sold like a horse to a condition worse than death I say no! by the good mother that bore me, I won't!"

I pass the words I said to him, the thanks I tried to give him. He cut them all short.

"Never mind that, Dorr. I'm with you, heart and hand; you be guided by me, and we'll save her or-"

He stopped. "Perhaps you didn't know that if you are caught trying to abduct a slave in Louisiana they'll send you to the Baton Rouge penitentiary for a term

"I did not know it, and don't care for it. Tell me what we shall do."

His own excited feelings found relief in a laugh at my eager reckless-ness. Rapidly he laid his plans before me. I considered it as he spoke, and saw that it offered a chance of success.

He said that men of the class of Conthe house, among the cane. I think that I held back a little.

"Come along," he said brusquely.

"I'm as much stirred up as you are wine bottle and cards. He proposed to communicate stealthily with Coralic through the faithful house servants, and after midnight get her quietly out of the house and drive to Donaldsonville, taking carriage and ponies from the place. He knew that the Cotton Queen stopped at Donaldsonville about for you and the girl. You want to help daylight, going up, and that to-morrow was her day. We would go far enough to reach the vicinity of a railroad, short of any of the cities where we might be overtaken by telegraph,

> "We can throw off the pursuit in this way," he said. "We can land at some obscure wood station. It must be this side of Baton Rouge, if the Queen stops there, for there the telestrike across the country to some equally obscure railroad station. I'll defy them to find us when we are clear of the river. I have plenty of will carry us safe through to Canada within a week."

"Le Fevre, you're a noble fellow. If

"Don't bother yourself," he laughed. "We're not there yet."
A convulsion of mirth seized him.

He sat down in the grass and shook

"You needn't fear I'm going crazy, thick growth of palm bushes had Dorr. But suppose anyone had said to me three days ago: 'Wash Le Fevre, our approach, and a cloud of ravenous you think you're a good deal of a southern man, now, don't you? And you think slavery is about the thing for the nigger, don't you? Well, next week you'll be trying to run off a slave to Canada.' Suppose any man had said that to me! I'd a struck him, if he was as big as a mountain. And now look at me!"

"Circumstances change all of us." "They do, indeed. Now to work. I'll go and feel round among the house people, keeping carefully out of sight Go get into the shade, and stay there till you hear from me. I don't want you with me yet; you're too rash. I'll send one of the boys out here with something to eat. Here's some cigars; these confounded 'skeeters would eat you up alive.'

CHAPTER XXI. FLIGHT AND PURSUIT.

In these concluding chapters of my narrative, many details must be omitsituation at which we have now ar help blindfolded. I know the risk, and rived in its progress are acting upon me somewhat as the real scenes of told you I was born in Pennsylvania. thirty years ago affected me, and I Ten years and more, I've been in must go rapidly forward to the close. Louisiana. I came down here with a lt may therefore be said that the skill head full of the horrors of slavery, as it and management of Le Fevre, with the friendly aid of the house servants, put in successful operation the initiative of the plan of escape that he had de-A little after midnight Coralie and I were in a carriage that had been brought by a roundabout plantation road some distance above the house. Le Fevre took the reins, and drove

He had judged rightly as to what the occupation of Conrad Bostock and his boon companions was likely to be on this night. A good account of their roysterings, and of the mauner in which Coralie's flight was discovered, liest aspect of the whole problem. I've was afterward furnished to me by one knew any such personally. I have trepidation at the parlor door, anxious

no mistake. We know what has happened on this plantation. I won't the rumor that the "new maussa" intended to sell them all, and let the plantation to some one who could stock it; and Bess was endeavoring to secure early information of his real

The new proprietor had discovered the repository of the wine, and a dozen dusty bottles had been brought up. When sufficient of their contents had been drunk to make the party merry, cards were produced, and gambling commenced. There seemed to be plenty of money among them, and the game was continued with varying success till midnight, when Conrad was largely the winner.

The bottle had circulated freely, and the depraved men were ready for anything that would yield new excite-

"Two thousand dollars against that girl!" Gardette shouted.

"Done!" said Bostock. The cards were dealt, and the others stood close by the table to watch the game. Gardette lost.

"Another chance!" he demanded.

"Yes," said the winner. This time Gardette won.

"The girl is mine!" he shouted, ex-

"We'll play again," Conrad clamored.

"O, no. I'm content. You've won enough, to-night, to stop." "You'll play again, the girl against

two thousand dollars, or you'll fight!" the other insisted. Both were inflamed with wine, and the excitement of gaming, which is greater than that of wine. Pistols were drawn, and one or both would have fallen; but at this moment their companions intervened and persuaded

Gardette, for the sake of peace, to consent to one more game. It was played with the same stakes. Gardette lost. With an oath, he swal-

lowed another glass, and said: "This is a good deal like a farce Con. Here we've been playing for the girl for the last hour, and as the game turns, you'll keep her. But suppose I'd won at the end?"

"Then you'd take her."

"Maybe you couldn't deliver her." "Why not?"

"I don't know; I'm only talking. But I happened to think, while the game was going on, and it was doubtful who'd be her master, what a silly lot we were to be playing for something that none of us might ever set eyes on again."

"Now, Gardette, what the devil d'ye mean?"

"Only a suspicion; that's all. Here you shut yourself up with your friends and enjoy yourself half the night. leaving that long-headed overseer and that hot-blooded young chap with him to kick up all kinds of deviltry with your even asked where they've gone, or whether they've gone at all or not. There's been time and chance enough for them to run all your niggers to the

"They wouldn't dare. They could never hide 'em, and-"

"Hadn't you better look for your self?" said Gardette, with a sneer.

Conrad Bostock, irritated but not flung it open. Bess tried to get away, but he sprang after her and seized her by the arm.

"What are you doing here, you



"YOU PLAY AGAIN."

wench?" he demanded, shaking her by the shoulder.

"Nothing, maussa." "Where's the overseer, and that

young fellow?" The woman hesitated. "Aha!" said Gardette. "Tell me, you

black scarecrow-or I'll cut your heart

"Dey done gone to Don'son,' screamed the frightened woman. "How long ago?"

"'Bout an hour, maussa." "Who went with them?"

"O maussa-"Tell, you wench-or I'll cut your

throat! One of the men handed him a knife The woman cried and begged. 'Tell me the truth, then, or you

die!" "Missy Coral went wiv 'em. all goin' to de nawf."

With an oath the infuriated master dung the woman off, and rushed for the stables, followed by his companions. Everything on wheels was

hopelessly disabled. "Who did this?" he thundered, to the

trembling negro in charge. I begged "Maussa Le Fevre, sah.

"Where's the other horses-and the mules?'

"He done turn 'em all outen de cane."

"Go eatch them-quick!"

"I'll try, maussa—but de night dark, an' it takes long time to find 'em.'

With a blow of his fist, the enraged master knocked the unoffending negro against the side of the stable, and returned to the house for a consultation with his friends. It was agreed that nothing better could be done than to wait for the morning boat up the bayou.

Three hours after daylight they were at Donaldsonville. Jumping ashore, they learned that the Cotton Queen, an hour late, had left twenty minutes be-

"Run to the telegraph office, Gardette," cried Bostock. "Send full particulars to the officers at Baton Rouge,



"TELL ME THE TRUTH OR YOU DIE!"

and tell them to arrest and detain the party. Sign my name."

He went out himself to the low bank and saw the steamer plowing her course far up the river. The very air might have turned blue with his curses.

TO BE CONTINUED.

IMPERIOUS DRUG CLERKS.

They Will Not Admit That a Customer Knows What He Wants.

It requires some nerve and the display of an acute presence of mind to enter a drug store and inquire for a particular thing and to take no other thing in place of it, says the New York Nobody understands better than the average drug clerk the feeble character of the human will, and no body than he better appreciates his own superior position. If I should go into an eating house and want frogs' legs and no frogs' legs were to had there nothing would be thought people. You're a nice man to run a of the circumstance if I should move plantation, aint you? You haven't on to some other place for what I even asked where they've gone, or wanted. Nobody would call out the rest of the force to stare at me. body would tell me I really didn't mean frogs' legs, but wanted to get a wholly different thing. Nobody would sneeringly remark that they never heard of such a thing, that it wasn't down on the bill of fare printed for their house, and therefore frogs' legs were not in the market. Nobody would. apprehensive, started for the door and when I told them that I had seen frogs legs in another restaurant not far away, insinuate that I was either mistaken orlying. Not at all. They would merely permit me to go away and hunt up my frogs' legs and enjoy them wherever I might find them.

The average drug clerk is a very different sort of an individual to deal Coxey, Browne and Jones, the Commonwith. Not to be too sweeping in this remark let me say some of these licensed practitioners on the public credulity are a trifle too smart for comeveryday mundane affairs. have had them not only subject me to all of the above conditions, but absolutely go so far as to further relieve me of the strain of thinking to the extent of putting up something unasked for and by them pronounced just as good or better. And I never found that pe-culiar method of doing business in all my varied dealings with my other fellow men. There is food for philosophical reflection in this. Now it is said that certain patent medicine firms of a competitive character offer pecuniary inducements to dealers for pushing goods on the market, and this will account for some of the peculiarities of the business, but it will not account for all of them. Only the All-see. ing One who graciously stands between us and morphine put up as seidlitz powders can do that.

Whistling Fireworks.

The people of London are very much interested in the whistling fireworks which have long ceased to be regarded over here as a pyrotechnic marvel. The popular notion among the Britons is that gas generated by combustion of the fiery composition actually blows a whistle, but this supposition is errone ous. So far as can be determined by the pyrotechnists themselves, the screaming noise is due to the violent combustion of the picrate of potash with which the little tubes of the fireworks are stuffed. Experiments have been made with other materials, but picrate of potash is the only combustible substance discoverable that will give anything more than a faint imitation of a whistle.

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TO GOVERN HAWAII.

Some Features of the Proposed New Constitution.

Honolulu, May 15, via San Francisco, May 23.—The constitutional convention, the members of which were elected on May 3, will meet on May 30. The new constitution will be presented to the convention for its approval. Its main features are as follows:

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The new government is to be called the Republic of Hawaii. The executive power will be vested in the president. The executive council will consist of five members instead of four as at present, a minister of health and education being added. The upper house will consist of fifteen senators. The qualification of a senator will be that he shall be 30 years old, shall be able to read and write the English language, shall have resided in the islands three years, shall own property of not less than \$5,000 in value and shall have an income of \$1,200 a year.

53,000 in value and shall have an income of \$1,200 a year.

The assembly or lower house is to consist of fifteen members, six from the Island of Oahu and three each from Hawaii, Maui and Kaui. They will serve for two years only. A member of the assembly must be a citizen of Hawaii or a citizen of any country, which has travit. or a citizen of any country which has treaty relations with Hawaii, and have resided in the islands for at least a year. He must be able to read and write the English or must be able to read and write the English or Hawalian language, except in case of those who voted in the recent elections to whom this requirement does not apply. Meetings of the legislature are to be held every two years. Each session is to be limited to ninety days and neither house can adjourn more than two days without the consent of the other. The president will have the power of veto, which can be overruled by a two-thirds vote of both houses. It is the present intention to have President Dole reappointed for a term of two years, probably six, after which the offices will be filled by regular elections. It is more likely that the present ministers will be retained for a year, as their appointment rests with the president.

The new constitution can be amended or re-

The new constitution can be amended or revised in the ordinary way, but it is expressly stipulated that amendments containing a proposition for the establishment of a monarchical form of government shall not be pre-

The claim is now made that when the republic is declared the natives will make the looked-for uprising. Royalist leaders say they are only restrained by the expressed wish of the ex-queen, who still has great faith in the United States.

BINS RUN LOW.

An Actual Coal Famine Imminent in

Many States. Indianapolis, Ind., May 22.-The consumers of coal is this city expect a coal famine. The operators say there has not been a carload of coal mined in the state since April 21, and the supply is almost exhaus ed

CHICAGO, May 22.—The effect of the prolonged strike of the miners is beginning to make itself felt in a most disagreeable manner all over the coun-Dispatches from many localities say that factories are being closed down because of a scarcity of coal, and railroads are running with little more than half a supply. In several instances they have been compelled to take coal consigned to dealers for their own use. When President McBride, of the Miners' association, was in the city short time ago he said that if the strike continued for three weeks longer there would not enough coal in the country to boil a tea-kettle. The recent convention of the men and the operators held at Cleveland having come to naught, it seems that Mr. McBride's forecast was correct. All negotiations between the men and the operators have now been broken off and nothing remains but to wait until the men are ready to return to their work or others are found to take their places.

IN A PRISON CELL.

weal Leaders, Sent to Jall. WASHINGTON, May 22. - Coxey, Browne and Jones have been sentenced by Judge Miller in the Washington police court to twenty days in for violating the statute of the United States prohibiting the display of partisan banners in the capitol grounds, and Coxey and Browne were fined five dollars each additional for trespassing on the grass, the alternative being another ten days in jail. Jones was acquitted on this last charge.

At five minutes of 2 o'clock Coxey, Browne and Jones with handcuffs on their wrists were placed in the "Black Maria" with a dozen white and negro workhouse prisoners (who were not handcuffed) as companions, and the van immediately conveyed them to the jail. Coxey did not relish free transportation on such a basis, and when he was told that he was to be taken to the District prison he asked to be allowed to go in a carriage, but his request was not granted, and he and his companions were compelled to ride the same as other prisoners. A score of policemen patrolled the sidewalks adjacent to the courthouse after the sentence was given and prevented the curious from assembling thereabout.

FOR POOR BORROWERS.

New York Millionaires Establish a Pawnshop.

NEW YORK, May 22.—Cornelius Vanderbilt and thirty other New York millionaires opened their loan office Monday morning at Fourth avenue and Twenty-second street. The organization, which will be known as the Provident Loan society, was authorized by the last legislature, and originated with Rev. David II. Greer, rector of St. Bartholomew's church. The society was formed with the special object of assisting the poor, and money will be loaned on personal property for the full value of the goods pledged at the rate of 1 per cent. a month.

KINGSTON

some o' our G.A.R.boys were at the State encampment at Rockford last week and a very pleasant time was re-

Jno. Uplinger and Jake Dunlaywere at O ego i last week repairing windmill tower on Wallace Heckman's

E. Stiles, of Genoa, was seen on our streets last Friday.

At a meeting of the Knights of the Globe last Friday night, F. M. Lentz was appointed delegate to attend the convention to be held at Freeport, May 23, 1894.

P. O. Baker was over from Belvidere last Sunday, visiting with his parents. Mr. and Mrs. Nathan Baker.

A representative of the Kirkland Reporter was in town Monday, writing up the business houses of the town and looking after other business inter-

"Doc" McLean went to Chicago

Hunt & Fuller returned last week from a business trip through Ogle Co.

D. Syme, of Sycamore, was in town last Siturday.

Miss Anta Dunbar, of Kirkland, wis in town last Saturday.

The delegates chosen last Saturday at the Republican causus to attend he convention to be held at Sycamore Wednesday were Henry Worf, H. F Cranch, B. M. Stark, F. H. Palmer, G. H. Hunt and A. V. Pierce.

The concert given at Herbert Saturday evening by our elocution class was well attended and the program was a very pleasing one. The proceeds were given to the Baptist church at that

Elmer Saum youngest son of Sanford Saum, passed away last Tuesday at 11:45 a. m. He has been a sufferer for many months from heart disease and dropsy, but was always patient and bor has sufferings bravely. The funeral was held at the M. E. church on Wednesday and was largely at tended.

At the Republican caucus held here last Saturday there were 71 votes cast with the following result: For County Judge, C. A. Bishop 71; For county clerk, A. S. Kinsloe 71; For sheriff, R. J. Holcom > 32; For school superintendent, L. M. Gross 71; For Treasurer, J W. Foster 62: Coroner, S. D. Whitney

One day last we saw a mysterious looking board carried into the bank building. It was of large dimensions and we thought perhaps W. W. was going to use it as a display board for his collection of arrow points and postage stamps, but Mrs. Cole upset that theory by informing us that it was a bulletin board and was intended exclusivly for circus bills, but it was only large enough for one bill and therefore would bring one comp. ticket. But the banker informed us that one was enough as he had rather go to a circus alone any way.

SYCAMORE.

Mrs. Grace Oblimacker has come Buggies, home to make a visit before moving to her new home in Cleveland, Ohio,

Mr. DeW tt Green a former Sycamore merchant, now of Chicago, made a short visit here this week

Dr. and Mrs. James Harned, of Rockford, visited with Mr. Harned's Also some fine specimens of their parents here.

Rev. Preston and wife, of Michigan, are guests of Miss Eva Hall. Mr Preston; is a Congregational minister. He occupied the pulpit at the Congregational church on Sunday evening.

R. Holcomb received the majority of Preston for coroner.

county seat on Sa urday last taking not handle them." the teachers examination.

Miss Jone Shurtleff has gone to Belvidere to make an extended visit with her sister, Mrs. V. I. Clark.

Mrs. Beckwith, of Sterling has been visiting her sister, Mrs. Mary Jenness, goods, and sell them for a larger who is in poor health.

John Brown and daughter, of Elgin, have been visiting with Geo. Brown of COUNTRY to DUPLICATE this plays.

The Roney Concert Company, of STOCK. Chicago was at the Opera House on Tuesday night. They came under the aespices of the Episcopal church, ment of five or six jobs, as many Okarlie Davidson the boy soprano so- dealers do, but consider an in-Yoist is the successor of Blatchford voice of thirty or forty worthy of Karanau, and is the leading boy notice. the program was exceptionally line. They have appeared in Sycamore before and have warm admirers here.

A young daughter of Mr. Johnson, who lives on the Dayton farm east of town while leading a horse to water and her leg broken by the horse stepp-

Mrs. John Pratt, wife of the attorney for the Great Western R. R. had a slight shock of paralysis on Wednesd y.

About seven of the teachers of Waterma : Hall do not intend returning next year and applications are being received, nearly 170 are already on file. Miss May Dimon. of Creston, is the the guest of Anna Cottrell.

One of Geo. Helson's young horses got tangled in a barb wire fence a few days ago and so badly cut itself that it had to be killed.

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