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MERCHANT TAILOR & GENT'S FURNISHER.

LOCAL NEWS JOTTINGS.

Personal Notes, Happenings, Etc Pertaining to Genoa.

Will Schneider is improving.

E. Sisson Chicagoed, Tuesday.

Fred Holroyd Sycamore, Monday.

John Hadsall Chicagoed, Saturday.

Miss Maude Wyde is slowly recovering.

Mrs. John Hadsall has been on the sick list.

Ira J. Mix was out from Chicago, Tuesday.

Edwin Hoye was up from Kirkland, Saturday.

Miss Lilly Downing spent Sunday in Sycamore.

Ask Buttler about the fish he and Fred caught.

Stan Pfraim is nursing a felon on his right hand.

Ed. Donohue, of Sycamore, was a Sunday caller.

Rev. F. F. Farniloe was in town last Saturday.

—Brace up! Good suspenders for 10c at E. Crawford's.

D. M. Gibbs is entertaining a friend from New York.

Mayor Hutchison was in Elgin on business Monday.

Messrs Lloyd and Waitt were in Sycamore, Monday.

Dr. Billig was in Cortland on business Saturday.

Rev. Father Huith was here from Hampshire, Monday.

Corwin Lawyer took in the sights at Belvidere on Saturday.

N. P. Thurber is entertaining a brother from Wisconsin.

—Muslin, just think of it, only 5c. a yard at E. Crawford's.

A. J. Carlton, of Chicago, is the guest of Charles Williams.

Miss Ruby Flint has entirely recovered from her recent illness.

Miss Grace Schoonmaker was here from Hampshire over Sunday.

—Of course we sell Rockford socks for 5c. Always did. E. Crawford.

M. S. Campbell was at Marengo last Thursday, so the Republican says.

—Desirable lots and residence property for sale. D. S. Brown.

A. U. Schneider returned last Friday from an extended visit in Chicago.

Try that dry willow stove wood at Cohoon's. Just right for this weather.

Don't forget to nail down your real estate and "tie the dog loose" tonight.

The W. C. T. U. will meet with Mrs. John Patterson on Saturday afternoon.

Mrs. Goldman visited her sister in Chicago, over Sunday, who has been ill.

There are no new cases of typhoid fever. All those afflicted are recovering.

W. L. Sisley came up from Hampshire, Monday, and gave Dr. Billig a call.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred King, of Cherry Valley, visited at C. F. Kezar's last week.

—A choice assortment of night robes for all sexes, just arrived at E. Crawford's.

Cynde and Fred Farniloe, of Rockford, were visiting friends here on Sunday.

—An overall better than the usual 75c. grade; we are selling for 50c. E. Crawford.

Miss Jessie Oakley was here from Hampshire Sunday, the guest of Miss Zina Smith.

Mrs. W. L. Sisley and Mrs. C. H. Backus and son were here from Hampshire last Friday.

—F. O. Holtgren has just received his new fall clothing. Call early and get first choice.

A. C. Senska is putting in a concrete floor in F. B. Townsend's barn at New Lebanon this week.

Charles Corson returned from Sherburn, Minnesota, Tuesday night with a car load of cattle.

The Marengo Republican notes th visit here last week of Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Dunbar.

—Ladies' and children's underwear, a splendid variety at way down prices at E. Crawford's.

Do you want a splendid bargain in good base burner and wood stove? If so, apply to Jas. Hutchison.

The Y's will have an "At Home" at the residence of A. H. Clefford next Friday night, November 8th.

The Mark Master degree was conferred on three Genoaites by the Sycamore Chapter Monday night.

It's nearly time to lay away your light weight underwear. Holtgren has just received his new fall stock.

The chance of a life time to decorate your homes with elegant pictures free. Go to Lane's and see them.

Wanted—Boarders by the day or week in the Randolph House, Genoa. MRS. C. M. COLE. 2-t

—Boys' Stanley caps 15c. Our \$1 reliable shirts close at 61c, Cheap Charley, 18 and 20 Douglas Ave., Elgin.

Mrs. Luella Hoye, of Kirkland, was here last week arranging to give lessons in elocution. We wish her success.

J. D. Page has secured an expert coat maker and is now prepared to do your tailoring. Crawford's opera house.

They are good from the very first morning, Buckwheat cakes made from that kiln-dried buckwheat Sold by Slater.

Several of the young people from this place attended a party out in the country last Friday night at the home of Wrate Hill.

—Say, why don't you try DeWitt's Little Early Risers? These little pills cure headach, indigestion and constipation. They're small, but do the work. F. T. Robinson, Genoa; L. C. Shaffer, Kingston.

Word was received here Monday of the death of Thos. McDonald at Pueblo, Col., formerly a resident of Genoa. He is the father of Fred McDonald, of Ney, and Mrs. J. C. McCornack, of Pingree Grove.

A stranger walked out of C. E. Paige's store the other day with a pair of gloves without putting up the requisite. He was followed and brought back to the store where he quickly put up the cash. No arrests.

—Acts at once, never fails. One Minute Cough Cure. A remedy for asthma, and that feverish condition which accompanies a severe cold. The only harmless remedy that produces immediate results. F. T. Robinson, Genoa; L. C. Shaffer, Kingston.

Mrs. J. H. Evans and daughter are in our city again on their way home to the City, after spending a pleasant summer with friends at Ney and Genoa and also in our city.—Marengo Republican.

By a majority of thirty-one, the citizens of the little village of Turner, Ill. voted to bond the village for \$10,000 for water works. They are in the same condition as Genoa, not the slightest protection against fire.

—The healing properties of DeWitt's Witch Hazel Salve are well known. It cures eczema, skin affections and is simply a perfect remedy for piles. F. T. Robinson, Genoa; L. C. Shaffer, Kingston.

The Chicago Record of a recent date makes mention of the new telephone line which will connect Kingston and Genoa with Belvidere, Sycamore, Chicago and other large towns. They say that it is a "sure go" and should not hesitate in taking advantage of it when it comes.

The Kishwaukee River is so low at the present time that the bull heads and cat fish frequently get their horns fastened in the mud in the bottom of the river as they swim.

The fact that rain is needed, and needed badly too, does not need to be proven. Wells, cisterns, etc., have been nearly exhausted of their supply of water, to say nothing of the shocked corn waiting to be husked.

The minstrel company that will be here next Monday night will be an attraction worthy of your patronage.

—Both crisp and bright, They're soon out of sight, The housewife's delight, Oh, buy some tonight, That buckwheat at Slater's.

Hallowe'en falls on Oct. 31st. this year and the festive youth already has a program prepared for the evening. Better stack your gates, buggles etc. and set your dog on top of the heap.

—Popular prices moves millinery quickly. E. Crawford is selling millinery, and the latest things too, at very popular prices. Have you called yet.

John Fair, well known to many people here, was married at Cherry Valley last week to a Miss Slater, of that place. The groom is a highly estimable young man, and the bride one of Cherry Valley's fairest daughters.

—There many good reasons why you should use One Minute Cough Cure. There no reasons why you should not, if in need of help. The only harmless remedy that produces immediate results. F. T. Robinson, Genoa; L. C. Shaffer, Kingston.

George Schandelmeier, who suffered the loss of his left hand in a corn husker last Tuesday, is getting along as well as possible. After his hand had been amputated one of the arteries became untied, and had it not been for the timely arrival of the physician he would have died from loss of blood.

—It is a truth in medicine that the smallest dose that performs a cure is the best. DeWitt's Little Early Risers are the smallest pills, will perform a cure and are the best. F. T. Robinson, Genoa; L. C. Shaffer, Kingston.

We have sent out a number of statements of subscription. Will you kindly attend to same as we are in urgent need of the money. The amount may seem small to you, but when it is considered that there are a large number just like it, you will realize what it means to us.

—A. G. Bartley of Magic, Pa., writes: I feel it a duty of mine to inform you and the public that DeWitt's Witch Hazel Salve cured me of a very bad case of eczema. It also cured my boy of a running sore on his leg. F. T. Robinson, Genoa; L. C. Shaffer, Kingston.

The M. E. Parsonage last Friday night was the scene of a very pleasant reception tendered Rev. and Mrs. Rose. About seventy-five were present and assisted in making them welcome to their new charge Mr. and Mrs. Rose are splendid entertainers and made a very favorable impression on the guests. Refreshments were served.

—It's just as easy as. One Minute Cough Cure as anything else. It's easier to cure a severe cough or cold with it. Let your next purchase for a cough be One Minute Cough Cure. Better medicine; better results; better try it. F. T. Robinson, Genoa; L. C. Shaffer, Kingston.

Some time ago a horse belonging to Dr. Billig was injured by breaking through a bridge in the town of Cortland, which caused the doctor considerable trouble and expense. Last Saturday he went over to Cortland with the intention of suing the commissioners for damages, but a settlement was effected otherwise, they paying the doctor \$20.

—Nothing so distressing as a hacking cough. Nothing so foolish as to suffer from it. Nothing so dangerous if allowed to continue. One Minute Cough Cure gives immediate relief. F. T. Robinson, Genoa; L. C. Shaffer, Kingston.

In response to a very cordial invitation from Wrate Hill, a large number of his young Genoa and Kingston friends assembled at his home north of town last Friday evening. A highly enjoyable time was experienced by all who attended and the refreshments which were served were duly observed by all. Wrate's ability as an entertainer was greatly admired by his guests and every one was loath to depart for home when the "wee sma' hours" of the next morning arrived.

Miss Nellie Johnson is here from Chicago.

HEAVEN LOOKING ON.

Rev. Dr. Talmage Opens His Washington Campaign.

His Sermon Prefaced by a Graceful Tribute to Rev. Dr. Sunderland—All Heaven is Sympathetically Looking On.

Following was Rev. T. DeWitt Talmage's opening discourse to his new congregation in Washington, delivered to an audience that packed every portion of the sacred edifice, leaving hundreds disappointed outside. The subject was: "All Heaven Looking On," and the text:

Seeing we also are compassed about with so great a cloud of witnesses.—Hebrews xii. 1.

In this, my opening sermon in the national capital, I give you heartiest Christian salutation. I bethink myself of the privilege of standing in this historic church so long presided over by one of the most remarkable men of the century. There are plenty of good ministers beside Dr. Sunderland, but I do not know of any man except himself with enough brain to have stood successfully and triumphantly forty-three years in this conspicuous pulpit. Long distant be the year when that Gospel chieftain shall put down the silver trumpet with which he has marshaled the hosts of Israel, or sheathe the sword with which he has struck such mighty blows for God and righteousness. I come to you with the same Gospel that he has preached, and to join you in all kinds of work for making the world better, and I hope to see you all in your own homes and have you all come and see me, but don't all come at once; and without any preliminary discourses as to what I propose to do, I begin here and now to cheer you with the thought that all heaven is sympathetically looking on. "Seeing we also are compassed about with so great a cloud of witnesses."

Crossing the Alps by the Mont Cenis pass, or through the Mont Cenis tunnel, you are in a few hours set down at Verona, Italy, and in a few minutes begin examining one of the grandest ruins of the world—the Amphitheater. The whole building sweeps around you in a circle. You stand in the arena where the combat was once fought or the race run, and on all sides the seats rise, tier above tier, until you count forty elevations, or galleries, as I shall see fit to call them, in which sat the senators, the kings, and the twenty-five thousand excited spectators. At the sides of the arena, and under the galleries, are the cages in which the lions and tigers are kept without food, until, frenzied with hunger and thirst, they are let out upon some poor victim, who, with his sword and alone, is condemned to meet them. I think that Paul himself once stood in such a place, and that it was not only figuratively, but literally, that he had "fought with beasts at Ephesus."

The gala day has come. From all the world the people are pouring into Verona. Men, women and children, orators and senators, great men and small, thousands upon thousands come, until the first gallery is full, and the second, third, the fourth, the fifth—all the way up to the twentieth, all the way up to the thirtieth, all the way up to the fortieth. Every place is filled. Immensity of audience sweeping the great circle. Silence! The time for the contest has come. A Roman official leads forth the victim into the arena. Let him get his sword, with firm grip, into his right hand. The twenty-five thousand sit breathlessly watching. I hear the door at the side of the arena creak open. Out plunges the half-starved lion, his tongue athirst for blood, and with a roar that brings all the galleries to their feet, he rushes against the sword of the combatant. Do you know how strong a stroke a man will strike when his life depends upon the first thrust of his blade? The wild beast, lame and bleeding, slinks back toward the side of the arena; then, rallying his waning strength, he comes up with fiercer eye and more terrible roar than ever, only to be driven back with a fatal wound, while the combatant comes in with stroke after stroke, until the monster is dead at his feet, and the twenty-five thousand people clap their hands and utter a shout that makes the city tremble.

Sometimes the audience came to see a race; sometimes to see gladiators fight each other, until the people, compassionate for the fallen, turned their thumbs up as an appeal that the vanquished be spared; and sometimes the combat was with wild beasts.

To an amphitheatrical audience Paul refers when he says: "We are compassed about with so great a cloud of witnesses."

The fact is, that every Christian man has a lion to fight. Yours is a bad temper. The gates of the arena have been opened, and this tiger has come out to destroy your soul. It has lacerated you with many a wound. You have been thrown by it time and again, but in the strength of God you have been able to drive it back. I verily believe you will conquer. I think that the temptation is getting weaker and weaker. You have given it so many wounds that the prospect is that it will die, and you shall be victor, through Christ. Courage, brother! Do not let the sands of the arena drink the blood of your soul!

Once, in the ancient amphitheater, a

lion with one paw caught the combatant's sword and with his other paw caught his shield. The man took his knife from his girdle and slew the beast. The king, sitting in the gallery, said: "That was not fair; the lion must be slain by a sword." Other lions were turned out, and the poor victim fell. You cry: "Shame! shame!" at such meanness. But the King, in this case, is our brother, and He will see that we have fair play. He will forbid the rushing out of more lions than we can meet; He will not suffer us to be tempted above that we are able. Thank God! The King is in the gallery! His eyes are on us. His heart is with us. "Blessed are all they who put their trust in Him!"

I look again, and I see the angelic gallery. There they are; the angel that swung the sword at the gate of Eden, the same that Ezekiel saw upholding the throne of God, and from which I look away, for the splendor is insufferable. Here are the guardian angels. That one watched a patriarch; this one protected a child. That one has been pulling a soul out of temptation! All these are messengers of light! Those drove the Spanish Armada on the rocks. This turned Sennacherib's living hosts into a heap of one hundred and eighty-five thousand corpses. Those yonder chanted the Christmas carol over Bethlehem, until the chant awoke the shepherds. These, at creation, stood in the balcony of Heaven and serenaded the new-born world wrapped in swaddling clothes of light. And there, holier and mightier than all is Michael, the archangel. To command an earthly host gives dignity; but this one is leader of leader of the twenty thousand chariots of God, and of the ten thousand times ten thousand angels. I think God gives command to the archangel, and the archangel to the seraphim, and the seraphim to the cherubim, until all the lower orders of Heaven hear the command, and go forth on the high best.

Now, bring on your lions. Who can fear? All the spectators in the angelic gallery are our friends. "He shall give His angels charge over thee, to keep thee in all thy ways. They shall bear thee up in their hands, lest thou dash thy foot against a stone. Thou shalt tread upon the lion and adder; the young lion and the dragon thou shalt trample under foot."

Though the arena be crowded with temptations, we shall, with the angelic help, strike them down in the name of our God, and leap on their fallen carcases. Oh, bending throng of bright, angelic faces, and swift wings and lightning feet! I hail you, to-day, from the dust and struggle of the arena!

I look again, and I see the gallery of the prophets and apostles. Who are those mighty ones yonder? Hosea, and Jeremiah, and Daniel, and Isaiah, and Paul, and Peter, and John, and James. There sits Noah, waiting for all the world to come into the ark; and Moses, waiting till the last Red sea shall divide; and Jeremiah, waiting for the Jews to return; and John, of the Apocalypse, waiting for the swearing of the angel that Time shall be no longer. Glorious spirits! Ye were howled at; ye were stoned; ye were spit upon! They have been in the fight themselves, and they are all with us. Daniel knows all about lions. Paul fought with beasts at Ephesus.

In the ancient amphitheater, the people got so excited that they would shout from the galleries to the men in the arena: "At it again!" "Forward!" "One more stroke!" "Look out!" "Fall back!" "Huzza! huzza!" So in that gallery, prophetic and apostolic, they can not keep their peace. Daniel cries out: "The God will deliver thee from the mouth of the lions!" David exclaims: "He will not suffer thy foot to be moved!" Isaiah calls out: "Fear not! I am with thee! Be not dismayed!" Paul exclaims: "Victory through our Lord Jesus Christ!" That throng of prophets and apostles can not keep still. They make the welkin ring with shouting and hallelujahs.

I look again, and I see the gallery of the martyrs. Who is that? Hugh Latimer, sure enough! He would not apologize for the truth preached; and so he died, the night before swinging from the bed post in perfect glee at the thought of emancipation. Who are that army of six thousand six hundred and sixty-six? They are the Theban legion who died for the faith. Here is a larger host in magnificent array—eight hundred and eighty-four thousand—who perished for Christ in the persecutions of Diocletian. Yonder is a family group, Felicitas, of Rome, and her children. While they were dying for the faith she stood encouraging them. One son was whipped to death by thorns; another was flung from a rock; another was beheaded. At last the mother became a martyr. There they are, together—a family group in Heaven! Yonder is John Bradford, who said, in the fire: "We shall have a merry supper with the Lord to-night!" Yonder is Henry Voes, who exclaimed, as he died: "If I had ten heads, they should all fall off for Christ!" The great throng of the martyrs! They had hot lead poured down their throats; horses were fastened to their hands, and other horses to their feet, and thus they were pulled apart; they had their tongues pulled out by red-hot pinners; they were sewen up in the skins of animals, and then thrown to the dogs; they were dazed with combustibles and set on fire! If all

the martyrs' stakes that have been kindled could be set at proper distances, they would make the midnight, all the world over, bright as noonday! And now they sit yonder in the martyrs' gallery. For them the fires of persecution have gone out. The swords are sheathed and the mob hushed. Now they watch us with an all-observing sympathy. They know all the pain, all the hardship, all the anguish, all the injustice, all the privation. They can not keep still. They cry: "Courage! The fire will not consume. The floods can not drown. The lions can not devour. Courage! down there in the arena!"

What, are they all looking? This night we answer back the salutation they give, and cry: "Hail sons and daughters of the fire!"

I look again, and I see another gallery, that of eminent Christians. What strikes me strangely is the mixing in companionship of those who on earth could not agree. There I see Martin Luther, and beside him a Roman Catholic who looked beyond the superstitions of his church, and is saved. There is Albert Barnes, and around him the presbytery who tried him for heterodoxy! Yonder is Lyman Beecher, and the church court that denounced him! Stranger than all there is John Calvin and James Arminius! Who would have thought that they would sit so lovingly together. There is George Whitefield, and the bishops who would not let him come into their pulpits because they thought him a fanatic. There are the sweet singers, Toplady, Montgomery, Charles Wesley, Isaac Watts and Mrs. Sigourney. If Heaven had had no music before they went up, they would have started the singing. And there, the band of missionaries: David Abeel, talking of China redeemed; and John Seuder, of India saved; and David Brainerd, of the aborigines evangelized; and Mrs. Adoniram Judson, whose prayers for Barmah took Heaven by violence! All these Christians are looking into the arena. Our struggle is nothing to theirs. Do we, in Christ's cause, suffer from the cold? They walked Greenland's icy mountains. Do we suffer from the heat? They sweated in the tropics. Do we get fatigued? They fainted, with none to care for them but cannibals. Are we persecuted? They were anathematized. And as they look from their gallery and see us falter in the presence of the lions, I seem to hear Isaac Watts addressing us in his old hymn, only a little changed:

Must you be carried to the skies
On flowery beds of ease,
While others fought to win the prize,
Or sailed through bloody seas?

Toplady shouts in his old hymn:

Your harp, ye trembling saints,
Down from the willows take;
Loud to the praise of love divine,
Bid every string awake.

While Charles Wesley, the Methodist, breaks forth in his favorite words, a little varied:

A charge to keep you have,
A God to glorify;
A never-dying soul to save,
And fit it for the sky!

I look again, and I see the gallery of other galleries we have heard of; but these we knew. Oh! how familiar their faces! They sat at our tables, and we walked to the house of God in company. Have they forgotten us? Those fathers and mothers started us on the road of life. Are they careless as to what becomes of us? And those children: do they look on with stolid indifference as to whether we win or lose this battle for eternity? Nay; I see that child running his hand over your brow and saying: "Father, do not fret." "Mother, do not worry." They remember the day they left us. They remember the agony of the last farewell.

Though years in Heaven, they know our faces. They remember our sorrows. They watch this fight for Heaven. Nay; I see them rise up and lean over, and wave before us their recognition and encouragement. That gallery is not full. They are keeping places for us. After we have slain the lion they expect the king to call us, saying: "Come up higher!" Between the hot struggles in the arena I wipe the sweat from my brow, and stand on tiptoe, reaching up my right hand to clasp theirs in rapturous handshaking, while their voices come ringing down from the gallery, crying: "Be thou faithful unto death, and you shall have a crown!"

Sure I must fight if I would reign—
Be faithful to my Lord;
And bear the cross, endure the pain,
Supported by Thy word.

Thy saints in all this glorious war
Shall conquer, though they die;
They see the triumph from afar,
And setze it with their eye.

When that illustrious day shall rise,
And all thine armies shine
In robes of victory through the skies,
The glory shall be thine.

My hearers! shall we die in the arena or rise to join our friends in the gallery? Through Christ we may come off more than conquerors. A soldier, dying in the hospital, rose up in bed in the last moment and cried: "Here! here!" His attendants put him back on his pillow and asked him why he shouted "Here!" "Oh; I heard the roll-call of Heaven, and I was only answering to my name!" I wonder whether, after this battle of life is over our names will be called in the muster roll of the pardoned and glorified, and with the joy of Heaven breaking upon our souls, we shall cry: "Here! here!"

VISITS ATLANTA.

Presidential Day at the Cotton States Exposition.

Cleveland Receives a Cordial Greeting from the Southland—He Delivers a Notable Address—The Handshaking Ordeal.

Atlanta, Ga., Oct. 24.—No brighter or balmier sun ever shone over this particular portion of the Southland than that which dawned on Wednesday morning, Presidential day, at the Cotton States and International exposition.

The presidential party spent the morning quietly at the Aragon, where they remained until 11 o'clock. At 10 o'clock the military procession formed down town, and half an hour later passed the Aragon on its way out to the exposition. The military was not intended as an escort, and Mr. Cleveland and his official family were driven rapidly to the Exposition grounds. They reached the reviewing stand in front of the government building a few minutes before the head of the column of troops wound around the hill in front of the Administration building, past the Pennsylvania, New York and Fine Arts buildings.

Besides President Cleveland and Secretaries Carlisle, Lamont, Herbert, Smith, Morton and Postmaster-General Wilson on the reviewing stand, were Vice President Stevenson, Gen. Atkinson of Georgia, and exposition and city officials.

After the review the president delivered an address. He was introduced by President Collier, of the Exposition company, who referred to him as the man who had been intrusted with the duty of wiping out sectional issues and lines.

President Cleveland's appearance at the front of the stand was the signal for an outburst of applause from the multitude.

President Cleveland's Address.

The president said:

"Mr. President: On my own behalf and for my co-laborers in the executive branch of our government who have accompanied me, I thank you for your kind words of greeting. We are here to congratulate you and your associates upon the splendid successes of the exposition you have set upon foot and upon evidence you have here gathered chiefly illustrative of southern enterprise, southern industry and southern recuperation, but we are also here to claim a share in the pride of your achievement. No portion of our countrymen wherever found can exclusively appropriate the glory arising from these surroundings. They are proofs of American genius and industry, which are the joint possession of our people, and they represent triumphs of American skill and ingenuity in which all our citizens from the highest to the humblest have a proprietary right.

"It seems to me the thought may be suggested as not inappropriate to this occasion that what we see about us is an outgrowth of another exposition inaugurated on American soil more than a century ago, when a new nation was exhibited to the civilized world, guaranteed and protected by a constitution, which was ordained and established by the people of the United States with the declared purpose of promoting their general welfare, and securing the blessings of liberty to themselves and their posterity.

"A contemplation of the blessings vouchsafed to us by our government easily reminds us of the importance of a hearty and united cooperation in its support and protection. We should lovingly watch and guard it not only because we are recipients of its precious gifts, but for its own sake, and because it has been put in our hands in sacred keeping to prove to the world that man can be trusted with self government.

"I hope I may, therefore, be permitted in conclusion, to suggest, as a most important lesson taught by this occasion, the absolute necessity to our national health and welfare and consequently to our individual happiness as citizens of a careful discrimination in our support of politics and in our advocacy of political doctrines between those which prompt the promotion of the public welfare and those which simply seem to serve selfish or sectional interests. If we are to enjoy the blessings our government was framed to fairly and justly bestow, we shall secure them in due time by cultivating a spirit of broad American brotherhood and insisting upon such conduct as will, within the spirit of the Golden Rule, promote the general welfare.

The conclusion of the speech was greeted with cheers. Then the crowd called for Carlisle, and he arose and bowed, but refused to speak. Vice President Stevenson in the same manner acknowledged the shouts for him, and shook his head when the people called for a speech.

Shake the President's Hand.

President Collier announced that Mr. Cleveland would shake hands with the people if they would pass by in an orderly line. Instantly there was a break for the reviewing stand. Here and there ladies caught in the jam fainted, but that did not deter others. For an hour the president shook hands faster, he said, than ever before in his life.

Killed His Brother's Slayer.

Nashville, Tenn., Oct. 26.—At 2:30 o'clock Thursday Dibrell Walker shot and killed young Terry at the Union passenger depot in this city. Both are prominent young men of Cookeville, Tenn. They had come in on an excursion train. Some months ago Terry killed Walker's brother. Walker was drunk and sought a difficulty with Terry.

Brothers Are Slain.

Wagoner, I. T., Oct. 25.—Two brothers, Zeke and Dick Crittenden, both United States deputy marshals and Indian police, were shot and killed Thursday in the main street of Wagoner by Ed Reed, also a deputy United States marshal. Reed, becoming involved in a drunken quarrel with Zeke, shot him twice, Zeke getting in two shots at Reed as he fell.

WHOLESALE SLAUGHTER.

Continuation of the Armenian Riots—Nine Hundred Slain in Trebizond.

Constantinople, Oct. 28.—Details have been received from a Turkish source of the recent rioting at Erzingen, in Asiatic Turkey. It is said that the trouble had its origin in the killing of a Mussulman priest by an Armenian. The matter bitterly incensed the Mohammedans against the Armenians and an attack was made by the former upon the latter. The Armenians defended themselves, and in the fight that followed 50 Armenians and 10 Mohammedans were killed.

The governor of Bitlis, Asiatic Turkey, has telegraphed to the porte that a body of armed Armenians attacked the mosques in that city on Friday last—the Mohammedan Sabbath—while the Mohammedans were at prayers. The latter, being unarmed, had to defend their lives with sticks and stones. The officials were speedily informed of the outbreak and at once sent police, gendarmes and soldiers to all quarters of the town to restore peace. Some of the Armenians afterward barricaded themselves in khans and continued to use their firearms. A number of persons on both sides were killed or wounded.

London, Oct. 28.—The Daily News publishes letters from Trebizond, Turkish Armenia, stating that the number of victims in the recent rioting are estimated at 700 in the town and 200 in the surrounding villages. Many Armenian women have vanished and there is scarcely a doubt that they have been either murdered or kidnaped. Most of the houses occupied by Armenians were burned. There is great distress among the purveyors, who in large numbers are living in sheds or in the woods. Telegrams from Marash report that the situation there is serious and that the English and American missionaries are in peril.

WOULD-BE LYNCHERS.

A Mob Driven Back from the Tiffin (O.) Jail—Two Killed.

Tiffin, O., Oct. 23.—In an attempt early Sunday morning to avenge the murder of August Schultz, Tiffin's popular city marshal, who was shot down in cold blood by Leander J. Martin, alias Williams, a farmer of Hopewell township, last Wednesday evening, two more victims were added to the tragic affair. At 1:30 o'clock a mob of 150 infuriated men, many of whom were under the influence of liquor, attacked the jail in an effort to secure Martin and hang him. A volley from a half dozen Winchester met them and two of the mob were killed. They are: Henry Mutchler, Jr., and Christian Matz.

Early Sunday morning crowds began to gather in the vicinity of the jail, and Sheriff Van Nest, fearing further trouble, called out Company C, of the 16th regiment O. N. G., to maintain order. This company, which is stationed here, is not numerically strong, and the sheriff, thinking Capt. Loomis' men would be unable to cope with a more general civic uprising, telegraphed Gov. McKinley for more troops. The governor complied with the request, ordering three additional companies to the scene. During the day one company each came from Fremont and Sandusky, and late in the evening the company from Kenton arrived on the Big Four.

Victims of Forest Fires.

Green Bay, Wis., Oct. 23.—Information has reached this city from the Oneida reservation of the death of three children as a result of the forest fires raging in that region. A number of dwellings were burned, some of them on the reservation and others just outside. Among those destroyed was that of John Skandore. His three children were alone in the house. The fire came down on the neighborhood very rapidly with a sudden change of wind and several had a narrow escape from death. It is supposed the children became panic-stricken when the house took fire and were unable to help themselves.

Hurts the Reserve.

New York, Oct. 28.—The approach of the holiday trade is making a demand from jewelers for gold bars and is causing a loss in the treasury gold reserve. The jewelers present greenbacks at the subtreasury, for which they receive gold coin. They redeposit the coin and are given orders for gold bars on the assay office. The loss of gold to the treasury ranges from \$250,000 to \$750,000 a week. It is expected that the average will be high for some time to come. The same process is going on at other subtreasuries throughout the United States.

Will Meet in Washington.

Washington, Oct. 28.—John Willis Baer, general secretary of the United Societies of Christian Endeavor, has informed the committee in charge of the arrangements for the 15th international convention of the societies of Christian Endeavor that the recommendation of the Washington committee, that the convention be held in this city July 8 to 13 inclusive, 1896, had been approved by the trustees.

Mrs. Waller Calls on Herbert.

Washington, Oct. 26.—Mrs. John Waller, wife of the imprisoned ex-United States consul at Tamatave, Madagascar, had an interview with Secretary Herbert Friday morning, but did not call on Secretary Olney. She will call on Secretary Olney as soon as all the papers in behalf of her husband have been classified.

SLAIN IN BATTLE.

Spanish Forces Defeated in Cuba with Heavy Loss.

Santiago de Cuba, Oct. 17, via Key West, Fla., Oct. 29.—A party of insurgents, aided by several residents of the village of Hengolosongo, 12 miles from Cobre, set fire to Hengolosongo on the 12th inst. after seizing all the arms and ammunition they could find in the place. The volunteers went with the rebels. On the banks of the Bayamo river between Corajo and Santa Barbara, a short distance from the city of Bayamo, there was a short but bloody encounter on September 24 between part of the forces of the rebel leader Rabi, under his command, and a strong Spanish column, 800 in number, under Col. Tovar. The rebels were lying in ambush on the right and left of the road along which the Spaniards were advancing. They allowed the vanguard, 200 in number, to pass unmolested, as well as a section of guerillas, but when the main body of the column arrived 300 of Rabi's men, armed with rifles, opened fire from their positions and almost destroyed the main column.

After the fire had lasted an hour, Col. Tovar, seeing that he was losing many men, ordered his vanguard to be reformed, and ordered the use of the bayonet. Rabi lost no time, but with 250 of his famous cavaliers attacked the Spanish center and rear guard. The Spanish commander could not resist the attack, and ordered a hasty retreat, leaving on the field 40 killed and wounded whom his men were unable to carry with them. The rebels had five killed and ten wounded, and captured a quantity of arms and ammunition abandoned by the Spaniards. This engagement proves now untrue the report that Rabi and many of his men were about to surrender.

On September 25 the Spanish general Echague, with 2,500 soldiers, met the vanguard of Antonio Maceo on the Guayabal river, district of Holguin. The vanguard had been sent to draw on Echague and his men to the top of Chivo mountain, where Antonio Maceo was awaiting them with 2,000 infantry and 700 cavalry. During the march the rebels were constantly firing on the troops, and after three hours fighting the troops retired without daring to advance to the top of the mountain. The Spaniards had more than 80 killed and wounded, and five soldiers were taken prisoners. The rebels had three killed and nine wounded.

FURTHER TURKISH OUTRAGES.
Armenian Villages Destroyed and Men and Women Burned Alive.

Constantinople, Oct. 29.—Another terrible massacre of Armenians is reported to have occurred in the Baiburt district, between Erzeroum and Trebizond. According to the news received here a mob of about 500 Mussulmans and Lazes, the great majority of whom were armed with Martini-Henry rifles, made an attack on the Armenians inhabiting several villages of that vicinity, and set fire to their houses and schools. As the Armenians fled in terror from their dwellings they were shot down as they ran, and a number of men and women who were captured by the rioters, it is added, were fastened to stakes and burned alive. The Armenian women who fell into the hands of the mob, it is also asserted, were brutally treated and mutilated.

It is also reported that the churches were desecrated and the villages pillaged, the cattle and all the portable property of any value belonging to the Armenians being carried off by the marauders. During the disturbance 150 Armenians are reported to have been killed. The surviving villagers applied for protection to the governor of Baiburt, who, after hearing their complaint, sent three policemen to the scene of the massacre after the slaughter was ended. The Turkish officials, it is claimed, know the ringleaders of the outbreak, but apparently no steps have been taken to arrest them. The number of Armenians massacred at Erzingjan is now said to be several hundred.

CHANDLER FOR WAR.

Predicts a Conflict with England, in Which Russia Will Aid Us.

Concord, N. H., Oct. 29.—The following from the pen of Senator William E. Chandler is printed in his paper, the Monitor, under the caption: "Our Coming War with England. A Prediction:"

1. War between the United States and England is inevitable.
2. It will arise on account of British disregard of our direct interests.
3. It will also be forced by British encroachments upon other nations all over the world.
4. It will be fought by us having Russia as a European ally.
5. As a war offensive on our part it may not happen within twenty years. As a defensive war it may come sooner and should be welcomed.
6. One sure result will be the capture and permanent acquisition of Canada by the United States. W. E. CHANDLER.

The Agricultural Institution at Ames, Ia., Cannot Run Without Water.

Ames, Ia., Oct. 29.—The commencement of the Iowa agricultural college was to have been held in two weeks. The faculty and trustees decided Monday to close the college without further examinations, exercises or study. The cause is lack of water. A spring, the only supply of water for the entire college, suddenly failed Saturday. There is no water on the campus. The town of Ames is three miles from the college.

FRENCH CABINET RESIGNS.

Result of Government Defeat on Railway Scandal.

Paris, Oct. 29.—In the chamber of deputies Monday M. Rouanet, who has been prominent in exposing those who were connected with the Panama canal and Southern railway syndicates, questioned the government regarding the South of France railway scandal, it being alleged that a number of senators, deputies and others have made large profits out of the company by fair or unfair means. He declared that the good repute of parliament was involved and asked for explanations as to the partiality which had been shown toward those involved in the scandals, claiming that the authorities had been afraid to prosecute them because the deputies and senators involved with the



PRESIDENT FAURE.

late Baron Reinach, of Panama canal fame, had disposed of 8,850,000 francs in devious ways. On behalf of the southern railways he demanded that the minister of justice, M. Trarieux, publish the documents in the case which were in his possession and which would throw light on the subject.

M. Binder, a member of the right, then charged the minister of justice with culpable leniency and demanded that the guilty parties be punished.

M. Trarieux, minister of justice, replied, saying that whenever the government believed it had incriminating evidence it had prosecuted the parties involved. No deputy, he added, was included among the guilty parties. Amid continued radical interruptions, M. Trarieux managed to say in addition that several names were known to the government as having figured in the report of the expert, Flory, the official accountant, who made an inquiry into the finances of the South of France railroad. He was interrupted by excited cries of "Names! names!" In reply, M. Trarieux said: "Rouvier, Jules Roche, Etienne, Deloncle, Bardoux and others."

When he was able to make himself heard the minister of justice added that the majority of those whose names had been mentioned had explained their position, and he concluded with the remark: "The chamber knows the truth, and if parliament considers its dignity and honor compromised the government will join the chamber in voting for repressive measures, and in the face of these explanations asks the chamber for a vote of confidence."

Later M. Rouanet submitted a motion demanding that full light be thrown upon the south of France railroad scandals, asking the government to prosecute all those who have been found to be implicated in them and submit to the chamber the report of the expert who inquired into the finances of the company.

M. Ribot thereupon said it was useless to submit the expert's report, and as to the prosecutions, he added, the work of justice had been accomplished and could not be reopened.

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A FATAL LEAP.

Demented Woman Jumps to Death in a Big Store in Chicago.

Chicago, Oct. 29.—Mary Walsh threw herself over the banister from the third floor in a big State street store at six o'clock Monday night and was crushed to death by the fall on the tilting of the main floor. A panic was created in the crowded store. The woman was partially demented. She left her home, 5415 Princeton avenue, during the morning and was last seen on the street about a block from the store. The police had been asked to find the woman a few hours before she took her life.

The Russo-Chinese Treaty.

London, Oct. 29.—The foreign office confirms the statement made by the Graphic that the recent dispatch from Hong Kong to the Times, telling of the conclusion of a Russo-Chinese treaty in no respect resembles the actual facts, and clinches this by adding that the Times dispatch is absolutely without foundation.

"Did your father get away to the country this summer, Harry?" "No, sir. He was too busy to take a vacation this year," said Harry.—Harper's Bazar.

HOUSEKEEPER—"Your milk is as thin as water to-day." Milkman—"Well, mum, it was foggy this morning when we milked."—Puck.

Piso's Cure for Consumption has no equal as a cough medicine.—F. M. ABBOTT, 883 Seneca St., Buffalo, N. Y., May 9, 1894.

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Hogs.....	4 15 @ 4 50
FLOUR—Pancy.....	3 30 @ 4 00
Minnesota Bakers'.....	2 80 @ 3 10
WHEAT—No. 2 Red.....	70 1/2 @ 70 3/4
October.....	66 1/2 @ 67
CORN—No. 2.....	49 @ 49 1/2
October.....	37 1/2 @ 38 1/4
OATS—No. 2.....	23 1/2 @ 24
December.....	24 1/2 @ 24 3/4
PORK—Mess.....	9 75 @ 10 25
LARD—Western Steam.....	6 35 @ 6 50
BUTTER—West'n Cr'm'y.....	14 @ 23
Western Dairy.....	10 @ 15
EGGS.....	18 @ 20
CHICAGO.	
CATTLE—Beeves.....	\$3 25 @ 5 25
Stockers and Feeders.....	2 90 @ 3 80
Cows.....	1 00 @ 3 50
Texas Steers.....	2 70 @ 3 40
HOGS—Light.....	3 40 @ 3 32 1/2
Rough Packing.....	3 25 @ 3 40
SHEEP.....	1 40 @ 3 60
BUTTER—Creamery.....	9 @ 21
Dairy.....	9 1/2 @ 18
Packing Stock.....	5 @ 10
EGGS—Fresh.....	15 @ 17 1/2
BROOM CORN (per ton).....	30 00 @ 60 00
POTATOES (per bu).....	16 @ 22
PORK—Mess.....	8 00 @ 8 12 1/2
LARD—Steam.....	5 52 1/2 @ 5 55
FLOUR—Spring Patents.....	3 15 @ 3 50
Spring Straights.....	2 65 @ 2 90
Winter Patents.....	3 00 @ 3 50
Winter Straights.....	3 00 @ 3 20
GRAIN—Wheat, Dec.....	60 1/2 @ 60 3/4
Corn, No. 2.....	23 1/2 @ 23 3/4
Oats, No. 2.....	18 @ 18 1/2
Rye, No. 2.....	38 @ 38 1/2
Barley, Choice to A1.....	39 @ 45
ST. LOUIS.	
CATTLE—Native Steers.....	\$3 40 @ 5 25
Texas.....	3 10 @ 3 70
HOGS.....	3 20 @ 3 40
SHEEP.....	2 25 @ 3 40
OMAHA.	
CATTLE—Steers.....	\$2 75 @ 4 40
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Atlanta and the South. The Chicago and Eastern Illinois R. R. will during the time of the Exposition at Atlanta Sept. 18, to Dec. 31, 1895, offer exceptionally fine service between Chicago and the South. A low rate ticket will be sold, and through cars run to all southern points. This is 55 miles the shortest route to Atlanta, Chattanooga and the South. For guide to Atlanta and the Exposition address C. W. Humphrey, Northwestern Passenger Agent, St. Paul, Minn., or City Ticket Office, 230 Clark St., Chicago. Charles L. Stone, General Passenger Agent, Chicago.

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"Did you enjoy the concert, Mrs. Barber?" "They wasn't any. A man came out and banged a pianer, while his wife stood beside him shrieking at him all the time. Seems to me they'd ought to have arrested the woman for 'interferin'."—Harper's Bazar.

McVicker's Theater, Chicago. November 8th the "Twentieth Century Girl" will commence an engagement. A spectacular farce which contains some of the best vaudeville people on the stage.

"Do you remember, Julian, why they shot poor Saint Sebastian so full of arrows?" "Cause they hadn't any gun."—Life.

Schiller Theater, Chicago. Beginning Oct. 28, Minnie Maddern Fiske in a new play by Alphonse Daudet and Leon Henrique, entitled "The Queen of Liars."

CIVILITY costs nothing, but buys everything.—Lady M. W. Montague.

"WHAT is that place down there?" asked she of one of the officers. "Why, that is the storeroom," answered he. "And does it take all those people to make the boat go straight?"—Tit-Bits.



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THE Batavia News is trying to boom Thos. G. Lawler for governor.

ACCORDING to the news received from the seat of war—Hot Springs—"Corbett will not Fitzsimmons.

THE Elgin Democrat says that "Tanner's boom for governor will likely be confined to 1895." We are rather of that opinion ourselves.

THE mention of Abram Ellwood's name for congress does not seem to suit the "great pooh-bah" of Sycamore politics. If that is so, Ellwood's chances are bright.

MAJOR BURST, of Sycamore, in an interview claims that DeKalb county is for Col. Lawler for governor. Well, what the Major don't know about DeKalb county's choice would fill a volume.

THE Rockford Daily Register Gazette is the best and most wide-awake daily paper published in Illinois outside of Chicago. It would be a credit to a city double the size of Rockford.

IT is reported that recruits for the Cuban army will be gathered in today all over the country. Over two million dollars have been raised in New York State alone for the raising of volunteers Illinois will do her share.

SOME people are satisfied to have fifty people at their wedding, but not so in New York. At the wedding of the D'huke and Consuella fifty policemen will be present. It is not stated whether they are to wear full dress suits or uniforms.

AT a meeting of the DeKalb County Press Association held at Malta last week, the following officers were elected: Bailey Rosette, President; H. W. Fay, Secretary; W. H. Ray, Treasurer; E. J. Boies, Geo. E. Sisley and T. J. Winders, Executive Committee.

THE only object of a funeral sermon is to comfort the mourners, but about ninety-nine per cent of such discourses tend to harrow and wound the afflicted. This together with many of our funeral customs are little short of barbarous. There is a crying need of reform along this line.—Elgin Every Saturday.

THE news was sent out some time ago that the great pianist, Paderewski, had had his hair cut. The dear people were greatly shocked at this sacrilege, but the announcement was a base canard. Instead his hair has grown considerably longer, and the dear people will cease to grow in consequence.

IN commenting on the magnanimous gift of congressman to Kane County by the Sycamore True Republican, the Elgin Every Saturday says: "It would be a very gracious thing for Kane county to say to the other counties in the district, 'We have had a long hold on the congressional chair, we are going to have the governor and now we'll let you have a chance.'"

STATE elections will be held in eleven states in November. Seven of these—Ohio, Massachusetts, New Jersey, Iowa, Kentucky, Maryland and Mississippi—will elect governors, while minor state officers will be elected in New York, Nebraska, Pennsylvania and Kansas. The republicans hope for success in all of these states except Mississippi, while the democrats are confident they can retain supremacy in Maryland, Kentucky and New Jersey.—Ex.

On last Friday at Genoa Junction, Wisconsin, occurred the marriage of Earl Prouty, of this place, and Miss Minnie Fish, of Hebron. The groom is an employe of the shoe factory and is an estimable young man. The bride is one of Hebron's fair daughters and possesses a large circle of friends. THE ISSUE extends congratulations.

Representatives of the "Wheeler and Wilson" sewing machine were canvassing the town last week.

From all accounts Chamberlain's Cough Remedy is a Godsend to the afflicted. There is no advertisement about this; we feel just like saying it.—THE DEMOCRAT, Carrolton, Ky. For sale by F. T. Robinson, Genoa, and H. R. Fuller, Kingston.

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James Whitcomb Riley has completed a new series of poems in which he varies the treatment of each one to such an extent that they are said to show the Hoosier poet's versatility to a remarkable degree. He has given the series to the Ladies' Home Journal, in which the first is about to be published. A. B. Frost has been engaged by the magazine to illustrate the poems.

ANNAPOLIS, Md., Apr. 16, 1894.—I have used Chamberlain's Pain Balm for rheumatism and found it to be all that is claimed for it. I believe it to be the best preparation for rheumatism and deep seated muscular pains on the market and cheerfully recommend it to the public. J. G. Brooks, dealer in boots shoes, etc. No. 81 Main St.

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The hedge on the road leading to the Russell farm west of town was set on fire twice on Saturday evening in different places by some one with a malicious intent. The fire was gradually creeping up to the barns, and they as well as the house would have been destroyed had it not been for the men who turned out and fought desperately until nearly morning. They should be liberally rewarded for the work they did.

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A man whose niece had coaxed him to buy her a parrot succeeded in getting a bird that was warranted a good talker. He brought it home, and after putting it in a cage he stood before it and said, "Say uncle, Polly!" The bird did not correspond, and after repeating the sentence a dozen times or more with no better results, the uncle put his hand into the cage, grabbed the bird by the neck and shook him until his head wobbled around all the time yelling to him, "Say Uncle, goll darn you, say uncle!" The bird looked limp and lifeless, and disgusted with his parrot purchase the old fellow took the parrot out into the yard where he had a coop of 30 chickens. Thrusting the half dead bird in with the chickens, he exclaimed, "There by gosh! You'll say uncle before you get out!" Next morning the uncle went out to see how the parrot was getting along. Looking in to the coop he counted 29 dead chickens, and in the center of the coop stood the parrot on one foot, holding the thirtieth chicken by the neck until its head wobbled, screaming, "Say uncle, goll darn you, say uncle!"—New Bedford Standard.

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A gratified people keenly appreciate the thoughtfulness of the new band in retiring to the outskirts of the city where they will spend several months in wearing off the rough edges of their brass horns.

My dear reader let us admonish you that when you wake up tomorrow morning kindly remember that you were once young yourself and as you gaze up and down the street, let a kindly feeling of long ago come into your heart, and enjoy a good laugh at the sight that will surely meet your gaze and as your neighbor comes out with blood and thunder in his eye gently admonish him that he too was once young. And fail not gentle reader in maintaining that same joyous feeling as you gaze over your own possessions, perhaps wandered many blocks from home or mixed up in a mixed-pickle sort of way. Yea remember even the days of thy youth. As they are now so perhaps were you.

"Mixed pickles," well I should say yes. Mixed is no word for it. They were a conglomerated mixture of "nit." An appreciative public will appreciate the appreciativeness of our appreciation of their appreciable feelings in the matter, but as appreciators they cannot speak appreciatively of "Mixed Pickles."

The funny end man with his funny though ancient jokes is soon to be with us, I'll bet a dollar to a doughnut there won't be an empty seat in the house. It takes a minstrel show to draw, greater even than a porous plaster.

The lusty young men who have the proper observance of Hallowe'en in charge are requested not to tip over the sidewalks in the business section.

Jack was well pleased to get his overcoat back even if the borrower did thoughtlessly neglect to prepay the express charges.

Bro. Goldman of the shoe factory recieved a handsome star glass from a friend recently. It is a unique thing, something on the "now you see and now you don't see" order.

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A Playful Canine.

Al Schneider's little poodle dog cost him about \$25 Monday night. Mrs. S. left a lamp burning on the table and came down town, leaving the dog in the house. The dog is of rather a playful disposition and the tassels on the table spread attracted his attention. It was but short work for him to pull the spread off, tipping over the lamp and spilling the kerosene over the table and floor, which quickly ignited and the flames spread over the floor. The dog was liberally sprinkled with the oil and catching fire gave forth an awful yelping which alarmed Mrs. Burton who lives upstairs. She came down stairs, discovered the fire and quickly ran to the porch and attempted to call for assistance. She was so badly scared she could not speak above a whisper so she ran into the kitchen and got a pail of water with which she quickly extinguished the fire. Besides ruining the carpet and table spread the only damage done was to the dog who was badly singed.

Two Lives Saved.

Mrs. Phoebe Thomas, of Junction City, Ill., was told by her doctors she had consumption and that there was no hope for her, but two bottles of Dr. King's New Discovery completely cured her and she says it saved her life. Mr. Thomas Eggers, 139 Florida St, San Francisco, suffered from a dreadful cold, approaching consumption, tried without result everything else then bought one bottle of Dr. King's New Discovery and in two weeks was cured. He is naturally thankful. It is such results, of which these are samples, that prove the wonderful efficacy of this medicine in Coughs and Colds. Free trial bottles at F. T. Robinson's, Genoa and L. C. Shaffer's, Kingston. Regular size 50c. and \$1.00.

A Literary Society was formed by the students of the High School yesterday afternoon with a membership of 23, and is probable that all those attending the High School will join. The following officers were elected: Lew Patterson, president; Almer Sowers, vice-president; Eva Burroughs, secretary; Jimmy Hutchison, treasurer.

E. Sisson is now leader of the Genoa Band.

The dogoes who have been working on the I. C. tracks here for the past month have left town.

E. Sissen is the possessor of a new \$75 cornet. It is a beauty.

There will be a basket sociable at the Hickory Grove school house, Wednesday evening, Nov. 6th, under the auspices of the Hickory Grove Association of "Patrons of Industry." Plenty of music, speaking and other entertainment will be provided.

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THE NEWS.

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DOMESTIC.

Four business buildings were burned at Madison, Minn., the loss being \$150,000.

Near Mount Gilead, O., Christopher Miller shot his wife fatally and then committed suicide by hanging. He had been adjudged insane, but relatives kept him from going to an asylum.

The gelding Frank Agan defeated Robert J., John R. Gentry and Joe Patchen in a pacing race at Louisville, Ky., his best time being 2:05 3/4.

The twenty-ninth annual meeting of the American Missionary association, which is devoted primarily to mission work among the negroes, Indians and Chinese in America, commenced in Detroit, Mich.

Boston has been made the headquarters of the National Advisory Council of the A. P. A.

At Phillipsburg, Pa., 12,000 men were involved in the miners' strike.

At the closing session in Baltimore of the Woman's Christian Temperance union resolutions were adopted admitting Catholic and Hebrew women as delegates. Banners were presented to several state unions which showed large gains in membership and there was a feast of music.

The Arkansas supreme court sustained the prize fight law and Corbett was remanded back to the custody of the sheriff of Garland county.

The official count of the population of Minnesota by counties shows 1,574,910, an increase of 273,084 over the count of 1890.

The total collections of internal revenue during the first three months of the present fiscal year were \$37,744,478, against \$58,045,108 for the same period last year.

Near Cairo, Ill., Mrs. Rousch hanged her 4-year-old daughter and herself because of poverty.

Rev. William Gordon, 87 years old, of Michigan City, Ind., who was visiting his daughter at Worcester, Mass., dropped dead while attending a prayer meeting.

Engineer George O'Neill, Fireman C. P. Luidamood and brakeman Frank Houston were killed in a freight wreck near Max Meadows, Va.

Jack Henderson, a farm laborer who attempted to assault the wife of his employer, James Allen, at Vinegar Bend, Ala., was hanged by a mob.

A large mound on the farm of Henry T. Niles near Toledo, O., was opened and twenty skeletons, all in a sitting posture, were found.

Presidential day at the Atlanta exposition was attended by thousands, and President Cleveland received a warm welcome, to which he responded briefly but eloquently.

In Baraga county, Mich., good sleighing was reported, the earliest on record.

The bank of Kemp M. Woods, Jr. & Co., a private concern at Libertyville, Mo., with \$11,000 in deposits, closed its doors.

The entire business portion of Ceres, Pa., was swept away by fire.

Pete and Henry Gabbard, brothers living on Kavanaugh's creek, Jackson county, Ky., were shot and killed by Sanford Lakes, a neighbor. An old grudge was the cause.

At Louisville, Ky., B. W. Twyman broke the 100-mile bicycle record, going the distance in 4:27:32.

The intellectual and spiritual conditions of the Indian and the Chinaman were discussed at the meeting in Detroit of the American Missionary association.

The National Association of Implement Manufacturers in annual session in Chicago elected H. O. Staver, of that city, as president.

Jim Umbra and Mexican John, two Mexicans who had been engaged in cattle stealing and various lawless enterprises, were lynched by enraged cattlemen in Oklahoma.

The magnificent new Masonic home was dedicated at Springfield, O. Fully 15,000 visitors were present.

Rev. T. DeWitt Talmage was installed as co-pastor of the First Presbyterian church in Washington.

In a rear-end collision on the New Haven road near Hyde Park, Mass., one man was killed and twelve other persons were injured, a woman fatally.

A special train on the Lake Shore & Michigan Southern road ran from Chicago to Buffalo, N. Y., a distance of 510 miles, in seven hours, fifty minutes and ten seconds, an average of 64.98 miles an hour. This breaks the world's record.

A broken axle wrecked a passenger train near Newport, Pa., and Engineer Wolfkill and Fireman Haines were killed and nine other persons were injured.

A fast express on the Burlington road was wrecked at Waldron, Mo., and ten persons were hurt, two of them seriously.

The Woman's National Press association met at Atlanta, Ga.

In a drunken quarrel at Wagoner, I. T., Zeke and Dick Crittenden, United States marshals, were shot and killed by Ed Reed, also a marshal.

Twenty business buildings were burned at Gibsonburg, O., the total loss being \$250,000.

The fancy goods store of B. Stark & Co., in Albany, N. Y., was burned, the loss being \$200,000.

The Columbia National bank at Tacoma, Wash., closed its doors.

The American Missionary association in session at Detroit selected Boston as the place of holding the next meeting and elected Merrill E. Gates, of Massachusetts, as president.

It was said that the Texas sugar crop would be far below the average.

Sidney Lane and C. H. Neville, railroad men at Houston, Tex., killed each other in a duel with pistols.

The exchanges at the leading clearing houses in the United States during the week ended on the 25th aggregated \$1,148,708,311, against \$1,161,032,962 the previous week. The increase, compared with the corresponding week in 1894, was 25.7.

The wife and three children of Granville Lancaster (colored) were burned to death at Livingston, Ala.

Marsh and forest fires in the vicinity of Seymour and New London, Wis., were doing much damage.

James Case, wholesale dealer in boots and shoes in New York, failed for \$500,000.

George McCrary, a negro convicted of the murder of another negro, was hanged at Greenville, Ga.

Fire destroyed the Jesse Thompson & Co. lumber plant and 44 frame houses at Augusta, Ga. Loss, \$100,000.

A movement has been inaugurated at Vicksburg, Miss., to found a national military park there similar to the ones at Gettysburg and Chickamauga.

There were 231 business failures in the United States in the seven days ended on the 25th, against 263 the week previous and 253 in the corresponding time in 1894.

At the closing session in Meriden, Conn., of the Universalist convention a resolution favoring union with the Unitarians was defeated.

The State bank at Gothenburg, Neb., closed its doors. The failure was due to the slowness of collections.

Forest fires on the Oneida reservation near Green Bay, Wis., burned eight dwellings, and in the destruction of the house of John Skanihore, an Indian, three children were burned to death.

By the falling of a brick wall in Clyde, O., nine men were badly injured.

An advance copy of the report of the interstate commerce commission for the past year shows that railways in the United States have 779,608 employees and 7,035 general officers.

The annual report of Inspector General Breckinridge shows that the United States army has attained a high standard of discipline and that the officers generally are competent.

The national congress of Free Thinkers, with representatives from every city and state in the union and Canada, commenced in New York.

The most destructive forest fires known in the history of Pennsylvania were raging in the vicinity of Huntingdon.

A train on the Grand Trunk road was wrecked near South Bend, Ind., and the four passenger cars, a mail car and a baggage car were burned and nine persons were injured.

Bamberger, Bloom & Co., the largest wholesale dry goods firm in Louisville, Ky., made an assignment with liabilities of over \$1,000,000.

At Tacoma, Wash., members of the G. A. R. refused to adopt resolutions in favor of admitting confederates to national soldiers' homes.

Fire destroyed 19 buildings in Plano, Tex., the loss being \$200,000.

A mob, composed chiefly of farmers, stormed the jail at Tiffin, O., in an effort to lynch Lee F. Martin, the murderer of Marshal Shultz. The sheriff's force fired on the mob, instantly killing Christian Mott and Henry Muehler. Troops were sent to the scene to prevent further trouble.

William Young, aged 23, was hanged at the San Quentin (Cal.) prison for the murder of Pierre Latestero in Monterey county March 22, 1894.

The tug T. T. Morford exploded in the river at Chicago, killing Capt. John Ferguson, Engineer Charles Dick and Fireman John Erickson.

The completed census of Iowa gives the state a population of 2,057,250, a gain of 145,354 over the census of 1890.

The Whitney glass works at Glassboro, N. J., were destroyed by fire, the loss being \$100,000.

The Massillon (O.) miners voted to declare their strike off.

It was reported that Swedes would establish a large colony in West Florida.

At Uniontown, Ala., Frank Metzger committed suicide because he was not allowed to take the place of a brother in jail accused of murder.

President Lane, of the Southern Cotton Growers' association, says the cotton crop will be 6,500,000 bales.

The University of Virginia at Charlottesville suffered a loss of \$300,000 from fire.

Kasper & Barnes, Chicago jewelers, failed for \$100,000.

Fire in the oil regions south of Toledo, O., caused a loss of over \$150,000.

Francis A. Coffin, found guilty of aiding in the wrecking of the Indianapolis national bank, was sentenced to eight years in the penitentiary.

Prairie fires were doing immense damage in Porter and Jasper counties in Indiana.

Patrick Callahan jumped from the Poughkeepsie bridge into the Hudson river, a distance of 212 feet, and died soon afterwards from injuries received.

PERSONAL AND POLITICAL.

Mrs. Mary Connors, aged 107 years, died at her home in Sandusky, O. She was born in Ireland in 1788.

Spencer G. Millard, lieutenant governor of California, died at his home in Los Angeles, aged 39 years.

Mrs. Almira Worthington, aged 93 years, the oldest person in Muskegon, Mich., died suddenly of heart disease.

Ex-United States Senator Charles H. Van Wyck, of Nebraska, died of paralysis in Washington, aged 71 years.

James M. Wilcox, aged 71, who first produced the "localized fiber" paper used by the government for its notes and bonds, died at Hartford, Pa.

John Bullinger, aged 104 years, died at Mattoon, Ill. He leaves a widow 99 years of age.

John M. Palmer announced that he would not be a candidate for reelection to the senate of the United States from Illinois.

Mrs. Rebecca Graham, aged 103 years, believed to be the oldest person in Alabama, died at Grimestown.

Mrs. Eunice Russ Davis, the only surviving member of the women's anti-slavery board of Boston, and the oldest female abolitionist in the United States, observed her 95th birthday at her home in Deadham, Mass.

John M. Farnham, the inventor of the Farnham type-setting machine, died in Hartford, Conn., aged 76 years.

FOREIGN.

Great Britain made a suggestion to this country to form an alliance for the enforcement of the Monroe doctrine jointly as against other nations.

Sir Henry Parkes, aged 80 years, ex-prime minister of New South Wales, was married at Sydney to Miss Julia Lynch.

It was stated that early next spring work on an extensive scale would be again commenced on the Panama canal.

The cholera epidemic in Honolulu was pronounced ended.

In a riot at Erzingjan the Turks killed 60 Armenians.

Fifty young Turks who participated in the recent Armenian riots were drowned in the river at Constantinople by the Turkish officials.

Prussia has just published the result of the recent census. The entire population June 14, 1895, was 31,491,209, an increase of 1,535,928 since December, 1890.

England was closely watching Russia's actions in the orient, the departure of a fleet of war ships for Corea being taken as an indication that the czar had designs upon China.

Robert Brown, the famous scientific explorer and writer, died in London, aged 53 years.

The census of the City of Mexico shows 491,112 inhabitants.

LATER.

George A. Howard, auditor of the post office department, in his annual report shows that the postal deficiency over the revenue and congressional appropriation for the last fiscal year is \$2,807,044.

A. B. McDonald, of Rochester, lowered the 100-mile American bicycle record at Buffalo, N. Y., to 4:40:09.

Sylvia McCabe, the 18-year-old daughter of Obed McCabe, of Miamisburg, O., shot and instantly killed herself after fatally shooting her lover, Will Schaefer. She left a note saying they were tired of life.

The little village of Osgood, O., was almost entirely destroyed by fire.

J. H. Holmes, or Herman W. Mudgett, was put on trial in Philadelphia for the murder of Benjamin F. Pitzel in that city on September 2, 1894.

Gen. John S. Mosby, the distinguished ex-confederate cavalry commander, was seriously ill at Marshall, Va.

At Owensboro, Ky., John Snyder (colored) suddenly became crazed with jealousy and cut his wife's throat. He was then shot by Will Hall, his brother-in-law.

John Crawford, a farmer, who lived 12 miles south of Huron, S. D., was frozen to death.

The Wichita (Kan.) university, organized eight years ago by the Reformed church as a western institution of learning, has been abandoned.

C. B. Mangum wanted \$317,000,000 from the United States treasury at Washington, D. C., and got in jail.

The registration in Cincinnati this fall is the largest ever known in that city. It is 69,215, a gain of 6,644 over last year.

Convicts in camp on the Fort Worth (Tex.) road made a break for liberty. The guards killed one and wounded two. Several escaped.

The French cabinet resigned because of a government defeat in the chamber of deputies during the debate on the Southern railway scandal.

A disastrous fire was raging on Welch mountain, in the vicinity of Scrufftown and Blue Ball, Pa., and thousands of acres of timber land and many houses had been burned.

It was reported that ex-Queen Liliuokalani, of Hawaii, had bought two estates in Austria and would reside there.

The visible supply of grain in the United States on the 25th was: Wheat, 50,486,000 bushels; corn, 4,805,000 bushels; oats, 4,458,000 bushels; rye, 1,000,000 bushels; barley, 3,930,000 bushels.

Life and Song.

If life were caught by a clarinet
And a wild heart throbbing in the reed,
Should thrill its joys and trill its fret
And utter its love in love's own deed:

Then would this breathing clarinet
Type what I would that I might be,
For none of the poets ever yet
Has wholly lived his minstrelsy;

Or wholly sung his true, true thought
Or utterly bodied forth his life,
Or made what God made when He wrought
One perfect self of man and wife;

Or lived and sung, that life and song
Might each express the other's all,
Careless if life or art were long,
Since both were one, to stand or fall;

So that the wonder struck the crowd,
Who shouted it about the land;
His song was only a living aloud—
His work was a singing with his hand!

—Sidney Lanier, in Philadelphia Press.

The Gulleless Chinaman.

It is the gulleless Chinaman,
Upon his way he goes,
With merry smile and cheek of tan
And basketful of clothes.

The mocking jibes and taunting cries
He neither heeds nor cares;
But still upon his way he hies
And minds his own affairs.

He never swears, he never fights,
He never loses nor drinks;
He never "stands up for his rights,"
Or tells you what he thinks.

His terms are strictly C. O. D.,
He asks but what's his due;
Don't bother him at all, and he
Will never bother you.

And oft beneath his hat you'll see
His platted hair close rolled;
He goes his way, but yet could he
A curious tale unfold.

—Puck.

The Recluse.

Apart from all the world, its joy and dole,
He sits engrossed in dreamy reverie;
And like the far-off murmurings of the sea,
Whose billows after billows onward roll
In ceaseless mighty rush to shoreward goal,
He hears the voices of humanity;

And all their varied chorus seems to be
Some strange mysterious music to his soul
Through all the years his thoughts were of
Himself:

No worldly cares e'er clouded o'er his mind,
Or tried his metal in this earthly strife,
Ambition dead! He has no need of self;
And holding naught in common with man-kind,
Methinks that his is but a wasted life.

—Hildreth George McFarland, in Chicago Post.

The name of politeness was reached by a mining superintendent who posted a placard reading: "Please do not tumble down the shaft."—Tit-Bits.

If I might control the literature of the household, I would guarantee the well-being of the church and state.—Bacon.

ALL science rests on a basis of faith, for it assumes the permanence and uniformity of natural laws.—Tryon Edwards.

TEACHER—"Danny, define the word 'maximum.'" Danny—"It's—it's de limit."—Indianapolis Journal.



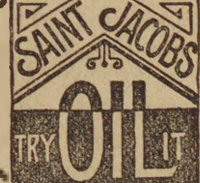
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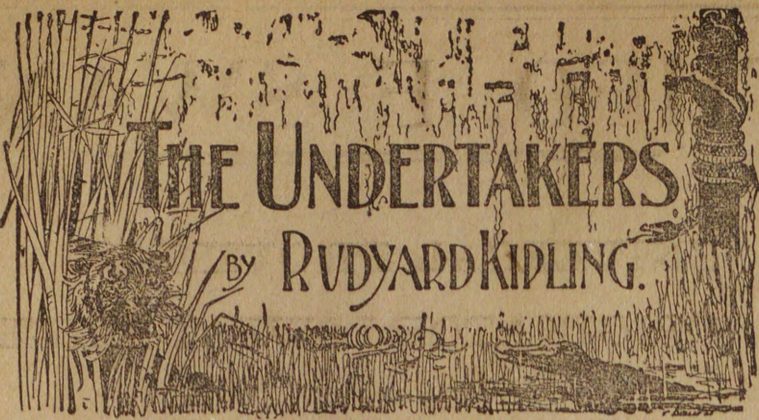
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"Anything," said the mugger, shutting his left eye again—"anything is possible that comes out of a boat thrice the size of Mugger-Ghaut. My village is not a small one."

There was a whistle overhead on the bridge, and the Delhi mail slid across, all the carriages gleaming with light, and the shadows faithfully following across the river. It clanked away into the dark again; but the mugger and the jackal were so well used to it that they never turned their heads.

"Is that anything less wonderful than a boat thrice the size of Mugger-Ghaut?" asked the bird, looking up.

"I saw that built, child. Stone by stone I saw the bridge piers rise, and when the men fell off (they were wondrous sure-footed for the most part—but when they fell) I was ready. After the first pier was made they were more thought to look down the stream for the body to burn. There, again, I saved much trouble. There was nothing strange in the building of the bridge," said the mugger.

"But that which goes across, pulling the roofed carts! That is strange," the adjutant repeated.

"It is, past any doubt, a new breed of bullock. Some day it will not be able to keep its foothold up yonder, and will fall as the men did. The old mugger will then be ready."

The jackal looked at the adjutant, and the adjutant looked at the jackal. If there was one thing they were more certain of than another, it was that the engine was everything in the wide world except a bullock. The jackal had watched it time and again from the aloe-hedges by the side of the line, and the adjutant had seen engines since the first engine ran in India. But the mugger had only looked up at the engine from below, where the brass dome seemed rather like a bullock's hump.

"M—yes, a new kind of bullock," the mugger repeated ponderously, to make

could hear him before I could see him—each sound that he made—creaking and puffing and rattling his gun, up and down the river. As surely as I had picked up one of his workmen, and thus saved great expense in wood for the burning, so surely would he come down to the ghaut and shout in a loud voice that he would hunt me, and rid the river of me—the mugger of Mugger-Ghaut! Me! Children, I have swam under the bottom of his boat for hour after hour, and heard him fire his gun at logs; and when I was well sure he was weary I have risen by his side and snapped my jaws in his face. When the bridge was finished he went away. All the English hunt in that fashion except when they are hunted."

"Who hunts the white-faces?" said the jackal, excitedly.

"No one now, but I have hunted them in my time."

"I remember a little of that hunting. I was young then," said the adjutant, clattering his beak significantly.

"I was well established here. My village was being builded for the third time, as I remember, when my cousin the gajal brought me word of rich waters above Benares. At first I would not go, for my cousin, who is a fish-eater, does not always know the good from the bad; but I heard my people talking in the evenings, and what they said made me certain."

"And what did they say?" the jackal asked.

"They said enough to make me, the mugger of Mugger-Ghaut, leave water and take to my feet. I went by night, using the littlest streams as they served me; but it was the beginning of the hot weather and all streams were low. I crossed dusty roads; I went through tall grass; I climbed hills in the moonlight. Even rocks did I climb, children—consider this well. I crossed the tail of Sirhind the waterless, before I could find the set of the little rivers that flow Gungaward. I was a month's journey from my own people and the river that I knew. That was very marvelous!"

"What food by the way?" said the jackal, who kept his soul in his little stomach, and was not a bit impressed by the mugger's land travels.

"That which I could find—cousin," said the mugger slowly, dragging each word.

every self-respecting mugger and most wild beasts do when they can. Indeed, one of the worst terms of contempt along the river bed is "eater of fresh meat." It is about as bad as calling a friend a cannibal would be among human beings.

"That food was eaten thirty seasons ago," said the adjutant quietly. "If we talk for thirty seasons more it will never come back. Tell us now what happened when the good waters were reached after thy most wonderful land journey. If we listened to the howling of every jackal the business of the town would stop, as the saying is."

The mugger must have been grateful for the interruption, because he went on with a rush:

"By the Right and Left of Gunga, when I came there never did I see such waters."

"Were they better, then, than the big flood of last season?" said the jackal.

"Better! That flood was no more than comes every five years—a handful of drowned strangers, some chickens, and a dead bullock in muddy water with cross-currents. But, the season I think of, the river was low, smooth and even, and, as the gajal had warned me, the dead English came down touching each other. I got my girth in that season, my girth and my depth. From Agra, by Etawah and the broad waters by Allahabad—"

"Oh, the oddy that set under the walls of the fort at Allahabad!" said the adjutant. "They came in there like widgeon to the reeds, and round and round they swung—thus!"

He went off into his horrible dance again, while the jackal looked on enviously. He naturally could not remember the year of the mutiny they were talking about. The mugger continued:

"Yes by Allahabad, one lay still in the slack water and let twenty go by to pick one; and, above all, the English were not cumbered with jewelry and nose rings and anklets as my women are nowadays. To delight in ornaments is to end with a rope for necklace, as the saying is. All the muggers of all the rivers grew fat then but it was my fate to be fatter than them all. The news was that the English were being hunted into the rivers, and by the Right and Left of Gunga we believed it was true. So far as I went south I believed, it to be true, and I went down stream beyond Monghyr and the tombs that look over the river."

"I know that place," said the adjutant. "Since those days Monghyr is a lost city. Very few live there now."

"Thereafter I worked upstream very slowly and lazily, and a little above Monghyr there came down a boatful of white faces—alive! They were, as I remember, women, lying under a cloth spread over sticks, and crying aloud. There was never a gun fired at us watchers of the fords in those days. All the guns were busy elsewhere. We could hear them day and night inland, coming and going as the wind shifted. I rose up full before the boat, because I had never seen white faces alive, though I knew them well—otherwise. A naked white child kneeled by the side of the boat, and, stooping over, he must needs try to trail his hands in the river. It is a pretty thing to see how a child loves running water. I had fed that day, but there was a little unfilled space within me. Still, it was for sport and not for food that I rose at the child's hands. They were so clear a mark that I did not even look when I closed; and they were so small that though my jaws rang true—I am sure of that—the child drew them up swiftly unhurt. They must have passed between tooth and tooth—those small white hands. I should have caught him crosswise at the elbows, but, as I said, it was only for sport and desire to see new things that I rose at all. They cried out one after another in the boat, and presently I rose again to watch them. The boat was too heavy to push over. They were only women, but he who trusts a woman will walk on duckweed in a pool, as the saying is; and by the Right and Left of Gunga that is truth!"

"Once a woman gave me some dried skin from a fish," said the jackal. "I had hoped to get her baby, but horse food is better than the kick of a horse, as the saying is. What did thy woman do?"

"She fired at me with a short gun of a kind I have never seen before or since. Five times, one after another" (the mugger must have met with an old-fashioned revolver); "and I stayed open-mouthed and gaping, my head in the smoke. Never did I see such a thing. Five times, as swiftly as I wave my tail—thus!"

The jackal, who had been growing more and more interested in the story, had just time to leap back as the tail swung by like a scythe.

[TO BE CONCLUDED.]

Natural Once More.

Cumso—Jaysmith is himself again.

Fangle—What do you mean?

Cumso—You know a relative left him \$10,000 a few months ago?

Fangle—Yes.

Cumso—It's all gone. He struck me for a five this morning, just as he used to in the good old times.—Town Topics.

Signs of Defeat.

Coro—So you are sure her husband had the best of the argument? Did she tell you so?

Madge—No; but I heard her say he was a mean, hateful thing, as she went out of the room and slammed the door.—Puck.

FALL ELECTIONS.

States in Which Officers Are to Be Chosen November 5.

State elections will be held November 5 in 12 states and one territory, as follows: Iowa, Kansas, Kentucky, Maryland, Massachusetts, Mississippi, Nebraska, New York, New Jersey, Ohio, Pennsylvania and the territory of Utah. Oregon, Rhode Island, Michigan, South Carolina and Wisconsin held elections early in the year.

The states to elect governors are: Iowa, to succeed Frank D. Jackson (rep.); Kentucky, to succeed John Young Brown (dem.); Maryland, to succeed Frank Brown (dem.); Massachusetts, to succeed Frederick T. Greenhalge (rep.); Mississippi, to succeed John M. Stone (dem.); New Jersey, to succeed George T. Werts (dem.); Ohio, to succeed William McKinley (rep.); and Utah, to succeed C. W. West (dem.), appointed by President Cleveland. On the democratic ticket in Utah the names of two candidates for the United States senate are placed for popular indorsement.

In Nebraska justices of the supreme court, term six years, to succeed T. L. Norval (rep.), and two regents of the state university, term six years, are to be elected.

In New York the ticket will be headed by nominees for secretary of state, term three years, to succeed John Palmer (rep.). A comptroller, treasurer, attorney-general, state engineer and judge of the court of appeals are also to be elected. The term of office for the latter is 14 and for the others three years. All of these offices are now held by republicans. Also and entire legislature, to consist of 50 senators, for terms of three years, and 150 assemblymen, for terms of one year, and several judges of the supreme court are to be elected. The senators chosen at this election will participate in the election of a United States senator to succeed David B. Hill (dem.), whose term expires March 3, 1897.

In Pennsylvania a state treasurer to succeed Samuel M. Jackson (rep.) is to be elected, also seven judges of the superior court (term ten years), a court recently created by the legislature. The law provides that one member of the court shall be a member of the minority party, no voter in the state being permitted to vote for more than six of the seven judges.

In Kansas the election is for a chief justice of the supreme court, term one year, to succeed David Martin (rep.).

Although there is a total of seven different party tickets in the field the contests, with few exceptions, are as usual between the two old parties. In Mississippi the democrats and populists have the field exclusively. In New York the nominees of the so-called democratic reform party are identical with those of the democratic party. In Kansas the issue is between the republicans and the free silverites exclusively, and in Nebraska the free silverites are contesting with republicans, democrats, populists and prohibitionists. In New York and New Jersey socialist labor nominations have been made. With these exceptions the nominations in other states are made by the republican, democratic, people's and prohibition parties.

RUSSIA AND COREA.

England Jealously Watches Developments in the East.

London, Oct. 26.—The dispatch from Shanghai Thursday afternoon, announcing the departure of a fleet of nineteen Russian warships from Vladivostok for Chemulpo and Fusan, Corea and the Times dispatch from Hong Kong, announcing that Russia has obtained the right to anchor her fleet at Port Arthur, and construct railroads on the Liao-Tung peninsula, have caused intense excitement in official circles here as well as in those having commercial relations with the far east. These most important statements are looked upon generally as being a sudden reopening in an unexpected quarter of the far eastern question in its widest sense.

The Shanghai dispatch added that the Japanese fleet in Formosa waters had been recalled, that several British warships had been ordered to Corea and that preparations for a struggle were visible on all sides. The Hong Kong cable message to the Times caused that paper to remark, editorially, Friday:

"Russia cannot possibly imagine that the great powers will view with indifference such a destruction of the balance of power, which is almost unparalleled in its audacity. China's option to purchase the railways is a jest almost too cynical to find a place in any serious diplomatic transaction. Under the indicated conditions Manchuria would practically become a Russian province, while Peking would be within Russia's grip."

A Cruel Ruler.

Constantinople, Oct. 26.—The 50 young Turks who were arrested on Saturday on a charge of excesses during the recent Armenian riots, after a trial, were conveyed by night aboard a Turkish man-of-war, whose boats took them into the swiftest current and dropped them overboard. These measures have entirely broken the spirit of the Turkish revolutionists.

Wages in Brass Foundries Go Up. Lawrence, Mass., Oct. 26.—The proprietors of the foundries here have agreed to grant requests of the local iron and brass molders for an increase in wages, including the establishment of \$2.50 as the minimum day's pay, the abolition of piece work and recognition of union.

THE W. C. T. U. AT WORK.

Miss Willard Re-elected as President—Their Platform.

Baltimore, Md., Oct. 23.—Miss Frances E. Willard was Tuesday elected president of the W. C. T. U. for the seventeenth consecutive time. The ballot was announced as 361 votes for Miss Willard and 14 scattering. As the recording secretary cast the ballot of the convention for Miss Willard the delegates and visitors arose and sang: "Praise God from Whom All Blessings Flow."

During the afternoon the report of the committee on resolutions was under discussion for three hours. The more important of the resolutions were adopted and the remainder made a special order for this morning's session. A synopsis of the portion adopted is as follows:

The prohibition plank indorses the prohibition party "as the only political party with the courage to speak out boldly in favor of woman suffrage and the total annihilation of the liquor traffic." The republican and democratic parties were scored for unfaithfulness, and numerous incidents of broken faith, and repudiated promises were alleged. The franchise plank stated the belief that the ballot in the hands of women will hasten the overthrow of the liquor traffic and many other evils. It also embraces an educational limit for both sexes. The closing of the gates of the Atlanta exposition on the Sabbath day is approved whilst sorrow is expressed over the fact that a temporary post office, established in Music hall for the accommodation of the delegates, was kept open for a few hours last Sunday. The convention pledged itself to never again desecrate the holy day. The trap-shooters tournament now being held in Baltimore received the attention of the convention.

A resolution condemning the cruelties of bird-shooting. The advance made in the use of unfertilized wine at the sacramental table is rejoiced in. The "Staten Island basis" of union is recommended as the best plan to secure the political union of the reform forces of the nation against the allied evils of injustice and intemperance, and the use of tobacco and narcotics is condemned as liable to lead to the opium habit. Support is pledged the colored workers to raise a higher standard of purity for home and nation, and a strong plank declared against the lynching of any human, white or black.

Baltimore, Md., Oct. 24.—Hundreds who tried were unable to gain admission to Music Hall Wednesday night to witness the closing scenes of the great W. C. T. U. convention. Banners were presented to several state unions which showed large gains in membership. As the roll of states was called each state delegation responded by giving its motto and singing a song especially composed for the occasion. Great enthusiasm prevailed.

Miss Frances Willard carried the convention with her in a movement to include in fraternal relations Catholics and Hebrews. The question arose on the following resolution:

Resolved, That Catholic women and Hebrew women should be invited to send fraternal delegates from their annual conventions to ours and to establish branches of the White Ribbon society within their own borders.

One of the delegates suggested that it might not be quite consistent for the Woman's Christian Temperance Union to ask Hebrews to affiliate. This aroused Miss Willard. She said:

"I want to recognize these two denominations, because in places where I have been, especially in the south, they exhibited sympathy in our work and have extended every courtesy. It has especially touched my heart that in meetings where I have presented the work of this organization among those who have welcomed me to the platform have been the Catholic priest and the Hebrew rabbi. They knew what I came for; they knew what I represented, and if they were broad enough to go half way and extend the hand of greeting, should my hand be so small and withered as not to accept the clasp? I want to welcome them to us if they want to come."

HURTS THEIR CHANCES.

Implement Manufacturers Oppose Midway Exhibitions at County Fairs.

Chicago, Oct. 25.—Members of the National Association of Implement Manufacturers went on record Wednesday as being opposed to Midway exhibitions at county fairs. A resolution was adopted which cited that windmills, thrashing machines and vehicles stood no earthly chance whatever by the side of the seductive Kuta-kuta dance, and a vigorous campaign will at once be begun to wipe out this sort of naughtiness, so the farmer will take some time for the inspection of agricultural displays. H. O. Staver of Chicago, was elected president. The next session will be held at Nashville, Tenn., during the coming Tennessee centennial. It was decided to memorialize congress to pass laws compelling the railroads to make freight classification uniform throughout the country.

Corbett Changes His Mind.

St. Louis, Mo., Oct. 26.—A special from Hot Springs, Ark., says that Corbett Friday afternoon telegraphed to Phil Dwyer and others in New York to forward the stake money at once. He stated in the telegram that he was determined to remain in Hot Springs until November 1 and see the matter out. This puts a new aspect on affairs, and it is now believed that Corbett has made up his mind to meet Fitzsimmons under any circumstances.

Too Dry for Wheat.

Cleveland, O., Oct. 26.—A special to the Press from Portsmouth, O., says: "The continued drought has caused serious loss throughout Scioto and adjoining counties. The tobacco crop is almost a total failure, and fall wheat is in bad shape, a great deal of it having been killed after sprouting. Water sells at 25 cents per barrel at West Union and Wellston, and 40 cents per barrel at Winchester. A number of barrel at Winchester.



"SHE FIRED AT ME WITH A SHORT GUN."

himself quite sure in his own mind; and "Certainly it is a bullock," said the jackal.

"And again it might be—" began the mugger, pettishly.

"Certainly—most certainly," said the jackal, without waiting for the other to finish.

"What?" said the mugger, angrily, for he could feel that the others knew more than he did. "What might it be? I never finished my words. You said it was a bullock."

"It is anything the Protector of the Poor pleases. I am his servant—not the servant of the thing that crosses the river."

"Whatever it is, it is white faced work," said the adjutant. "And, for my own part, I would not choose a place so near to it to lie out upon as this bar is."

"You do not know the English as I do," said the mugger. "There was a white-face here when the bridge was built, and he would take a boat in the evenings and shuffle with his feet on the bottom-boards, and whisper: 'Is he here? Is he there? Get me my gun.' I

Now you do not call a man a cousin in India unless you think you can establish some kind of blood relationship, and as it is only in old fairy tales that the mugger ever marries a jackal, the jackal knew for what reason he had been suddenly lifted into the mugger's family circle. If they had been alone he would not have cared, but the adjutant's eyes twinkled with mirth at the ugly jest.

"Assuredly, father, I might have known," said the jackal. A mugger does not care to be called a father of jackals, and the mugger of Mugger-Ghaut said as much—and a good deal more which there is no use in repeating here.

"The Protector of the Poor has claimed kinship. How can I remember the precise degree? Moreover, we eat the same food. He has said it," was the jackal's reply.

That made matters rather worse, for what the jackal hinted at was that the mugger must have eaten his food on that land march fresh, and fresh every day, instead of keeping it by him till it was in a fit and proper condition, as

KINGSTON

Chas. Burke and Miss Morat, of Rockford, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. O. W. Vickell last week.

A number of the friends Mr. and Mrs. E. S. Shelley gathered at the home of that couple in Herbert on last Friday evening and indulged in an unlimited amount of pleasure.

Rumor has it that H. F. Branch will erect a handsome new residence on his farm north of town soon. We hope it may be true.

Don't forget to be on hand at the birthday party this (Thursday) evening. An excellent musical and literary program has been prepared and the supper will be ala Kinsley.

The Rockford Register-Gazette's autumn trade number contained a handsome half tone engraving of Clarence W. Uplinger their correspondent at this place.

The Misses Belle and Alverna Landis of Belvidere, were calling on friends here last week.

Alfred Nelson will begin soon the erection of four new houses on land owned by him at DeKalb.

Fred Hagan, of North Kingston has removed to Belvidere where he owns valuable property.

Peter Wing will dispose of most of his personal property at public auction on the Thomas Crane farm south of town on Nov. 1st.

J. H. Uplinger received a large stock of hardware last week which he has put in his building next the post office. He did a rushing business before he had time to get the goods shelved. A carload of Stewart stoves and ranges of all sizes and description is also on deck.

A number of Boone county farmers, were swindled by wire fence agents into giving them notes for from \$75 to \$125 due in one year, in payment for a supposed agency for the fence, and the report was current that A. W. Dibble of this place was one of the victims but our "Lance" says that he knows nothing about it.

The Kingston township Sunday School Convention will be held in the Baptist Church at this place commencing at 2 p. m. on Sunday afternoon Nov. 3d. See the program in another column.

Dr. John McLean, of Chicago, was in town on business several days last week.

Roy Gibbs was taken violently ill while at work last Thursday, and had it not been for the best of care which he received it might have been fatal. He is now able to be out again.

David Syme, of Sycamore, was in town Friday.

Ed. Nelson was called to take charge of the station at Hickory Grove, near Savanna, last week.

Will Winchester spent four days of last week in Chicago.

The Misses Myra Davis, Alta Stuart and Edna Tazewell attended the Northern Illinois Teacher's Meeting at Elgin last week.

N. E. Schule and Miss Myra Davis were guests of friends at Davis Junction last Wednesday and Thursday.

C. Uplinger's new house near the Baptist Church is nearly completed, and now El. Christian's men are at work on it with paint and brush. It will probably be purchased by the Baptist society when completed and be used as a parsonage.

Mrs. Walker, of Dundee, a sister of Mrs. J. W. Foster, visited her last week. She attended the convention of the Elgin District of Congregational churches at Kirkland last week.

J. S. Brown has just finished putting in a Portland cement walk in front of his property on East Street and feels pretty well too. That's the proper caper.

B. F. Uplinger has erected a large corn crib on Railroad Street.

The hens in this vicinity must be on a strike for egg has been a very scarce article around here for a week or more.

The Ladies Aid Society of the Baptist Church will give a birthday party in the church parlors on Thursday evening, Oct. 31st. The plan is for each one to deposit in sacks which will be given them, as many pennies as they are years old. The party will consist of a supper, after which an entertainment will be given in the church. Both the supper and the entertainment will be worth 25 cents each. To those depositing their birthday offering in the sacks, admission to everything will be free. For other it will cost 10 cents to hear the entertainment. Those who have not received one of the sacks will be provided at the door.

SYCAMORE.

Prof. A. J. Blanchard and wife are both quite ill with the prevailing epidemic.

Mr. and Mrs. Barnard and daughter Mrs. Arp will remove to Moline, Ill. this week.

Mr. Charles Davey and Miss Eunice Divine were married last Wednesday at the home of the bride.

Mr. G. O. Warren received \$65 from the Woodmen Accident association. He had been laid up with a sprained foot.

Mr. E. I. Boies of the True Republican has gone to the Atlanta exposition and will visit other places of interest in the South.

Mr. Will Sell had an overcoat and \$100 in money stolen from his market last Wed. evening. Alfred Carr who had been working for Sell left unceremoniously that night and suspicion rests on him.

All but two of our teachers went to Elgin last Friday to attend the Teacher's meeting.

Mrs. Jennie Cornack of Poplar Grove has been this week at the home of her father Thomas Marshall.

Mrs. Sergius Lloyd spent last week with friends in Chicago.

N. L. Cottrell is visiting relatives in Quincy, Ill.

Mrs. Joseph Morrison is recovering from a serious illness.

Mrs. C. D. Rogers went to Chicago to attend the mother's convention of kindergarten work.

J. Stager and Mike McEntee were placed in jail this week for robbery. The first stole a bicycle from Dr. Hill of Genoa and the latter a watch from Fred Meyer, DeKalb.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Pritchard, of DeKalb were in Sycamore Sunday.

Miss Lizzie Stutenroth sang at the Catholic church at DeKalb Sunday.

DeKalb County S. S. Association, Genoa, Ill., Oct. 23, 1895.

Editor Issue:
Having been appointed County Superintendent of Normal Work in DeKalb County, and being aware of the great need of better preparation for Sunday School work, I urge all Pastors, Superintendents and reviewers of bible study to work up an interest in Normal Work in their several communities; and, if possible, to organize classes, however small at first, in the Legion of Honor Normal Course and forward their names to me.

For further information address Mrs. J. A. Gibbs, Supt. Normal Work, Genoa, Ill.

If your children are subject to croup watch for the first symptom of the disease—hoarseness. If Chamberlain's Cough Remedy is given as soon as the child becomes hoarse it will prevent the attack. Even after the croupy cough has appeared the attack can be prevented by giving this remedy. It is also invaluable for colds and whooping cough. For sale by F. T. Robinson, Genoa and H. R. Fuller, Kingston.

Yellowstone Park Geysers.

Advises just received at the Northern Pacific offices from W. P. Howe, in charge of the lunch station at the Upper Geyser Basin, state that the geysers are playing better than ever. They are much finer than last year. The giant one of the finest in the park, plays to an height of about 250 feet. Last year its eruptions took place once in about five days and continued for 90 minutes. This year it is playing more frequently. Mr. Howe is regularly noting the temperature of the geysers another of the large geysers. It is also playing frequently and its temperature at time of playing ranges from 193 to 198 Fahrenheit. For six cents sent to Chas. S. Fee, General Passenger Agent Northern Pacific Railroad, St. Paul, Minn. you will receive a fine tourist book that contains a chapter on the park.

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HEART DISEASE, like

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