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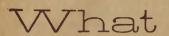
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Are some of the figures that you'll probably see at the Band Boys' Minstrels, on February 12th



you can always see at my store is the finest stock of



Candies.

Fruits.

and particulary so in juicy, sweet Oranges.

So take Horace Greeley's advice and follow the crowd and

You already know that my stock of BAKERY home of Lincoln Holroyd. GOODS is always fresh and at the right price.

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Rev. E. J. Rose has been conduct-lery and when you can get them for positively nothing, why don't you?

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MERCHANT TAILOR & GENT'S FURNISHER.

LOCAL NEWS JOTTINGS.

Personal Notes, Happenings, Etc. Pertaining to Genoa.

-Yes sir, Swan's fruits are all right. C. D. Schoonmaker Chicagoed, Sat-

A. Peterson was a Chicago visitor Monday.

Edwin Hoye was up from Kirkland

Jas. Mansfield was at Kirkland,

Ira Brown was numbered among the sick last week.

Mrs. S. H. Stiles was a Chicago visitor last week.

anges at Swan's.

Corson & Stott were at Malta yesterday buying horses,

Miss Eva Jackman has finished her review course at school.

Ed. Hoxsey, of Storm Lake. Iowa, is the guest of E. Sisson.

-Ilave you noticed Swan's line of fresh fruit? Best in town.

A baby boy is a new arrival at the

go, Saturday and Sunday.

Ed. Cook laid off a day or two last week on account of sickness.

Wanted-Girl to do house work. Enquire at Exchange Bank,

Messrs Hoagland, Holland and Ours Kingston. ler were in Rockford last week.

There are about thirty cases of measles in Kingston and vicinity. -You want something nice in fruit,

do you? Well, just call on Swan. Miss Retta Paddock, of Sycamore,

is the guest of Miss Cora Oursler.

property for sale D. S. Brown. Geo. E Sisley attended the politi-

cal "love feast" at Springfield Tues-

Yesterday was as fine a spring day

could wish for.

Mrs. John Hadsall's brother, M. D. Bennett, was here from Hampshire last Thursday.

Elgin last Saturday to see Mr. Pierce's ognition as a singer of note. Miss father who is quite low.

the people of the M. E. Church in the future as a vocalist. near future for the benefit of the or-

Hampshire girl, is reported to have Cough Cure. It helps at once, makattempted suicide, over the result of a ing expectoration easy, reduces the quarrel with her father.

The school at Hampshire is now occupying the new building, Weil done, Hampshire. If any town has a right to feel proud, you have.

T. H. Gill, Marengo's hustling music dealer, was in town Tuesday. He has consented to furnish the band boys an Estey piano for use at their patients -Kingston News. minstrel show, February 12th.

A musical and literary entertain. ment will be given at the M. E. church on February 8th for the benefit of the organ fund.

Hon. James Branen was in town Tuesday. He has but just returned from the Cripple Creek country and says it the greatest place in the world, not even excepting Genoa.

Mrs. Jeffrey, the spiritualistic medium, addressed a goodly sized audience in Odd Fellow hall last night. This lady is one of the most popular speakers of this faith and will always com mand a good audience in Genoa.

Messrs Stott & Corson leave tonight with a carload of horses for the east. L. M. Olmstead will also take a car east sometime in February.

rated among the best at the county bar ston.

Frank Holtgren is on the sick list. L. A. Grippe has been making himself very numerous around here the past few days.

friends here last Thursday.

and they solicit your trade.

Don't forget that Feb. 8th is the date of the musical and literary entertainment at the M. E. church for the benefit of the organ fund.

the date for the musical and literary many instances the attack may be -Try some of those nice sweet or-entervainment at the M. E. Church prevented by taking this remedy as for benefit of organ fund

> The Genoa Concert Band are making arrangments for a big minstrel show of home talent to be given February 12th. Watch for the posters.

> One Minute Cough Cure is a popular remedy for croup. Safe for children and adults. FT Robinson, Genoa and L C Shaffer, Kingston,

DeKalb's shoe factory is now running out eight hours a day, while Gemoa's factory is running over time. N. P. Thurber was out from Chica- This is the time of the year when the shoe husiness is considered dull, but it has no effect on our factory.

Robinson, Genoa and L C Shaffer, toward pneumonia. For sale by F T

Will H. Millard was in attendance at the poultry exhibition at Rockford

Piles of people have piles, but De-Witt's Witch Hazel Salve will cure L C Shaffer, Kingston.

A set of silver plated tea spoons will The meeting of the Ys was not a box of crown complexion soap. It's ryman, of Esmond, who was so well very well attended owing to inclem- a splendid toilet soap and sells for 25 known to all of our readers, died on cents at H. H. Slater's.

as the most obstinate weather crank both morning and evening next Sun- had been married a little over a year. day as usual at the A. C. church, as She was well thought of by a nummatters have been so arranged that I ber of young friends. She was

Miss Cleo Carter, a DeKalb young A. V. Pierce and daughter went to lady, is gaining a very promising rec-Carter has a voice of unusual sweet-

Coughing irritates the delicate or gans and aggravates the disease. In-Bernha Haustein, a 17 year old stead of waiting, try One Minute soreness and inflamation. Every one likes it. FT Bobinson, Genoa and LC Shaffer, Kingston.

> Dr. J. B. Ludwig has been confined to his bed for several days in sympathy with his patients, but is now able to be out again. Dr. Hill, of Genoa, has been treating Dr. Ludwig and his

Robinson, Genoa and L C Shaffer his property.

got up so much steam that the boiler and employes with it. The factory tried numerous remedies, none of

Cure. This will relieve all annoyances, cure the most severe cough and Attorney Will Pond, of DeKalb, is give you rest and health. Can you ransacting legal business here today, afford to do without it? FT Robin-

Dr. E. A. Robinson, of Genoa, and Henry Jones, of this place, indulged in a legal controversey at Sycamore, Friday, over a bill for medical services. Jones claimed he had paid the H. C. Whittemore, of Sycamore, bill by giving the Dr. wood for which was shaking hands with numberous he never got credit. It was proved to the satisfaction of all that he had It will pay you to read all the ads credited Jones for what he had rein this paper. They represent firms ceived and secured a judgment for that are as reliable as any in existence the rest. The case was appealed .-Kingston News.

It will be an agreeable surprise to persons subject to attacks of bilious colic to learn that prompt relief may be had by taking Chamberlain's Colic Tell your friends that Feb. 8th is Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy. In soon as the first symptoms of the disease appear. 25 and 50 cent bottles for sale by F T Robinson, Genoa and H R Fuller, Kingston.

> Home-seekers' excursion via C. M. & St. P. Ry. to points south and south west, on sale January 14th and 28th. Feb. 11th and March 10, 1896. One fare for the round trip, plus \$2. For information as to points reached, limit etc. inquire of J. M. Harvey, Agt 3-1-6

For a parn in the chest a piece of flannel dampened with Chamberlain's Pain Balm and bound over the seat of the pain, and another on the back between the shoulders, will afford De Witt's Little Early Risers for prompt relief. This is especially val biliousness, indigestion, constipation. uable in cases where the pain is caus-A small pill, a prompt cure. F T ed by a cord and there is a tendancy Robinson, Genoa and H R Fuller,

Will C. Duval and Miss Lena Leitall last week. Will has one of the fin- zow, both employes at the shoe fact est poultry farms in this "neck o' ory, were married here last Thursday. woods" and has pocketed many prizes. They are living in the Teyler flat near the Milwaukee bepot.

"What shall I do with Jesus, which them. When promptly applied it is called Christ?" Math., 27' 22, was -Desirable lots and residence cures scalds and burns without the the text chosen by D. M. Gibbs last slightest pain. F T Robinson, Genoa Sunday night, at the M. E. Church. It was Mr. Gibbs' first sermon here since his appointment as local minis ter, but he handled the subject in a manner that would do credit to any minister of the gospel.

> Mrs. Allen Moyers, nee Allie Countlast Wednesday of consumption. She There will be preaching services was only nineteen years of age, and shall not be away. GEO. J. FRENCH, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. C. Countryman, recently of Kingston, but now of Eairdale. Her sorrowing husband has the sympathy of many.

Miss Maude Millard was very pleas antly surprised by a number of her An entertainment will be given by ness and we predict for her a bright schoolmates Tuesday evening. Music. games and refreshments were indulged in by the following:

> Masters Freddie Robinson, Ira Bane. Alfred Stott, Johnnie Hutchison, Misses

Jennie Edsall, Wyla Richardson, Lulu Koch, Bessie Platte. Zoe Stott, Nellie Mansfield, Gracie Wood. Jessie Hutchison, Lila Holtgren, Maude Sager, Libbie Brown,

Newt. Stanley has recovered the articles that "sneak thieves" obtained: from him a short time ago. The prompt action "Newt" took in tele-One Minute Cough Cure is rightly graphing the bank at Marenga no. named. It affords instant relief from doubt frightened the thieves, and he suffering when afflicted with a severe had no trouble in recovering everycough or cold. It acts on the throat, thing just as he left it. He is to be bronchial tubes, and lungs and never congratulated on his good luck and infails to give immediate relief. FT the future should be more careful of

Not a few who read what Dr. Rob-The engineer at the shoe factory ert Rowls, of Hollonds, Va., has to sage lost his bearings Tuesday night and below, will remember their own experiences under like circumstances: turned pale and threatened to leave "Last winter I had la grippe which the earth and take factory, contents left me in a low state of health. I shut down a half hour earlier in con- which did me any good, until I was sequence. An engineer is looking for induced to try a bottle of Chamber-Cough Remedy. The first bottle of it so far relieved me that I was enabled No excuse for sleepless nights when to attend to my work, and the second you can procure One Minute Cough pottle effected a cure." For sale at 23 and ocents per bottle by H R Fuller, Kingston and F T Robinson, Genoa.

The shoe factory was shut down b Will is doing nicely at DeKalb and is son, Genoa and L C Shaffer, King- few hours Monday on account of machine getting out of order,

### POWER OF EXAMPLE.

Rev. Dr. Talmage Takes the Story of Abimelech

As an Illustration of the Mighty Force of the Example of One Human Being on the Conduct of His Fellows.

The following discourse upon "The Power of Example" was delivered by Rev. T. DeWitt Talmage before his Washington congregation. It is based on the text.

And Abimelech took an ax in his hand, and cut down a bough from the trees, and took it and laid it on his shoulder and said unto the people that were with him. What ye have seen me do, make haste and do as I have done. And all the people likewise cut down every man has bough,—Judges ix., 48-49.

Abimelech is a name malodorous in Bible history, and yet full of profitable suggestion. Buoys are black and nucomely, but they tell were the rocks are. The snake's rattle is hideous, but it gives timely warning. From the piazza of my summer home, night by night, I saw a lighthouse 15 miles away, not placed there for adornment, but to tell mariners to stand off from that dangerous point. So all the ironbound coast of moral danger is marked with Saul, and Herod, and Rehoboam, and Jezebel, and Abimelech. These bad people are men-tioned in the Bible not only as warnings, but because there were sometimes flashes of good conduct in their lives worthy of imitation. God some times drives a very straight nail with a very poor hammer.

The city of Shechem had to be taken, and Abimelech and his men were to do I see the dust rolling up from their excited march. I hear the shouting of the captains and the yell of the besiegers. The swords clack sharply on the parrying shields, and the vociferation of two armies in death grapple is herrible to hear. The battle goes on all day; and as the sun is setting Abimelech and his army cry: "Surrender!" to the beaten foe. And, unable longer to resist, the city of Shechem falls; and there are pools of blood, and dissevered limbs, and glazed eyes looking up beggingly for mercy that war never shows, and dying soldiers with their head on the lap of mother, or wife, or sister, who have come out the last offices of kindness and affection; and a groan rolls across the city, stopping not. because there is no spot for it to rest, so full is the place of other groans. A city wounded! A city dying! A city dead! Wail for Sheehem, all ve who know the horrors of a sacked

As I look over the city, I can find only one building standing, and that is the temple of the god Berith. Some soldiers outside of the city in a tower, finding that they can no longer defend Shechem, now begin to look out for their own personal safety, and they fly to this temple of Berith. They go within the door, shut it, and they say: "Now we are safe. Abimelech has taken the whole city, but he can not take this temple of Berith. Here we shall be under the protection of the gods." O Berith, the god! do your best now for these refugees. If you have eyes, pity them. If you have hands, help them. If you have thunderbolts, strike for them. But how shall Abimelech and his army take this temple of Berith and the men-who are ere fortified? Will they do it with sword? Nay. With batteringram, rolled up by hundred-armed strength, crashing against the walls? a wood in Zalmon. With his ax he hews off a limb of a tree, and puts house in Philadelphia, and at the close that limb upon his own shoulder, and then he says to his men: "You do the same." They are obedient to their commander. There is a struggle as to who shall have axes. The whole wood is full of bending boughs, and the erackling, and the hacking, and the eatting, until everyone of the host has a limb of a tree cut down, and not only that, but has put it on his shoulder just as Abimelech showed him how. Are these men all armed with a tree branch? The reply comes: "All armed." And they march on.

Oh, what a strange army, with that strange equipment! They come up to the foot of the temple at Berith, and Abimelech takes his limb of a tree and throws it down; and the first platoon of soldiers come up and they throw down their branches; and the second platoon, and the third platoon, until all around about the temple of Berith there is a pile of tree branches. The Shechemites look out from the window of the temple upon what seems to them childish play on the part of their enemies. But soon the flints are struck, and the sparks begin to kindle the brush, and the flame wave it. Let him throw it down and kindle it. Let all the way from Mount pile, and the red elements leap to the casement, and the woodwork begins to blaze, and one arm of flame is thrown up on the right side of the temple, and another arm of flame sky with apocalyptic joy, that Jesus is thrown up on the left side of the Christ came into the world to save sintemple, until they clasp their lurid palms under the wild night sky, and the cry of "Fire!" within, and "Fire!" wrong, I am as much in favor of as without, announces the terror, and strangulation, and the doom of the Shechemites, and the complete overthrow of the temple of the god Berith. Then there went up a shout, long and loud, from the stout lungs and swarthy chests of Abimelech and his men, as they; stood amid the ashes and the dust erving: "Victory! victory!"

over the weaponry of olden timesjavelins, battle axes, habergeons, and no easy thing to take a temple thus armed. I have seen a house where, during revolutionary times, a man and side the house, and the assaulting soldiers were outside the house. Yet here Abimelech and his army come up, hey surround this temple, and they capture it without the loss of a single man on the part of Abimelech, although I suppose some of the old Israelitish heroes told Abimeleh: "You are only going up there to be cut to pieces. Yet you are willing to testify to-day that by no other mode-certainly not by ordinary modes—could that temple so easily, so thoroughly, have been Fathers and mothers, brethren and sisters in Jssus Christ, what the Church most wants to learn, this day, is than any plan is right, is lawful, is best, which helps to overthrow the for God. We are very apt to stick to the old modes of attack. We put on the old-style coat of mail. We come up with the sharp, keen, glittering steel spear of argument, expecting in that way to take the castle; but they have a thousand spears where we have ten. And so the castle of sin stands. Oh, my friends, we will never capture this world for God by any keen saber of sarcasm, by any glittering lances of rhetoric, by any apping and mining of profound disquisition, by any gunpowder explosions of indignation, by sharpshootings of wit, by howitzers of mental strength made to swing shell five miles, by cavalry horses gorgeously caparisoned pawing the air. In vain all the attempts on the part of these ecclesiastical foot soldiers, light horsemen and orenadiers.

My friends, I propose a different style of tactics. Let each one go to the forest of God's promise and invitation, and hew down a branch, and put t on his shoulder, and let us come around these obstinate iniquities, and then with this pile, kindled by the fires of a holy zeal and the flames of a consecrated life, we will burn them What steel can not do, fire may. And I announce myself in favor of any plan of religious attack, however radical, however odd, however unpopular, however hostile to all the conventionalities of church and state. If one style of prayer does not do the work. let us try another style. If the church music of to-day does not get the victory, then let us make the assault with a backwoods chorus. If a prayerneeting at 8:30 in the evening does not succeed, let us have one as early in the morning as when the angel found wrestling Jacob too much for him. If a sermon with the three authorized heads does not do the work, then let us have a sermon with 20 heads, or no heads at all. We want more heart in our song, more heart in almsgiving, more heart in our prayer, more heart in our preaching. Oh, for less of Abimelech's sword and more of

Abimelech's conflagration! I had There is a fountain filled with blood. sung artistically by four birds perched on their Sunday roost in the gallery, il I thought of Jenn Nilsson, and Sontag, and all the other warblers; but there came not one tear to my eye, nor one master emotion to Nay. Abimelech marches his men to my heart. But one night I went down to the African Methodist meetingof the service a black woman, in the middle of the audience, began to sing that hymn, and all the audience joined in, and we were floated some three or four miles nearer Heaven than I have ever been since. I saw with my own eyes that "fountain filled with blood" red, agonizing, sacrificial, redemptive, and I heard the crimson plash of the wave as we all went down under it. Oh, my friends, the Gospel is not a syllogism; it is not easuistry; it is not polemics, or the science of squabbles. It is blood-red fact; it is warm-hearted invitation; it is leaping, bounding flying good news; it is efflorescent with all light; it is rubescent with all summery glow; it is arborescent with all sweet shade. I have seen the sun rise

on Mount Washington, and from the Tip-top house; but there was no beauty in that compared with the day-spring from on high when Christ gives light to a soul. I have heard Parepa sing; but there was no music in that com pared with the voice of Christ when he said: "Thy sins are forgiven thee; go in peace." Good news! Let every one cut down a branch of this tree of life and tossing joy. Good news! This bonfire of the Gospel shall consume the last temple of sin, and will illumine the wrong, I am as much in favor of as though all the doctors, and the bishops, and the archbishops, and the synods, and the academical gownsmen of Christianity sanctioned it. The temple of Berith must come down, and I do not care how it comes.

Still further, I learn from this sub-

Now I learn first from this subject told his men to go and get the boughs, quick, quick!

the folly of depending upon any one and go out to the battle, they would form of tactics in anything we have to never have gone at all, or if they had do for this world or for God. Look it would have been without any spirit or effective result; but when Albimelech goes with his own ax and hews show me a single weapon with which down a branch, and with Abimelech's Abimelech and his men could have arm puts it on Abimelech's shoulder, gained such complete triumph. It is and marches on, then, my text says, all the people did the same. How na tural that was! What made Garibaldi and Stonewall, Jackson the most his wife kept back a whole regiment, magnetic commanders of this hour after hour, because they were incentury? They always rode ahead. Oh, the overwhelming power of example! Here is a father on the wrong road. Here is a father who enlists for Christ; his children enlist. I saw in some of the picture gal leries of Europe that before many of the great works of the masters-the old masters-there would be some times four or five artists taking copies of the pictures. These copies they are going to carry with them, perhaps to distant lands; and I have thought that your life and character are a masterdece, and it is being copied, and long after you are gone it will bloom or blast in the homes of those who knew you, and be a Gorgon or a Madonna. Look out what you say. Look out temple of sin, and capture this world what you do. Eternity will hear the The best sermon ever preached echo. is a holy life. The best music ever chanted is a consistent walk. If you want others to serve God, serve Him yourself. If you want others to do their duty, shoulder yours. Where Abinelech goes his troops go. Oh, start out for Heaven to-day, and your family will come after you, and your business associates will come after you, and your social friends will join you With one branch of the tree of life for a baton, marshal just as many as you can gather. Oh, the infinite, the semiomnipotent power of a good or bad example!

> I saw last summer, near the beach, a wreckers, machine. It was a cylinder with some holes at the side, made for the thrusting in of some long poles with strong leverage; and when there is any vessel in trouble or going to pieces in the offing, the wreckers shoot a rope out to the suffering men. They grasp it, and the wreckers turn the cylinder, and the rope winds round the cylinder, and those who are shipwrecked are saved. So at your feet, to-day, there is an influence with a tremendous leverage. The rope attached to it swings far out into the billowy future. Your children, your children's children, and all the generations that are to follow, will grip that influence, and feel the long-reaching pull long after the figures on your tombstone are so worn out that the visitor can not tell whether it was 1896,

1796 or 1696 that you died. Still further I learn from this subsoon as these Sechemites got into the us. Abimelech may batter down everything else; he can not batter down the supplies and return to Havana province. temple where we are now hid." very soon they heard the timbers crackling, and they were smothered with smoke, and they miserably died. I suppose every person in this audience this moment is stepping into some kind of refuge. Here you step in the tower of good works. You say: "I shall be safe in this refuge." The battlements are adorned; the steps are varnished; on the wall are pictures of all the suffering you have alleviated, and all the schools you have established, and all the fine things you have ever done. Up in that tower you feel you are safe. But hear you not the tramp of your unpardoned sins all around the tower; They each have a match. You are kindling the combustible material. You feel the heat and the suffocation. Oh, may you leap in time, the Gospel declaring: "By the deeds of the law shall no flesh living be justified."

"Well," you say, "I have been driven out of that tower; where shall I go? Step into this tower of indifference. You say: "If this tower is attacked, it will be a great while before taken." You feel at ease. But there is an Abimelech, with ruthless assault, coming on. Death and his forces are gathering around, and they demand that you surrender everything, and they clamor for your overthrow, and they throw their skeleton arms in the window, and with their iron fists they beat against the door, and while you are trying to keep them out you see the torches of judgment kindling, and every forest is a torch, and every mountain a torch, and every seat a torch, and while the Alps, and Pyrenees, and Himalayas, turned into a live coal, blown redder and redder by the whirlwind breath of a God omnipotent, what will become of your

refuge of lies? "But," says some one, "you are engaged in a very mean business, driving us from tower to tower." "Oh, no! I want to tell you of a Gibraltar that never has been and never will be taken; of a wall that no Satanic assault can scale; of a bulwark' that the judgment earthquakes can not The Bible refers to it when it budge. The Bible refers to it when it says: "In God is thy refuge, and underneath thee are the everlasting arms." Oh! fling yourself into it. Tread down unceremoniously everything that intercepts you. Wedge your way there. There are enough hounds of death and peril after you to make you hurry. Many a man has perished just outside the tower, with his foot Still further, I learn from this subject the power of example. If Abinelech had sat down on the grass, and plus second have you to spare. Quick,

### AN EYE FOR AN EYE.

Gomez Expects No Mercy for Insurgents from Spain.

If Butchery and Cruelty Are Employed by Spaniards, No Quarter Will Be Shown Prisoners in the Hands of the Rebels.

Boston, Jan. 27.-William F. Mannix. the Globe's staff correspondent in Cuba, has interviewed Gen. Gomaz in the field at Camito, 60 miles from Havana, and his sketch of the rebel leader disproves the recent reports that he was seriously wounded and was dying of consumption. He found him actively engaged and planning a bold attack upon Havana. Informed of the recall of Gen. Campos, Gen. Gomez expressed regret. He said Campos did not want var, but abhorred bloodshed. The people of Spain, he said, had been clamor ing for methods of warfare which Campos would not adopt. He continued:

pos would not adopt. He continued:
"They wanted him to treat and fight the
Cubans, not as men, but as dogs, to be
shot down in the streets or murdered in
dungeons. It is a sad duy for Cuba that
Martinez Campos leaves. More than that,
it is a dark day for Christianity and
civilization. I love Martinez Campos, all
Cubans love him, for it was his hand that
stayed the bloodthirstiness of Spain. He
wanted peace; peace with honor, not peace
with crime and barbarism. But the pressure was too great and the grand old comsure was too great and the grand old com-mander was compelled to give way. His loyalty to Spain cannot be questioned, but he was more loyal to God and his manhood. We regret, because the change will mean more bloodshed and misery for Cuba. It will mean the secret hunting of suspected revolutionists in the cities, the sending to Cienta of hundreds of innecent men and perhaps the murdering of prisoners taken. Claims a Force of 50,000 Men.

"But the Spanish government must be-"But the Spanish government must beware. Spain cannot ride roughshod over Cuban hearts as she did in the years from 1873 to 1876. Then the forces in the field were weak, and we could not, if we would, rotaliate. Not so in 1896. The revolution is spread from one end of the island to the other. We have a total force of nearly 50,000 men, and we have the eyes of the civilized world upon us. It would not be well for the Spaniards to make war upon the defenseless in the cities, for in that case liberty would demand and the world would sanction an eye for an eye and a tooth for a tooth.

tooth.
'In this war we have made prisoners of over 1,700 Spanlards, while the enemy has not captured one-quarter that number from us. This ratio can and will be maintained; and it is easy to see how we could doubly avenge the coid-blooded murdering of our comrades and friends.

To Return to Hayana.

To Return to Havana.

Speaking of the movements of the different divisions of the army, Gen. Gomez said that Gen. Maceo would remain for some time in Pinar del Rio, where he was gaining many adherents. Banderas would keep the troops in Havana provnce busy, and Jose Maceo would continue to give good accounts of himself ject the dangers of false refuges. As In the east. Gomez is pushing forward to meet reinforcements of 6,000 men untemple they thought they were safe.
They said: "Berith will take care of and he intended to leave his wounded at hospitals in Cienago, obtain new

> Do you intend to attack Havana?" he was asked, and his reply: "That remains to be seen," was in an implied tone. Every movement of his the last week indicates that he intends a bold stroke upon the capital at an early date, before the new Spanish captain general

can get settled. More Fighting.

Santiago de Cuba, Jan. 18, via Key West, Fla., Jan. 27 .- In the engagement that took place on the 11th inst. on the sugar estate "Las Chilyas." near San Luis, between a Spanish column, 800 in number, under Col. Sandoval, and 400 rebels under Cols. Pancho Sanchez and Demetrio Castiilo the Spaniards had nine killed and 54 wounded. The rebel loss was three killed and 11 wounded. Therebels captured 58 mules laden with ammunition and provisions.

On the 15th inst. 50 soldiers of the battalion Luc ana left San Jose, Guantanamo, to protect the men grinding cane on the sugar estate Soledad. They were suddenly attacked with machettes by a rebel party of 100 men under Capt. Wilson, of Periquino Perez' forces. After a severe fight the Spaniards ran away in great confusion, leaving ten killed and 4 wounded. The insurgents had one killed and six wounded.

On the 11th inst, 900 insurgents under Rabi and Lora had an engagement with a Spanish column 1,500 strong under Gen. Gasco at Cacao. Twenty Spaniards were killed and 94 injured. Nine Spaniards deserted and joined the rebels. The insurgents had five killed and 16 wounded. They captured 15 mausers, 30 Remington rifles and 6,000 rounds of ammunition.

Gen. Weyler Sails. Barcelona, Jan. 27.—Gen. Weyler, the newly-appointed captain general of Cuba, has sailed from this port for IInvana, together with a cavalry force of 1,000. A large crowd witnessed the embarkation of the general and the treops.

They were enthus astically cheered. Death of Prince Henry.

London, Jan. 23.-The Standard announces that Prince Henry of Batten berg, who was taken ill while accompaeying the British expedition against the Ashantees, died of coast fever on his return voyage from Cape Coast Cas-

tle to Sierra Leone.
1 ondon, Jan. 25.—Ambassador Layard sent Queen Victoria a message from President Cleveland expressing sincere condolence with her majesty on the death of Prince Henry of Batterberg.

Great Painter Gone.

London, Jan. 27 .- The Globe announces the death of Sir Frederick Leighton, the celebrated painter and president of the Royal academy.

### WOMAN SUFFRAGISTS.

Annual Convention of the National Association at Washington.

Washington, Jan. 24. -At the opening session of the 28th annual convention of the National Woman Suffrage association Thursday, 100 delegates were in attendance, including the most prominent leaders in the movement from nearly every state in the union Susan B. Anthony, of Rochester, N. Y., in calling the meeting to order, was heartily welcomed and the convention proceeded directly to the routine business of the association. The report of Rachael Foster Avery, of Philadelphia, who has been corresponding secretary of the organization for the past 15 years, gave many indications of the practical success of the movement, and instanced particularly the case of Utah, which was held to demonstrate the advisabilty of securing aid of political parties hrough planks in their platforms.

Mrs. Avery's reference to the womon's Bible led to a discussion rather ivelier than is usual in a suffrage convention. Mrs. Colby moved the adoption of the report with the exreption of that portion Mrs. Lil-Devereaux Blake, of New York, earnest'y championed Mrs. Stanton's book, declaring that much of the criticism of the woman's Bible arose from the densest ignorance. When Mrs. Blake whed every woman present, who had read the book, to hold up her hand only eight hands appeared and Mrs. Blake declared, in a caustic manner: We are a nice body to pass criticism on matter of this sort, now aren't we?" After several addresses, severely commenting on the book, Mrs. Harriet Taylor Upton, of Ohio, moved to lay the whole matter on the table, which was carried by a vote of 59 to 16.

At the evening session Miss Susan B. Anthony, the president, delivered her annual address. It consisted principally of a review of the efforts made by women in the early career of the suffrage movement and the attempts on the part of the women of Rochester, of whom Miss Anthony was one, to force the government to grant the franchise to women.

### HEART FAILURE.

It Carries Away Our Ambassador to Germany.

Berlin, Jan. 27.—Hon. Theodore Rungon, United States ambassador to Ger many, expired suddenly and unexpectdly at one o'clock this morning of beart failure. Mr. Runyon had been in somewhat feeble health for some time past, but no immediately fatal results were anticipated.

[Hon. Theodore Runyon was born at Sommerville, N. J., October 25, 1822. He graduated from Yale college in 1842, and in 1844 was admitted to the bar. In "She was made city attorney and in 1856 city counselof of Newark, N. J., a position retained until 1864, when he became mayor of the City, He was appointed in 1856 a comof the city. He was appointed in 1856 a com-



THEODORE RUNYON.

missioner to revise and codify the militia laws of New Jersey, and in 1857 was made brigadier general and subsequently major general of the New Jersey national guard. general of the New Jersey national guard. At the outbreak of the civil war he was placed in command of the New Jersey brigade of volunteers. In 1865 he was democratic candidate for governor of his state, but was not elected. From 1873 to 1887 he was chancellor of New Jersey. In March, 1893, he was appointed by President Cleveland American minister to Germany and whorstly afterwards was made ambassaghortly afterwards was made ambassa-dor. The degree of LLD, was conferred upon him by Yale, Rutgers and Wesleyan colleges).

Cleveland to Venezuela.

Caracas, Venezuela, Jan. 27 .- Gen. George Uzlar has arrived from the United States and has delivered to President Crespo a message from President Cleveland, asking, the people of Venezuela to refrain from violence during the present crisis. A Paris cable reports that the American commission has invited England and Venezuela to participate in the boundary inquiry. In an interview Dr. Rojas, the minister of foreign affairs, authorized the statement that Venezuela will gladly assist the commission and will place at its disposal the official records.

Crofton Asked to Resign.

·Chicago, Jan. 25.—Col. R. E. A. Crofton, commanding the post at Fort Sheridan, received an autograph letter from Secretary of War Lamont asking him to resign on account of the numerous scandals connected with the post and stating that he had conferred with President Cleveland, who would be very much gratified if he would resign. Col. Crofton refused to resign stating that his relative, Mr. Dupont, of Delaware, claims an election to the senate and that he counts on his influence to retain him in the service.

Mrs. Belmont Snubbed.

New York, Jan. 24.-New York society has snubbed Mrs. Oliver H. P. Belmont, formerly Mrs. W. K. Vanderbilt. A musicale in aid of a hospital has been declared off, the patronesses refusing to serve when they learned it was to be held at her house,

### HORROR IN WALES.

Coal Pits Are Destroyed by a Gas Explosion.

Miners to the Number of Over 100 Are Entombed-Rescuers Working Hard to Save Them-Fifty-Four Reported Killed.

Cardiff, Wales, Jan. 28.—The residents of the town and vicinity of Tylorstown, which is situated near here, were terrified by a terrific reverberation Monday. The concussion was caused by an ex plosion in a neighboring colliery, with disastrous consequences to life and property. The latest report places the number of dead at 54, though it is feared that the further exploration of the wrecked mine will develop the bodies of more. Reports of the number of killed have been confusing, and there is doubt as to the number of men in the mine at the time of the catastrophe. The first reports gave the number of miners in the shaft at 54, but some of them escaped to the surface, bringing the body of one comrade with them.

The pit was found to have caught fire, and the hindrance that this caused to the work of the rescue parties added to the excitement and tension of feeling. It was only through braving the utmost peril that the living were able to prosecute their quest for the dead.

The number of the dead removed grew from 12 to 15 and then 20, and the list of those known to have been in the fated shaft kept constantly growing, and with it the number of bereaved families waiting at the surface. The last to come out brought with them five bodies. None have been found alive, and it is not now thought that any will be.

It was reported at midnight that more bodies had been brought to the surface of the wrecked mine, and some of those who were in the mine have been rescued alive and are able to tell something of the occurrence. A fireman who made his way out of the death pit by a long journey relates that he passed numerous men on the way who were unconscious and helpless and badly burned. He could do nothing for them and was obliged to leave them to their fate.

### WANT TO GO TO GERMANY.

Three Prominent Illinoisans Candidates for Mr. Runyon's Place.

Washington, Jan. 28.-In connection with the vacancy caused by the death of Mr. Runyon, ambassador to Germany, it is said that Judge Lambert and Ben T. Cable, of Illinois, are being considered. A Chicago dispatch says that Potter Palmer, of that city, is also a candidate.

Berlin, Jan. 28.—Further details concerning the death of the United States ambassador to Germany, Mr. Theodore Runyon, have been given. Mr. Runyon was out walking, dined with his family and retired at 10:30 p. m. He awoke about midnight, complained of a pain in the heart and expired in the arms of his wife before the arrival of the doctor. His death was painless. Mr. Runyon had two previous attacks of heart failure, but they were not considered dangerous. The remains of the United States ambassador will be embalmed and will be taken to his home at Newark, N. J.

### A FAMILY QUARREL.

It Results in the Death of a Woman and Her Stepson. Blue Field, W. Va., Jan. 28.—In a

family quarrel at Kyle Monday morning Mrs. Lizzie Savage was shot and instantly killed by Thomas Burns, her stepson. After the shooting Burns went to the barn and fired a bullet through his left breast, causing instant death. As soon as his young wife saw the lifeless body she fainted and, after being revived, went to the house and took poison. It was with great difficulty that her life was saved. Her mind is thought to have been deranged.

### ESCAPES THE GALLOWS.

Condemned Murderer in Nebraska De-

Lexington, Neb., Jan. 28.--John B. Walker, the condemned murderer of Stevens, who was sentenced to be hanged on January 10, but who was reprieved by Gov. Holcomb to March 6, had a hearing Monday before Judge Green and a jury to determine upon his sanity. The finding of the jury was that Walker is instane, which verdict disposes of the hanging, unless he should regain his reason.

William Celebrates His Birthday. Berlin, Jan. 28.—The emperor's 37th birthday was celebrated Monday with great ceremony. Divine service was held in the morning in the castle chapel and later a grand reception was held in the White hall of the Schloss, which was attended by a large number of guests, including the foreign diplomats, a number of the royal and reigning princes, the ministers of state and many other of the high government

Winter Carnival in Quebec.

Quebec, Jan. 28 .- The official opening of the Quebec great winter carnival took place Monday afternoon in the presence of an immense crowd of spectaurs. The city is full of visitors, most of whom are Americans, and inecming trains are crowded. The ice bridge over the St. Lawrence forms a great attraction and hundreds crossed it d .ring the day.

### RHEUMATISM.

From the News, Hutchinson, Kansas.

This summer, while a representative of the Hutchinson, Kansas, News, was taking his vacation he had occasion to visit the thriving little City of Peru, Ill. He had hardly had time to shake hands with friends in the city before he was told of the wonderful cure of Mrs. George Perry of rheumatism. Every one that has ever lived in Peru, Ill., knows Deacon George Perry and cropped on poor soil 116 bus. pe wife. They have lived there forty years, and being active workers in the church and kind, obliging neighbors, they are both well known and universally loved. The News representative being always on the look out for news and wonderful cures called on Deacon Perry and wife the second day after his arrival. He was met at the door by Mrs. Perry, an old lady now over seventy years of are. He told her bluntly that he had of age. He told her bluntly that he had heard that she had been recently cured of rheumatism and asked for her story, which she readily gave, expressing a desire that she wished that the world at large should

sho readily gave, expressing a desire that she wished that the world at large should know of her good fortune. She said:

"About three years ago I was taken down with the grippe and suffered nearly all winter. After the grippe left me I was taken with the rhoumatism. I could absolutely do no work, and for overa year I was so bad I could not pick a pin off the floor. I had the town physicians doctor me and I tried many remedies, but none of them seemed to do me any good for any length of time. At last my husband noticed an article in a paper about a wenderful cure brought about by the use of Pink Pills for rheumatism, and I determined to try once more. I used only six boxes of Pink Pills, and long before I took the last box I was nearly as well as you see me to-day. I now do all my own housework, although I am over seventy years of age, and I have no words at my command to express my gratitude to the manufacturers of Pink Pills, for without their medicino I am satisfied I would still be laid up with rheumatism, and not only been a sufferer but been unable to do any work."

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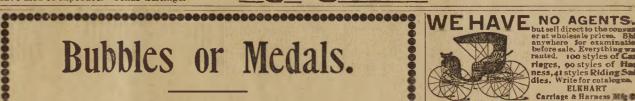


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TURNER, Ill. is to be congratulated on their enterprise in voting for a \$25,000 system of water works. The town is but little Three Years of Splendid Health. larger than Genoa.

THE only Dennis Hogan, of Geneva, it is said will be a candidate for congress from this dist-

HON. JAMES M. TRUITT is a candidate for Attorney General of Illinois. He is a newspaper man and of course deserves the place.

Hon. I. PIERSON has concluded to again be a candidate for Secretary of State on the Republican ticket. It will be remembered that he was the Republican Sec retary of State in 1889-1893 and filled the office satisfactorily.

THERE have been rumors and there are still rumors that Selz. Schwab & Co. are contemplating doubling their shoe factory plant 00 YOU in Genoa. There is but one thing to be done to have this rumor carried out and that is the erection of water works, As it is now the company is hanicapped in placing a sufficient insurance on their plant and stock, on account of the entire absence in Genoa of fire protection.

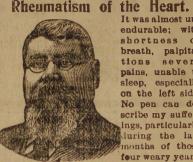
THE announcement that the German republicans of Chicago will be much better satisfied with Christopher Strassheim than with Hertz for state treasurer, may play quite a part in the make up of the republican ticket. There is a very strong organization in cook county back of Hertz. Justi what its motive is has never been discovered. Even that organization, however, has selfish ends to protect. It is instantly apparent that the republicans through the state do not take very kindly to the nomination of Hertz. Very few friendly things are ever heard for him. With a strong element in Chicago for Strassheim, and a feeling among the state republicans against Hertz, it does not look like a very difficult thing to shift the combination slate and leave Hertz out.

THE Presidential and Vice-Presidential offices have never in our history both become vacant during a Presidential term. Several Presidents have died in office -Harrison, Taylor, Lincoln, and Garfield, but the Vice- President took up the office and survived the term. Vice-Presidents Clinton, Gerry, King, Wilson and Hendricks have died in office. John C. Calhoun resigned to become senator from South Carolina. In 1886 a new statute was passed by Congress changing the succession, and now in the event of the death or removal of both President and Vice-President, the succession devolves upon the members of the cabinet in the following order: Secretary of State, Secretary of the Treasury, Secretary of War, Attorney-General, Postmaster-General, Secretary of the Navy, Secretary of the Inter-ior.—Ex-President Harrison in February Ladies Home Journal.

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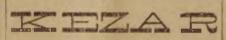
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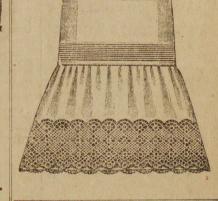


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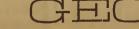
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and where he made his appearance he epileptic stroke. was the center of an admiring crowd. party look on him as the standard the work of that denomination. The bearer that will lead them out of the Women's Christian Temperance Unclutches of the Chicago machine.

vember has been the means of bring- esteem of all who were acquainted ing out an unusually large number of with her. candidates for state offices. There are a sufficient number of candidates for Peterborough, Ontario, March 29th.. every office to ensure a spirited con- 1838, and at the age of seven years

good workers for Hopkins and the way to the farm just north of here. In they looked after his interests was a 1847 she made a visit to Canada where caution. DeKalb county has strong she met Robert Cliffe and before her and the fact that he first saw the light Three children, Marguerite, Charleof day in De Kalb county only adds to and Ellsworth, were born to them. his popularity here

his coherts towards Mr. Hopkins was Belle, the two latter now living here. the only incident that detracted from Mr. Cliffe was not at home at the the perfect harmony of the meeting time of Mrs. Cliffe's death, being a Every point that would bring Tanner traveling man, but he arrived here to the front and detract from his com-petitors was taken advantage of by The funeral services are being held EXCHANGE BANK OF BROWN & BROWN Buy and seil Government Bonds. Sell Passage Tickets to and from Europe. And for sale or rent some choice farms in this vicinity, and houses and lots in this village.

The function his competitors was taken advantage of by the wilv Jamieson. What a contrast was there between the tactics of Tanner and the other state of the residence at this writing and under the charge of Prof. Gibbs Rev. the wilv Jamieson. What a contrast at the residence at this writing and ner and the other state candidates. Rose and Rev. French. The body was The latter all came in quietly before borne to Genoa cemetery and laid to the meeting was called to order and rest in the presence of relatives and a took their places on the platform, large number of sorrowing friends. Not so with Tanner, however. There wasn't enough of the spectacular about that to suit him. He needs must wait on a lower floor of the cap- go, says: I regard Dr. King's New itol building until a trusty messenge from his lieutenant announced that Coughs, Colds and Lung complaints. the meeting had been called to order, having used it in my family for the Then after prayer had been offered he last five years, to the exclusion of phymade his grand stand entrance. This sician's prescriptions or other preparagrand stand work was kept up tions." Teacher of Mandolin, Violion, Guitar throughout the day to such an extent Rev. John Burgus, Keokuk. Iowa,

> called, he received a perfect ovation me such speedy relief as Dr. King's AGENTS district and the large ardience gave Cough remedy now. Trial bottles

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building this season, would do who shot himself rather than suffer plaints of this character, and if inthe pangs of indigestion. Husband- structions (which are simple) are car The fool! Why didn't he take De- ried out, a cure will result. We have Witt's Little Early Risers? I used to tested this in numerous cases, and alsuffer as bad as he did before I com- ways with like results. It never fails. menced taking these little pills. FT FT Robinson, Genoa and L C Shaffer, Robinson, Genoa and L C Shaffer, Kingston. Kingston.

> Butter sold for 20c. on the Elgin board of trade Monday.

Called to Her Last Home.

The people of Genoa were suddenly shocked Monday evening when the news was carried around of the death It was a gloriously big crowd that of Mrs. Mary Jane Cliffe, wife of Rolassembled at Springfield last Tuesday ert Cliffe. Apparently in the bes to give a proper start to the coming of health, she was engaged in the us campaign. It was a feast of oratory ual Monday morning's work, when she that was hugely enjoyed by an unusu- was suddenly seized with a sligh ally large number of Republicans from pain in the head, which increased to such an extent that she soon becamunconscious and remained in tha If there was any Republican who state until death claimed her at nine had any doubts as to the popularity of o'clock on that evening, notwithstand. Congressman Hopkins he very readily ing that every effort possible war saw the error of his judgment. When | made to overcome the effects of the

Mrs. Cliffe has always been identi-No other state candidate recieved fled with church work and while not a more cordial greetings and best wish member of the M. E. Church here. es than he. The rank and file of the she has always been connected with ion, by her death, will lose one of \*\*

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The certain knowledge that Illinois and fourth Thursdsy night. J. H. Vanoresber, V. C. W. H. Sager, Clerk.

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The certain knowledge that Illinois will go solidly Republican next November has been the means of brings active workers, while Genoa Camp No. 163, meets every second will go solidly Republican next November has been the means of brings active workers, while Genoa Camp No. 163, meets every second will go solidly Republican next November has been the means of brings active workers, while Genoa Camp No. 163, meets every second will go solidly Republican next November has been the means of brings and formal control of the certain knowledge that Illinois will go solidly Republican next November has been the means of brings and formal control of the certain knowledge that Illinois will go solidly Republican next November has been the means of brings and formal control of the certain knowledge that Illinois will go solidly Republican next November has been the means of brings and formal control of the certain knowledge that Illinois will go solidly Republican next November has been the means of brings and formal control of the certain knowledge that Illinois will go solidly Republican next November has been the means of brings and formal control of the certain knowledge that Illinois will go solidly Republican next November has been the means of brings and the certain knowledge that Illinois will go solidly Republican next November has been the means of brings and the certain knowledge that Illinois will go solidly Republican next November has been the means of brings and the certain knowledge that Illinois will go solidly Republican next November has been the means of brings and the certain knowledge that Illinois will go solidly Republican next November has been the means of brings and the certain knowledge that Illinois will be a second next November has been the means of brings and the certain knowledge that Illinois will be a second next November has been the certain knowledge that Illinois wil

Mrs. Mary Jane Cliffe was born in movel with her parents to Illinois and settled in Chicago, after-DeKalb county sent down a dozen wards moving to Sycamore and then liking for the brainy congressman return to Illinois was married to him. Besides her husband, four children by Mr. Cliffe's first wife, mourn her sud-The attitude of Doc. Jamieson and den end, E. H., Emma, Nellie and

The Ideal Panacea.

James L. Francis, Alderman, Chica-Discovery as an ideal panacea for

and Piano Lessons in Harmony that it was disgusting to say the least, writes: "I have been a minister of the Methodist Episcopal Church for Despite the fact that Congresman 50 years or more, and have never found Hopkins was about the last speaker anything so beneficial, or that gave when he arose to respond from the 8th New Discovery." Try this ideal himethe closest attention with very free at F. T. Robinson's, Genoa and L C Shaffer's, Kingston.

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### THE NEWS.

### Compiled From Late Dispatches.

CONGRESSIONAL.

The Proceedings of the First Session.

The senate put aside finance and foreign affairs on the 21st and passed many bills, among them being the following: Granting a penelon of \$50 a month to the widow of Rear Admiral English; pensioning the widow of Maj. Gen. Carroll at \$75 monthly and the widow of Lieut. Frederick Schwatka, arctic explorer, at \$30 monthly; increasing the pension of the widow of Col. Frederick Dent, sister of President Grant, from \$30 to \$50 monthly, and pensioning the widow of Brevet Maj. Gen. Doubleday at \$100 monthly....In the house the urgency deficiency bill (\$4,415,922) was passed. A bill was introduced requiring Canadian bill was introduced requiring Canadian sailors seeking employment in this country to have a domicile of at least six months in the United States before they

can be employed. In the senate on the 22d resolutions were introduced relative to the Armenian troubles, to enable the president to veto items in appropriation bills, and to enable congress to pass bills over the veto by a majority vote, and to create a national reserve. Senator Wolcott (Col.) spoke against the Davis Monroe doctrine resolution, declaring that the doctrine had been misapplied and that the administration foreign policy was ill advised...In the house no business of importance was transacted.

acted. The three subjects most prominently before the public—the Monroe doctrine, finance and tariff—each came in for consideration in the senate on the 23d. A bill was introduced to repeal the refunding act of 1870 and the specie payment resumption act of 1878. A favorable report was made on the bill authorizing construction of bridges over the Missouri, Mississippi, Minnesota and Illinois rivers....In the house the rules of the 51st congress were adouted.

ate on the 24th agreed to a concurrent resolution urging decisive action by the Ethropean powers against Turkey, and pledging to the president the support of congress in the most vigorous action he may take for the protection of Americans in Turkey and the redress for injuries to American persons and property. The free American persons and property. The free coinage bill was discussed. Adjourned to the 27th...In the house 13 pension bills were passed. Adjourned to the 27th.

### DOMESTIC.

A. J. McLaurin (dem.) was inaugurated governor of Mississippi at Jack-

A fire in the lumber yard of the George W. Gale Lumber company at Cambridge, Mass., caused a loss of \$100,000.

The remains of Bernard Gillam, the well-known cartoonist of Judge, were incinerated at the Earle crematory in

Ambrose West and wife both over 70 years of age, were found dead in bed in their home in Germantown, Pa., having been asphyxiated by coal gas.

As the result of a quarrel over a fence boundary Daniel S. Core shot John Dillon dead in the courtroom in Wau-

The inauguration of John W. Griggs (rep.) as governor of New Jersey took place at Trenton.

Benjamin Wells, a retired business man, 72 years old, of Fostoria, O., was mourning the loss of \$8,000, as a result of the work of two bunko workers.

A locomotive boiler exploded at South Charleston, O., killing Engineer Trimble and Fireman Waters and injuring

11 other persons. Miss Clara Barton, president of the American Red Cross society, and five companions sailed from New York on the American line steamship New York for Constantinople, where she will seek permission to enter Armenia to administer assistance to the needy and afilicted of that country.

An advance of six cents per 100 pounds on all grades of refined sugars was ordered by the American Sugar Refining company. The war in Cuba and the advance in German raw sugars was given as the cause.

The mayors of Peru and La Salle and the presidents of the villages of Utica and Kangley, in Illinois, and all the saloonkeepers in the four places were indicted for allowing saloons to remain open on Sunday.

Rev. Augusta Chapin, D. D., pastor of the First Universalist church in Omaha, and the only woman doctor of divinity in the world, resigned her pas-

James T. Gray, tobacconist at Richmond, Va., failed for \$100,000.

The 28th annual convention of the National American Woman Suffrage essociation began in Washington, and Miss Susan B. Anthony delivered the address

The National Centennial Phrenologists' acsociation will hold its annual convention in Chicago next May celebrate the 100th anniversary of the hirth of phrenology.

The receipts from internal revenue for the six months of the current fiscal year aggregate \$76,807,522, a decrease, as compared with the corresponding period of 1894-95, of \$5,040,198

In a fire at the Herr's Island stock yards near Pittsburgh, Pa., many cattle were cremated.

The Saratoga (N. Y.) Racing association decided to abandon the idea of

holding a meeting this season. President and Mrs. Cleveland gave their annual reception to congress and the judiciary.

In a mutiny off the Andrew islands en board the American trading schooner Maria, Capt. Brown, Mate Herman Mohlmann and a passenger were murdered by the crew.

In the fower Mississippi valley farms and plantations were inundated by heavy rains, fences destroyed, bridges swept away, and the damage to property was heavy.

William Foster, Jr., engaged in New York in the business of mining and

There were 373 business failures in the United States in the seven days tion. ended on the 24th, against 412 the week previous and 363 in the corresponding D. Money as United States senator.

Henry C. Foster, a negro, 23 years old, was hanged in Chicago for the murder of George W. Wells on October

The National Editorial association in session at St. Augustine, Fla., elected | 76 years. R. H. Thomas, of Mechanicsburg, Pa., as president.

John K. Cowen, of Baltimore, representative in congress from the Fourth Maryland district, was elected president of the Baltimore & Ohio railroad. In the circuit court in Chicago Her-

bert B. Gehr was awarded \$40,000 damages against the Mexican Central Railroad company for false imprisonment.

W. A. Bullock lost \$1,000 in bills out of his vest pocket in Milwaukee. He had taken the money out of a savings bank in 1893 so that he would be sure of hav-

The 15th annual meeting of the American Forrestry association opened in Washington. The object is to secure protection for the 17,564,800 acres of forests on public lands.

The National Centennial Phrenotogists' association will hold its annual convention in Chicago next May to celebrate the 100th anniversary of the birth of phrenology.

The exchanges at the leading clearing houses in the United States during the week ended on the 24th aggregated \$979,967,447, against \$1,062,791,-224 the previous week. The increase, compared with the corresponding week in 1895, was 6.6.

The two boys of Isaac H. Claggett, aged seven and nine years, were burned to death in his house at Montevideo, Minn. Both he and his wife were absent at the time.

George Ward, a Cherokee Indian, was hanged at Van Buren, Ark., for murdering Henry Bacon in July last year.

Joseph Wicker, his wife and two chil-

dren attempted to ford a stream in a wagon in Raudall county, Tex., and all were drowned.

The reports made to the comptroller of the currency by the 3,706 national banks in the United States of their con dition December 13, 1895, shows loans and discounts amounting to \$2,020,961,-792, against \$2,059,408,402 September 28, 1895, the date of the previous report. Gold was found in San Diego county, Cal., which assayed \$167,250 to the tou.

At Muncie, Ind., Jacob Hobbs, was sentenced to three years in state's prison, fined \$25 and disfranchised for five years for stealing three pocketknives valued at :5 cents.

Rev. T. B. Hargrove, fell dead in the pulpit in the midst of his sermon at the Methodist church in Coldwater, Miss.

George Thorne and Andrew McDugan, both married, and residents of North Lawrence, O., were struck by a passenger train on the Fort Wayne road and instantly killed.

The fishing schooner Falcon, which sailed from Gloucester, Mass., with a crew of 12 men November 23, has been

John Goodwin, an aged and wealthy planter of Birmingham, Ala., while

emporarily insane murdered his wife and committed suicide. In an opinion rendered to Gov. Holcomb Judge Advocate General W. L. Stark declared the Nebraska statute exempting state militiamen from federal services void in that it violates the

constitution. The coinage of gold at the Philadelohia mint since January 1 amounts to 8,898,700, mostly touble engles.

While insane Patrick McMahon faally injured his uncle and aunt, named

Sexton, with an ax in New York. A bill to be introduced in congress by Senator Hansbrough (N. D.) will make it "unlawful for any person or persons, corporation or company to use the national flag or the coat of arms of the

United States, or any pattern, imitation or representation thereof, upon or n connection with any advertisement for private gain." As the result of an investigation into

the accounts of the state department in Washington treasury experts were said to have found a deficiency of \$61,-

Fire destroyed the rubber company's mill at Lambertville, N. J., the loss being \$100,000.

### PERSONAL AND POLITICAL.

Gen. Thomas Ewing, member of congress from Ohio from 1877 to 1881, died at his home in New York from injuries received by a cable car. He was 67 years

Ex-Judge Edward L. Burton, one of lowa's most prominent awyers and ablest jurists, died at his home in Ottumwa at the age of 65 years.

James Rogers, aged 77, a wealthy resdent of Pomona, Cal., was married to Miss Ida Nelson, aged 14 years.

George Ryerson, who was governor of Lower California from 1850 to 1885, hed at San Diego, aged 72 years. William W. Upton, ex-judge of the

supreme court of Oregon, and second comptroller of the treasury during the Hayes administration, died in Washington, aged 70 years.

Congressman H. D. Money was nominated by the democratic cavous of the Mississippi legislature as United States senator to succeed J. Z. George.

The silver conference in Washington decided to put a national ticket in the field this year, and with that intent its manufacturing, made an assignment adherents will meet in St. Louis July with liabilities of \$500,000. lected for the national populist conven-

The Mississippi legislature elected H.

Mrs. Betsy Moody, mother of Dwight In Moody, the evangelist, died of old age at her home in East Northfield, Conn. She was 91 years old.

John Tyler, the eldest son of President Tyler, died in Washington, aged

Capt. Marcus L. Taylor, U. S N., retired, died in Philadelphia, aged 40

Phillip Ripley, at one time one of the most widely-known newspaper men in the country, died in New York, aged vears. Hiram Lester died at McDonough,

Ga., in his 129th year. He was born in North Carolina in 1768. John D. Lawson, a figure in New York and national politics for over 50

years, and an ex-congressman, died in New York city, aged 76 years.

### FOREIGN.

Advices from the City of Mexico say that bull fighting has been interdicted in Mexico after the fulfillment of present contracts.

It is an nounced that by the terms of a treaty signed January 13 the Island of Madagascar is declared a french possession.

Advices from Constantinople say that an offensive and defensive alliance has been concluded between Russia and Turkey.

It was announced that the sultan had decided to allow Clara Barton to distribute relief in Turkey to the Armeniaus.

Later advices from Russia say that 70 persons lost their lives by the burning of a theater at Erkaterinoslav.

The pope refusea to remove the ban placed by the Catholic church upon the orders of Knights of Pyth.as, Sons of Temperance and Odd Fellows.

At the military hospital at Mons, Germany, a mad soldier, armed with a knife, killed two patients and mortally wounded three others. Lord Leighton, better known as Sir

Frederick Leighton, president of the hoyal academy, died in London, aged years. Gen. Weyler, the newly-appointed

captain general of Cuba, sailed from Barcelona for Havana with a cavalry force of 1,000. The American residents in the Transvaal made an appeal to the United

States for protection. Theodore Runyon, United States ambassador to Germany, expired suddenly and unexpectedly of heart failure in Berlin. He was a resident of Somerville, N. J., and was 74 years old.

### LATER.

Mrs. Fanny Bacharach, aged 52 years, and Mrs. Bertha Einstein, aged 50, sisters, both fell dead at the same time at the home of the latter in Philadelphia. Heart disease was the cause.

James Morgan & Co., dry goods dealers in Milwaukee, failed for \$150,000. The Adams Marseilles Manufactur-

ing company at Marseilles, Ill., made an assignment with liabilities of \$200,-

A large part of the business portion of Green City, Mo., was destroyed by

In a family quarrel at Kyle, W. Va., Mrs. Lizzie Savage was shot and instantly killed by Thomas Burns, her stepson, who also took his own life.

William D. Wheelwright & Co., lumber merchants in New York, failed for \$200,000.

George W. Baxter, aged 39, killed his wife in Minneapolis with a hammer and then cut his own throat with a razor. Jealousy was the cause.

W. T. Jacobs, George Props and Thomas Higgins were drowned at Sewall, W. Va., while crossing New river in a boat.

Two babies dead and their mother dving was the result of a fire at the home of John Steele in Pittsburgh, Pa.

The schooner John W. Bray and crew of 14 men, of Gloucester, Mass., was given up as lost. Her captain was Alexander McCleod, of Cape Penton. An explosion in a colliery in the vi-

cinity of Tylorstown, Wales, occasioned a loss of not less than 55 lives. In a conflict between farmers near

Jefferson, Ia., John Brown, Jr., and John Fleck were killed and Mrs. John Brown, Sr., George Fleck and Miss Mary Brown were badly wounded.

A woman's six-day bicycle race commenced in Chicago with ten starters. Washington, Jan. 28.—Senators Frank

J. Cannon and Arthur Brown, of the new state of Utah, took the oath of office in the senate yesterday, the former drawing the term ending March 3, 1899, and the latter the term ending March 3, 1897. Aside from this event the session was given to further speeches on the silver bond bill. In the house the resolutions passed by the senate calling on the powers signatory to the treaty of Berlin to enforce the reforms in Turkey guaranteed to the Christian Armenians were adopted after debate, in which Mr. Hepburn (Ia.) advocated giving the Turkish minister his passports and severing all diplomatic relations with Turkey.

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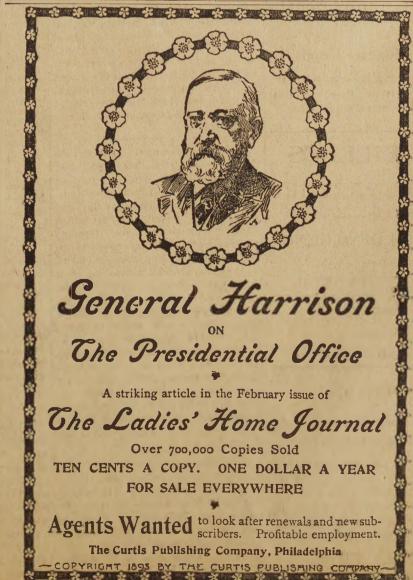
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But I cannot mourn their going, Nor the wealth of their desire, While I sit in sweetest comfort, Rocking baby by the fire. Sometimes the world seems hard and cold.

And often. I confess,

1 think its sins are manifold— Its wrongs need some redress.
Yet, when I turn at ovening
My back upon its ire,
I forget about its troubles

They say there is another life That's better far than this; If so, to us is given
A foretaste of its bliss. I never doubt its holding
All the soul can e'er require: But it's pretty close to Heaven-Rocking baby by the fire.

—Louisa C. Ray. in Home Queen.

Rocking baby by the fire.



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CHAPTER III.—CONTINUED

They were walking slowly back to the porch of his unfinished quarters as they talked-he, his adjutant and his special friend, Capt. Raymond. Quiet had settled down on the post. Wearied with watching almost everybody had gone to get such sleep as was possible, but the guard and a few officers still remained wide awake. Mrs. Foster, unable to control her anxiety, was still restlessly pacing the veranda or rocking in her big chair, and the officer of the day, returning from a tour of the sentry posts, was standing on the walk and saying some reassuring words, when the post commander and his party came along.

"I feel dreadful nervous about that boy, major," said she. "Of course, it was all very brave of him to take such a risk for Mrs. Downey's sake, but when Indians have dared to come within a mile of us what's to prevent their being all along that westward road now! Couldn't you have sent a few men?'

"Could, perhaps," said the major, with an air that betrayed just a little how much he resented it that any of the ladies should question his judgment, "but there are two reasons why I didn't-more than two, in fact. In the first place, the boy had just come safely in over the road, and that shows that it is probably safe for to-night Even Apaches have at least. sleep sometimes, you know. In the second place, Capt. Foster has driven ahead of him any Indians that might have been out here to the north—if, indeed, those Mexicans weren't shooting at spooks. We have only their word for it, you know, that there were any Tontos at all."

'They ran off two mules," interposed Mrs. Foster, impetuously.

Wait a moment. The Mexicans say they did, but I've known these greasers to lie like Ananias already, and we've only been here a few weeks. Even if they had had two mules and a boy, what was to prevent the mules stampeding into the hills on their own account, and hiding in some ravine to the west of the road, as their owners did to the east?"

"But Capt. Foster wouldn't chase spooks all night," said the lady, rocking rapidly and excitedly now. She was full of conviction that the Apaches were all around them, and there was no comfort in being argued out of the idea. "Capt. Foster," replied the major,

"knows as well as we do from official reports that the Indians have raided the mines and the Prescott mad, and he is gone on, like the good soldier he is," added he, diplomatically, "to warn or rescue these other parties, if they really exist, and stir up the Indians if they get in his way. South of that curtain of mountains," he continued, pointing to the black mass of the Socorro. "and behind your husband's skirmish line we are free from danger. West of this post, which guards the descent to the Sandy valley, no Indian is going to be fool enough to venture unless he's doubly Tonto, which, I'm told, means Now my advice to the wife of my good friend, Capt. Foster, is that she go to bed and sleep. That's what I mean to do."

"But, major," persisted Mrs. Foster, "suppose Leon should be cut off byby anybody. He told me you said his Mexican uncle was again here trying to get him. Suppose he shouldn't reach the old post by three o'clock or later,

how would you know?" "Ah, I thought of all that. I told him to start a fire under what's left of that old stack of condemned hay the moment he got in. The sentries out here on Three and Four have already received orders to watch for a fire at the old post. If they don't see it by half-past three at the latest, we'll start a purty in search. But that fire'll be there all right. Good night, Mrs. Fos-

ter-now don't worry. But Mrs. Foster did worry. She worried about Leon-exposed, as she believed, to danger from two sources. She worried about her husband, even

her it was not likely so strong a com- down the bluff. Thornton paused at little life another sacrifice? Taking mand as his company would meet with Apaches that night. If Apaches were in the neighborhood they would be apt to keep well out of the way. She worried so that even by two o'clock when she retired to her own room she could

not sleep.
But she worried even less than her friend the major, who found himself too uneasy to lie down at all. Bidding good night to the three officers, he had gone to his quarters, and as he took a final look out over the silent and shadowy prairie, thanked goodness Mrs. Thornton and the children were safe in the east. Not that they would have been in any particular danger at Retribution, but because they'd be in the way just now, and when women and children will ask questions that are hard to answer, especially of a post commander. "Confound the Apaches and Muncey and Manuel Cardoza!" said "and especially Mrs. Downey! What on earth did she get sick for and have that boy risking his young life to fetch her a camphor julep at three o'clock in the morning?" He wished he had sent a sergeant and ten men back with him, for, if Apaches really were in the Sandy valley, Crane might need reinforcements, anyhow, only he hated to "rout out" men and horses in that heathenish way long after midnight. If anything should go wrong with Leon, how his old friend Cullen would blame him. He looked at his watchonly a little after two-a whole hour to wait before he could hear of the boy's safe return, but surely semething should be heard from Foster. It couldn't take his couriers two hours to ride back in the night from Raton Springs.

Lighting his pipe, the major once more went out into the still night air. Over at the guardhouse the lights burned dimly and he could see the shadowy forms of the sentry on No. 1 slowly pacing his post. Stepping out upon the parade, he noted that only in one or two of the windows were the night lights still burning. Earlier in the night signal fires could be seen far over the southeast in the Sierra Ancha, but they had dwindled away. Everything about the garrison seemed to speak of calm and security, yet, along the porticos of the opposite barracks and in their bunks within, a hundred stalwart men lay drowsing with their arms close at hand. Many of them had not even kicked off their boots. "Number 1-half-past two o'clock," rang the call of the sentry at the guard house. Then No. 2 took it up over at the southwest, adding in cheery, resonant tone, "a-a-lis we-e-ll." No. 3, far out on the west front-one of the sentries warned to watch for Leon's signal-came next, and he, too, piped his soldier's lay, prompt and clear and confident. Then No. 4 at the northwest—he who had the best view of the distant valley of the Sandy and the bold outlines of Signal Butte-a big. burly German he-and his deep bass voice rolled out like the bellow of a bull; "Holluf bahst doo o'glock, unt a-a-hls vell." Over at the guardhouse the men of the first relief were already turning out preparatory to being inspected and marched off to relieve the members of the third, who had gone out at half-past twelve, and as big Stromberg's resonant bellow went echoing away to the Socorro, there was an audible titter and laughing imita-



sternly, the sergeant's voice ordered: Shut up, there! Stop that noise! The call had stopped short with No.

4. Not a sound had come from No. 5. "Who's No. 5 on your relief?" asked the sergeant, sharply. "Ruckel, the new man," replied the

corporal, already picking up his carbine, but listening intently. "Ruckel's a snoozer," laughed a boy

trumpeter, nervously.

"Silence, you! Quick, corporal," said the sergeant. "The man couldn't sleep through that Dutchman's yell.

Promptly the corporal went bounding across the parade, the short cut to the north side, and Maj. Thornton, some strange fear hammering at his heart, fast as he could walk, had hurried around to the back of his quarters, where once more he could see the polar constallations shimmering over the Socorro and the dim, vague, shadowy lowland stretching away from the slope at his very feet. Already big Stromberg had begun to repeat his call in Teuton-ic observance of the order that if the next sentry failed to pass it it should be repeated once. Already Number Six, far around at the corral, had lifted up a shout for the corporal, convinced that something must be wrong with Five. But the corporal was in rapid rush for the scene. He never pulled up as he ens! were the Apaches on the westward though her native common sense told passed the major, but hastened on road, then, after all? Was that brave just what he meant.

the brink.

"Where are you. Five? What's the matter?" he heard the corporal's eager hail in the darkness. No answer.

"Where are you, Ruckel? Wh-" Then a stumble—a stifled exclamation -the sound of something like a carbine falling on the sandy ground, and then along the bluff trot, trot, trot, trot, trot, double time, the rapid coming of the sergeant with the patrol and a lantern. "This way, sergeant," cried the ma-

jor, as he led on down the slope. "Come here with that light, for God's sake," rang the voice of the corporal. And fifty yards further they found him bending over an inanimate and bleeding form-that of Ruckel, the young Bavarian trooper, pierced through with Tonto arrows.

CHAPTER IV.

Alive, alert and well at two o'clock the young sentry on Number Five had passed the call. Entitled to his relief immediately after two thirty and al lowed a few hours' rest and sleep at the guardhouse, he had but half an hour now to tramp up and down-up and down along that dark and dreary post. with the black silhouettes of the officers' quarters rising between him and the southern sky and the black shadows of the northward foothills hemming the view to the Prescott road. Soft and sandy was the soil in this depression, with stunted shrubbery and hardy brushwood dotting it here and there. West of the road by which G troop had trotted away the ground lay open and clear. East of it and over toward the upper end of Six's post there remained many clumps of wild vegetation, and if any doubts existed at two o'clock of the near presence of Apaches in force they were banished at two thirty, for ( troop, tumbling out in hot haste and formed in fighting line, went down the slope in single rank, out over the post of poor Ruckel lying there skewered with Tonto shafts, and in dispersed order, with carbines at ready, they beat through that chapparal, stirring up the jack rabbits by the score, and, later on, finding here and there and in a dozen spots the track of a Tonto moccasin-unmistakable as the hoof prints of a moose, but finding not a single Tonto. Fleetest of mountain warriors, they had made their reconnaissance, and then while some drew Foster's troop toward the Raton Springs others, slipping behind, had crept noiselessly within ten yards of the drowsing sentry, lolling in fancied se-curity along his shadowy path, passing and repassing between their lair and the star-lit southern sky, until, crawling upon him, sinuous and slow and patient as the boa constrictor, they had struck at one and the same instant, and dropped him in his tracks with no more than one gurgling, inarticulate cry, then sped away for the foothills.

While Raymond's men were beating the bush, their comrades of F troop had saddled and led into line at the stables. It was three fifteen when the dismounting company came swinging back up the slope, silent, vengeful, yet thrilling a bit with the sense of unseen danger. Thornton by this time was fully aroused to the possibilities of Apache warfare.

'It will be daybreak soon," he said, "and I want you, Turner, to push out on the trail of those beggars and run them to earth if a possible thing. Raymond will remain with me. They must belong to some bigger band hereabouts. God grant it isn't along the Sandy-

Involuntarily as he spoke he turned and looked to the west. There stood old Signal Butte-dark and silent still. No sign of beacon fire there. There lay the dim and distant ruins of the old post, down in the depths of the shadowy valley. No sign of danger or excitement. Yet if the Apaches dare stalk the sentries of a big command as these had done, what would they not dare with so small a detachment as Crane's? And then those unprotected women and children at Kelly's ranch! Thornton had seen exciting times during the war of the rebellion, but women and children never entered into those calculations. It was after three when Raymond's men returned from their fruitless quest. Turner's troop had gone out to the stables, and not a word had come from Foster, not a sign from the Sandy valley to tell that Leon had safely reached the post. Nervously the major paced up and down his broad veranda now, every little while pausing to address some query or instruction to officers or men hastening by. Lights were flitting about in every set of quarters and on every side.

Everybody was astir, even the children. Over at the east the stars were beginning to pale in the faint, pallid light of the coming morn, and little by little the jagged outline of the Mogol lon range grew sharp and clear against the reddening sky. Over at the west the peaks began to warm and glow in answer, while at their base the valley of the Sandy still lay dark and unrevealed. Nearly four o'clock-no further word from Foster. Could he have sent couriers from the springs, who, riding carelessly, confidently homeward, had met poor Ruckel's fate? Certainly by three o'clock he should have been heard from, and here it was almost daylight. In ten minutes, just as soon as coffee could be served. Turner, with his troop, would push away on his scout, and then, all on a sudden, the old anxiety flashed again upon the major: Nearly four o'clock and Leon's signal had not been fired. Great heav-

Raymond and his adjutant with him, the major once more tramped out to the westward. There over the tumbling sea of rock and gorge and beetling cliff the gleaming tip of old San Pedro peered at them, his rugged flanks robed in royal purple, but even Signal Butte in the lower valley lay shrouded in gloom. In low tone the sentry on No. 4 challenged at their approach. He recognized the voices of his officers, but orders compelled him to demand further "Friends with the countersign," answered the adjutant, half impatiently, as though to say: "We weren't coming on or across your post," yet refraining from other words because he knew the sentry's right.

"Halt, friends! Advance one with the countersign," ordered the soldier. in the same low, firm tone, and, obedi ently, Thornton and Raymond waited while the junior officer went quickly forward and whispered the mystic word over the lowered bayonet of the infantry guard. Permitted then to hold conversation with his visitor, Private Graham answered the first anxious question of the major: "No, sir; not a sign of a fire anywhere in the valley. I've been watching particular." just at that moment the call of four o'clock began.

Only two calls had gone the rounds since the discovery of Ruckel's fate, and once more now, still dim and indistinct, the post of No. 5, down in the low ground to the north was uncovered at the front, for Raymond's troop had returned. Instinctively the officers turned away from No. 4 and



"ADVANCE, FRIENDS."

walked back nearer the northward slope as the soldier watch cry came on from lip to lip. They could just faintly distinguish the form of the sentry well to the westward of the road, well out of range-small blame to him-of those stunted brush heaps and the point where poor Ruckel had been done to death less than two hours before. He had halted a moment as though to listen to the call as it came to him, and No. 4—the infantryman they had full left-began to take it up as No. 3's voice died away. Then all of a sudden No. 5 brought his rifle down to the charge and went leaping like a colt along his post to the point where it was crossed by the Prescott road, and instead of the prolonged and melodious call of the hour, when it came his turn, it was the sentry's challenge-sharp, clear wird imperative-that split the morning wir. There was something nerve tingling, something that smacked of swift coming alarm in the very tone, and its only answer at the front was the quick, rising thud of galloping horse's hoofs. Again rang the challenge-all three words jumbling this time into one-Whocomeshere?"-then "Halt!" "Halt, or I'll fire!" and then Raymond's powerful tones rang out through the breath-

"Hold your fire, sentry. That horse

has no rider!" But the only answer was the loud bang of the Springfield and the leaden bullet went whistling away toward the pole star. That sentry had heard enough of the perils of post No. 5 ter one night, and preferred to take no chances. "Sure. I didn't hear the captain," he explained, a few minutes later. He heard only the rapid coming of horse's hoofs, and despite the fact that horses were things the mountain Apaches never thought of using except when hungry, Private Hanrahan believed all the Tonto tribe were coming and let drive accordingly. It was only a troop horse, blown and bleeding, only another evidence of the devilish cun ning of the savage foe, for the moment Corporal Dunn could reach them on the jump, he cried, with a sob in his voice: "It's Tralee, of G troop, sir. Jim Rafferty's horse." And so at last here was Foster's courier from Raton Springsbut where were the dispatches? Where, alas, was Jim? Tralee's heaving flanks and distended nostrils and eyeballs told his story of peril and homeward flight, even as the long welt in his broad haunch and the gash through the high pommel of the McClellan tree were eloquent of its cause. Like Ruckel, the sentry, poor Rafferty, homeward speedwith his captain's midnight dispatch, had been ambushed at the roadside.

[TO BE CONTINUED.]

The Congregation Inferred. When the bellows gave out and the organist in a Rockland church was unable to get anything but a few ground from the instrument, and the pastor remarked; . "The organ has failed at . vital moment; let us arise and sing 'Praise God, from Whom All Blessings Flow,'" some of the people wondered

FOUGHT FOR LIFE.

Desperate Conflict Between Two Iowa Families-Two Men Killed.

Jefferson, Ia., Jan. 28 .-- As a result of a desperate fight at an early hour Monday morning two men are dead, two men desperately wounded and a young woman seriously injured. The killed are: John Brown, Jr., and John Fleck. The injured are John Brown, Sr., George Fleck and Mary Brown.

As John Brown, a respected and peaceable farmer, was at home about rine o'clock there was a knock at the door. Supposing a neighbor had come to spend an hour he opened the door, only to look into the muzzle of a doublebarreled shotgun leveled by his neighbor, John Fleck.

Quick as a flash he knocked aside the weapon and jumped upon his as-The gun fell without having been discharged and the two men grappled and went down. At this juneture George, the 17-year-old son of John Fleck, who had accompanied his father upon his murderous errand, appeared upon the scene. George carried a six-shooter in each hand, and was no sooner in the house than he began firing.

Brown was shot in the cheek and Fleck received a bullet through the hand. Scarcely had the echo of the shots died away before John, Jr., the eldest son of Mr. Brown, entered the house, and young Fleck began pumping lead into him. One bullet took effect in the breast just above the heart and another carried away a big chunk of skin from the forehead. Brown afterwards died.

At this moment Jim, the youngest Brown boy, a lad of 16 years, attracted by the firing, entered the room and at once realizing the situation grabbed a stick of stove-wood and knocked the revolver from l'leck's hands. John-Brown, Jr., although desperately wounded, reached for one of the revolvers and shot George Fleck in the back just as he started to run. Jim followed and caught him, clubbing him until he was insensible.

Meanwhile the fearful struggle between the old men continued, and Jim returned to the house just in time to save his father from being choked to death. He dealt Fleck a blow on the head rendering him insensible, and then turned his attention to his injured brother. As soon as the elder Brown recovered sufficiently to take a hand, ne seized a bottle containing powder that had fallen from Fleck's overcoat oocket and smashed it over the latter's head. Then seizing the jagged bottle he punched and gouged at the latter's face and head until it was literally a

mass of pulp. Within a few moments the neighbors attracted by the shots came to the scene. They found the old man Fleck ying in the middle of the room, his head on a pillow and his feet and arms chained with a logchain. He was unconscious and a frightful sight. Mary Brown, the daughter, who had been milking at the time the affray commenced, was found in the cowyard, where she had been knocked over with a milking stool by one of the Flecks before they came to the house.

The Flecks will be placed in jail to await the action of the grand jury. The younger Brown boy, Jim, who played the most important part in the bloody melee and saved his father's life, was not injured. The motive for the conspiracy is not well known. The Flecks bear a hard name, and it is asserted the neighbors, among them the Browns, have accused them of chicken stealing.

The evident purpose of John Fleck and his son was to murder the entire Brown family. John Brown, Jr., and the elder Fleck both died Monday night. The elder Brown and George Fleck, although badly used up, will recover, and Mary Brown's injuries were not serious.

SLAIN IN HER HOME.

Burglars Murder a Woman Near Yonk-ers, N. Y. Yonkers, N. Y. Jan. 28.—Mrs. Ed-

mund Turner was choked to death by a burglar at her home in Central avenue, near Underhill, Monday night. She was found by her husband, who returned late and discovered that all the doors were locked. He opened the window and found his wife lying dead in the hallway just outside the sittingroom door. The little boy was also found to be suffering from a severe cut across the face.

Aged 'Convict Pardoned.

Lansing, Mich., Jan. 28. -Bartholomew Sands, one of the oldest convicts in the state prison, was pardoned by Gov. Rich Monday on the unanimous recommendation of the pardon board. Sands was committed in September, 869, to life imprisonment from Oakland county. He is now past 72 years of age, and has long been an inmate of the prison hospital He has but a short time to live, and his daughter has executed a bond to the state guaranteeing to care for him.

Lost His Life at a Fire.

Fairbury, Ill., Jan. 28.—Fire Monday did considerable damage in the large south side brick school building. William H. Karnes, while assisting the firemen in fighting the fire, was overcome by the heat and smoke and died while at work. He was 55 years old and leaves six children, the present postmaster, Thomas Karnes, being the oldest. His wife survives him.

### KINGSTON

Frank Lettow is numbered among

Charlie Cole and Polly Branch are ill with measles. Roy Poust is among the sufferers

from measles. Miss Jennie Wellings Sundayed

with Sycamore friends.

Chas. Lettow was shaking hands with eld friends Monday.

equarterly meeting last week.

Mrs. Hannah Weber visited her marents in Belvidere over Sunday.

Frank Hauk entertained his brother from Kansas several days last week. Prof. A. L. Thorp was the guest of

Jackob Heckman is now employed no the National factory at Belvidere.

Ariends at Paw Paw over Sunday.

Not a wedding here this year yet

Ed. Christian made one of his numverous trips to this place again last They are much finer than last year. The giant Thursday. Miss May Taylor wae quite sick all

-school. Geo. Linderburg, of Capron, was

Miss Minnie Arbuckle has been quite sick with the measles for the gast few days.

Evergreen trees have been planted an front of the Baptist church and

parsonage. Renry Stark, of Sycamore, passed through here on his way to Kirkland.

A number of Genoa young people rattended service at the M. E. Church

Sunday evening. Belvidere, visited at the home of Her.-

my Miller over Sunday. Don't fail to read N. E. Schule's ad this week and see the big inducement the has made for cash buyers.

Miss Bay Fulkerson has been con-membership fee. Has paid over \$600,50.00 for Aned to her home the past few days accidental injuries. on account of a mild attack of la-

"T'was the most unkindest cut of sall!" That's what Mark Antony would say if he saw Archie Fuller's «log "Rigs" now,

Miss Jessie Kepple went to DeKalb Tast Wednesday evening, where she heard the Guthrie-Moyer Grand Conert Company.

Geo. Campbell, of Mayfield, has theen very sick at his home the past few days, with pneumonia, but is now improving.

W. F. Walker, of Belvidere, spent Sunday with his family here. He has a good position with the National Sewing Machine Co.

Measles is rampant in the homes of S. Whitter, Chrs. Rubeck, Chas. Arbuckle, Walter Cole and other North Kingston People.

The W. C. T. U. will meet at the home of Mrs. J. Maltby on Saturday afternoon, Feb 1st. at 2:30. All men bers are invited to be sresent.

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Although the numerous friends of Mrs. Henry Smith have been wishing for her early recovery, her condition at present is not much improved.

W. C. Schaler, chief pusher of the Knights of the Globe, is still working in this vicinity, and through his efforts the garrison here has been put on its feet again, as it were.

Geo. McCarthy was heard softly singing the other day, "there's only one boy in the world for me." It's the same boy that came to his home the other day and weighs ten or eleven and 89c.

of the weather on last Thursday even- 75. ing, the avoirdupois sociable given by the ladies of the Baptist Church, was not the largest kind of a success. Several dollars were sealized, but no one paid by weight.

We have been considering the advisability of publishing a list of "eligiblas" for reference for the Y. L. B. C. in this place, but we have jumped at the conclusion that if the young ladies can't find their own victims they can just go without.

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What a bashful lot of girls there are ic offices from W. P. Howe, in charge of the lunch station at the Upper Geyser Basin, state hat the geysers are playing better than ever one of the flucst in the park, plays to an height of about 259 feet. Last year its cruptions took place once in about five days and last week and was obliged to be out of continued for 90 minutes. This year it is playing more frequently. Mr. Howe is regu larly noting the temperature of the Giantess the guest of Robert Dunbar last Tues- another of the large geysets. It is also play ing frequently and its temperature at time of playing ranges from 193 to 198 Fahrenheit A number of ladies here expect to Forsix cents sent to Chas S. Fee, General join the Knights of the Globe in the Passenger Agent Northern Pacific Railroca

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