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### A FATAL ACCIDENT.

Locomotive Near the Fair Grounds.

Dies Sunday at the Norwalk Hospital.

Between 6 and 7 o'clock yesterday morning, a man came up to Officer Kenney and told him that there was a dead man lying beside the railroad tracks near the Fair Grounds. The officer did not recognize his informant, but the story as detailed by the man had such an air of truth about it that Kenney boarded a Street Railway car going to Winnipauk and rode to the crossing near the Fair Grounds.

Quick time was made by Motorman Matheis and Conductor Grace, they with the officer being the only one on the car. Arriving at the railroad crossing which is but a short distance from the Street Railway tracks, all three men made a search and the body of a man was discovered lying in the ditch beside the tracks at the rear of the Van Tassell

They turned the man over and found that he was still alive, he uttering a groan as he was laid upon his back. Motorman Matheis and his conductor hastened back to their car and proceeded to Winnipauk.
Officer Kenney placed the man in as

comfortable a position as possible and sought further aid. As he went out on to the street he espired a bicycle rider and engaged him to watch beside the man while he went for a physician. Luckily he met Dr. S. H. Huntington who was making a professional call and enlisted his services. The doctor made a hasty examinatian of the man, and ordered that he be sent to the hospital where the nature of the injuries could be more fully determined upon.

The ambulance arrived and the uufortunate man, who proved to be Louis Hoffman, was placed in the wagon and taken to the hospital where it was found that he had suffered serious and as was hought fatal injuries.

There was an ugly wound on the back of the man's head, and a ridge was perceivable from the frontal bone to the back of his head as if it had been drawn over some gravelly substance. His right leg was broken and his thigh badly bruised. He remained in an unconscious condition until about 3 o'clock when he died.

The deceased occupied what is known as the Charles Mills place at Broad River, was married, and had three children. In company with his wife he left a store on Main street about 11:45 for home. On the way home he got out of the carriage and told his wife to drive slowly on, and he would catch up to her. Mrs. Hoffman continued on and reaching home, put up the horse and went into the house. As to what her husband did after leaving her she has no conception.

It is believed however, that he became confused and walked down the track to a point near where he was found and was struck by the up Pittsfield freight which pass s through this city shortly before one o'clock.

The unfortunate man came here from Holvoke, Mass., a few years since and has been employed at the Buckley rubber work, he being a skilled work-

A wife and three children survive him. This is Mrs. Hoffman's second affliction in the loss of a husband. The remains were taken charge of by Funeral Director Kavanagh and the funeral will be held to-morrow afternoon

at 2:30 o'clock. This morning Coroner Burke made the necessary examination and issued the usual certificate of accidental death.

Hoffman was about 32 years of age and popular with all who knew him. He was a member of the Sons of Herman, the Liederkranz singing society, and the Hauragauri society, delegations from all which will attend the obsequies.

### Steam Yacht Launch.

Commodore James E. Hubbell launches to-day his steam yacht "Liola" from the gas company's dock and is to at once put her into commission, with S. B. Wilson as chief engineer and sky pilot, otherwise chaplain. As the yacht is propelled by steam, the U.S. navigation laws are very strict in regard to such craft and her papers are not only required to be made out after special formula, but she cannot be run without an experienced navigator and licensed engineer in charge. Hence the engagement of Builder Wilson, so long the skillful and daring commander of the Minnetta.

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Again Down Our Boys.

Sweepsteaks Also Participated In.

The third of a series of shoots between the Bridgeport and Norwalk Gun clubs was shot at the grounds of the Bridgeport club, Saturday afternoon. For the third time Norwalk was defeated: The score was, Bridgeport, 98; Norwalk, 92.

The tabulated score:

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NORWALK.

Several ten bird sweeps were then shot with the following result:

First sweep-First money, Beers; second money. Blakeslee; third money, U. M. C., Capron, Hendry and Saun-

Second sweep-First money, Drake; second money, Blakeslee; third money, Beers and Libby.

Third sweep-First money, Blakeslee; Beers, Capron, Saunders and Keeler; second money, U. M. C. and Hendry; third money, Libby.

Several sweeps were then shot at five pairs, the lowest scorer to pay for the birds. Many contestants entered and plenty of fun resulted.

The next shoot of the series will be at Norwalk, Aug. 8.

### Base Ball.

The Hope Hose and Phoenix Engine base ball teams played a close (?) and To THE CORONER: exciting game at Norwalk Park, Saturday. The closeness was very apparent in base hits and errors, as the clubs were nearly even in these, but the score at the end of the contest was a little bit one-sided, Hope having the better of the argument, 21 to 14. Mason and O'Brien were the battery for Hope and Secor and Hamilton for Phoenix. It was the engine boys' first game of the season, and under the circumstances season, and under the circumstances the lining of the upper pocket saturated they did very well. Secor pitched a with this solution. So I took the waist good game but was poorly supported behind the bat. Hamilton is a first-class fireman but a catcher—Nit. class fireman, but a catcher-Nit. Smith and "Whit" Foster played well in their respective positions, especially the former, and Slauson in center field chased all the "sky scrapers" that came his way with the same agility and politeness that he chases up a fare on the running-board of a trolley car. Northrup cared for all balls of every kind that came toward first base, and also batted hard. The Hopes having had more practice than their rivals played by far the better game and thus won easily. The score by innings was as follows, the game being called at the

close of the sixth: Hope Hose, 4 0 2 7 7 1-21 Phoenix, Engine, 1 0 2 9 1 1-14

An exciting and long contested game was played between Silver Mine and Cranbury teams, on the Fair Grounds, Saturday, in which there were lots of ciphers on the score card

The Bar Harbors defeated the Harbor Waves by a score of 25 to 5.

The Hogans Alley nine defeated the Cobblehillers in a game of base ball, Saturday. The prize was a goat.

### Isaack Waltoners.

Messrs. Harry Rider and Smith L'Hommedieu have perfected plans for a fishing trip to Spectacle Lakes. Smith who never told a lie in his life outside of the insurance business, promises that if he don't catch a mess of fish that he will serve on the board of assessors again as long as he is in the ininsurance. Mr. Rider smiles and says nothing, if that were possible.

### Tumbled Down an Embankment.

A horse belong to Groceryman Bates ran away on Riverside avenue, Saturday afternoon, and succeeded in tumbling down into the rocks and underbrush that line the avenue on the East side of the avenue near the factory pond, from which predicament the animal was only with considerable difficulty relieved. The horse suffered several severe cuts about its body and legs, but it is thought will be in readiness for another run in a short time.

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pine With Suicidal Intent.

Confined in Jail on a Serious Charge.

Dr. Isadore H. Kohn, the East Bridgeport physician, who was arrested Saturday, July 18th on a charge of criminally assaulting Annie Bozasch, a 14 year old girl, who, until a few days before his arrest, was in his employ as a domestic, made a successful attempt known as Witch Lane, and near the to end his life at the county jail last Saturday. At an unknown hour, probabout 4 o'cleck he took a dose of atropine and was found at 6:45 o'clock in an unconscious condition by Jailer Watt. Medical aid was at once summoned and at noon his life was still in the balance, with slight chances of his recovery. His effort to kill himself was a most determined one, and had he not succeeded with the poison he had a knotted sheet with which he intended to hang himself. The sheet was found under his cot. On a table by the side of his bed were found four letters. One was addressed to Coroner Doten, his counsel on which was also written the words "cause of death."

Friday night another warrant was issued against the doctor, the complainant being a thirteen-year-old girl named Lena Kolic. She charges him with having accomplished her downfall while she was in his employ as a domestic. Dr. Kohn is fifty-five years old and has been very successful, especially among the foreign element. He was a surgeon in the Russian army during the Russo-Turko war. In his cell were found letters addressed to his wife and daughter in Germany, and to his attorney in Bridgeport. He is said to belong to a wealthy and distinguished family, as does also his wife.

The following is the full text of the letter he left addressed to Coroner Doten:

Being disgusted of the malice and badness of people that spoiled all my life, and although I am quite innocent, the accused crime made me loss my reputation and all my future career. I have committed a suicide by taking some atropia. The sheriff who arrested me watched me not to take any medicaments, but I remembered that some time ago from a bottle of strong solu-tion of atropine, which I had in my waist pocket, happened to slip out the cork and the liquid was poured out and finish my cup of sorrow.

Very respectfully. DR. ISADORE KOHN.

He died at the jail Saturday afternoon. Among other papers found was a letter requesting that his body be cremated. It has not yet been decided whether or not his dying wish will be granted although he left money enough to pay the cost of cremation.

He finished a long letter which he left to be published in the Bridgeport newspapers, as follows: "All I wish now is that the honorable public, the press and my professional brethern, the physicians, may try after my death, with all that is in their power, to vindicate me, and to have punished those impudent liars and slanderers, as well as their instigators."

### RAILROAD VICTIMS.

The Iron Juggernaut Actively Engaged in Killing, Yesterday.

The railroad locomotive was the cause of several deaths yesterday, among the number being Louis Hoffman of Norwalk, an account of whose unfortunate ending will be found in another column.

John Hazzard, aged 55 years, an employee of the Ordnance company, of Bridgeport, met with a fatal accident at the grade crossing on Kossuth street, that city, late Saturday night. There are gates at the crossing but they are not operated after 10:30. The locomotive struck him and crushed in his skull He belonged in Providence, R. I., where he had a wife and children. One of his sons lived with him at Bridgeport, to which place he expected to re-

move his family next week. Lawrence Michaels and Nurulo Carmelli were struck by a freight train on the Danbury division of the New York, New Haven & Hartford railroad about 6 o'clock Sunday morning, while walking on the track near Beaver Brook. Michaels was badly hurt and was taken to the Danbury hospital, where he lies to Brookfield Junction.

### NORWALK DEFEATED. COMMITTED SUICIDE SERIOUSLY INJURED.

Louis Hoffman Struck by a Bridgeport's Crack Shooters Dr. Isadore Kohn Takes Atro- Tramway Conductor Knocked Out by a Pole.

Charles N. Rose's Unwelcome Experience.

The ambulance brought another patient to the Norwalk Hospital this morning in the person of Charles N. Rose of East Norwalk.

Rose is a conductor on the Tramway line. This morning while he was collecting fares on his car en route to Roton Point, and when near what is "Burchard switch," his hip came in contact with a pole and he was hurled from the car to the ground.

He struck headforemost and received several severe cuts on his face, he was severely bruised about the body and pretty thoroughly shaken up. The car was quickly stopped and the victim of the accident assisted on board and taken to Dr. Bohannon's office and later in an ambulance to the hospital where he is now being treated for his injuries.

It will be some days before Conductor Rose will be collecting fares again. In the meanime it is to be hoped that he will be as active in getting well as he is in skipping along the running board of an electric car.

#### STRUCK ON HIS HEAD.

The Gazette Diabolis Furnishes the Press With an Item.

Possibly recognizing the fact that there has been for a week past a dearth of local news, "Jimmy" Fisher, the GAZETTE diabolis, yesterday afternoon furnished the material for a good item.

He was at Jennings' wharf and had assisted in pulling a boat ashore. Near the wharf a number of piles have been driven to hold in position the sewer pipe which empties into the creek. Across the piles which are perhaps six or eight feet apart are nailed timbers to secure the same.

"Jimmy" not caring to wade through the mud to the shore shinned up one of the piles and was engaged in jumping from one cross-piece to the next when he slipped and fell headforemost striking his head on the planking below.

He was knccked into unconsciousness, which is saying much for the planking, as "Jimmy" is always a very much alive lad. He was taken to his boarding-house at the home of Thomas Cooney on Harbor avenue, and Dr. W. J. Tracey was summoned. He found that the boy had not sustained serious injury, and he will probably be out again to-morrow as lively a "printer's devil" as ever.

He told a GAZETTE reporter this morning, that he never had such a headache before in his life.

### New Singing School.

Norwalk is soon to have the advantages of what is necessarily attached to a school of music under competent management, On August 4th, at the Center school, this city, Messrs. Howard & Hallam will open a school for a course of methods in school music and sight singing, for teachers. Lectures will be given on child voices. Classes of children will be formed to illustrate the lecture. Mr. Hallam is at present engaged in chorus conducting at a large school in Lexington, Mass., and Mr. Howard has for the past two weeks been lecturing on the topic of "Voice" at both Hingham and Lexington, Mass. He will also lecture on the same topic in Providence this week. Chorus practice will be a special feature at the school here.

### Death of Mrs. Esther A. St. John.

Mrs, Esther A. St. John, relict of Charles G., and mother of Charles E. St. John, died at the residence of her son, No. 79 Main street, last evening in the 82d year of her age. She was the daughter of Richard and Mary Camp. She had been a sufferer for some time past and death came to the saintly woman as a happy release from suffering. She was for many years an earnest and active member of St. Paul's church and beloved and esteemed by all who knew her many Christian graces.

### General Couch's Condition.

The condition of Gen. D. N. Couch is somewhat improved, although he is uncomfortably near succumbing to nervous prostration. He has an experienced trained nurse to assist Mrs. Couch in his care, and it is hoped that with to the Danbury hospital, where he lies in a critical condition. Carmelli almost miraculously escaped with slight injuries. The two men were on their way juries. The two men were on their way in a critical condition. Carmelli almost the entire rest enjoined by his physician terday, and at 4 o'clock passed by him while on his way to Hoffman's house all unconscious that his friend lay dying beside the tracks.

Dated at the City of Rowals, only 15th, 1896.

By order of the Mayor and Ccuncil of said City. Attest:

E. M. Lockwood, City Clerk. up and out again.

### HERE AND THERE.

An Epitome of Happenings of of Interest to the Public.

Garnered with Scissors and Pencil.

Mr. and Mrs. William Ambler are at the White Mountains.

will go to Newport, to-morrow. A son was born to Mr. and Mrs. John

Simeon Keith and Charles Seymour

Butler of Spring Hill, last night. Rev. Father O'Connell of Bethel

sailed for Europe, on Saturday last. Mr. and Mrs. F. J. Mallory of Jersey

City Heights, are spending a few days in town. The Misses Maud and Lula Gregory and Anna Burr are visiting friends in

Bethel. Mr. J. S. Ross one of the large corps of salesmen at the Boston Store is taking a two weeks' vacation.

Don't forget to attend Congressman Hill's lecture on Money at the M. E. church to-morrow evening.

Mr. David Workman of Belden aveune, continues incurably ill and his life is slowly but surely ebbing away.

The wife of Selectman Selleck is ill with intermittent fever. Her speedy recovery is the prayer of all who know the lady. A largely attended baptismal service

was held by Rev. Mr. Selleck in Winnipauk a little after seven o'cleck last Miss Jennie Huvey of Jersey City

Heights, is visiting her aunt, Miss Meach, at the residence of Mr. Henry

There was a lively scrimmage on Water street, Saturday night. There were no arrests at the time but that part of the programme is liable to come in latter.

Harold Raymond, the young acrobat who left town a few month's ago with a circus has returned home from Maine where he bade good-bye to the management.

There will be a meeting of the Democratic General and District committees in Phoenix block, Thursday evening to formulate a pian of operation on

Commodore Bishop had his Sunday School class, consisting of Frank Leonard, Sam Lynes, et id omne, etc , out

Mr. and Mrs. Harry C. Ellwood who have been visiting Mr. Ellwood's parents on Orchard street for the past four weeks return to their home in Cleveland, Ohio, to-day.

The party who attempted to steal a dog from Fred Anderson of Park street, Saturday night, can have the portion of his trousers torn out by the canine, on calling during daylight at Anderson's home.

The condition of Mrs. George W. Gregory of Isaacs Place, who is seriously ill at her home in Cranbury, is reported by the attending physician, Dr. L. M. Phinney as being considerably improved this morning.

Mrs. John S. Seymour reached Norwalk Saturday p. m. During the present week, she with Mrs. Smith, will put the Smith cottage on Sheffield Island in crder for Commissioner Seymour's family for the remainder of the summer.

A mute bootblack had a narrow escape from being run over by a Street Railway car on Main street Saturday evening. A switch-opener in the hands of a motorman brought him to a sense of his danger in time to avert his being whereas in and by said proposed alterations, and for the purpose of said widening, it is proposed to take land of Frank E. Quintard, Lydia E. Quintard, Platt Price, Ann E. Allen, Mary E. Honnecker and Julia A. Lockwood; and Whereas in and by said cotined. run down.

George Toohill of Chapel street is causing his relatives and friends considerable anxiety by reason of his crazed actions. It is apparant that something ought to be done with him to the relief of all concerned. As yet no one has cared to make a complaint, but it is evident that he ought to be placed under restriction.

Unfortunate Louis Hoffman who received fatal injuries by being struck by a locomotive Saturday night, had made arrangements with a friend named Ellenbeck to go berrying yesterday, and at 4 o'clock passed by him beside the tracks.

POR SALE—Bicycles, guaranteed \$75 1896 models, seamless steel tubing, drop forged steel connections, choice of tires, \$25, at South Norwalk Hardware Co. j25 tf

FOR SALE—Benedict. Norwalk, newsdealer, is selling an excellent Fountain Pen and Holder for 25c. Call and see it. 12tf

O RENT-Cottage, No. 14 Maple street. All the modern improvements. Inquire of O. E. Wilson, No. 3 Gazette Building.

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### NOTICE. East Wall Street Hearing.

To Frank E. Quintard and Lydia E. Quintard, Platt Price, Ann E. Allen, Charles H. Allen, Mary E. Honnecker, The Norwalk Savings Society, Julia A. Lockwood, Manice De F. Lockwood, Franklin J. Mallory and William K. Lowis Executors of the Least William Lewis Executors of the Last Will and Testament of Rebecca Mallory, de-ceased, Eugene L. Boyer, Trustee of the Estate of Samuel B. S. Bissell, deceased, The Town of Norwalk, The Norwalk Tramway Company, Jeremiah Donovan, George W. Selleck, Isaac Selleck and Henry Selleck, The J. Mallory Executor of the last Will and Testament of James Mallory deceased, George R. Cowles Executor of the last Will and Testament of L. L. Beebe, deceased, Frederick St. J. Lock-wood, John O'Sullivan, and to all other persons interested by reason of the proposed grading or widening of East Wall Street, or the taking of the neces-sary land therefor:

WHEREAS, Eugene L. Boyer, Charles F. Tristram, William H. Smith, Harvey M. Kent, Alfred A. Chinery, Jr., and Arthur B. Hill were appointed a Committee by the Council of the City of Norwalk June 8th, 1896, to make such alteration as to them should seem proper in the grade and width of East Street from the westerly end of the Quintard Building easterly to a point opposite the Bissell Homestead, with a descriptive survey of said street so widened, and an estimate and appraisal of the benefits and damages by reason

thereof as the case might be: and WHEREAS, a majority of said Committee have made a report to said council of the City of Norwalk, showing said proposed alterations, grading and widening, together with a descriptive survey of said street so widened and an estimate and appraisal of the benefits and damages resulting or accruing therefrom; and

WHEREAS, in and by said proposed

WHEREAS, in and by said estimate and appraisal of benefits in said report all the persons herein first above named are benefited,—all of which more fully appears in the report of said Committee together with the Map thereto annexed and made a part thereof, on file in the office of the City Clerk.

office of the City Clerk.

Now THEREFORE, you and each of you are hereby notified that a hearing will be had before the Council of the City of Norwalk, in the Council Room in said City, July 27th, 1896, at 8 o'clock P. M., at which time and place said Council will hear objections to such alteration appreciations appreciate the council will be controlled to the council will be considered and provided the council will be considered and council cou teration, survey, estimate and appraisal, and shall hear all parties interested in relation to the acceptance of such re-port of its Committee, in whole or in part, and in regard to any modification

or change thereof.
Dated at the City of Norwalk, July

WISH'T I WAS A GIRL

Wish't I wus a gurl, Stid uv bein' a boy, An' bang my hair, an' eat ice cream, An' ride ahind my feller's team, Like gurls duz—
Wish't I wuz a gurli

Wish't I wus a gurl, An' when't come Sunday nite I'd Whack that old pianner,

Like girls duz— Wish't I wuz a gurl!

Wish't I wus a girl,
I'd chaw gum an' talk,
An' when out ter promenod
I'd take up all the walk,
Like some girls duz—
Wish't I wuz a gurli

Wish't I wus a girl,
All boys good for is't
Ter carry coal an' run odd jobs
An' git off the walk for dudy snobs
Like I did t'other nite—
Wish't I wuz a guril

Wish't I wus a guri.

Wish't the Lord made all boys gurls, An' made gurls boys tud ben the same
An' I'd been Lizy Ann by name,
An' she'd ben John or Joe stid of Jane,
Wish't he had—
Wish't I wuz a gurll
—Bradford (Pa.) Era.

### LIEUTENANT IN LOVE

"In love, Lieutenant?" I cried, almost starting from my seat, so greatly had he surprised me.

My Friend Swash generated a great cloud of smoke in his pipe and it so enveloped his head that I could not see his face, deeply flushed as it must have been, and from the cloud of gray vapor came the gruff reply:

'Yes, in love, confound it!" "'Oh, how interesting!" exclaimed my wife, dropping her magazine and looking up at my friend and myself, whom she had always previously declared to be the most uninteresting when we got together over our pipes.

It is not very pleasant for me," mut-tered Swash. He was greatly embarrassed and fixed his eyes pensively on

"Where is her home?" I asked. "I don't know," he answered brusque-

ly. Where does she live?" muttered my

"Don't know that."

"Where did you meet her?" said I. "Can't tell you that either, Dockboy. Don't think me disagreeable. If could, I would gladly answer your questions. Indeed, I wish that I was

"Your case is truly a strange one," I "Is this young woman purely an ideal, a mental creation of your own? You have been melancholy enough of late to have been sighing for something more material."

"She is not a mere creation of my imagination," replied the Lieutenant solemnly. "She exists-where I don't know. I saw her once a great way off and she realized all my ideals of the woman I would make Mrs. Swash. And when I saw her, for an instant, though it was, I cried to myself, 'Here, Swash, is the woman you have dreamed of all these years. That soft, intellectual face those soulful eyes, those belong to the woman you have been waiting Then she was gone, from where and whither I don't know, for I can't tell where I saw her."

"Your case is really most remarkable," I said. "Explain. Don't surround yourself with such an air of mystery. It would relieve you to confide your troubles in us. Perhaps we could help you."

"Yes, indeed," cried my wife enthusiastically. Perhaps we can help you."
Swash started. "Ah, yes! Where did I leave off? Perhaps you can-indeed, ves."

"Perhaps we can assist you," I repeated.

"I think not, Dockboy," he said, having recovered himself. "For my case is truly remarkable. I have swept the skies with a telescope and cannot find her. I have walked the streets day and night, scrutinizing thousands of windows and still have not a trace of her. You see I saw her under the most peculiar circumstances, but see her I did and I lost my heart. From a satisfied bachelor of 50 I have been metamorphosed into a lovelorn, disappointed, unhappy

-I can't get a word to fit my case." "Your use of a telescope is queer," I interrupted. "I have suspected all along

that you saw her in the skies." "You have guessed my secret," he said mournfully. Inexplicable as it seems, that is just where I saw her, and she was not in a balloon, either. This idea that I, crusty bachelor, that I have been, am absolutely devoid of sentiment is incorrect. In my life I have met women, hundreds of them, many beautiful, many charming, and perhaps not insensible to my own good points. Against them my heart has been proof. This is not because I am callous to woman's charms, but because I long have had the belief that somewhere in the world one was waiting for me; an ideal. I pictured her to myself not in my dreams, but in my wideawake moments, as I sat alone with my pipe. At such times she became so real that she seemed to be beside me as I smoked; so real that I almost felt that if I spoke she would answer, but I was deterred from experimenting by the belief that with such a one silence has more charms than speech. I have no doubt, Dickboy, that long before you ever met your wife you saw her face gazing benignly on you from a cloud of tobacco smoke.

"Ugh! cried my wife. She hates

"Now it happened that one night about a week ago I was walking down Broadway on the way to my boarding house," continued my friend. "It seems to me that I had been up here to see you. At Fortieth street, as ill-luck wou'd have it, I ran across one of those itinerant astronomers who had set up a telescope on the pavement and hung out a small sign calling attention to the eact that Saturn and its rings could be seen for five cents. Business looked dull and I kind of pitied the poor fel

low. It had never been my fortune to gaze on Saturn and her rings, so I stepped up, gave him a nickel and fixed my eve at the end of the instrument. At first all was blackness. 'I can't see the ring,' said I. 'The lens is not adjusted,' replied the astronomer. And with that he began to turn a lot of screws. The blackness gave way to a hazy, gray light, that I suspected was from a theatre across the street, but I said nothing but strained my optic nerve to make out the planet. It was of no use. I withdrew my eye and complained. The astronomer then discovered that the instrument was pointed wrong, and he looked through it, lowered one end and gave it a turn.

"My eye was at the instrument again but no charge was visible in the makeup of the heavens beyond a marked increase of light. Once more I complained, and the man declared I must be nearsighted. 'Look harder,' he said, giving the machine a little twist. And I looked harder, but instead of Saturn I saw clearly a woman—my ideal, she whom for years I had pictured in my smoking moments. There she was, sitting at a window, one arm resting on the sill, her hand on her chin, her

eyes looking directly into mine. Even in the half-light, every feature was clearly discernable; there was the soft black hair waving across a white forehead; the eyes, deep and full of immeasurable good things; the nose, the mouth, everything that I had been seeking for. I gave an exclamation of joy.

"You see her now, sir? Do these rings show up good?' This remark from the astronomer brought to mind a forgotten fact. I saw her through a telescope; where was that window that I could seek her out? I had found her. Better never to have seen her, than under such appalling conditions. There she was, gazing calmly at me from the other end of a long tube. I could almost touch her and reached out my

"'Hold on there!' cried the astrono-

mer. 'You'll upset the machine.' "My involuntary movement to embrace what was not there did indeed disarrange the apparatus, and so badly that she disappeared, and where she had been, a star was winking at me. As if I cared for stars.

"I paid for five more looks at Saturn. but could find nothing. In vain swept the skies, and the housetops and windows with the telescope, and with my naked eye. She had vanished. I went home disconsolate. As surely as I sit here, Dockboy, I saw her. It was not a hallucination. She was sitting in a real window within the range of that telescope; but where I don t know, and perhaps never will know. My ideal has become a reality, but under what trying circumstances. Do you wonder that I am miserable?"

"I surely do not," I said. "If what you have told is true and not a mere imagination."

"How romantic!" cried my wife. Lieut. Swash sighed.

Not long afterward my friend and I were at the corner from which he had viewed his ideal in the flesh. The itinerant astronomer was there, too, with his telescope pointed heavenward in readiness for use. He greeted my companion pleasantly, and apparently had been expecting him.

"Maybe you'll see that planet you've been looking for to night," he said. 'I've cleaned off the lenses so they'll

"Planet! Beautiful luminary, rather," muttered the Lieutenant, stopand screwing his eye into the end of the telescope. "I can see nothing but blackness now. Lower the other end just a little-there." He began adjusting screws with the skill of one initiated into the mysteries of the heavens.

"Allow me to try the glass," I said.
"My dear fellow," he cried. "It is of no use. "If I can't find it, after searching every night for weeks, you can't. There is nothing in sight. It's only a question of patience, of waiting until it again appears."

"Let me try," I said peremptorily.

He acceded to my request. With the assistance of the astronomer I got the instrument in the desired position, fixed my eye to it, and focussed it.
"Pshaw," cried Swash, impatiently,

"you're looking right down Broad-

"Them's electric lights, sir, not planets," ventured the astronomer po-

These remarks had no effect on me. I bided my time. At length it came.
"Swash, don't be excited," I said;
"but just fix your eye here."

"It's her again," he cried, before he had his optic thoroughly adjusted. You're right, Dockboy, we've got her. Now mark where the telescope points to. Don't lose it. Get the direction." "Have you read what is below the

window?" said I. "Jove!" he muttered. "'Miss Maxy Mumps, the actress, writes: "I have used Dr. Hoaxer's harmless hair tonic

and find it perfection."' "We've got her, Swash; we'll spot a window with that sign-why, confound it, she's gone!"

Swash straightened up and seized my

"Dockboy," he whispered, so the astonished astronomer could not hear, 'I've found her, thanks to you. I can spot her window by that sign if it's within ten miles. 'Miss Maxy Mumps, the actress---'

"Look again," I said quietly, "and tell me what you see.'

Once more he looked, but only for a

second. "Confound it!" he cried. "Am I crazy? I saw a girl on a bicycle and under it letters saying that if you bike

you should ride a Duster." "Gentlemen" interrupted the astron-omer, "I'm afraid you ain't seen Saturu, nor no other planet. You was looking at that advertising canvas way

down Broadway." Lieut. Swash has gone to the country for a few days.

NO PIE, NO CUSTOMERS. End of the Model Restaurant for Newarl

The model restaurant which the Clark Thread Company started directly opposite their mills at Clark and Ogden streets, Newark, N. J., last October. has been closed. It was open just as long as there was a man or girl to pa tronize it. When the handful who had remained true to wholesome food, long after the advocates of cake and pie had gone back to their first love, deserted

the place, those behind the enterprise made up their minds that it would mean a waste of money to go further, and they shut the establishment. One girl purchased a seven cent bowl of soup from the counter piled with steaming urns, on the last day the restaurant was open, and then she went across the road to the baker's and bought a chocolate eclaire for three cents. That was the final blow, and it will be many years before the Clarks will make another attempt to win their employes away from the piles of pie and cake with which the neighboring bakers

fill their windows. The history of the Clark model restaurant contains an object lesson for persons who think that the working girls can be won away from the pie and

Early last fall the idea of starting the model restaurant occurred to the Clarks. For years the bakeries in the neighborhood, and there were more than a dozen of them, had enjoyed a monopoly of the luncheon business. As soon as the noonday whistle blew, the girls would drop their work and hurry out to the bakeries, where they would load themselves with all sorts of pie and cake, lug them back to the factory and there eat them with what plain food, such as sandwiches, they had brought from home. The Clark mills employ several hundred girls and men, and the pie business had grown to enormous proportions when the Clarks concluded that the time had come to

It was so prevalent that the bakers could inot cook enough stuff on their own premises over night to supply the demand, and wagon loads of pie and cake were brought out from the business section each day and unloaded on the bakers. Mr. Clark made a tour of these bakeries one day to see what sort of food his employees were getting. The rows and rows of thin pies, and the shelves of cream puffs, eclairs, and other creations, so disgusted him, that he resolved then and there to make a change. Then came the idea of the model restaurant. Mr. Clark knew that most of the girls in the factory lived so far from it that to go home to dinner in the limited time allowed them would be impossible. He knew that most of the girls brought light lunches with them and that each was in the habit of spending in dessert each day anywhere from five to twenty cents. It was this little spending money which Mr. Clark resolved to divert into other channels by establishing a restaurant for wholesome food without pastry and which effort proved a dismal fail ure. Mr. Clark now knows that the average girl likes pie and pickles.

RUINED BY A STRIKE.

The Plight of a Laboring Man Who at One Time Had a Salary of \$8,000 a Year.

The story of Richard Resse, the counterfeiter who was arrested near Los Angeles recently, is a tragic example of the mutability of human affairs. Reese has seen but two years less than half a century of life. His raining was that of a mechanic. He is not a man skilful with hands alone, but one who works with both hands and brain. When U. S. Grant was running for President years ago, there was a big political celebration in Chicago. Grant was there, and Reese rode in his carriage as a representative of the laboring classes, proclaimed by his fellows the most skilful mechanic in all America.

As the years went by the man's reputation grew and increased. At last he obtained a place in one of the great shops at Homestead, Pa. Eventually he rose to be a foreman, with a salary of \$8,000 a year. Then came the great Homestead strikes, which brought ruin and death to so many men. Reese was infected with the labor doctrines then prevailing. When the struggle was over Reese was a ruined man. His place was lost, and a reputation established as a man who could not be relied on in a strike.

Reese came to California. He came to Los Angeles some months ago expecting to obtain a position as foreman of the rolling mill. There was some hitch, and in consequence Reese obtained only a subordinate position. He was not content with this. There was a dispute, and Reese's connection with the mill ended.

Reese got very poor indeed, and poverty drove him to crime. He put his skill as a mechanic to the evil use of making bogus money. He declares he has been engaged in the nefarious business but a few months, meaning to save enough money to buy a little home for himself and to get another start. That accomplished, he had vowed to live an honest life again.

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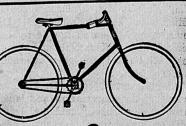
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### POLITICAL AFTERMATH

The End of the Populist Convention In St. Louis.

MR, BRYAN'S ADROIT REPLY.

The Nebraska Candidate's Statement Regarding His Nomination by the Populists-Is as Yet Not Committed. Postconvention Gossip.

St. Louis, July 27. — Many political ratherings have been held in the Mound ity, but none more unique, exciting and enthusiastic than the national convention of the People's Party. After nearly a week of heat, turmoll and speechmaking, the convention completed its labors, adjourned sine die, and the delegates have

mainly returned to their homes.

Notwithstanding the receipt of one or more telegrams from William J. Bryan declining to permit the use of his name on the Populist ticket unless Arthur Sewall was also indorsed, Bryan was formally conjusted for president on the first hellot. nominated for president on the first ballot. The whole number of votes cast was 1,375, of which Bryan received 1,042, Eugene V. Debs 8, S. F. Norton of Chicago 321, J. S. Coxey 1 and Ignatius Donnelly 3. The middle of the road men continued

their fight against Bryan to the last.

In view of the fact that the middle of the roaders had been deserted by every one of their more prominent leaders, they certainly put up a better fight than many at first anticipated. The Texans cast their solid 103 votes against Bryan. The Ala-bama, California, Illinois, Indiana, Ken-tucky, Michigan, Missouri and Wisconsin Pops divided their votes, but they stuck fairly well to the middle of the road Tex-

The Populist convention just before adjournment narrowly missed becoming the scene of what would in all probability have been the greatest sensation of its proceedings. Governor Stone of Missouri and Delegate Patterson of Colorado were present as the representatives of Senator Jones, have men of the Democratic national comchairman of the Democratic national committee, with a long telegram from Mr. Bryan defining his position with reference to the Populist nomination in view of the refusal of the convention to indorse Mr. Sewall. Governor Stone was extremely anxious to read this document, but the privilege was denied him by Chairman Allen, and the convention was saved what would have been a very exciting and interesting scene.

The roll call of states on the presidential nomination was in progress and had progressed so far as to make it quite certain, if nothing occurred to change any of the votes already cast, that Mr. Bryan would be the presidential nominee of the conven-tion. There had been anxious inquiries during the entire day for messages from Mr. Bryan by many of the middle of the road men, and the Texas delegation went so far as to wire him for a definition of his position. It is considered probable by many who were present that if the dispatch had been read it might have changed the course of the nomination. Senator Allen took the position that it would at least create great confusion and much excitement, and that in view of all the cir-cumstances it would not be wise to have the message read. He also exerted his ut-most endeavors to suppress any reference to it in the proceedings and succeeded in doing so until the roll call had been com-The only mention of the matter was by Mr. Ashby of Texas, who, rising to a question of personal privilege, asked if any telegram was on the speaker's table from Mr. Bryan defining Mr. Bryan's attitude. "There is none," replied Senator Allen. "Has there been none?" asked Mr.
Ashby. The senator replied that there
had not been. Senator Allen, however, had received a message from Governor Stone, which was carried to him by Mr. Patterson, asking that the governor be given an opportunity to read the Bryan message. This request Mr. Allen twice refused to grant to Mr. Patterson. He Stone. The governor went upon the plat-form and was informed in most direct terms that he would not be recognized.

Governor Stone Displeased. This refusal apparently had the effect of displeasing both Mr. Stone and Mr. Patterson. The latter expressed the opinion that the convention was entitled to have Mr. Bryan's attitude explained fully, as the dispatch would, he said, have explained it, and he was greatly disappointed that this course was not pursued. The two gentlemen lingered in the rear of the hall until the nomination of Mr. Bryan was announced, and they went directly to a conference with Senator Jones. All the parties to the transaction refused to give the contents of the Bryan message or to go into any details of its purport. It is known, however, that it contained a number of replies from Mr. Bryan to inquiries made of him over the wires by Senator Jones, and that it was a mere elaboration of his short message of Friday night di-recting the withdrawal of his name be-cause of the refusal of the Populist convention to confer a nomination upon Mr. Sewall, as it was about to do upon him-self. One of the parties to the conference said the dispatch was in no sense a declina tion or refusal of the nomination, and that no intimation was contained that Mr. Bryan would not accept.

Senator Allen stated after the adjourn-

ment of the convention that as the dispatch was not addressed to him he had not even felt it incumbent to read it himself or read it to the convention. Furthermore, he intimated that he was not pleased with the apparent wish of the Democrats to conduct the affairs of the Populist con-

General Weaver said there was nothing in the message which could in any way have changed Mr. Bryan's relation to the Populist convention.

Governor Stone's Statement. Governor Stone, member of the Demo-cratic national committee for Missouri and the man who brought Bryan's second

and the man who brought bryan a second telegram to the Populist convention, said:
"The result of the Populist convention insures the election of William J. Bryan as president. It is certainly remarkable that a man should be nominated by three conventions, and the man who gets three conventions are such to be able to secure one nominations ought to be able to secure one election. It is plainly evident that there is a great popular uprising of the people in favor of Mr. Bryan. I would have preferred that the Ppoulist convention should have indorsed or nominated the whole Democratic ticket, as it would have greatly simplified matters in the coming comparison. I have no intention of abandcampaign. I have no intention of abandoning any part of the Democratic ticket or the Democratic platform. I have no doubt that before the campaign is far advanced there will be adjustment of the interests of the parties representing the people which

will make defeat impossible. In the interests of the people such an adjustment is inevitable. The present campaign will be the most remarkable in the history of the country, and its results will not be less farreaching."

Senator Butler, who was temporary chairman, said: "The result of the convention is what the North Carolina delegation had contended for from the first—that is, the nomination of Bryan, with a southern Populist for vice president. The People's Party has been built up by appealing to the best elements of the two old parties to put principle and patriotism above party. In the convention just held the People's Party has practiced what it preached. It has indorsed and approved the action of the Chicago convention as far as it was right and has condemned it where it was wrong. The nomination of Mr. Bryan was satisfactory to every Pop-ulist in America. He stands for the principles that the party was organized and has contended for against the two old parties. We have put up a platform and nominated a vice president in harmony with our principles, because we could not indorse Mr. Sewall or accept the Democratic platform as it stood. The Demo-cratic platform was good as far as it went, and it was a victory for the People's Party and it was a victory for the People's Party to have the Democratic convention go as far as it did go. When the delegates arrived here they seemed to be divided about two extreme sets of ideas. The west, as a rule, wanted to accept the Democratic ticket as a whole. The south and east, as a rule, wanted a straight ticket. If either extreme had succeeded, the People's Party would have been split in twain. The People's Party has met the Democratic party more than half way. Now, if Mr. Sewall will be patriotic and withdraw from the Democratic ticket as a candidate for vice Democratic ticket as a candidate for vice president, he will remove the only obstacle to a complete unification of all the voters who oppose the single gold standard, and victory will be assured from the hour that he takes that high and patriotic position.' Chairman Allen's Views.

Permanent Chairman Allen said regarding the convention: "A great convention representing the people of the United States, composed of thoughtful, earnest and intelligent men who have been for years studying the political economy of the country, adjourned today after carry-ing out the wishes of the people. There is not the least doubt of the election of Willnot the least doubt of the election of William J. Bryan as president. His nomination today in the face of a published declination of the nomination, receiving more than 1,000 votes of the people's chosen representatives, shows the force of the great reform movement that is sweeping over the country. Mr. Bryan is a coning over the country. Mr. Bryan is a gentleman, a man of the people and will not spurn or scorn the nomination which was such a compliment to him. The people of the United States have taken charge of the politics of the nation, and no man can stand in the way. The inevitable tide of progress will sweep all opposition away. The people seize the means to accomplish their ends. Mr. Bryan has been seized by their ends. Mr. Bryan has been seized by the people of the country, who are press-ing forward the greatest cause of a quar-ter of a century There will be no bolt from the convention. There are malcon-tents in every party and men in every con-vention who are dissatisfied. The nominavention who are dissatished. The home-tion of Mr. Bryan was the will of the peo-ple. No man can say that the 1,000 who voted for him were wrong and the 200 who did not were right. We enter upon the greatest campaign in our history. have a candidate who has been the nominee of three conventions, whose delegates clearly represented the interests of their constituents. That the nominee of these three parties will be elected there can be no question."

Mr. Bryan Interviewed. LINCOLN, Neb., July 27.—In an inter-

view regarding his nomination by the People's Party convention Mr. Bryan said "When the Populists decided to nominate vice president first, Senator Jones, chairman of the Democratic national committee wired me as follows:
"'Populists nominate vice president

first. If not Sewall, what shall I do? Answer quick. I favor your declination

tirely agree with you. Withd name if Sewall is not nominated. Withdraw my

"These dispatches were published in the morning papers, and the convention un-derstood my position. In spite of this, derstood my position. In spite of this, they have seen fit to nominate me. Whether I shall accept the nomination or not will depend entirely upon the conditions attached to it. My first desire is to aid in securing the immediate restoration by the United States of the free and unlimited states of and and silver at the press. ited coinage of gold and silver at the pres-ent legal ratio of 16 to 1 without waiting for the aid or consent of any other nation. The Republican platform declares that the bimetallic system should be restored, but asserts that we, as a people, are helpless to secure bimetallism for ourselves until foreign nations come to our assistance. We cannot afford to surrender our right to legislate for our people upon every question, and so long as that right is disputed no other question can approach it in im-I appreciate the desire manifested at St. Louis to consolidate all the free silver forces and regret that they did not nominate Mr. Sewall also. He stands squarely upon the Chicago platform and squarely upon the Chicago platform and has defended our cause against greater opposition than we have had to meet in the west and south. The Populist platform is on many questions substantially identical with the Chicago platform. It goes beyond the Chicago platform, however, and indorses some policies which I do not approve of. All that I can say now is that my eation will depend entirely upon that my action will depend entirely upon the conditions attached to the nomination. I shall do nothing which will en-danger the success of bimetallism, nor shall I do anything unfair to Mr. Sewall." "Assuming that the acceptance of the

nomination by you would be unfair to Mr. Sewall," was asked him, "how could conditions shape themselves so as to permit u to accept?"

The question was adroitly evaded by the jocular remark that if all things now per-plexing were made plain it would be no infringement upon the field of journalistic conjecture. When the complications that seem imminent because of the seeming necessity of putting up two sets of Bryan electors in case he remained the candidate of the Populist party were alluded to, Mr. Bryan replied that this was one of the differential which the must be trusted to ficulties which time must be trusted to

BUFFALO, July 27.-All the machine nen at the Snow Pump works have struck. The strike, which involves over 250 men, is not a union affair, but is entirely local and brought about by an order concerning the hours for eating lunch, which the men considered obnoxious.

An American Writer Honored. PARIS, July 27.—The American writer Francis Viele Griffin has been appointed a chevalier of the Legion of Honor.

### BERLIN CABLE LETTER

Emperor William's Enthusiasm Over the Paris Exposition.

FOR DEFENSE OF THE RHINE.

Emperor William's Plan to Raise His Un cle to the Rank of King Meets With Disfavor-Prince Max of Saxony to Become a Priest.

BERLIN. July 27.—The plan of Em-peror William to raise his uncle, the aged Frederick William Louis, grand duke of Baden, to the rank of king upon the occasion of the grand duke's seventieth birthday, which occurs on Sept. 9, is not received with much enthusiasm by the people of Baden, who are afraid that the new title will mean an increased civil list and heavier taxation, especially as the plan to annex Alsace and Lorraine to the grand duchy of Baden, will not, it is generally thought, be carried into effect, owing to the objections of Bavaria.

Few of the German newspapers agreements the converse in the matter of his

with the emperor in the matter of his enthusiasm on the subject of the Paris exhibition of 1900. The Hamburger Nachrichten, discussing the relations Germany and France, says: "It is safer to keep France in terror of Germany by an increase of the army and of population than to endeavor to get into the good graces of France by acts of chivalry and generosity."

It is rumored that early in the next session of the reichstag the Centrist party will endeavor to compel the government to show what truth there is in the allegations that the cost of building warships at official yards in 25 per cent higher than at private yards. Three imperial shipyards, it is alleged, are regularly favored with the largest orders, while private shipbuild-ers get only small orders. The latter are furnishing evidences of jobbery.

After the naval maneuvers the torpedo fleet, forming six divisions, will hold special maneuvers under the direction of Emperor William.

Prince Max, nephew of the king of Sax-ony, will be admitted to the priesthood of the Roman Catholic church tomorrow. He is in his twenty-sixth year.

Stoecker's New Party.

Dr. Stoecker, the preacher politician and Jew baiter, has founded a new party, which he has called the Kirchlichsvzil in-stead of the Christlichsvzil, which latter name the emperor said was an idiotic title. Though under a different name, Dr. Stoecker's party will continue to operate on the lines of his original party in opposing all Liberal measures and in backing up the Jew baiters. Dr. Stoecker has ral-lied quite a number of respectable men to his party and announces that he intends

his party and announces that he intends to prosecute a vigorous campaign at the approaching session of the reichstag.

The Berlin city synod, which has the patronage of the imperial family, and especially that of the empress, has published a report in which it is asserted that Berlin is in need of 30 more churches. In the face of this is the fact that the existing churches are never more than one third filled, and besides this two of the most beautiful church edifices in Berlin are used for storage purposes, one for the royal theater and the other for a bookseller. The synod asks for a credit of 15, 000,000 marks with which to build the proposed new churches. The city of Berlin has refused to give a single mark.

Last week a mighty box of hammered copper 3 meters deep and 60 meters broad and containing 20,000 pounds of powder was built in by the military engineers on the Alsace arch of the new bridge across the river Rhine near Kehl. The first Kehl bridge was destroyed by exploding powder n the arch at the beginning of the war with France.

The socialists are losing one strike after another. The hatmakers spent 100,000 marks for the pleasure of fighting their employers and in the end were obliged to give up and return to work on the old terms. A like result followed th of the musical instrument makers at Kottbus. The textile workers, the metal work ers and the weavers of Eulengebirge have begin to see that there is no hope of winning. These strikes have wasted 750,000 marks.

The law against undignified competition in trade has cleared the windows of Berlin shopkeepers of the once familiar placards which told of selling off stock below cost, of damaged goods sales, etc., which, if they were untrue, laid those displaying

them liable to punishment under the law. Princess Henry and her sister, Princess Louise of Battenberg, have had an amus-ing adventure in the vicinity of Hemel-While they were watching motor mills thrashing rape a workwoman came behind them and tied them with a straw band. The princesses, on asking the reason for the act, were told that if any one were tied before he or she noticed it it was the custom to pay a "footing." Neither of the princesses had any money with them, but later they sent a handsome sum to the millhands.

There has been considerable gossip in connection with the meeting of Prince Hohenlohe, chancellor of the German empire, with Count Badeni, president of the council and minister of the interior in the Austrian cabinet, at Aussee. In spite of long recitals to the newspapers dwelling upon the important results of the meeting, it is semiofficially understood that nothing of the first importance was settled at the meeting.

As Electric Combination.

CHICAGO, July 27.—A combine has been formed for the purpose of maintaining prices by the leading manufacturers of incandescent lamps in the United States. This agreement is expected to practically put an end to the war in prices which has virtually done away with all the profits in this line of business.

The Insurrection in Crete.

ATHENS, July 27.—A memorial which has been drawn up by the Turkish deputies of the Cretan assembly declares that any concession to the Christians will constitute a permanent danger to the peace of Crete. The insurgents have orred appliances for telegraphing and signaling.

Return of the Ancients.

Boston, July 27.-President Cleveland, owing to previous engagements, has declined the invitation sent through Lieutenant Governor Wolcott to participate in welcoming the London contingent of the Ancient and Honorable Artillery company on their return from Europe tomorrow.

VALPARAISO, July 27.—Frederic Erra-zuriz has been elected president of the re-



what he's up to. If she knew all about the little rascal, would she let him in? That's a question. Women are apt to look upon love and marriage as purely a matter of sentiment and affection. That is pretty nearly right; yet there is a practical side to it too; and the best way to preserve the ideal aspect of marriage and maternity is not to forget the practical part of it. A woman cannot be a thoroughly happy wife and mother unless the distinctive physical organism of her sex is in a healthy and vigorous condition. The best friend that woman ever had is the "Favorite Prescription," of Dr. R. V. Pierce, Chief Consulting Physician of the Invalids' Hotel and Surgical Institute, Buffalo, N. Y. The "Prescription," is a perfect and infallible remedy for every form of "female weakness." It cures by restoring health and strength to the internal organism, which cannot be reached by "local applications;" thus the cure is radical complete and constitutional.

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MONDAY, JULY 27, 1896.

#### A Dignified Campaign.

Even the headlong, reckless repudiationists, who will all be either practically or formally united on the Chicago ticket In the end, admit that this must be a parapaign of education. They know that they must meet the issue face to face before the people, and the single advantage that they have in the battle is that they have been systematically districts from one end of the country to the other during the last two years.

There is really but one issue before the people of the country. Spasmodic clists. efforts will be made to discuss other questions than that of honest money, but long before election day the issue of honest or dishonest money and protection, will absorb public interest from Eastern to Western sea, and the battle will be fought out in the school house and cross-roads meetings.

There is every reason why this should be a dignified and in every way decent campaign. There can be no excuse whatever for the injection of personal scandal into the contest.

Let'the present campaign be entirely free from scandal. There is no cause for it; there is no room for it, and those who resort to it can only injure their own cause thereby. With candidates worthy in character and ability, the campaign should be one solely of education, and the party that gets down to the soberest instruction of the people will be certain to accomplish most in gathering voters into its fold.

It will be a contest between free trade and protection, old-fashioned honesty and the plausible theory of abundant money, regardless of its purchasing quality, and it calls for the plainest presentation of old-fashioned truths and old-fashioned integrity to the peole. As a rule they are honest, and no stronger appeal can be made to them than to vindicate their individual integrity, and to maintain the integrity of the government that is their own. If the people can be reached in their immediate communties by those who can tell them the honest truth the party of repudiation and communism will suffer the most overwhelming defeat of our national history.

### The Marrow of the Issue.

William McKinley struck the marrow of the great issue before the people of the United States in a quite recent speech, when he said; "Financial dishonor is the threatened danger now, and good men will obliterate old lines of party in a united effort to uphold American honor."

Mr. McKinley states the issue in a nutshell. There is but one peril that now threatens the greatest free government of the world. A powerful party has grown up, largely inspired by the demagogic appeals to the people who have been suffering from severe business conditions, that openly proclaims its purpose to dishoner the credit of the Republic and to bring convulsion and panic into every channel of industry and trade by the destruction of private

Until 1896 no formidable organization under any name ventured to declare be deliberately debased to one-half its value for the purpose of paying the debts of the nation and of individuals in paid by the debtors.

While the theories of the cheap money advocates have directly tended to that end, never until now has the flag of repudiation and dishonor been unfurled and openly floated over a national organization that will certainly Mother of a Lord Mayor of Liverpool. poll several millions of votes.

This is a fearful menace to the dignity and integrity of the Republic, and Mr. McKinley is entirely right in de- officer. claring that "financial dishonor is the threatened danger now," and that it should summon all good citizens "in a united effort to uphold American honor."

Mr. McKinley has come squarely up to the issue as it has been presented by those who seek to overthrow the integrity of the nation, and he thus proves himself worthy of the united support of P. Weed, druggist.

all who wish "to uphold American

And the above is the wise and patriotic utterance of the Democratic Philadelphia Times, edited by Col. A. K. McClure.

### SOUTHPORT'S ROAD RACE.

Probably the Last Bicycle Meeting That Will be Held in That Place.

The second annual road race of the Southport Wheel club was run off at that place, Saturday afternoon. The race was something of a chapter of sceidents. Two people were estimaly hurt and a half domen more coratched, bruised and otherwise injured. The accidents were not the fault of the officers of the race, but that of the crowd, who gathered around and on the track. They crowded, packed and scrambled sewing their tares broadcast in the rural around in an unbecoming manner. Every wheelman or woman who passed was an object of curiosity and must be seen, so the crowd invariably rushed onto the road and in front of the bicy-

The trouble commenced in the morning when it was found that some miscreant had scattered tacks along the course. Then a letter came from one Simon Banks, protesting against the use of the highway for a race. It was addressed to the town selectmen but they paid no attention to it. Later in the day Mr. Banks, while driving a load of hay got in the way of Wilber G. Wheeler of Bridgeport. The incurring collision threw Mr. Wheeler into the gutter and cut his head. This stopped any further competition by him, in the

The most serious accident happened to Miss Martha Drew of Mill Plain. She was an interested spectator and her forgetfulness brought her in contact with three of the racers. Miss Drew was thrown to the ground. Her nose, face and eyes were badly cut, and she was badly bruised about her body. It is feared that her arm is broken, also that she suffered internal injuries. The cyclists were thrown down and withdrew from the race.

Mr. Patnode, father of William Patnode, of Bridgeport, who was in the ten mile race also got in the way of one of the speeders. He was struck on the left side of his face badly bruising his eye, cutting his nose and fracturing his jaw. The physician who attended him said it was not possible to reduce the fracture at the time. He is in a serious way. It will be some time before he recovers.

In the two-mile handicap race for boys, eleven entered but only seven came to the scratch. Young Hoffman a 30 second man won the race easily. He led from start to finish crossing the line ahead of Eddie Bell four lengths, covering the distance in 5 m. 50 sec. Bell, scratch man, made the distance in 5:47 3-5 and was awarded the time prize. E. Jelliff of Southpert, won third prize.

In the road race there were 57 entries and 47 answered to the call. It was run off in 27 m. 1 sec., A. M. Shepherd, Meriden, winning first time prize, and "Rob" Wherle of this city, second time prize. The men finished in the order named: Fred Mills, Southport; G. H Hale, Saugatuck; A. H. Mosher, Portchester; George Effler, Bridgeport. Eddie Bell, Stamford; Martin Kane. Stamford; L. W. Sullivan, New Haven; L. M. Shepherd, Meriden; R. A. Wherle, South Norwalk; J. Lango, Waterbury; Joseph Dick, East Haven; F. Alton Clark, Union City; J. C. Neilson, Portchester; L. R. Toms, Stamford; J. B. Canfield, Bridgeport; Nat Forbes, New Haven; Robert Munroe, East Haven.

### United States Jurors.

Marshall Emory F. Strong, of Bri dgeport, as jury commissioner, assisted by Clerk E. E Marvin has been busy at Hartford since Wednesday preparing For New York lists of jurors for the U.S. district and circuit courts for the coming year. There are five jury boxes in which are placed 2,000 names, 400 in each, one for each court in New Haven and in Hartford and one general box of grand jurors. There has not been a grand jury drawn in the circuit court for the district of Connecticut for over 20 years. that the money of the country should The lists have to be gone over very carefully every year to drop the names of the dead and those removed from the state and to add other names. A ballot is prepared for each name and placed in one-half the money contracted to be the box, ready to be drawn before the court comes in.

### A Good Suggestion.

It has been suggested to a Norwalk English Society to contribute a wreath wherewith to decorate on Wednesday the grave, on Haynes' Ridge, of the The Strange viscissitudes of life brought this woman to America and she is buried a few feet from the grave of Capt. Stephen Bette, the Norwalk Revolutionary

### An Affidavit.

This is to certify that on May 11th, I walked to Melick's drug store on a pair of crutches and bought a bottle of Chamberlain's Pain Balm for inflammatory rheuma-tism which had crippled me up. After us-ing three bottles I am completely cured. I

werzer, Sunbury, Pa.
Sworn and subscribed to before me on August 10, 1894.—Walter Shipman, J. P. For sale at 25 and 50 cents per bottle by E. P. Weed druggist

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> along. Come in and examine it. Columbia, standard price to all, \$100.

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### Additional Here and There.

Mr. and Mrs. Ira Cole and daughters are at Watch Hill.

Frank Finch a clerk at Druggist Riggs' has resigned.

Miss Kittie Camp is visiting relatives in Middlefield, Mass.

The Pioneers have challenged the Hopes to another ball game.

Marshall Andrews has as a guest his cousin, Miss Jenkins of Baltimore.

Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Pollard of Winipauk, are visiting friends in Iowa.

Miss Sarch Fitch, of Essi crosse, is risiting with friends at Lake George.

The Misses Lane, of the Bissell hometead have gone to the White Mounsins.

Miss Mable Vanderhoef and her guest Miss Fannie Leonard are at Sheiter Island. A Harbor avenue young lady pro- Island and Massachusetts.

poses giving a butter milk party at an early date.

and son, are enjoying themselves at | yacht Marguerite. Cross River.

A public hearing on the proposed this evening.

William Lawlor is building a cellar Fairview avenue.

Mrs. Partridge of Royalston, Maine, is a guest of Mr. and Mrs. George E. Miller, of High street.

Mr. Harry Good and sister, of New York, spent Sunday with their grandfather, Mr. Henry I. Hoyt.

Mrs. Charles Somerville and daughter, of Stamford, are visiting Mr. and Mrs. James J. Scofield on Belden ave-

Miss A. H. Mac Craith of New York, a guest of Attorney and Mrs. E. M. Lockwood on Elm street, returns home to-day.

It is probable that a ball game between the Hopes and Pioneers will be one of the attractions at the Labor Day picnick on the Fair Grounds.

Mrs. Emerson Wilson, of Newtown, has returned home after a two weeks' visit with her mother, Mrs. Ellen Buckley, of Henry street, East Norwalk.

William W. Bates while operating a bread slicer at the Hadden saloon, Saturday night, managed to clip off the end of the index finger of his left hand.

A "cutting-watermelons" party, was recently given by one of our colored "four-hundred" aristocracy on Knight street, in true southern-camp meeting

The Wilton correspondent of the village owned by Principal Comstock, of Balmforth avenue school, that is an expert rat catcher.

Miss Emily Wood has returned to Norwalk after a thirteen months visit with friends in England, and is again at the home of the Misses Ella and

Emma Berry on Orchard street.

A two year old child named Thomas Deargo died at the Norwalk Hospital yesterday. The child had been an inmate of the County Home. The best of care failed to save the little fellow's

Rev. S. H. Watkins will take his long vacation during the month of August with his family. He will spend the early part of it in New York state and then go to Washington, Conn., for the latter part of the month.

chickens which was disposed of at P. J. O'Brien's store last Saturday night. There was a difference as to his right to the same but the majority was in his favor and he took the chickens.

Sherman Commandery, U. O. G. C. accepted an invitation from Guiding Star Commandery of Bridgeport, to take a trolley ride in that city next Thursday afternoon and evening to be followed by a feast of good things edible

A young son of Theodore Stone suffered a peculiar accident Saturday afternoon. He was playing in a yard near his home and pulled a large flower pot over on himself and received quite severe but not serious bruises. The little tot was considerably frightened though.

Stamford has a phenomenon in the stone without the use of his hands. himself explain. Norwalk has several boys who can climb their mothers' pantry shelves and touch nothing but the jar of ginger-snaps.

### Off to Newport.

terms, will be few and far between for | wagon was hurled onto the sidewalk the remainder of the season.

### SOUTH NORWALK.

The South Norwalk Office of the Gazette is at the store of Newman & Pinney, No. 12 North Main Street, where Advertisements and orders for Job Printing, as well as Items of News. can be left with Homer M. Byington, Manager.

Water at the Knob 70°. Cashier and Mrs. J. M. Layton are at

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Studwell are en route to Saratoga. Miss Jennie L. Nash, of Bayview

avenue is at Block Island. Miss Luella Lape, of this city, is visit-

ing in Stoney Creek, Conn. Dr. Braily V. D. Pardes opent Fan-

day with friends in Madison, Cone. Street Commissioner Waldo C. Briggs spent Sunday with friends in

Ridgefield. Ben. F. Andrews and party, started out for their week's cruise on the Fannie, this morning.

L. S. Beers with his family is enjoying a fortnight's vacation in Rhode

T. G. L. C. and their gentlemen friends enjoyed a moonlight sail from Mr. and Mrs. George W. Raymond Pine Ledge Saturday night in the

Nine of the members of the Twin City Wheelmen took a spin to Danbury Mill Hill improvements will be held and return yesterday. They were led by Captain W. A. Wheeler.

On Wednesday, if not stormy, the D. A. R. are to go upon their arranged for a house for Frank McLoughlin on trip of inspection of Revolutionary land-marks under the guidance of Rev. C. M. Selleck.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Godfrey, of Washington street, left this morning for a month's visit in Avon, N.Y. After that they will take up permanent residence in New York city.

The party which went on the moonlight sail from the Pine Ledge club house Saturday evening, had a very enjoyable time although there were not as many present as expected.

"Tip", a black and tan dog, belonging to Mr. C. Swartz was badly bitten last night by a strange dog at Mr. Swartz's summer home in Ridgefield. The little fellow will probably lose one of his eyes.

Frank Volk has purchased the St. Lawrence skiff, Pirate, which was owned by the late Howard Earle. The boat is now at the Norwalk Yacht club house at Hickory Bluff and will be kept there by Frank, who is a member of the club.

Captain George Washington Gladstone and Officer William Pennington went to New Haven on the train yesterday morning and wheeled back in the afternoon. On the way home they began scorching and succeeded in covering the distance in three hours and eleven minutes.

The Young Men's Republican club will meet to morrow evening in President E. E. Crowe's office, No. 8 North Main street. Plans for the campaign will be talked over and it will be decid-Ridgefield Press tells of a horse in that ed whether or not they shall form a marching club. A large attendance is expected as other important matters will be discussed.

> The announcement is made of the engagement of Miss Minnie L., only rhoea Remedy. The most successful medidaughter of Mr. and Mrs. Morris W. cine in the world for bowel complaints, 25 Brown, of 99 Park street, to William Wilcox of Norwalk. Miss Brown is a was the leader of the set who gave that for its cures of coughs, colds, croup and whooping cough, 25 and 50 cents per bottle. Chamberlain's Pain Balm. For rheumawas the leader of the set who gave that successful leap year dance last winter at the Masonic building. Mr. Wilcox is in the insurance business in South Norwalk. Both enjoy the friendship of a host of people in both cities.-Bridgeport Farmer.

Last night Officer Pennington discovered a lamp in the fruit store, next to John H. Ferris' office on the Washington street bridge, which was about to explode. With the assistance of arbitration. The terms of settlement have Phil Simons and Harry Sheldon, he succeeded in breaking open the door, at once. Joseph Sheehan won the coop of Seizing the burning lamp he ran out with it and threw is from the bridge into the water. If the lamp had not been discovered just when it was, there probably would have been a serious conflagration.

In the St. Lawence Skiff races at the Yacht club Saturday afternoon, for the Vice-Commodore's cup, Dr. L. M. Allen succeeded in beating G. A. Bogart by about three minutes, without his time allowance. As this is the third time he has won it, the cup now belongs to Dr. Allen. In the canoe races for the set of colors offered by Commodore Sanford, the "Gracie" sailed by Captain Horace Hatch, was leading when she suddenly capsized. Vice Commodore Chasmar refused to accept the prize under the circumstances, and the race was declared off by the Com-

modere. Frank Singer and a companion, two person of a small boy who, it is said, feather-duster peddlers from Rockaway can climb the highest wall of brick or N.Y., got into trouble on Union street Saturday afternoon. A representative How he contrives to do it he cannot of a Providence firm hired a horse and carriage from V. A. Scoville that day in which to convey his goods about the city. While the horse was hitched on Union street, Singer and his compan. ion mischievously poked one of their largest dusters into the animal's face. Bear in mind the grand excursion to The horse leaped into the air and suc-Newport to-morrow. Already midsum- ceeded in breaking the hitching line. mer is past, and the opportunities for Then he bolted up the street. In atoutings of this kind upon so favorable tenting to turn into Franklin street the

and the hind wheel smashed. The

horse broke loose and continued up the street as far as the Putnam Hose house where he was stopped by Arthur Conley. The pedlers ran for the depot but were overtaken and forced to give Mr. Scoville security for the damage done to his team.

Representative R. H. Rowan, of Scuth Main street spent Sunday with friends in Dahbury.

Mr. L. W. Buelleding of Pine Messe, has returned from a visit with friends in Edgecomb, Maine:

E. A. Woodward, will give the members of Putnam Hose company a shore dinner at Roton Point this evening. The boys all expect to have a howling good time.

Capt. Joe Lockwood the popular Janitor at the Knob saved a young Miss from a watery grave there yesterday. The bather got beyond her depth and Capt. Joe, as is his wont, plunged in and saved the girl, to the ruination of his new white linen Sunday Jacket.

#### Hymenial.

Minnie Ida, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. David Workman of Belden avenue was married yesterday to T. C. Plate, of New York, by Rev. S. H. Watkins.

### The Bike Wins Again.

Joseph Walworth, an aged farmer, was eloping with a nineteen-year-old girl, yesterday, when his daughter overtook him on her bicycle and induced him to return home.

#### The Fawcett Case.

There was considerable warmth to an interchange of opinions at the Town Court this morning. One of the attorneys made "Light" of the "Gray" matter in the opposing attorney's caput. What threatened to develop into rhetorical waves was stilled by the Judge who decided in favor of the "Gray" matter

### WILTON.

John Comstock, who has been suffering with gangrene in a wound on his foot has at last had to yield to an amputation to save his life. It is to be hoped the operation may prove successful and he soon escape further suffering.

### **NEW CANAAN.**

The bicycle scrub race, run here on Saturday for two gold watches as first and second prizes, drew a big crowd of excited spectators. The race was for twelve miles and the first prize was a \$25, and the second a \$15 watch. The contestants were Will Kirk, Steve Ezekiel, Archie Offen, Arthur Dow and Ira

Dow won first prize in 34 minutes and Ezekiel second, in 35 minutes.

#### Price List of Chamberlain's Medicines.

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### Berea Strike Settled.

BEREA, O, July 27.—The long strike of the quarrymen, involving from 800 to 1,000 men, and which has led to serious rioting and the sending here of the militia, not yet been announced. The militia on guard at the quarries will be withdrawn

Winslow Withdraws In Maine.

PORTLAND, Me., July 27.—The Advertiser announced that E. B. Winslow, Democratic candidate for governor, had decided not to accept the nomination. declining it. His action is the result of a conference of conspicuous Democrats in this city.

Peary's Progress to the North. St. Johns, N. F., July 27 .- The Peary expedition steamer Hope passed Battle harbor, straits of Belle Isle, on July 18, bound north. She reported all well.

### Mr. Bryan's Father.

Silas L. Bryan, who was the father of the Chicago nominee, was Circuit Judge of the second circuit in this state for many years. Judge Bryan was in the habit of opening his court with prayer. He said that the Lord directed him in making his decisions. He would sometimes, when in doubt, in the midst of a trial, kneel down upon the bench and ask divine direction. A noted Peoria lawyer, meeting the judge one day in the street after the Supreme Court had reversed six of his cases, said:

"I see, Judge, that the Supreme Court has reversed the Lord in six cases. What have you got to say about it? I thought you decided your cases under divine direction."

Whereupon the Judge replied; "The Supreme Court is wrong."

Precaution.

Briggs-Does your wife laugh when you tell her a funny story?
Braggs—Oh, yes. I always tell her beforehand that it is funny.—Indianapolis Journal.

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### TAX COLLECTOR'S

NOTICE is hereby given to all persons liable to pay taxes to the town of Norvalk, in the County of Zairfold and Sacto of Connections, on the Assessment Lies of 1895, that I will meet them to receive said taxes, at the following times and please to wit. times and places, to wit:

times and places, to wit:

At the store of W. S. Hanford, East
Norwalk, (Down Town) on Tuesday
September 1st, 1896, from 10 o'clock
forenoon, until 12:30 afternoon.

At the store of J. C. Randle, at Winnipauk, on the afternoon of Tuesday,
September 1st, 1896, from 3 o'clock
until 4:30 o'clock.

until 4:30 o'clock-At the store of Alphonzo Dibble, at

At the store of Alphonzo Dibble, at South Five Mile River, on the evening of Tuesday, September 1st, 1896, from 7:00 o'clock until 8:30 o'clock.

At the office of the Collector, Room No. 1 Masonic building, in the City of Norwalk. in said town of Norwalk, on Wednesday, September 2d, 1896, from 9 o'clock forenoon, until 3 o'clock afternoon, and from 7 to 8 o'clock in the evening.

evening.
Mr. Stephen Comstock, of Comstock Bros., Norwalk, and Mr. J. M. Layton, at his office, Railroad Place, South Norwalk, are authorized to receive taxes

On all taxes which shall remain unpaid after the 1st day of October, 1896, interest at the rate of NINE PER CENT will be charged from the 31st day of August 1896, until the same shall be

GEORGE B. St. John, Collector, In and for said Town of Norwalk, on

the List of 1895.

Dated at Norwalk, Ct., July 8, 1896.

# NOTICE. CITY TAXES!

NOTICE is hereby given to all persons liable to pay taxes to the City of Norwalk, in the County of Fairfield and State of Connecticut, that the undersigned, Collector of Taxes for said City, on assessment list of 1895, has received a warrant from the Mayor for the collection of the tax laid by said City, March 2, 1896, on the ratable es-tate liable to taxation therein; that

### Said Tax is Payable July 1st,

And that he will be present at the And that he will be present at the Council Room in the Fairfield County National Bank Building, every week day from 9 a. m. to 12 m., and from 2 to 5 p. m. from July 1, 1896 until September 1, 1896. Saturday evenings from 7 to 9 o'clock.

Also, that upon all of said taxes re-

maining unpaid after the 1st day of August, 1896, interest at the rate of nine (9) per cent. per annum will be charged from the 1st day of July, 1896, until the same is paid.
Addison A. Betts,

Collector of City Taxes, List of 1896.

### A GOOD CHANCE.

To Rent at once, the store and fixtures in James' Block lately occupied by William M Bates as a meat market.
j6 tf F. St. John Lockwood. Trustee.

Piano Lessons, MRS. GEORGE W. BRADLEY, (daughter of the late Wm. R. Nash.) gives efficent and satisfactory instructions on the; Piano at her home No. 193 Majn street.

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partment of its kind anywhere.

A Pair Have Built Their Nest in a Very Noisy Place.

It's a noisy place for a home, but a pair of busy English sparrows have chosen it. Just where the alley "L" Railroad crosses a street, on the outer edge of one of the big iron girders, the nest is built. It is made of straws in-terwoven with horsehairs and twigs, and it has the usual fluffy appearance of a sparrow's nest. Every few minutes all day long the trains roar past on the track above, jarring the structure, but Mrs. Sparrow doesn't seem to mind it a bit. She has already laid part of her eggs, and Mr. Sparrow often sits on the iron rail near her side, and tells all his friends about it in the loudest of

Perhaps this sparrow family enjoys being rocked to sleep by the jarring of the trains, and perhaps the corner of the iron girder is regarded as a particularly safe place for a home, because no boy can get to it without a good deal of dangerous climbing. The workmen on the "L" road rather like to see the birds about. They say that where the birds build-and there is more than one nest on the iron structure—accidents will not occur.—Chicago Record.

WHIST PLAYING IN AMERICA.

"Cavendish" Surprised by the Skill which

Henry Jones, the Englishman who is known to whist players all over the world as the court of last resort under the name of Cavendish, says that whist is more studied here, and the general run of players are more proficient than in England. "On my first visit," he says, "I met players as they came, and I will confess that on more than one occasion I suspected that the best man who could be found had been selected to meet me. I was much astonished to learn that this was not the case, because it is not exceptional to meet at a card table in our English clubs four good players-men who understand American leads or any of the modern refinements of the game. The average Englishman is content to play his game as it is handed down to him by his grandfather, while the American opens his mind at the top, and is content with nothing which his observation does not commend to him as being the best; he is always seeking to improve."

This high praise of American players from a recognized authority probably will surprise many people who have taken it for granted that England was the home of scientific whist. Whist has been developed here by American methols, and one of the players who are here to attend the congress is a woman who supports herself by teaching scientific whist to classes in cities.

Christian Science Forbids.

Miss Chudoba, of Grammar School No. 62, New York, is a Christian scientist, and has declared that her religious beliefs will not admit of her teaching little children how alcohol, as embodied in intoxicating liquors, is ruinous both to body and mind. The fact that such teaching has been made compulsory by the State law does not disturb Miss Chudoba's resolution. She contends that any such teaching is directly opposed to her religion, and that after having obeyed her orders and taught little children about the devastating effects of strong drink, she has come to the conclusion that such teaching has a bad effect on her pupils, and that they come to school suffering from all sorts of imaginary pains and aches. Miss Chudoba believes that a child will acquire a taste for alcohol from merely reading about it, and she does not propose to lead children to drunkards'

The Husband as a Prop. "After all, man is a generous be-

"Yes, he is; I never saw a husband yet who wouldn't let some other man teach his wife to ride a wheel."

Cholly Got It Himself.

"Nice dog! Have you taught him any tricks since I was here last?" 'Oh, yes; he will fetch your hat if you whistle," said she, sweetly.

Difficulty.

Mrs. Musicus-Did you have much trouble in learning to sing so beauti-

Miss Frankly-Yes; especially with the neighbors.—Sketch.

"Men are so conceited; when a man gets to be forty he thinks that every woman that looks at him is in love with

'Yes, but rat because he is conceited. it is because he knows how irrational women are."-Chicago Record.

WISDOM OF THE INDIAN ELEPHANT. He Knows When He Has Been Swindled and Vigorously Resents It.

One day, says a writer of English military experience, a heavy gun stuck in the muddy bottom of a stream, and the tandem elephant was unhooked to shove behind, or lift the muzzle of the gun with his trunk. But he would not; he only bellowed and swayed uneasily, shifting from one foot to the other in the sticky mud. At last, with piteous shrill trumpeting, he touched the sharp point of the iron right on the muzzle.

"He says he's afraid of hurting himself, sahib," explained the mahout. "Well," answered the officer in jest,

'tell him to spoke the wheel." "Promise him backsheesh, sahip, and he will."

"Very well."

The elephant carefully found a secure footing, curled his trunk round the lower spoke, and made the wheel revolve; then the shaft elephant put in his ponderous weight and the gun slowly rose out of the mud and rolled up the opposite bank.

The triumphant mahout demanded backsheesh for his Hooshiar Hatti (wise elephant).

"You scare?' You want the back-

sheesh for yourself."
"No, sahib, I dare not cheat him, and if you don't give him backsheesh he will remember you are no gentleman and will never work for you again."

"All right," said the officer, tossing the man a couple of rupees in succession. "How shall I know you don't cheat him?"

"Come and see him feed this evening, sahib."

That evening by moonlight the officer was summoned to see Hooshiar Hatti eat his supper. The elephant was swaying to and fro, fanning himself with a branch, and round the fire stood huge chupatties—flat cakes of flour, butter and sugar—purchased with the back-sheesh for the Hooshiar's supper. The mahout took up one of these cakes and offered it to the wise one, who weighed it carefully in his trunk and then deposited it with a satisfied smack in his raw looking mouth. "Now, sahib, this second chupattie

is light weight. See him find it out." The elephants are accustomed to a certain ration weight, and when the Hooshiar took this cake by the edge an angry twinkle came into his wicked little eye, and, quick as lightning, he slapped the mahout in the face with the

leathery mass.
"See, sahib," cried the man in glee,
"I dare not cheat him!" And he picked himself up and offered a larger chupattie. "Here, you foolish one! Did I ever cheat you? This one is overweight."

The elephant understood and ate in forgiving tranquility. London Public

Financial Discussion.

"Riches," said the boarder who dearly loves proverbs, "riches have wings." "I think my money has feet," said Asbury Peppers.

"Yes; I know it often runs out."-Cincinnati Enquirer.



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FEATS OF THE "ANCIENTS."

Boston's Heroes Conquer Every Solid and Liquid Peril.

When Boston's crack military com pany went over to England, this interesting account of some of their doing. was cabled to American newspapers:

More than one puzzled but well mean ing Englishman, after encountering the wonderful corps of soldiers from Boston and reading the descriptions of the po litical typhoon at Chicago, has sought out friends in the American colony here and begged them to explain these strange products of the great Western Republic.

Not that the Ancient and Honorable Artillery Company need any explana tion. They have shone with prestine and undiminished effulgence since they set foot, in friendly but armed invasion, upon British soil. Not a man among them has faltered in the face of the almost unheard of tests which hourly have been put upon them.

Every American was proud of them, and every Englishman looked on in wonder this morning when they rallied in full ranks outside their Hotel Cecil barracks. Most of their entertainers of the past few days were undone, limp pale and exhausted, after the week's terrific engagements. But the American veterans lined up in serried ranks both taller and broader than when they

Their new helmets had shrunk so that they failed to come down low on their foreheads, as a week ago, and every sword belt had been loosened to the last emergency notch. But they were still the same noble corps which sailed out of Boston harbor a fortnight ago. They were still undaunted, invincible, incomparable among the wearers of martial uniforms in these days of military su-

Only one thing rankles in any Ancient breast, and that is one of the Hon. Chauncey Depew's jokes, which some members of the corps fear their enter-tainers may take seriously. Mr. Depew explained in his speech at the King's Hall banquet that there were three kinds of military bodies, the reg ular army, which fights, the National Guard, which fights when called upon, and the Ancients, who would not fight under any circumstances.

The visitors from Boston need not fear that any Englishman who witnessed the way in which they conquered all solid and liquid perils, will, for an instant, question their courage in the face of mere powder and shot.

Thackeray's Opinion.

"The little ills of life," says Thackeray, "are the hardest to bear. What would the possession of a hundred thousand a year, or fame or applause, avail to a gentleman who was allowed to enjoy them only with the condition of wearing a shoe with a couple of nails inside it? A.l happiness would disappear and plunge into that shoe; all life would rankle around those nails." And as little things have the power to annoy, they have also the power to comfort and

One day a visitor to the school, finding young Sydney Smith during play hours absorbed in the study of Virgil, gave him a shilling, and with it a few words of sympathy and praise.

"Clever boy, clever boy!" exclaimed the stranger. "That is the way to con-Such unlooked for encouragement

broke like a gleam of sunshine across the dreary and troubled life of the neglected boy, and roused within him a capable heart the laudable ambition for

Sydney Smith never forgot that man, and to the end of his days praised his deed. The stranger went his way little dreaming of the good his pleasant words had accomplished, while the lad he had cheered soon afterwards became prefect of the school.

Washington's Embarrassment.

"But Washington took pains to succeed," says a writer in Harper's Magazine, in telling of George Washington's home life in Virginia. He had a great zest for business. No details escaped him when once he was in the swing of the work. He was not many years in learning how to make the best tobacco in Virginia, and to get it recognized as such in England.

Six months before Washington's marriage he had been chosen a member of the House of Burgesses for Frederick County, the county which had been the scene of adventure in the old days of surveying in the wilderness, and in which ever since Braddock's fatal route he had maintained his headquarters, striving to keep the border against the savages.

The young soldier was unused to assemblies, and suffered a keen embarassment to find himself for a space too conspicuous in the novel parliamentary scene. He had hardly taken his seat when the gracious and stately Robinson, Speaker of the House and Treasurer of the Colony these twenty years, rose to the bidding of the Burgesses, to thank him for the services of which all were speaking.

This sudden praise, spoken with generous warmth there in a public place, was more than Washington knew how to meet. He got to his feet when Mr. Speaker was done, but he could utter not a syllable. He stood there, instead hot with blushes, stammering all atremble from head to foot.

"Sit down, Mr. Washington," cried the Speaker. "Your modesty is equal to your valor, and that surpasses the the power of any language that I pos-

The Gas Meter.

"Everything is union and eight hour in this town," said the resident labor man, "from the street railroads to the

"I'll bet, though," said the visitor, "that the meters are working overtime same as usual."

And the resident had to give in .-- Indianapolis Journal.

Try Electric Bitters as a remedy for your troubles? If not, get a bottle now and get relief. This medicine has been particularyly adapted to the relief and cure of all Female Complaints, exerting a wonderful direct influence in giving strength and tone to the organs. If you have Loss of Appetite, Constipation, Headache, Fainting Spells, or are Nervous, Sleepless, Excitable, Melancholly and are troubled with Dizzy Spells, Electric Bitters is the medicine you need. Health and Strength are guaranteed by its use, Fifty cents and \$1,00 at E. P. Weed's Drug Store, Norwalk, and Monroe's New Canaan. Try Electric Bitters as a remedy for your

Sheriff Hawley will take an entire respite from business and to-day leaves the state for a vacation until the courts open in September.

Condensed Testimony.

Chas. B. Hood, Broker and Manufacturer's Agent, Columbus, Ohio, certiffes that Dr. King's New Discovery has no equal as a Cough remedy. J. D. Brown, Prop. St. James Hotel, Ft. Wayne, Ind., testifies that he was cured of a Cough of two years standing, caused by LaGrippe, by Dr. King,s New Discovery. B. F. Merrill, Baldwinsville, Mass., says that he has used and recommended it and never knew it to fail and would rather it than any doctor, because it cures. Mrs. Hemming, 122 E. 25th St. Chicago, always keeps it at hand and has no fear of Croup, because itinstantly relieves Free Trial bottles at E. P Weed's Drug-Store, Norwalk and Monroe's New Ca-

The contract between the Central Labor Union and the management of the Fa. Grounds for the lease of the grounds for the Labor Day picnic on September 7th, has been signed and delivered.

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Cashier Green is now doing Teller Hoyt's duty who is off on his annual va-cation for a fortnight, but then like the GAZETTE the old Fairfield County Bank is so aged that it can "go it alone" when need be.

Mother's Delight With Hand's Colic Cure HAVERHILL, Mass., 11-30-'95.—Hand Medicine Co.—"I wish to say that I procured a sample bottle of Dr. Hand's Colic Cure and am delighted with it. My baby is now four months old, and has suffered every day of her short life with colic. I have tried almost everthing ever neard of, but can truthfully say that anything I have tried cannot compare with Dr. Hand's Colic Cure. Yours respectfully, Mrs. G. G. Miller, 38 Arch St." Sold by all druggists, 25c.

The Park City Yacht club left Bridge, port this afternoon on its first annual cruise. The objective point was Port Jefferson. Seven power and seventeen sail boats will take part in the cruise.

Try Allen's Foot-Ease

A powder to be shaken into the shoes At this season of the year your feet feel swollen and hot, and get tired easily. If you have aching feet, new shoes or tight shoes, try Allen's Foot-Ease. It cools the feet and makes walking easy. Cures and prevents swollen and sweating feet, blisters and callous spots. Relieves corns and bunions of all pain and gives rest and comfort. Try it to-day. Sold by all druggists and shoe stores for 25c. Sent by mail for 25c in stamps. Address, Allen S. Olmstead, Le Roy, N. Y.

The Bridgeport Y. M. C. A. Wheel club will take a run to this city to-night tarting at 6 o'clock. It was to have been made last night but the rain pre-

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Town clerk Herbert R. Smith went to South Norwalk this morning to bid the yacht Regina and its cargo of happy ladies and gentlemen au revoir

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The funeral of the late Deputy Sheriff J. W. Johnson, will be held from his former home in Bridgeport, to-morrow

Mother's Find Nothing to Equal Dr. Hand's Colic Cure.

WATERBURY Conn., 4-2-'96—Hand Medicine Co:—Dear Sirs:—"I am using Dr. Hand's Cough and Croup Medicine Dr. Hand's Cough and Croup Medicine and Colic Cure for my children and find nothing to equal them. They work like magic, I would not be without them in my house. The little ones love Dr. Hand's Colic Cure aud cry for it; it relieves them almost instantly. Mrs. relieves them almost instantly. Mrs. Frank Smith, 22 Wood St. At all drug-

The people have long since learned that the most disagreeable medicines are not necessarily the best. In fact, as a rule, they are not. What is wanted is something mild and the control of the control o sure, such as Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy. That is really pleasant to take when reduced with water and sweetened. Then it is acknowledged everywhere to be the most successful remedy everywhere to be the most successful remedy in the world for bowel complaints. Ask any number of druggists for the best remedy they have for diarrhoea and fully nine out of ten will recommend Chamberlain's. In speaking of this medicine, Mr. B. B. Buffum of Friendsville, Susquehanna Co., Pa., says: "We have used it in our family for pain in the streeth solic and diarrhoea and found the stomach, colic and diarrhoea and found it to be a most effective remedy." For sale by E. P. Weed, druggist.

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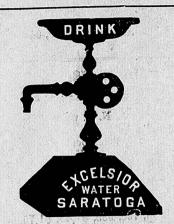
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### A TRIBUNE TRAGEDY.

HOW GREELEY LOST CONTROL OF THE PAPER HE MADE FAMOUS.

The New York Sun, Whose Editor Was a Co-laborer with Greeley on the Tribune, Finds that Retributive Justice Has Overtaken One of the Conspirators.

There comes back to the Sun somenow just now the old story of Horace Greeley's expulsion from the Tribune office by the man he had befriended and made, his bewildered grief at the discovery of treachery and selfish-greed where he had expected to find consolation and support, and then speedily his tragic death. The incident is the most pathetic in the whole history of American journalism. Poor Greeley! The grass has grown brown and green again for a quarter of a century over the grave into which he was assisted by the hand which he trusted and to which he reached out for help in a supreme hour of misfortune.

The narrative has been recited many times in private and several times in public; never, to our recollection, more tersely and effectively than by Mr. James G. Clark a few years ago in the Stockton Mail:

Mr. Greeley had been defeated in the Presidential campaign, and had just lost his faithful wife, at whose bedside he watched day and night, going without sleep for over a week—until the

It was about this time that an editorial article appeared in the Tribune reviewing the campaign. It was written in Mr. Greeley's peculiar style, and reflected severely upon old friends for whom he entertained none but the kindliest feelings now that the battle was over and lost.

'Greatly to Mr. Greeley's grief and mortification it was widely copied and credited to the defeated candidate for the Presidency. He wrote a disclaimer, saying he knew nothing of the editorial till he saw it in print, and that he greatly regretted its appearance.

"He sent the correction to the office, ordering its prompt publication. It was not published, and he sent another message which shared the fate of the first. He then trotted down to the office and upstairs, where he called the fore man and asked him to print the disclaimer in the next issue.

"The foreman answered: 'Mr. Gree ley, it is the most painful task of my whole life to tell you that I am instructed by Mr. Reid, who has lately been elected editor-in-chief of the Tribune, to take no copy from your

"The poor old man gasped for breath as the truth dawned upon him, and exclaimed from the depths of an already stricken and overburdened heart: 'Well, I am of no more use in the Tribune, and I guess I am of no more use any-

"No wonder that the next act in the drama took place in an insane hospital, and that a few weeks later the curtains lifted and revealed a new made grave. This is the true story of the Tribune tragedy.'

Such is the story as it has been told. The exact measure of the Hon. Whitelaw Reid's personal responsibility for the overthrow of Horace Greeley's mind and the destruction of his body can be known only to Mr. Reid's own conscience. The Hon. Whitelaw Reid has made during the past twenty-five years multitudes of friends whom he has not betrayed. There are many instances in which confidence reposed in him has not been violated. After a dedoorway of the Tribune building a fine bronze statue of Horace Greeley, sitting in a bronze chair and looking over Printing House Square toward the West that had given him Whitelaw

In recalling this somewhat unpleasant past, forgotten by many, remembered by few, we wonder if the time has come for the erection of a bronze Whitelaw Reid, to sit in a bronze chair at the other side of the Tribune's portal, bearing Horace Greeley company in the pathetic exclusion which ingratitude has contrived and selfish intrigue accomplished. After Greeley, Whitelaw Reid; after Whitelaw Reid, Milholland. Justice proceeds with measured steps, but sometimes she registers her decrees in a strikingly dramatic fashion. And when we say that by a refinement of retributive fate Whitelaw Reid has encountered at last the same humiliating notice of supercedure, and the same unexpected disclosure of his powerlessness to use the columns of his own newspaper for his own purposes and response to his own proper impulses, we judge strictly according to recent events within our knowledge. -New York Sun.

Light of the Household-Papa, what is them red, white, and blue things mamma found in your pocket and calls

Blushing Papa—Flat meney, my son, redeemable at the bank in gold, silver, or paper. The system dates back with faro. You know his daughter found Moses in the bulrushes. Now run out and ride your bicycle.—Detroit Free

### A 16 to 1 Town.

"Is this a sixteen to-one town?" asked the drummer. "It air on Sunday," answered the na-

"On Sunday?" "Yas. Sixteen goes fishin' to one goin' to church."—Cincinnati Enquirer.

Improved Farm Method. "They are talking of putting in longdistance telephones for the farmers' How charming! Of course they can

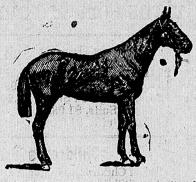
go Record. It is easy to tell a man what to do but if you want to know what here work is go and try to do it yourself.

be utilized in calling the cows." .. - Chi-

### THE DERBY WINNER.

The Prince of Wales Owns Persimmon the Winner of 1896.

The leaven of romance which lends so much glamour to the sport of horse racing has rarely shown itself to such an extent as the recent race for the English derby. Even non-believers in royalty were moved to unwonted enthusiasm by the result, and the scene at the historic Epsom Downs when Persimmons carried the royal colors of England's heir apparent first past the post was one which will be talked of for generations. The result was hailed as the triumph of a good sportsman pluckily persisting after nineteen years of almost unbroken bad luck. That he happened to be the Prince of Wales



made little difference to the majority of the multitude that saw the classic race. A good colt, well bred, well ridden and well backed, had won the "blue ribbon," and the plaudits would probably have been just as hearty and vociferous if the winner belonged to a plain civili-an instead of to "the first gentleman in

Europe." The race for the classic Derby always commands the attention of the racing world, but the latest struggle was an unexceptionable event in many respects. It marked the defeat of St. Frusquin, one of the hottest favorites that ever went to the post for the three year-old championship, and it attained double significance as representing the first Derby captured by royalty for over one hundred years.

#### CHINA'S NEW SECT.

A Religion Which Is Making Wonderful Progress in Eastern China.

A queer sect has lately sprung up in the Loo-Choo-Fin district, in Eastern China. In order to intimidate their followers into eating meat or not eating according to the sex), they teach that meat eating women will be transformed into men in the life to come, and that their children which die before reaching maturity will go to heaven or hades, as the case may be, as creatures in which the sexes will be com-

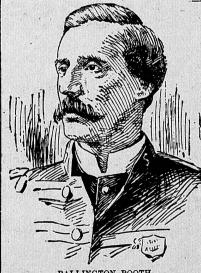
The penalty for the men is just the opposite. Vegetable eating males can only gain admission to paradise upon proving that they have done some valorous deed, and even then they cannot pass the pearly gates without being instantly transformed into woman. The natural conclusion one arrives at after reading the tenets of this queer sect is that unless a vegetable eating man can prove that he is an earthly hero, he will not be admitted at all, even as a woman. This peculiar people are known as the Wung-Foo-Cheti-Sen, and are said to be making wonderful progress wherever they go.

### THE AMERICAN VOLUNTEERS.

Wonderful Success of Ballington Booth's New Religious Movement.

There are some who may not approve of the methods of the Salvation Army, nor of those employed by the new organization, but however that may be, it is not exaggeration to state that no religious movement was ever started in this country which acquired followers and gained in strength so rapidly as the American Volunteers.

It is now only a few months since Commander and Mrs. Booth began their campaign for the evangelization of America under the banner of their new organization. Yet what they have accomplished thus far is almost a certain guarantee of success for the future. After all the strife and contention that followed the expulsion or resignation of



the American Booths from the old organization, it could not be possible for them to carry on a similar work in this country without being assailed or criticized by those who held to the old organization. The Volunteers had enemies, they have some now, but the organization is rapidly overcoming even its bitterest critics. In the ranks and among the officers of the Salvation Army there were many who did every-thing they could to discredit the Volunteers in the eyes of the American public. Such efforts had little effect on those who had consecrated themselves to the work of winning America for Christ under Ballington Booth's leadership. Neither the Booths nor their followers wasted time in recrimination, but went quietly on with their work.

Look out for your habits. They are simply cartilaginous at first, and you bend them at will. After a while they become so tough that they bend you.

DIDN'T CATCH HIS TRAIN. It was Not for Lack of Being Called Often Enough.

It was a very small Western town and the only train out of it that night left at 2 o'clock, says Harper's Magazine. The traveling man had impressed upon the night porter of the hotel the importance of calling him is time for this train. Promptly at 1.80 a prodi-

gious knock roused the sleeper. "Say, be yez the man that wants the 2 o'clock train?"

"Yes," was the sleepy reply from

within. "Well, yez can schlape an hour longer as she's so much late."

The heavy feet shuffled off down the hall, and silence ensued. Another hour had passed when Pat again

"Say! Be yez the felly what said he wanted to ketch the 2 o'clock

"Yes!" And there was a sound of the man hastily springing from his bed.

"Weli," drawled Pat, "yez can go back to bed again, for she's another

hour late."

A forcible remark or two proceeded from the traveling man's room, and were audible to his awakened neighbors, as was the departure of Pat; but soon all was quiet again, and the few occupants of the hotel were left for some time to undisturbed repose. Just as the first faint streaks of dawn were tinging the sky Pot once more made his presence known, and, in tones giving unmistakable evidence of recout and

"Say! if yez is the felly what wanted to ketch the 2 o'clock thrain, yez can schlape till mornin', fer, bedad, the blame thing's gone."

heavy slumber, remarked:

#### EX-QUEEN NATHALIE.

it is Said Her Wayward Son will Seek the Hand of an Heiress.

The boy King Alexander of Servia needs ready money very badly, and he has decided that an American heiress will solve all the troubles of his bankrupt kingdom.

A throne is, therefore, awaiting any American girl who has sufficient wealth to meet the requirements. This is probably the first time in American history that such an opportunity has ever been

Along with the distinguished title of Queen goes a palace, a crown, a collection of royal jewelry of stupendous antiquity and a number of castles scattered throughout Servia.

Servia is one of the kingdoms that sprung up out of the ruins of the Roman empire. The people are Slavonic, with some slight traces of the Roman



King Milan, Alexander's father, was a hot-headed spendthrift and sensualist, with no political skill. He was disgraced by the defeat which Prince Alexander inflicted on the Servians. He quarreled with his handsome wife, Queen Nathalie, who has no better temper than himself. and treated her shamefully in public. Then he divorced her and expelled her from the country. For a time she kept her son with her. Twice King Milan caused the boy to be kidnapped and taken from his mother. On these occasions the young Alexander behaved with much spirit, and resisted the kidnappers furiously.

Then a revolution drove Milan from the throne of Servia, and Alexander was proclaimed King, with a council of regency. In 1893, when but 17 years of age, he executed a coup d'etat, deprived the regents of their power, and became King of Servia in fact.

### Woman's Way.

"What is it, Mary?" 'It's a boy, mum, with a telegraft."
"A telegram! Oh, ask him if James is killed."

"He says he doesn't know, mum." "Ask him what he does know about

"He says all he knows about it is that

it's for you, mum.' "Oh, dear! Oh, dear! What shall I do? Oh, my poor James. I knew something would happen to him before he went away this morning. Will they

bring him home on a stretcher, Mary?"

"I s'pose so, mum. Maybe you'd better read the telegraft." "I can't. I can't. Oh, it serves me right for not kissing him three times

when he left. And we've been married such a shortime, too." "Why don't you open the telegraft,

mum?" "Well, I suppose I must; but oh, I can't tell how I dread it."

Reads telegram—"Will bring friend home to dinner.—James. "Oh! the heartless wretch."--London Press.

### A Brute.

Mrs. Peck-What do you sit there reading for, when I am trying to think of a word? Should I say "disillusioned," or "disillusionized"?

Mr. N. Peck-I dunno. Just say "married," and let it go at that.—San Francisco City Argus.

#### What She Never Did, He-Miss Kitty, I've heard it said

that a kiss without a mustache is like an egg without salt. Is that so?
She-Well, really, I don't know-l can't tell-for in my life I never-

He-Now, now, Miss Kitty! She-Never ate an egg without salt. Woonsocket Reporter.

### LIKE AN OCTOPUS.

And Just as Bad-You Can Find Them in Norwalk as Well as Florida.

Ever see an octopus? All arms, you

know. Has eight of them-and all bad. Do you know how it catches its vic-tims?

Throws out an arm, then another, and another.

And you're in the toils.

Then it drags you down to death.

Just like Kidney disease.

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Seizes you with backache first. Then acute pains.

Then acute pains.
Then urinary disorders.
Then sediment or gravel.
Then Diabetes, or Bright's Disease.

Then Diabetes, or Bright's Disease. Then, the cemetery.

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Well the disease isn't pleasant either.

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Norwalk people know it too, now.

You read about it every day-and it's

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we are satisfied.

Doan's Kidney Pills for sale by all dealers, price 50 cents. Mailed by Foster-Milburn Co, Buffalo, N. Y. Sole agents for the U. S.

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### FLOOD FOLLOWS FLOOD

The Caspon on Bear Creek la Again Waterswept.

OVER THIRTY LIVES LOST.

Storm's Desolation In Colorado Mountain Villages-A Second Flood Impedes the Work of Rescue-Camping

Parties Swept to Death.

Morrison, Colo., July 27.—A second flood has completely paralyzed all efforts to recover the bodies of those lost in the debris of the first caused by a cloudburst. The people are worn out with the excite-

ment and the labor of struggling amid the rubbish brought down the canyon by the great wall of water which surprised the camping families along the road above the

Twenty-six bodies have been recovered and identified. The others are either buried from sight in the sand or have been carried farther down the stream and possibly into the Platte river. Reports from up the canyon bring the news that none of the people camping there was lost.

The list of identified dead follows: Mrs. Moses Miller and three children of Morrison, child of J. C. Longnecker of Morrison, Thomas McGough, 21 years old, of Dayton, cousin of Mrs. Casey, also drowned; Mrs. A. S. Proctor, 32 years old, wife of A. S. Proctor, president of the Denver Tent and Awning company; Robert James Tent and Awning company; Robert James Proctor, 5 years; Grace Proctor, 7 years old; Edith Proctor, 2 years old; Mrs. E. S. Casey, 38 years old; of Denver; James Dasey, 12 years old; Mamie Casey, 7 years old; Annie Casey, 5 years old; Clara Casey, 8 years old; Mrs. Anthony Herres, 31 years old; Mrs. Anthony Herres, 7 years old; Mrs. Anthony Herres, 8 years old; Mrs. Anthony Herres, 9 years old; Mrs. Anthony Herr rears old; Mabel Herres, 2 years old; Jo-jephine Herres, 6 years old; Carrol Herres, 4 years old; Annie Hansen, 20 years old, pervant of Mrs. Proctor; Miss Della Horner, Miss Marry Horner, Miss Josephine Holme and Mrs. Horace M. Warren, all of

Fate of a Party of Women.

Mr. and Mrs. Horace M. Warren, Jr., who are well known in Brooklyn, where their relatives and friends live, came up from Denver to spend Saturday and Sunday at the Horner ranch, up Mount Ver-non canyon. They were met at the station of the Lakewood railroad at Golden by the Misses Horner and Miss Josephine Holme, and they started for the ranch. The flood overtook them, and the four women were drowned, their bodies being buried under brush and sand about 200 feet from the place where the water struck the carriage.

Mr. Warren was swept away and lodged in the branches of a tree, where he was afterward found, terribly bruised, but alive. The bodies of the four women were recovered and sent to Denver with the injured survivor. Miss Holme is the daughter of the manager of the Denver Water company, and the Misses Horner are daughters of Judge J. W. Horner.

Seventeen persons in cabins and tents in Bear creek canyon, several miles above town, constituted one party. One of the Proctor children was rescued by the heroic efforts of two young men, who braved the flood when at its highest to save the child. She says the water came while they were all in the house, and they were swept

The Herres family is now extinct, the father having died several months ago. The Casey family was also in this party. Mrs. Miller lived here, her husband being engaged in mining. He was not at home at the time.

### Golden's Tale of Disaster.

GOLDEN, Colo., July 27.—A cloudburst did an immense amount of damage. Three lives are known to be lost and thousands of dollars' worth of property destroyed. The dead are Mrs. J. F. Edwards and Mr. and Mrs. A. A. Johnson. James Bishop, 80 years old, was carried half a mile down stream and finally caught a tree, from which he was rescued some hours later. His terrible experience had unsettled his

### HIGHBINDERS' VENDETTA.

Lee Yip Duck Offers \$1,000 For the Life of Joe Car or Lee Mee Toy.

SAN FRANCISCO, July 27 .- The bitterness of the vendetta of local Chinese mer-chants was shown in the arrival and warlike preparations of 13 of the most notorious hatchet men in the state. The appearance of these highbinders and the an-nouncement that the price held upon the heads of Joe Car and Lee Mee Toy had been increased to \$1,000 created the greatest excitement in the district. News spread rapidly, and the agents of both sides were on the streets, at the police stations and at the Chinese consulate.

It is said that the highbinders have been brought to this city by Lee Yip Duck, the Chinese gambler. Four Chinese have reported to the authorities that they overheard a conversation in which Lee Yip Duck agreed to pay \$1,000 for the life of either Joe Car or Lee Mee Toy. These men insist that a series of murders is being planned.

Most of the Chinese hatchet men who arrived in the city are from Fresno. They belong to the Bow-on-Tong, the most no-torious society in the state. Among its members are the most desperate Chinese criminals in California.

Dr. Kohn Takes Poison In Jail.

BRIDGEPORT, Conn., July 27 .- Dr. Isadore A. Kohn was to have a hearing in the city court yesterday on a charge of criminal assault preferred by Annie Boschivtz. He has been in confinement in the county jail for the last week. When Jailer Watt went to his cell, Kohn was unconscious. Investigation showed that he had taken poison. The jail physicians worked to save his life, but what the result will be is still in doubt. How he secured the poison is a mystery. Kohn resisted the afforts to administer antidotes, and some of his teeth were broken when the medition was forced down him. cine was forced down him

Twelve Thousand Reported Killed.

London, July 27.—A dispatch to The Chronicle from Constantinople says that dvices have been received from Van, Asia Minor, stating that 40 villages in the vicinity of Van have been destroyed, and that every male over 8 years of age has been killed. Estimating an average of 80 houses in each village and four males to each house, it is assumed that the total number that was killed is 12,800.

A Book Agent Killed. POUGHKEEPSIE, N. Y., July 27.—A. F. Kinney, a book agent from New York city, was killed by an express train on the West Shore railroad while walking along

the tracks. He was 24 years of age. Advertise in the GAZETTE.

NEW POSTAL PLAN.

Assistant Postmaster General Neilson Gives

WASHINGTON, July 27.—The recently adepted scheme of the postoffice department for establishing stations in eastern railroad depots where mails can be deliver-ed direct to the addressees by a special arrangement has been put into operation in New York, Philadelphia, Baltimore and

The plan, which will greatly facilitate mail deliveries to the big commercial estab-lishments in the east and doubtless be extended throughout the country, began yes-terday afternoon with departure of the train from Washington for New York, and the train leaving New York at

4 o'clock p. m. for Washington.

The following transfer clerks at the several depots will be on duty for 30 minutes after the departure of the trains: Washafter the departure of the trains: washington—C. T. Stewart, at Pennsylvania depot; T. A. Hopkins, at Baltimore and Ohio depot. Baltimore—H. W. Nicholson, at Baltimore and Ohio depot; Joseph Hynes, at Pennsylvania depot. Philadelphia—John K. McKnight, at Pennsylvania depot; W. E. Hughes, at Reading depot. Jersey City—A. V. Lunger, Pennsylvania depot; William Gilroy, at Jersey Central

Second Assistant Postmaster General

Neilson has made the following statement outlining the system: "People wishing to use this special service must bear in mind that mail pouches between Washington and Jersey City will be opened in the Jersey City depot, and mail should be plainly addressed, so that transfer clerks may understand for whom it is intended when it is applied for. If this mail is not called for within 30 minthis main is not called the will be for-warded in the usual way to the addressee if his whereabouts are known, failing which, it will go to the Jersey City office. The department will gladly furnish information to any one wanting to use the service and will make modifications and changes necessary for public wants. Mails intended for New York city, but sent in care of messengers at Jersey City will be forwarded to New York if uncalled for in

#### THE SUGAR BOUNTIES.

They Will Be Paid on the Basis of 64

Cents on the Dollar. NEW YORK, July 27.—The secretary of the treasury has finally passed upon the last of the cases under the sugar bounty refund act involving the construction of that act, and there is now no obstacle to the settlement of the remainder of these claims on the basis of 64 cents on the dol-lar, which is as much as the \$5,000,000 appropriation will pro rate among the claimants. The cases decided were the claims for bounty of John C. Scannel, Frank Webb and Walter Southron, all of Louisiana. They affirmed the decision of the commissioner of internal revenue rejecting claims of this class, on the ground that the licensees were not the producers of the sugar as required by law. This fact appeared through a controversy into which the parties had fallen.

A second point involved in the cases was the authority of the secretary of the treasury to reverse the decisions of the com-missioner rendered in the execution of the bounty refund act, but the secretary found it unnecessary to decide this point, inasmuch as he agreed with the commissioner as to the propriety of rejecting these

JOSE MACEO'S DEATH.

He Died In Battle, Not by an Assassin's Hand

NEW YORK, July 27 .- General Calixto Garcia, commander of the patriot foores in eastern Cuba, writes to the Cuban delegate in this city that General Jose Maceo of the First Army corps was killed on July 5 in the encounter at La Lama del Gato. This engagement was a bloody one. The patriots occupied a very strong position on the Gato hill and were attacked by the Spaniards under Colonels Alberti and Luis Varo del Rey. After an engagement of more than eight hours the Spaniards were compelled to retreat. They had 150 wounded to attend to, besides a considerable number of dead. The patriots lost General Jose Maceo, Colonel Cartagena, Dr. Pedro Echavarria and seven others and had 41 wounded.

"Jose Maceo," General Garcia writes, met with a glorious death. Regrettable as this is, our enthusiasm will not for a moment abate, nor will the power of the revolution diminish. Our friend will be remembered by his comrades with grief, by his soldiers with love and respect, and our country, once freed, will attach due bonor to his name."

Veteran Chaplain Dead.

PITTSBURG, July 27.—Colonel John A. Danks, chaplain in chief of the Union Veterans' league, died at his home in Glenfield at 11 o'clock this morning of heart disease. Colonel Danks entered the army in 1861 as chaplain of the Sixty-third Pennsylvania under Colonel Hayes, was promoted to be lieutenant colonel and then colonel. During the war he held religous services not only in his own regi-ment but others, and was noted as the fighting chaplain. He has been chaplain in chief of the Union Veteran league for the past nine years. He was wounded at Gettysburg and taken prisoner. He is well known throughout the country from his prominence in many campfires.

Accidentally Shot His Mother. BROOKLYN, July 27.—While assisting family to move yesterday James Daley, 17 years old, of 178 Franklin avenue, round an old revolver. He took the weapon home with him, and thinking it was not loaded he started to clean it. The re-volver was discharged while in Daley's hands. The bullet struck his mother, who was sitting in the room. It passed through her breast and came out at her back. She was removed to the Homeopathic hospital. She is bleeding internally and will die. Young Daley was arrested for criminal carelessness, but his dying mother exonerated her son from all blame.

The Fuller Assassins Sent to Boston, WASHINGTON, July 27.—The department of state has received a dispatch from the consul at Halifax, in which he states that the men arrested for the murder of three persons on board the American barkentine Herbert Fuller, together with witnesses have left for Boston. The department of justice has directed the district attorney at Boston to take charge of the matter.

Dashed to Pieces on Rocks.

HALIFAX, July 27.—The dominion government steamer Newfield, which has arrived from Sable island, reports that the bark Raphael, from Genoa to Bathhurst, N. B., was dashed upon the rocks during a heavy fog on Thursday night and wrecked. The crew were resoued with much difficulty by the life swing resource. difficulty by the life saving crew.

Advertise in the GAZETTE.

THE SILVER PARTY.

The National Committee Issues an Ad-

St. Louis, July 27.—The national committee of the Silver party has issued an address to the American people. It is signed by the committee and reads as fol-

Inacmuch as it has been charged upon the National Silver party assembled in St. Louis that we are a convention of repu-diators, revolutionists and anarchists, we submit the following to the candid judg-

ment of the people:

In our delegations are 4 veterans of the Mexican war, 49 ex-Confederates and 196 Union army veterans of the late war. Of the 781 delegates attending, 9 are Prohibitionists, 49 are Populists, 146 are Democrats and 52 part Republicans. Under this composition of the convention we appeal to all true patriots, without regard appeal to all true patriots, without regard to previous party affiliation, to vote for the Hon. William J. Bryan for president and the Hon. Arthur Sewall for vice president of the United States. A result of this elec-tion will be the restoration of free cointion will be the restoration of free coin-age for silver on equal terms with gold, providing thereby a growing volume of money, which will tend to disseminate rather than to aggregate wealth, which will relieve the present profound depres-sion and replace it with an easy prosperity. We urge you to unite upon this ticket as your sole hope of escape from the rigors of a grinding gold monopoly. Ours is a poor man's campaign. We therefore call for contributions toward legitimate expenses, the same to be sent to William St. John, treasurer, at 121 East Thirty-fourth street, New York. Contributions of \$1 or more will be regularly acknowledged.

St. John For Treasurer.

St. Louis, July 27.—Chairman Jones of the Democratic national committee has appointed William P. St. John of New York, who presided over the Silver con-vention, treasurer of the Democratic na-tional committee. The letter of appoint-

ment reads as follows:
"My DEAR SIR-I have taken the liberty of appointing you treasurer of the Democratic national committee and hope that you will without delay enter upon the

duties of the position.
"JAMES K. JONES."
Mr. St. John announced that he would accept the position.

#### BRAVERY'S REWARD.

General Batchelder Will Be Placed Upon the Honored List.

Washington, July 27.—Brigadier General Richard N. Batchelder, quartermaster general of the army, will go on the retired list Monday on account of age. He was appointed to the army from New Hamp-shire and has an honorable and meritorious record, especially for services during the late war, being braveted no less than seven times. He rose regularly and grad-ually through the different grades until June 26, 1990, when he was appointed by President Harrison quartermaster general of the army.

There is considerable speculation as to his successor, but it is generally agreed that the selection, which is by law confined to the quartermaster's department, will go to one of the four colonels, who in order of seniority are Colonel Charles G. Sawtelle stationed at Governor's Island, New York; Colonel Marshall I. Ludington, stationed at Chicago; Colonel James M. Moore, stationed in New York city, and Colonel George H. Weeks, on duty in this city as depot quartermaster.

Meeting of United Irish Societies.

CHICAGO, July 27.—A mass meeting of the United Irish societies was held in Central Music hall in behalf of the Irishmen who are held in English prisons for political offenses. The principal speakers were United States Senator Shelby M. Cullom and Governor Altgeld, both of whom declared that the time was not far off when England would be compelled to free the men she had imprisoned for political rea-Resolutions in accordance with the spirit of the meeting were adpoted. The name of Embassador Bayard was hissed every time it was mentioned, several of lesser speakers denouncing him as ar

Spain Buying Boats In Canada TORONTO, July 27.—Captain Nina,

relative of Admiral Jose Maria Beranger, Spanish minister of marine, is here. He has come to this country on a commission from the Spanish government to inspect the fast boats on the river St. Lawrence, with a view of purchasing for service in Cuban waters. He was very much taken with the steamer Pass ort, which is one of the fastest boats on the lakes, and he has concluded to purchase it.

To Elect Bishop Coxe's Successor.

BUFFALO, July 27.—It has been decided by the standing committee of the diocese of western New York to call a convention at Trinity church, Buffalo, Tuesday, Oct. 5, for the purpose of electing a successor to Bishop Coxe. The call will be sent out within 14 days, according to the canonical law of the church governing the election of bishops. Until the election of another bishop the affairs of the diocese will be in charge of the standing committee.

HOLLISTON, Mass., July 27 .- The harness factory of Hughes & Co. here has been attached by the New York Counter company of New York for \$45,000, and a shut down of the factory, throwing 100 hands out of work, has resulted. The firm states that unless some arrangement is reached it will go into voluntary insolv-ency. They are rated as doing a \$200,000 business last year.

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12 Linon Suits, \$1.98.

10 Duck Suits, \$1.98.

### Children's Dresses.

1 lot of Children's Gingham Dresses, 25c. 1 lot of Children's Chambray Dresses, 50c. 1 lot of Children's White Dresses, 25c. 1 lt of Children's White Dresses, 49c.

### Shirt Waists.

We have as great a variety now as we had at the first of the season. But to make trade lively we 10 dozen of our 39c Waists for 15c each. We have only 32 and 34 sizes, and shall sell only one to a cus-

\$1 25, \$1.49 and \$1.98 Shirt Waists, we shall all at 98c each. This is the best bargain of the season.

#### Ladies' Muslin Underwear,

WE HAVE THE LARGEST LINE OUTSIDE OF NEW YORK.

#### Wash Goods.

We have sold more Wash Goods this season than we did any two seasons combined. Why? Because our line was and is the largest in Connecticut.

10 pieces Fine Organdies, printed for the August trade, all new patterns, just out, N. Y. price, 15c; B. S. price,  $12\frac{1}{2}c$ . 5 pieces Tulle Organdies, N. Y. price, 15c; B. S.

price, 12c. 15 pieces Imported Scotch Ginghams, N. Y. price, 25c; B. S. price, 15c.
3 pieces 36 in Linen Crash, N. Y. price, 37c; B. S.

price, 25c. 2 pieces 27 in Linen Crash, N. Y. price, 25c; B. S.

price, 19c. White and Colored Duck, 10 and 121c per yard. 40 in Lawn, solid colors, pink, blue, white, yellow

and black, N. Y. price, 19c; B. S. price, 15c.
15 pieces Scotch Lawns, N. Y. price, 6½; B S. price,

### Domestic Goods.

10 pieces Light Shades Outing Flannel, N. Y. price, 1 case of the best Brown Muslin made, N. Y. price,

7c; B. S. price,  $5\frac{1}{2}$ c. 1 case White Domet Flannel, N. Y. price,  $6\frac{1}{2}$ c; B. S. price, 5c.

Men's Furnishings.

10 dozen Colored Laundered Shirts, N. Y. price, 69c; B. S. price, 50c. 5 dozen Boys' Outing Shirts, N. Y. price, 39c; B. S.

Men's Night Shirts, N. Y. price, 65c; B. S. price, 50c, Men's Balbriggan Underwear, N. Y. price, 69c; B. S.

rice, 48c. Ladies' Neckwear, 7 styles, 25c,

25 dozen Men's Suspenders, N. Y. price, 50c; B. S.

Satchels for your trip, 75c, 98c, \$1,48, \$1,75, \$1 98, \$2.25 to \$7.50.

### Summer Dress Goods.

10 pieces Bicycle Suiving, N. Y. price, 17c; B. S.

Thin Wool Challies, N Y. price, 15c; B. S. price, 10c. 10 pieces Light Shades of our 50c Dress Good for 25c. Just look at them, they are "snaps."

10 pieces All Wool Filling Suitings, N. Y. price, 15c; B. S. price, 10c.

### Kitchen Department.

2 burner Gasolene Stoves, N. Y. price, \$6.98; B. S. rice, \$5.49. For this week we shall take off 10 per cent on all Jasolene Stoves.

Japanese Porch Screens, 50c, 75c, 98c and \$1.75. Japanese Porch Seats, N. Y. price, 8c; B. S. price, 6c. Door and Window Screens, all sizes, all prices, 1 Car Load of Mason Jars.

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