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John Losey, of Plymouth, has gone into bankruptcy.

The Indiana Legislature met at Indianapolis Thursday morning. R. B. Oglesbee, of Plymouth, will be Secretary of the senate.

Culver Military Academy opened Wednesday, with renewed vigor after a three week's vacation. We understand that ten new Cadets enrolled their names.

After about 150 loads of ice had been cut and stored by the Lake Makenkuckee Ice Company, all the hands were laid off owing to the thaw and rain.

The matrimonial champion of the country is one James Clark who has just been released from the Maryland penitentiary where he served a term, not for bigamy but for larceny. He stole a trunk from his 25th wife, and she caused his arrest and imprisonment.

West township dedicated a new school building Saturday, in what is known as the Ferdick district near Pretty Lake. There was a large crowd present and was served with a bountiful dinner. The new building is patterned after the Hibbard school house.

We are pleased to note the great amount of new gravel roads that is being built this fall and winter. That is right gentlemen. Every rod of gravel road you build, not only aids you in handling your farm produce but increases the price of your land, and, by the way while you are at it, do not forget to put a few shovels full of gravel on the old gravel roads where they begin to cut through.

Starke county is having a bushel of trouble. Treasurer Lightcap has failed and it is said that he is short \$24,000, which his bondsmen will have to walk to the front and pay. The court house racket is still on, and farmers are having weekly meetings protesting against the enormous cost of the law edifice, and a legal investigation is to be made.

Dan Wolf, teacher in one of the German township district schools, received a handsome enlarged picture of himself as a Christmas present from one of his pupils, who did the artistic job of crayon work with a piece of charcoal. Mr. Wolf will have the chromo enlarged and present it to his best girl.—Plymouth Democrat.

A serious freight wreck occurred on the Pennsylvania railroad near Plymouth Thursday. Ten cars of an east bound train were ditched by a broken axle. They were loaded with sugar and other merchandise. Traffic was delayed for hours. The passenger trains were run on the Vandalia to the Nickel Plate and to the line at Hamlet.

The railways are expected to yield over two and a half millions of dollars towards defraying war expenses. This vast amount will be collected as taxes in the form of stamps required on bill of lading, etc. Aside from the actual war tax, a large expenditure will be necessary for extra war printing, supplies and clerical work entailed with the war tax law. Notwithstanding this enormous outlay in addition to current expenses, there has been no material increase in railway earnings, and the average per mile fare received from each passenger during the year

ASAD DEATH.

Jesse A. Medbourn's Death a Great Shock to the Community.

The news that flashed over the wires Saturday evening, announcing the death of Jesse A. Medbourn, who departed this life at Louisville, Ky., Saturday Dec. 31st, 1898, was a great shock to the community, and especially heart-rending to his parents, sister and brother, who did not even know that he was ill. The parents had heard from Jesse regularly about twice a month, but had not received a letter from him previous to his death in about three weeks. They expected him home on Christmas, and when upon Saturday evening, a message arrived addressed to his sister Myrtle, and as the message was placed into her hands, that young lady went wild with joy, supposing it was a message from her brother announcing that he would arrive upon the evening train and spend New Year's at home. But after the first ray of exceeding joy had subsided she read, the awful words, "Jesse is dead," when with a wild agonizing shriek, she sank to the floor in a faint. Instantly her parents and brother learned the awful truth, and they also were so shocked that for hours, they could not be comforted.

The fatal message only conveyed the fact that Jesse had died in the city of Louisville, being afflicted with la grippe, and that his body would arrive in Culver upon the early Monday morning train. Jesse A. Medbourn was 22 years, 8 months and 22 days old, and he was universally known in this city and vicinity, as a light hearted, jovial young man, the friend to everybody and everybody his friend. He had been in the employ of the Union News Company about six years, his run being between Terre Haute and Culver, upon the Vandalia R. R., and the past two years, his run was between Louisville, Kentucky, and St. Louis, Mo. He was one of the trusted men in the company's employ, and is spoken of in the highest terms by all of his associates upon the road, who will sadly miss his genial presence, and words of good cheer.

Funeral services were held at the M. E. church, Monday afternoon, at two o'clock, Rev. Fraley officiating, assisted by Rev. Barber. The church was crowded to its utmost capacity with sympathizing citizens of this city and vicinity. The remains were laid at rest in the Culver cemetery.

Since the funeral the following letter has been received from Mr. J. C. Murray, a friend of Jesse's at Louisville.

LOUISVILLE, Ky., Jan. 3d, 1899. Miss Myrtle Medbourn;

I will try and give you a little information as to the cause of Jesse's death. He came in off of his run a week ago tonight, and complained of being sick. I took him down to my house and sent for the doctor, and he said he had a bad case of la grippe. He stayed in bed two days and nights and seemed to be out of his head all the time. I went out on his run last Friday morning, and when I got back Saturday, at 5 o'clock, he had just died. Jesse got up Friday morning and slipped away from my house and went to the office, he was there when I got there and I sent him to his room in a cab, and the old lady he roomed with had to send him to the hospital before I had got back.

but Jesse has often spoken of you to me. We have been the same as brothers ever since I knew him, and that is about four years now. We ran side by side for three years. There is not a better boy known among the railroad men than Jesse was, and they all regret his death very much. I hope he got there all right, for I did all I could to get him away. You may let me know as soon as possible what to do about his things which are at his room, and I will do whatever I can for you. Well I will close for this time, wishing all your folks well in the future.

Yours truly,

J. C. MURRAY.

Musical Concert.

Last Monday evening Prof. Moore gave his vocal musical concert at the M. E. Church, those taking part being citizens of Culver. A fair sized audience was present, which greatly appreciated the splendid accomplishments of the class. As we have stated before without fear of contradiction, Culver has more "sweet singers" to the square foot, than any other town or city in the State, and could turn out a male or female quartette that would open the eyes of the public in general were they to travel upon their merits. Prof. Moore is a vocal music teacher of great ability, and has been giving a large class instructions during the past three or four months. Every song sung Monday evening clearly demonstrated that practice makes perfect, the excellent harmony of 25 to 30 voices filling the souls of those in attendance with rapture, and the song, "The Anvil Chorus," the words being accompanied by striking gongs and steel, were so harmonious and pleasing to the ear, that it was enthusiastically encored and had to be repeated. Miss Nellie Garn rendered, in an exceptionally cultivated and exceedingly sweet voice, a solo, which was highly appreciated, and Miss Gertrude Wiseman, who could easily rank in the near future as one of the great prima-donnas, favored the audience with a beautiful solo. The male quartettes also received due credit, especially the one entitled "Poor Old Joe" in which our "only" Stephen Chadwick, took the part of Joe. In fact the whole program was carried out without a flaw. We understand that Prof. Moore contemplates repeating the program for the benefit of the new M. E. church fund, and should he do so, the old church should be literally packed with citizens from far and near, as a new M. E. church is very much needed.

W. S. Eastorday, Culver's noted furniture dealer and undertaker, has just completed a course in the Massachusetts College of Embalming, attending the same both at Logansport and Indianapolis, and has hanging in his office a handsome graduating diploma. Thus it can be readily realized that he is now prepared to accomplish any work in his line that requires a skillful embalmer, in a manner that will meet with the approval of all concerned. Having had years of experience as a funeral director, he stands today pre-eminent at the head of his profession and guarantees satisfaction in every instance. The above college is an incorporated institution, and has as instructors, men of great ability, and who have given the matter of embalming a life-long study, hence, its graduates are classed the best, or as good as any in the land.

1898 A GREAT YEAR.

MAKES A BIG SHOWING IN TRADE.

R. G. Dun & Co.'s Review Points to the Wonderful Increase in Exports of All Kinds—Writing Paper Makers Agree to Enter a Trust.

A Record in Trade.

R. G. Dun & Co.'s weekly review of trade says: "The year 1898 has not only been one of victory, of important increase in territory and of incalculable expansion of the influence of the United States among other nations, but has surpassed all other years in financial and industrial results. The center of financial power has crossed the ocean. After paying debts of several hundred millions abroad and conducting a war to an honorable end the country is lending so many millions in Europe that, for the first time, banks abroad look to New York to dictate the rate of exchange. Exports have been about \$1,250,000,000 and the excess over imports about \$617,000,000, against \$357,000,000 in 1897, and in only two previous years has the balance risen to \$300,000,000. Power in the world's markets comes with a demand for breadstuffs and other necessities never before equalled. Exports of cotton have been over 7,700,000 bales, and in no previous year as much as 7,000,000 bales. Exports of breadstuffs have been in value \$283,918,294 in eleven months, and have never been as large in any other year. Exports of wheat for the year, lacking a day or two, have been 218,594,086 bushels, flour included, slightly exceeded only by 225,665,812 in 1892, and of corn 200,979,077 bushels, only approached by 189,127,570 in 1897. The heaviest exports of both grains and flour in any previous year were 59,000,000 bushels smaller, only 360,220,513 in 1897. Though wheat was raised to \$1.91 in May, the highest quotation, the December average has been only 72 cents, 25 cents below that of last year, but the year's average, 93 cents, is the highest since 1881."

MILLS IN NEW COMBINE.

Writing Paper Makers Agree to Enter the Proposed Trust.

A \$40,000,000 writing paper trust is being formed by Dean & Shibley, Providence, R. I., bankers and promoters, in conjunction with a syndicate of Boston, New York and Western capitalists, in which Lee, Higginson & Co., and Patrick McCormick & Co. are included. Dean & Shibley organized the envelope trust last summer, but only two other industries, the iron and steel and the cotton, are stronger than the paper trust will be. The writing paper combine is the most important of the four branches into which the paper is divided. Now competition is ruinous and costly machinery must be operated on various grades of paper at a considerable loss of time and labor. Under the combine each mill will manufacture a different class of goods, superfluous officers will be discharged and a saving of fully 25 per cent effected in the forty-seven plants, thirty-five of which are in New England, chiefly in the Connecticut valley. The other twelve are in Pennsylvania, Ohio, Wisconsin and Michigan, in the neighborhood of Lake Superior.

ENGINEER IS A HERO.

Though Severely Scalded, He Prevents an Explosion at Columbus, Ohio.

Lee Chalfant, substitute engineer at Wolff Bros.' shoe factory at Columbus, O., though badly scalded, leaped through blinding clouds of steam, raked the fires from under the boilers and prevented an explosion that jeopardized the lives of 500 employees in the building. Chalfant noticed there was too much water in the boiler, and so opened a valve to let some of it out. Then he went around in front to watch the gauge while the water ran into the well. He soon saw that the water was going out too fast, and in trying to shut it off he was badly scalded, but in spite of the pain he seized a shovel, sprang to the furnace doors and raked out the fires. The boiler cooled and the danger point was passed. Then Chalfant gave the alarm.

Two Tramps Murder a Farmer.

John Wellner of Lafayette, Minn., was shot in the head and hip by two tramps whom he had given shelter. The tramps bound Mrs. Wellner to a lounge with a rope, which she chewed in two after four hours. She found her husband dead in the yard.

Cuba in Our Hands.

Sovereignty in Cuba has been formally transferred from Spain to the United States. The ceremony took place at Havana, when the Stars and Stripes were unfurled above the houses of government amid booming of many guns.

Toledo Exposition Elects Officers.

At a meeting of the directors of the Ohio Centennial Company at Toledo, C. M. Spitzer, banker, was elected president of the exposition and Lem P. Harris secretary. The company has a capital stock of \$500,000, paid up.

Tragedy at Paulding, Ohio.

Charles A. Brewer, ex-postmaster of Paulding, Ohio, shot and killed his wife, after which he placed the revolver in his own hand and blew his brains out. Domestic incompatibility was the cause of the shooting.

British Steamer Wrecked.

The British steamer Glenavon, Capt. Pitche, which sailed for London from Hong Kong, has been wrecked on a rock. Part of her crew has been saved.

GOLD IN COLORADO DESERT.

Rumor of a Rich Find Made by Three Men Near Black Lake.

Prof. G. O. Pearce, the discoverer of large sulphur deposits in San Diego County, Cal., tells of three prospectors who, if the story is true, have made a wonderful strike out on the Colorado desert. "I was at Phoenix the other day with some friends," said Prof. Pearce, "when I met three prospectors who told me they were going over near Black lake this winter. I learned that they had been going over there for the last three seasons, and that last year they took out \$4,800 apiece with a dry washer, so they said. The year before that they did even better. They finally exhausted their claim and now are prospecting for another."

JEALOUSY CAUSES A TRAGEDY.

Duluth Woman Kills the Man She Loves and Attempts Suicide.

A woman's jealousy was the cause of a frightful crime at Duluth, Minn. Mrs. H. L. Borglund shot and killed Peter Hanson, a tailor, and then cut her own throat, inflicting a serious, but not fatal, wound. Mrs. Borglund is a widow, 40 years old. She kept a number of boarders, among them Hanson, who is her cousin. He is 30 years old, but although ten years his senior, the widow was wildly in love with him. Hanson paid her considerable attention for a time, but lately had been quite devoted to a younger woman.

FIVE INJURED IN A WRECK.

Accident to the East-Bound California Limited on the Santa Fe Railroad.

The east-bound California limited train No. 4 on the Atchison, Topeka and Santa Fe Railroad was wrecked eleven miles east of Trinidad, Colo. The accident happened on a curve and it is supposed to have been caused by the spreading of rails. The observation car, two drawing room sleepers and a composite car left the track. The wreck immediately caught fire from an explosion of the gas in the composite car and the entire four cars were burned up. No one was killed, but five were seriously injured.

Fire Loss of \$500,000.

Between 1 and 2 o'clock on a recent morning the night watchman at the Semet-Solvay Company's by-product plant at Ensley City, six miles from Birmingham, Ala., discovered fire raging in the oil house. One hundred and twenty-five coke ovens escaped destruction, but the principal buildings of the plant were destroyed, causing a loss estimated at no less than \$150,000 and \$200,000, with no insurance. Otto Aust, one of the workmen who had gone up on a high trestle between the coke ovens and the main plant to connect a water hose, lost his life. The trestle burned down behind him, and he fell off into the flames. Clarence Rust, another employee, was badly burned. The plant cost \$500,000 and began operations last summer. Its owners reside in Syracuse, N. Y. The cause of the fire is not known.

Allotment to Washington Indians.

The Government has encountered a difficulty in allotting lands in severity on the Colville Indian reservation in Washington State, peopled by 900 Indians. Indian Agent Anderson and Allotting Agent Harry Humphrey have been trying for some time to allot the lands, but have met with resistance, the Indians being opposed to surveys and allotments unless the Government pays them for the land as the Nez Perces and Coeur d'Alenes were paid for theirs. There are about 1,500,000 acres on the reservation, and the contention of the Government is that the Indians have no title to it. The Government proposes to allot eighty acres to each Indian in severity and give them nothing more. The Colville reservation contains a number of thriving mining towns, among them Republic, where is located the famous Republic mine.

Several Persons Injured by Fire.

At Alliance, Ohio, fire broke out, causing a loss of over \$100,000. The blaze originated in Parthe's shoe store. The Atwell Block, occupied by the Cassidy Drug and Chemical Company, caught fire, and the exploding drugs and chemicals threw burning fluids in all directions. During the fire several persons were injured.

Kansans Blow Up a Saloon.

Citizens of Woodbine, Kan., blew up with dynamite a building in which a "joint" had been started a week before. Everything in the building was destroyed, timbers being thrown for rods and adjoining stores were somewhat injured. No one was hurt. The proprietors had been ordered to leave, but refused to do so.

Women Are Held for Murder.

The bodies of two children were found under an old stump near Portsmouth, O. The coroner has found a verdict charging Miss Rachel Glenn, aged 20, with the willful murder of her twin children, and that her mother and sister Sarah aided and abetted in the crime. The murdered children were about six months old.

Missouri Cattle King Fails.

Walter M. Clark, the Sullivan County (Mo.) cattle king, has failed for nearly \$200,000. It is said the assets will not cover the liabilities by several thousand dollars. Recent desperate cattle plunges and poor sales caused the failure.

Nebraska Against Morrison.

The standing committee of the Episcopal diocese of Nebraska has formally refused its consent to the canonical consecration of Dr. Theodore N. Morrison of Chicago as bishop of Iowa.

Murder Done by Mail.

Mrs. Kate J. Adams of New York was fatally poisoned by taking something, supposed to be bromo seltzer, which had been sent by mail to Harry Cornish, the athlete, as a present.

Minneapolis Elevator Burns.

At Minneapolis, Minn., a loss of \$100,000 was caused by the burning of elevator "I," together with its contents of 60,000 bushels of wheat. The loss is covered by insurance.

SERVICE IN HAVANA.

METEOROLOGICAL STATION AT THAT PLACE.

West India Storm-Warning Service to Be Moved from Kingston to the Cuban Capital—Crazed by News of Great Good Fortune.

Will Predict Cuban Storms.

Secretary Wilson has directed Chief Moore of the weather bureau to move the headquarters of the present West Indian storm-warning service from Kingston to Havana, to establish complete meteorological stations at Cienfuegos and Port au Principe, and, as rapidly as possible, to extend the climate and crop service of the weather bureau over the island. Within a period of probably less than two months our people will be fully informed as to the condition of everything meteorological and agricultural in the various portions of the island, and as to the progress of the rehabilitation of the industries, which, during the recent strife, were either suspended or completely annihilated.

PASS KANSAS RAILROAD BILL.

Measure Before the State Legislature Is Adopted—Its Terms.

The purpose for which the Kansas Legislature was convened in special session by Gov. Leedy has been accomplished by the passage of the bill for the regulation of railroads. The vote in the House was 70 in favor and 39 against the bill, the Populists favoring and the Republicans opposing the measure. By the terms of the bill the Board of Railroad Commissioners is converted into a court of visitation, with full power to hear and determine all controversies concerning rates and to enforce its orders in the same manner as courts of law and equity. The decrees of the railroad court are made reviewable by the Supreme Court. The judge and solicitor are each to receive a salary of \$2,500 a year and are prohibited from accepting railroad passes. The new law is to take effect March 15. In addition to its other duties the new court is empowered to settle controversies growing out of strikes on railroads in Kansas.

LEGACY DRIVES A MAN CRAZY.

Receipt of a Fortune Makes Owen Murphy, of New York, Insane.

Crazed by news of a legacy, babbling of untold wealth, a young man lies in a fool's paradise in Bellevue hospital, New York. Owen Murphy knew he had an uncle—"somewhere in the British army," he used to say—from whom he had not heard in years. "Some day your uncle will turn out to be a nabob and leave you all his wealth," his friends would remark. But Murphy replied: "Those things happen in story books. I'll never quit work to wait for it to be luck of mine." Recently the jesting prophecy came true. A letter came to Murphy's home, telling him of a legacy of \$25,000 from his long-lost uncle. The prospective possession of so much money unhinged his reason and he was taken, a harmless lunatic, to the Bellevue insanity ward.

Hero Is Given His Liberty.

Because George R. Sastman, a member of the Twelfth infantry, took part in the celebrated charge of San Juan hill he was released by Judge Adams at St. Louis on his own recognizance. The release is equivalent to freedom, as the court officials say the charge of stealing made against the young man will never be brought up again.

Americans Feted in Lima.

United States Minister Dudley at Lima, Peru, gave a dinner to the commanders of the Iowa and Oregon, the Grace company gave a matinee to 500 of the men, and Americans and their friends gave the crews of the warships a breakfast. Crowds visited the ships daily while in the port of Lima.

Minneapolis Elevator in Ruins.

Elevator X on the Hastings and Dakota division of the Chicago, Milwaukee and St. Paul Railway at Eleventh avenue, Minneapolis, burned. The main elevator, its annex and 200,000 bushels of wheat were consumed and the loss will be at least \$200,000. The cause of the fire is a mystery.

Conflict in East Africa.

Advices received from British East Africa say that a force of rebels attacked a detachment of thirty men belonging to the Twenty-seventh Baluchis, commanded by Lieut. Hannington, which was marching to Masindi. A native officer and twelve men were killed and nine men were wounded.

Russians Buy in America.

Robert G. Wells, connected with the Nicolop-Mariopol Mining and Metallurgical Company of Mariopol, Russia, has been in Pittsburgh to place orders for machinery aggregating \$1,000,000 for mammoth mills to be erected at Mariopol on the sea of Azof.

Eleven Injured in a Wreck.

Baltimore and Ohio officials in Baltimore give out the following account of a collision which occurred near Rockwood, Pa.: A west-bound freight engine collided with the east-bound passenger train and a serious wreck resulted. Eleven persons were injured.

Sings Hymns from Gallows.

At Princeton, Mo., Ira Sexton was hanged for the killing of Nathan Stark, a young farmer, Oct. 28, 1897. Sexton manifested great composure while on the scaffold. He sang two hymns and made a speech declaring his innocence.

Receiver Named for Railroad.

The Arkansas Central Railroad has been, upon petition of the president of the company, placed in the hands of William Blair, president of the American National Bank, as receiver.

Murders Wife and Self.

At Farley, Kan., Thomas Greene killed his wife and then shot himself. He will be hanged for the alleged cause.

THREAD COMPANIES COMBINE.

Three Great Establishments Control America's Thread Business.

Three great thread manufacturing companies, which practically control the business of the country, are about to combine. These concerns are George A. Clark & Bro., Newark, N. J.; the Clark Mill-End Spool Cotton Company, with factory in Newark, and the Coates Thread Company, with factory at Pawtucket, R. I. In a circular to the trade these three firms announce that their separate selling offices in New York will be abandoned and their business will be handled by the Spool Cotton Company. The latter company has just been incorporated under the laws of New Jersey.

CUT THROUGH A PARTITION.

Six Prisoners Escape from Michigan House of Correction.

Six prisoners escaped from the State house of correction at Ionia, Mich. They were: Frank Edison, five years, robbery; Frank Fisher, one year, housebreaking; Lewis Ferguson, four years, burglary; William Smith, three years, burglary; James Miller, four years, burglary; John Hubbard, larceny. They were all convalescents confined in the hospital. They cut their way through a partition wall to the knitting shop adjoining and scaled the wall. Owing to the high wind and drifting snow they left no trace.

COPPER PROPERTIES SOLD.

Eastern Capitalists Secure Claims Adjoining Clark Mine.

One of the largest deals in copper properties ever effected in New York has been completed. Fourteen claims adjoining each other and adjacent to the great copper mine of W. A. Clark, passed into the hands of Eastern capitalists. The property is located in the town of Jerome, Navajo, Arizona, and is known as the United Verde extension. Mr. Clark's property, the United Verde, is regarded as one of the greatest copper mines in the world, as it pays its owner about \$200,000 monthly.

Mrs. Nathaniel Brown Dead.

Mrs. Nathaniel Brown, who had been visiting relatives at Youngstown, Ohio, was found dead in bed at the residence of her son, Frank Brown. Death was the result of heart disease. She was 72 years of age and resided with her son-in-law in Chicago.

Duel with Pocket Knives.

Thomas J. Grubbs, aged 40, and Harry Roberts, aged 70, fought a duel to the death with pocket knives at Mooretown, Cal. Grubbs literally hacked his aged victim to death and was himself shockingly wounded about the face and neck.

Explosion Wrecks Iron Furnace.

The North Cornwall Iron Furnace at Cornwall, Pa., operated by the Lackawanna Iron and Steel Company of Scranton, was badly wrecked by an explosion. Several men had narrow escapes. The damage is estimated at \$20,000.

State Seed Laws Are Illegal.

The Minnesota Supreme Court has filed a decision declaring that the acts of the Legislature appropriating State funds for seed grain loans are unconstitutional, because they appropriate public money for a private purpose.

Nineteen Years for Moore.

W. A. E. Moore, convicted of robbing Martin Mahon, a hotelkeeper of New York, by the "badger" game, was sentenced to nineteen years in State prison.

Morrill Is No More.

Justin S. Morrill, senior United States Senator from Vermont, died at Washington, D. C., in the 89th year of his age, after an illness of less than a week.

Chicago Man Robbed.

J. K. Redmond, a commercial traveler from Chicago, was drugged and robbed of over \$600 and a gold watch in a saloon at St. Joseph, Mo.

Ruth Ashmore Dead.

Mrs. Isabel Mallon, best known by her nom de plume of "Bab" and "Ruth Ashmore," died at her home in New York.

MARKET QUOTATIONS.

Chicago—Cattle, common to prime, \$3.00 to \$6.25; hogs, shipping grades, \$3.00 to \$4.00; sheep, fair to choice, \$2.50 to \$4.50; wheat, No. 2 red, 67c to 68c; corn, No. 2, 37c to 38c; oats, No. 2, 28c to 29c; rye, No. 2, 54c to 55c; butter, choice creamery, 19c to 21c; eggs, fresh, 23c to 24c; potatoes, choice, 30c to 40c per bushel.

Indianapolis—Cattle, shipping, \$3.00 to \$5.75; hogs, choice light, \$2.75 to \$3.75; sheep, common to choice, \$2.50 to \$4.25; wheat, No. 2 red, 68c to 70c; corn, No. 2 white, 33c to 35c; oats, No. 2 white, 29c to 31c.

St. Louis—Cattle, \$3.00 to \$6.00; hogs, \$3.00 to \$4.00; sheep, \$3.50 to \$4.25; wheat, No. 2, 71c to 73c; corn, No. 2 yellow, 36c to 37c; oats, No. 2, 28c to 29c; rye, No. 2, 53c to 55c.

Cincinnati—Cattle, \$2.50 to \$5.50; hogs, \$3.00 to \$3.75; sheep, \$2.50 to \$4.25; wheat, No. 2, 69c to 71c; corn, No. 2 mixed, 37c to 39c; oats, No. 2 mixed, 29c to 30c; rye, No. 2, 56c to 58c.

Detroit—Cattle, \$2.50 to \$5.50; hogs, \$2.50 to \$3.50; sheep and lambs, \$3.00 to \$5.25; wheat, No. 2, 70c to 72c; corn, No. 2 yellow, 35c to 37c; oats, No. 2 white, 30c to 31c; rye, 56c to 58c.

Toledo—Wheat, No. 2 mixed, 71c to 73c; corn, No. 2 mixed, 37c to 39c; oats, No. 2 white, 28c to 29c; rye, No. 2, 54c to 56c; clover seed, new, \$4.55 to \$4.65.

Milwaukee—Wheat, No. 2 spring, 67c to 68c; corn, No. 3, 32c to 34c; oats, No. 2 white, 28c to 30c; rye, No. 1, 54c to 55c; barley, No. 2, 44c to 50c; pork, mess, \$8.75 to \$9.25.

Buffalo—Cattle, good shipping steers, \$3.00 to \$5.75; hogs, common to choice, \$3.25 to \$3.75; sheep, fair to choice wethers, \$3.50 to \$4.50; lambs, common to extra, \$5.00 to \$5.75.

New York—Cattle, \$3.00 to \$6.00; hogs, \$3.00 to \$4.00; sheep, \$3.00 to \$4.75; wheat, No. 2 red, 80c to 81c; corn, No. 2, 45c to 46c; oats, No. 2 white, 35c to 37c; butter, creamery, 15c to 22c; eggs, Western, 26c to 27c.



Commissary General Eagan is a gruff and somewhat profane old gentleman. That beef contract which has drawn from him a number of



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snappy interviews lately gave him a great deal of trouble from the outset. Swift & Co.'s bid was several cents below that of Armour & Co., but all kinds of proofs and arguments were presented to him going to show that the latter proposition was the best and that it should be accepted. Several distinguished gentlemen interested themselves in the matter and a general drive was made at the commissary general. The pressure became so heavy that Gen. Eagan grew irritated and incensed. A few days before he announced the letting of the contract he declared that no Senators or Governors or Representatives or any other persons of political influence could teach him his business and that they would do their packing friend a service by keeping away. Now he probably wishes that he had listened to some of those "blanketed politicians" he so scornfully turned down.

A pretty contest is fomenting over the governorship of Hawaii. It is the expectation that the bill providing a territorial form of government for the islands will be enacted into law at the present session. Two candidates have thus far entered the list—ex-President Dole and ex-Minister Sewall. Of Dole's personality naught need be said. Sewall is the son of the late candidate for Vice-President on the Democratic ticket, and his chief claim to recognition is that he supported McKinley and Hobart as against his own father. Neither Dole nor Sewall is popular at large in Hawaii. Dole is the candidate of the participants in the movement that resulted in the establishment of the republic, while Sewall is the center around which the opposition to the present Hawaiian administration gathers.

The President has received a petition from the professional and business men of Rock Island urging that a supplementary treaty with Spain be negotiated at once for the purchase of the entire groups of the Carolines, Pelew and Ladrones Islands. The petition is based upon ground that civilized these islands fifty years and while Spain Americano effective claim to them until 1867, when the American missionaries were expelled and their property destroyed; that Spanish control has never extended beyond the range of their cannon, and their government is not what it should be. The petition points out the advantages to the United States of the possession of these archipelagoes.

William B. Allison of Iowa now becomes the "Father of the Senate," which title was held by Senator Morrill, who died recently. As a matter of fact, Senator Allison and Senator John B. Jones of Nevada began their service in the Senate at the same time, March 4, 1873, and have served continuously since, but the Iowa father had previously served four terms in the House of Representatives, while Jones, being without that experience, came to Congress eight years after Mr. Allison, and this fact is generally taken into consideration in estimating length of service.

ALLISON.

Anent the appointment of an ambassador to St. Petersburg, it is said that if former Gov. Merriam of Minnesota is chosen to succeed Mr. Hitchcock, it will probably be for the reason that a woman wills it. The President has told Mr. Merriam that if he can gain the support of Senator Davis he may have the portfolio. The trouble between the two powerful politicians began when St. Paul society refused to recognize Senator Davis' second wife. She was a Miss Anna Agnew, who had been a seamstress in his family. Mrs. Merriam was the leader of St. Paul's "400," and she and her daughter refused to recognize Mrs. Davis.

Gen. Miles seems to have no intention of backing down in the beef controversy. On the contrary, he is fortifying his position with reports from commanders of brigades and regiments who saw service in Cuba and Porto Rico, both regulars and volunteers. A good deal of this testimony has already been submitted to the war inquiry commission. He says, also, that he is perfectly willing to meet the commissary general before a court martial, and the beef contractors in the civil courts.

The President's plan for a government in the Philippine Islands is the same that he has for Cuba—a liberal allowance of home rule so far as he can find competent natives to administer affairs—the finance, the commerce, the customs, the schools, public works and the general direction of things to be in the hands of Americans of experience.

Consul Heenan advises the State Department that during his thirteen years' experience at Odessa he had never seen an American ship in the harbor, although the official returns show that during the year 1897 alone 1,192 steamers and thirty-four sailing vessels entered there.

WHEN YOU'RE AWAY FROM HOME.

When you're feelin' blue ez indigo,
when you're away from home,
En faces ain't familiar on the new
streets that you roam.
You'll find them all a-fadin' en they'll
disappear from view.
When you run across a feller from the
same ol' town ez you.

If you hain't been the best of friends
it softens up your heart,
You feel a warmen' to him that'll kind-
er give a start
To a long en lastin' friendship that
you'll ails cart aroun'.

With a good word for the feller from
the same ol' leetle town.
You'll find his voice soun's sweeter
ez he mentions some ol' name
Then it uster when you'd meet him
airly mornin's in the lane;
En when you say good by en part, ez
somehow folks must do.

You hate to leave the feller from the
same ol' town ez you.
—Edward Singer in the Cleveland
Plain Dealer.

THE THUG.

"You fellows have a fine time of it
nowadays, with your machine guns
and a commissariat that knows canned
meat from castor oil."

It was an Indian veteran who spoke
—Colonel Carrill—to whom Myers and
I returned from dacoit hunting in
Burma, had been relating our exploits.
"Fifty years ago fighting was fight-
ing," he went on, "but now—"

We smiled the smile of the young
and up to date. What did he know
of the vagaries of the modern savage;
of the dacoit who came in the night
noiselessly and parted life and death
with an ugly and unnecessarily large
stab in the breast?

The colonel read our thoughts.
"Dacoits may be a stealthier foe,"
he said, "but for undiluted vagabond-
ism and downright villainy give me
the thugs."

"They must have been bad," I ven-
tured.

"At the very best, and yet I found
a little grain of virtue in one," said
the veteran. "Shall I tell you a yarn?
It will be like a page of ancient his-
tory now."

"It was in the autumn of 1834," pre-
ceeded the colonel. "I went out from
Haidarabad under Major Groves
northward across the Godavery after
thugs. Groves sent me off on my own
account with a troop of about thirty
Sepoys and a couple of noncoms. We
had no success until Hosein Ali fell in-
to our hands. He was taken with the
proofs of guilt thick upon him and the
spoil in his possession. Yet he denied
with all the stubbornness of innocence."

"I looked long and fixedly at the
man. He was a fine specimen of a
fine race. If I had not been so abso-
lutely certain of his guilt I must have
doubted that one of so gallant a bear-
ing could be that worst of all crimi-
nals, a thug."

"What are you doing here, then?"
I asked him. "What is your trade—
your occupation? How did you come
by these pearls?"

"If I answer the sahib at all," he
replied, "it is that he may be satisfied
and let me go on my journey in peace.
I am on travel honestly to my sister's
wedding, and the stones are a wed-
ding gift."

"I don't believe a word," said I.
"You are a thug and a murderer and
deserve hanging a hundred times, but
—make yourself useful, tell me your
companions, show me their haunts,
take me to the graves of your victims
and your life may be spared."

"I know nothing of what you say,
sahib," he repeated doggedly.

"Take him away," I commanded,
'and in ten minutes' time hang him.'

"Of course this was pure bounce, but
he knew no better. I uttered the sen-
tence sharply and rose to leave the
hut. As I turned my back I heard a
scuffle, and, looking quickly round, was
just in time to ward the prisoner's
hands from my throat."

"In another moment the men had
him down, and though he struggled
desperately, he was bound and dragged
to his feet as I resumed my seat."

"None but the guilty would have
behaved so," I said sternly. "I knew no
better in those days. 'You have sealed
your doom.'"

"The man took a deep breath—he
was still panting from the struggle—
and shouted with an excess of strength
and enthusiasm:

"Jey Bhovance!"

"It was the war cry of Thuggee, the
invocation to the goddess. If anything
more was needed to convict him it
was provided in the extraordinary change
in his appearance. All the
signs of vice and cupidity which I had
looked for in vain at first were now
most prominent in the angry, passion-
distorted face."

"It was plain that we had made a
capture of the first importance. Such
a man would, without doubt, be the
leader or at least a very prominent
member of any gang with which he
was connected and would possess just
the sort of information we wanted."

"Informers are supposed to be built
of difficult material. However, I de-
termined to try him, and as a first
step I had him informed that unless

he consented to give the information
we wanted he would certainly be hang-
ed in the morning. As an extra argu-
ment we built a gallows opposite the
window of his cell.

"At first this only excited his deris-
ion. The small hours of morning, how-
ever, proved too much for him. I was
awakened early and told he wanted
to speak."

"Tell him he can say all he wants
under the rope," was my reply.
"When the hour came, the man was
led out. Nothing remained of the
scorn and defiance of the previous day.
A night of passion and fear had broken
him up."

"As he caught sight of me he called
out, 'I will tell all, Sahib Bahadur.'
One of the sepoy, previously instruct-
ed, began to busy himself with the
rope."

"All, I said. 'Nothing kept back?'
"Nothing," he answered eagerly. 'All
I have done and my companions.'"
"And their names, all of them?"

"Yes."

"And help us to take them by all
means in your power?"

"He hesitated at this, but a glance
at the man who held the rope and who
had now made a pretty noose in it,
was enough."

"I will, sahib," he muttered. 'My
life will be saved?'

"On condition that you carry out
your promise to the letter I will do my
best to save it."

"There, within the yard of the gib-
bet, the prisoner told a tale of murder
and robbery appalling in its extent,
sickening in its cold bloodedness and
deliberation. To this he added a list
of some thirty or forty accomplices,
and, with a remarkable effort of mem-
ory, described the position of the rude
graves of over one hundred victims."

"A couple of weeks of activity
passed. Thanks to Hosein, who had
been shaved and otherwise disguised,
we not only collected ample proof of
the crimes committed, but succeeded
in securing many of the culprits, who
were taken to the nearest court and
tried."

"So far the informer had amply ful-
filled his contract. He had indeed dis-
played a zeal which made me at times
very doubtful of his sincerity. I
found out at last that this thorough-
ness was characteristic of the man in
all things."

"Well, the further work of suppres-
sion advanced the more difficult it
became. The thugs had enjoyed im-
munity so long that many of the bands
had become careless and were taken
with comparative ease, but as the news
of their capture spread and the fate
which met them became known, the
villains became more wary and diffi-
cult of approach."

"About a month after Hosein's cap-
ture we got on the heels of a band
which, by the signs, numbered about
forty members. Instead of following
them up we crossed the river along
the banks of which they were march-
ing, and hurrying on, got in advance
of them. We knew they would have
to cross later and hoped to ambush
them."

"We did not move. Hosein had the
whole detachment busy for some hours
cutting a number of short bamboo
sticks and boring holes in their ends,
through which short lengths of cord
were run."

"What are these things for?" I
asked him.

"Food for the thugs, sir," he re-
plied. "When they taste these they are
silent."

"Then I perceived that the mysteri-
ous articles were gags."

"They will come across the ford to-
night," continued Hosein. "We will
be waiting, and as they land, one by one,
seize them and stop their voices."

"How can you be sure they will
cross?" said I.

"Shall I not tempt them?" he an-
swered. "Shall I not light a fire and
send a cry across the water as these
would have done if God had not de-
livered them into our hands?"

"How many of them are there?"

"I should say from thirty to forty.
I know this ford well. Only one man
can land at a time. If the sahib will
permit, I will stand by the bank and
assist them out singly. Some of your
men must leave their coats and dress
like thugs, and as I hand them over
the first of the robbers two of them
shall seize him, fill his mouth with
wood and tie him up so that he makes
neither sound nor motion. In like
manner with the others. The jungle
and the rain will help us."

"My first indistinct view of the ford
renewed my previous distrust of Ho-
sein's good faith. It seemed the last
place one would select for a passage.
The banks are ten to twelve feet high,
and rise sheer out of the water. But,
looking closely, however, I made out
a large, flat rock close to the bank, form-
ing a natural, if somewhat difficult
step. The bank was only attainable
by first climbing the rock."

"The signal fire was lit, and after
the proper interval extinguished, and
we lay down in silence to wait for the
next move. At last we saw the an-
swering fire."

"Hosein let himself down to the
stepping-stone and stood erect. At
the same moment the shriek of a jack-
al close at hand made me jump to my
feet. From across the river the cry
was repeated, and then I knew it was
the second signal."

"A minute or two of extreme tension
followed, and then, above the whip-
pling sound of the rain on the river, I
could just hear the careful splashing
of the waters. Soon the head of the
first one came dimly into sight, a
black, moving spot on the dark water,
and behind it, in Indian file, other
blots still more indistinct."

"As the leader neared the bank Ho-
sein said a couple of words in 'Moor,'
which elicited a low reply. I then
saw him stoop and draw the man onto
the rock beside him. It was an ex-
citing moment, and I know I trem-
bled—solely, I hope, from over-anxi-
ety."

"As each one attained an upright
position on the bank he was gagged,
overpowered and laid out in the jungle
helplessly bound. There was an
anxious pause after the twelfth man,
and from the rock below I heard a lot
of whispering. I saw Hosein stoop,
draw up a large bundle and throw it
up onto the bank."

"The thugs were passing us their
booty. The remainder of the band
brought each a similar parcel."

"As we approached the end one or
two squeals escaped, but fortune fa-
vored us and no alarm was given. By
some means the last man but one to
cross took alarm as he reached the
bank and yelled out a warning. He
was quickly pulled down and secured,
but his successor, just about to reach
up his hand to Hosein, hesitated and
retreated."

"I heard a big splash and Hosein
disappeared. He had jumped in after
the man and engaged in a struggle
which we could hear, but only dimly
see. I climbed down the bank and
slipped into the water, followed by
one of my men. As we approached
the thug uttered a furious sentence in
a dialect which I did not understand,
and the next moment he was free and
hurrying away. The sepoy and I
dashed after the escaping thug and
held him."

"With this we had them all—thirty-
three murderers and twenty bales of
spoil—a fine haul."

"Following our usual precaution, Ho-
sein traveled with the rear guard, so
that the prisoners should not see more
of him than was necessary, though I
more than suspected that he had been
recognized by the old thug. Some-
thing had changed him anyhow. He
was strangely thoughtful, even morose."

"In a couple of days the case against
them was presented. The proofs of
their guilt were overwhelming, and as
they thought more of defiance than
defense they were soon convicted and
sentenced, fifteen of them, including
the old man who had so nearly es-
caped, to be hanged, the rest to trans-
portation to Penang."

"The following morning was fixed
for the execution. As they stood in
the centre of the clearing before as-
cending the platform Hosein Ali cre-
ated a sensation by slipping forward
and kneeling humbly and contritely
before the old thug. The latter, with
an indescribable accent of scorn, ut-
tered a couple of words and spat de-
risively on the informer."

"The next moment the culprits had
mounted the gallows. The excite-
ment of this scene was not over when
a fresh sensation was caused by the
discovery of a man lying a short dis-
tance from the gallows with a bay-
onet through his heart, having killed
himself by falling on the blade. It was
Hosein Ali."

"One of the bystanders turned to-
ward the still swinging bodies of the
thugs, and pointing to the old man
said:

"That was his father!"—F. W.
Evans, in Chambers' Journal.

Three Island Cities.

The city of Ghent, in Belgium, is
built on twenty-six islands. These is-
lands are connected with each other
by eighty bridges. The city has three
hundred streets and thirty public
squares. It is noted for being the
birthplace of Charles V, and of John
of Gaunt, whom Shakespeare called
"time-honored Lancaster," and as the
scene of the pacification of Ghent, No-
vember 8, 1576, and of several insur-
rections, sieges, and executions of well
known personages.

It is associated with American his-
tory by the treaty made there Decem-
ber 24, 1814, terminating the second
war between England and the United
States, known as the war of 1812.

Amsterdam, in Holland, is built on
piles driven far below the water into
the earth. The city is intersected by
many canals, which are spanned by
nearly three hundred bridges, and re-
sembles Venice in the mingling of
land and water, though it is consid-
erably larger than that city. The can-
als divide the city, which is about
ten miles in circumference, into ninety
islands.

The city of Venice is built on eighty
islets, which are connected by nearly
400 bridges. The circumference of the
city is about eight miles.

The Venetians joined the Lombard
league against the German emperor,
and in 1177 gained a great victory in
defense of Pope Alexander III over
the fleet of war vessels headed by
Otto, son of Frederic Barbarossa. In
gratitude for this victory the pope
gave the Doge Ziani a ring, and insti-
tuted the world famous ceremony of
"Venice marrying the Adriatic sea."

DISCUSS INDIANA SCHOOLS.

Teachers and County Superintendents Meet in State Capital.

The teachers of Indiana, county super-
intendents and township trustees met in
Indianapolis for their annual conference
on practical work.

The county superintendents held the
meeting of their section in the evening.
One of the important subjects on the
program was: "What Shall Be Done With
the Graduates From the Common
Branches?" It was presented by W. S.
Gibbons of Fulton County and was dis-
cussed by H. E. Coe of De Kalb County,
E. A. Hutchens of Hamilton County and
F. E. Cooper of Lake County. The sub-
ject of "Needed School Legislation" was
presented by W. F. Lanes and discussed
by others. Pupils from a colored school
in Madison made the music.

The mathematical section of the State
Teachers' Association also held a meeting.
A. S. Hathaway of Terre Haute presid-
ing. Two topics were discussed. One
was "Arithmetic for the Common Schools
of Indiana," J. F. Haines of Noblesville
discussed it from the standpoint of the
graded school, E. F. Allen of Indianapolis
spoke for the high schools and A. M. Ken-
yon of Purdue University talked for the
colleges. The other topic was "Some Re-
cent Developments in Modern Mathemat-
ics," by E. W. Rettger of the State Uni-
versity at Bloomington. The trustees
heard addresses from Mayor Taggart,
Mrs. McRae of Lafayette and Prof. Ball
of Franklin College.

In the evening the association had its
first general meeting and heard the ad-
dress of the retiring president, Prof. Ogg
of Kokomo, and also the inaugural ad-
dress by Prof. Stalker of the State normal
school at Terre Haute.

The needs of the schools of Indiana
were discussed by the association at its
session of the second day. Charles R.
Williams, editor of the Indianapolis News,
presented the subject from the standpoint
of a citizen; Judge George A. Caldwell
of New Albany, from that of a business-
man; Miss Frances Benedict of Worthing-
ton, from that of the teacher; Leo O. Har-
ris of Greenfield, from that of a county
superintendent, and B. K. Cramer of La-
fayette, from that of the township trustee.
J. M. Coulter of the University of
Chicago read a paper on "Nature Work in
the Public Schools." The coming Legis-
lature is to be asked to authorize nature
study in the common schools from leaflets
prepared by Purdue University.

Nine hundred members of the associa-
tion heard Dr. E. Benjamin Andrews,
superintendent of the Chicago public
schools, deliver an address at night on
"The Public School System as an In-
strumentality of Social Advance." The
speaker devoted much of his address to a
review of the social conditions that exist
in the cities. He called attention to the
fact that every tenth child that dies in
New York is buried at public expense, and
the condition, he said, was not much bet-
ter in other large cities. He said he agreed
with the tenor of the writings of Henry
George. It was time the world was think-
ing out some way for elevating the sub-
merged tenth, he said—time that some-
thing was done to elevate the poor to
higher standards of life. The poor of to-
day lacked resolution because of want of
pride. Continuing, the speaker said the
laboring men could get all they demanded
by standing together. The best anti-pov-
erty specific was a high standard of life.
Effective education of the laboring classes,
he believed, was the remedy in sight.

The township trustees, 800 of them, at
their meeting in the afternoon, resolved
to fight the movement for reform in town-
ship government. In a long set of resolu-
tions they denounced the effort to change
the present laws. They also declared in
favor of the compulsory school law, in
favor of placing all highways under the
supervision of the township trustees, in
favor of cleaning all public ditches by
public contract and in favor of a reduc-
tion of the present rate charged for legal
advertising. The association declined to
appoint a committee to meet with rep-
resentatives of the State commission on
county and township reform. Gov. Mount
addressed the meeting in the interest of
good roads and rural free mail delivery.
The following officers were elected: Presi-
dent, B. F. Johnson, Fowler; vice-presi-
dent, B. M. Morgan, Indianapolis; secre-
tary, Samuel B. Ensminger, Danville;
treasurer, W. F. Males, Evansville.

The librarians of the State, at their
meeting, agreed upon a bill for the estab-
lishment of a public library commission.
The following officers were elected: Presi-
dent, William E. Henry, Indianapolis;
vice-president, Albert Faurot, Terre
Haute; secretary, Beile Hanna, Green-
castle; treasurer, Jessie Allen, Indianapolis.

The county superintendents spent the
day discussing a bill prepared by the
superintendent of public instruction, provid-
ing for a county board of education in
each county, this board to have authority
to elect the county superintendent. The
bill was finally referred to the associa-
tion's legislative committee.

Fish Tabooed by Indians.

The Navajo, Apache and other Indian
tribes of the far Southwest will not eat
fish nor have anything to do with art-
icles made in the shape of fish. This
"taboo" which the Navajo extends to
all things connected with water. A
probable reason why no more children
of these tribes are sent East to be edu-
cated is a fear that they might be re-
quired to overcome this cherished "ta-
boo" superstition, which is as firmly
rooted as any religion.—Kansas City
World.

Sure Cure for Warts.

It is well established that toads are
productive of warts, and here is the
counter charm to effect their removal:
Steal a piece of raw meat—it must be
stolen—rub the warts, and bury the
meat under the eaves of the house
where water drips on it. When the
meat decays and disappears so will the
warts.

INDIANA INCIDENTS.

RECORD OF EVENTS OF THE PAST WEEK.

Hypnotism Leads to Divorce—Expert Burglars Secure Much Money at Elwood—Electric Railway Into Illinois—Wanted with a Corpse in His Arms.

David Price was granted a divorce at
Anderson. Two years ago Mrs. Price fell
under the alleged hypnotic influence of
Dr. Cox of Huntington, W. Va. Though
hundreds of miles away, he could, it was
shown, control her every action and even
against her will draw her to him. When
the influence came on her she would set
guards around her, but her pain and mis-
ery would be such that she was forced to
go to him. She is a middle-aged woman
and has a family. She disappeared half a
dozen times and the last time was found
in Virginia. Price began suit for \$25,000
for alienation of his wife's affections. Her
relatives will also institute suit for dam-
ages.

Boy Kills His Baby Sister.

The 6-year-old son of George Keister of
Whitley County accidentally shot and killed
his 2-year-old sister. During the tempo-
rary absence of their mother the boy
took a revolver from a bureau drawer,
and while playing the weapon was dis-
charged, the bullet striking the infant in
the head. Death was instantaneous. Up-
on the return of the mother she found the
boy with the dead body of the little girl
in his arms at the door waiting for her.

Robbers Loot Express Safe.

A daring robbery was committed in El-
wood, expert burglars gaining entrance to
the building occupied by the United States
Express Company, and Marlatt & Claw-
son's news agency, blowing the safe open.
The express company loses about \$1,200,
Agent Osborn \$50 and Marlatt & Claw-
son \$40. A grip belonging to Ed Caldwell
of Indianapolis and containing \$100 worth
of clothing and other goods were among
the booty.

Plan a Long Trolley Line.

Forbes Holton, an Anderson glass man-
ufacturer; M. R. Williams, manager of the
Strawboard trust plants, and Craw-
ford Fairbanks have formed a company
for the purpose of building an electric rail-
road from Terre Haute, via Mattoon, Ill.,
to Charleston. The line will be joined to
the Indiana system by a line from Indian-
apolis to Terre Haute, via Greencastle
and Brazil.

Killed on Eve of Marriage.

Miss May Cloud, 18 years old, died at
the Marion city hospital from the effects
of burns caused by a gas explosion. She
attempted to light a fire when the stove
was full of gas. The case is made more
pathetic by the fact that Miss Cloud was
to have been married and the home over
which she was to preside was furnished.

Within Our Borders.

Indiana is being flooded with green
goods letters.

Noble County claims the lowest rate of
taxation in the State.

At Inwood, Michael Milner, aged 25,
committed suicide by hanging himself in
the barn.

Fire destroyed a barn belonging to Wil-
liam Thompson, seven miles east of Hart-
ford. Loss \$1,500.

A 2-year-old child of Julius Smith of
Otis fell backward into a boiler of scald-
ing water and was boiled to death.

Albert Doll, while hunting, attempted
to pound a shell into his gun at Vincennes.
The shell exploded and blew out both his
eyes.

Dan Reel of Terre Haute, a Vandalia
brakeman, had an arm crushed off be-
tween the bumpers of two freight cars at
Brown's Valley.

Jacob Stoner, aged 43, an employe in
Jennings' hoop factory in New Castle,
was instantly killed by being caught in
the flywheel while oiling the machinery.

Mrs. Catharine Smith, aged 89, fell into
an open fireplace at the home of her son,
Warren Smith, in Lebanon, and was so
badly burned about the head and face
that she died.

George Dalton was fatally injured in
the Buckeye mine at Clinton. He had
put off a shot, and, supposing it had fired,
returned to his place too soon, when the
shot exploded.

The New Jersey pottery trust has ab-
sorbed the Great Western pottery works
of Kokomo. The Kokomo plant was
among the last to hold out and its surren-
der makes the trust a sure go, it is claim-
ed. The concern was taken in on a \$300,-
000 basis.

Mayor Elmore of Crawfordsville has
entered a fine of \$1,100 against the local
natural gas company for its failure to
furnish gas in adequate amount during
the cold weather of November and Decem-
ber.

W. L. Thompson, a prominent young
married physician of Mooresville, was ac-
cused in the Circuit Court of the charge
of criminal practice on Miss Laura
Brooks of Monrovia, who died early in
September.

Robert Ward, yard conductor on the
Lake Erie and Western Railway, died at
St. Joseph's hospital at Fort Wayne. He
fell off his train and several cars passed
over him, crushing both legs. He leaves
a wife and several children.

Jockey Tod Sloane spent Christmas
with his foster parents, Mr. and Mrs. D.
G. Blouser, in Kokomo. This is Tod's
first visit at home since the beginning of
his turf career ten years ago. His home-
coming created quite a sensation.

Hunters in the woods near Burkett
stumbled upon the mangled and some-
what decomposed remains of John Bur-
nett. He was a wealthy country store-
keeper, who had been missing about two
weeks. He was happy and, lacking basis
for a theory of suicide, it is believed that
he was murdered. Bruises about the
head and elsewhere tend to the support
of the conclusion.

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Higher Prices Anticipated After the Holiday Season.

Although the price of wheat is 24 cents below the ruling price in the Chicago market a year ago, the large export demand continues and many dealers expect higher prices after the holiday season. Corn and oats command better prices than last year. This is due to the increased export demand, to the unusually large quantities of corn being fed to stock and a smaller crop than last year. The price of stock hogs is lower than last year and farmers are marketing earlier than usual in order to save their corn which is worth about as much now as it would be if fed to stock. Hog receipts at Chicago are the heaviest on record for the month of December. It is likely that after the great rush the market prices will tend upward.

In the matter of crops of all kinds farmers have been very fortunate this year. Besides a good wheat crop, an unusually good corn crop has been harvested. The hog crop is also larger than usual and the season has been a good one for fattening the stock. In some local ties hogs have died off with the cholera, but its ravages have not been general.

Farmers realize from corn and hogs much better returns than from wheat and oats and notwithstanding the low prices farmers will have several million dollars worth of products to market this year.—Ma.

A Good Year's Business.

While conversing with Marbaugh Bros., hardware merchants of this place, a few days ago we learned that their business for 1898 out classed any other previous year. In 1891 it amounted to \$10,000 while the past year it ran above \$27,000. Why is this so? Because they are headiers and believe in using point e's ink freely. They know that advertising pays and do a great deal of it. We will venture to say that they have done more business during 1898 than any two hardware firms in the northern part of the state. Following is a list of articles sold: Two engines, twelve separators, four clover hullers, twenty wagons, ninety three buggies and carriages, four riding-plows, fifty-two cultivators, forty-one walking plows, thirty one harrows, six wind pumps, fifty seven set of harness, 13 binders, 21 mowers, six Superior disk and How drills, 63 heating and cookstoves, two disk harrows, 50 planters and 23 corn planters.—Monterey Sun.

Dr. D. C. Shellhamer, made his regular trip to Culver Thursday, and while here treated a large number of patients. He will come again Thursday, Jan. 26th, 1899. He is giving great satisfaction in treating chronic diseases, and invites all those troubled with a complication of ailments to call and see him. Remember that consultation and examinations are free. Don't stay away for lack of cash, as the doctor will make all arrangements perfectly satisfactory.

In a New York theatre the other night, Hobson's picture was hissed at by a large crowd and exceedingly refined audience so the papers say. Poor Hobson, just because he "smacked" 400 or 500 narrow pated girls, he is treated shamefully. Now we don't blame him; and will wager a cookie that two thirds of the fellows in that audience would just jump at the chance to have taken Hobson's place. Its human nature you know, and as long as the dear girls will make fools of themselves, well you can't blame the man.

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APHORISMS.

He who foresees calamities suffers them twice over.—Porteus.

Getting into debt is getting into a tan.—some net.—Franklin.

To live is not to live for one's self alone; let us help one another.—Ménander.

We inherit nothing truly, but what our actions make us worthy of.—Chapman.

Accuracy is the twin brother of honesty; inaccuracy, of dishonesty.—C. Simmons.

When we are out of sympathy with the young, then I think our work in this world is over.—G. Macdonald.

Let us be of good cheer, remembering that the misfortunes hardest to bear are those which never come.—Lowell.

Make but few explanations. The character that cannot defend itself is not worth vindicating.—F. W. Robertson.

If there is anything that keeps the mind open to angel visits and repels the ministry of evil, it is a pure human love.—N. P. Willis.

When a man has been guilty of any vice or folly, the best atonement he can make for it is to warn others not to fall into the like.—Addison.

The meanest, most contemptible kind of praise is that which first speaks well of a man and then qualifies it with a "but."—Henry Ward Beecher.

It is a sad thing to begin life with low conceptions of it. It may not be possible for a young man to measure life, but it is possible to say: "I am resolved to put life to its noblest and best use."—T. T. Munger.

No Right to Ugliness.

The woman who is lovely in face, form and temper will always have friends, but one who would be attractive must keep her health. If she is weak, sickly and all run down, she will be nervous and irritable. If she has constipation or kidney trouble, her impure blood will cause pimples, blotches, skin eruptions and a wretched complexion. Electric Bitters is the best medicine in the world to regulate stomach, liver and kidneys and to purify the blood. It gives strong nerves, bright eyes, smooth, velvety skin, rich complexion. It will make a good looking, charming woman of a run-down invalid. Only 50 cents at T. E. Slatery's Drug Store. 27tlm.

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"I have just recovered from the second attack of la grippe this year," says Mr. Jas. A. Jones, publisher of the Leader, Mexico, Texas. "In the latter case I used Chamberlain's Cough Remedy, and I think with considerable success, only being in bed a little over two days against ten days for the former attack. This second attack I am satisfied would have been equally as bad as the first but for the use of this remedy as I had to go to bed in about six hours after being 'struck' with it, while in the first case I was able to attend to business about two days before getting 'down.' For sale by Culver City Drug Store. 27tlm.

How to Prevent Pneumonia.

You are perhaps aware that pneumonia always results from a cold or from an attack of la grippe. During the epidemic of la grippe a few years ago when so many cases resulted in pneumonia, it was observed that the attack was never followed by that disease when Chamberlain's Cough Remedy was used. It counteracts any tendency of a cold or la grippe to result in that dangerous disease. It is the best remedy in the world for bad colds and la grippe. Every bottle warranted. For sale by Culver City Drug Store. 27tlm.

His Life Was Saved.

Mr. J. E. Lilly, a prominent citizen of Hannibal, Mo., lately had a wonderful deliverance from a frightful death. In telling of it he says: "I was taken with Typhoid Fever, that ran into Pneumonia. My lungs became hardened. I was so weak I couldn't even sit up in bed. Nothing helped me. I expected to soon die of Consumption, when I heard of Dr. King's New Discovery. One bottle gave relief. I continued to use it, and am well and strong. I can't say too much in its praise." This marvelous medicine is the surest and the quickest cure in the world for all Throat and Lung Trouble. Regular sizes 50 cents and \$1.00. Trial bottles free at T. E. Slatery's Drug Store; every bottle guaranteed. 27tlm.

Attention.

It may not be generally known that I, the undersigned am located in the boot and shoe repair business, ready to repair boots and shoes upon short notice, and prices perfectly on par with the times. Be it further understood that I always guarantee my work, as I only use the best grade of leather, and as I have had years of experience at the business, I claim to be perfectly conversant with the same from start to finish. You will also please bear in mind that I am prepared to make boots and shoes to order. Rooms over Young & Keen's Novelty works. Call and see me, WILLIAM FOSS.

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We desire to extend our sincere thanks for your very kind and liberal patronage during the past year. We shall in the future as in the past, endeavor to merit your esteem and patronage and shall always keep to the front of the Clothing Procession in Marshall County, and be on the alert to the best interests of our customers. Our motto shall continue "Quick Sales and Small Profits." Wishing you a prosperous New Year, we are yours, anxious to please, M. LAUER & SON, Plymouth, Ind. Our Grand winter Clearing Sale begins Jan. first, '99. Look out for the Biggest Bargains you ever saw.

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CULVER, INDIA

It is snowing today.

Herbert Garn returned to Ohio Tuesday morning, where he resumed his studies at the Hiram, Ohio, College.

There will be quarterly meeting services held at the Emanuel church south of this city, two weeks from today, Friday. Remember the date.

Several citizens of Plymouth, are enjoying a birthday dinner at the Palmer House, this city today.

Miss Maud Hand entertained a number of young people from Plymouth Thursday evening.

Several of Jacob McFarland's family are suffering with the la-grippe.

Indiana has a Joseph Leiter in the person of young Louis M. Litman, of LaGrange, who is now engaged in wheat speculations which, if they have a fortunate termination, will make the young Hoosier the possessor of considerable wealth. Litman is 21 years old and the son of a wealthy business man, the latter's money being at the disposal of the young grain speculator. Litman is engaged in an effort to amalgamate the wheat growers against the manipulators of the board of trade. He has secured options on thousands of bushels of wheat held by farmers throughout Ohio, Indiana and Michigan.

Excuse our being late this week. The chief pencil pusher is sick.

Paul Perry, of Columbus, Ga., suffered agony for thirty years, and then cured his Piles by using De Witt's Witch Hazel Salve. It heals injuries and skin diseases like magic. For sale at Slattery's Drug Store. 271lm.

This is the week of prayer at the M. E. church, and interesting meetings are being held every night.

La Grippe is again epidemic. Every precaution should be taken to avoid it. Its specific cure is One Minute Cough Cure. A. J. Shepherd, Publisher Agricultural Journal and Advertiser, Eleden, Mo., says: "No one will be disappointed in using One Minute Cough Cure for LaGrippe." Pleasant to take, quick to act. For sale at Slattery's Drug Store. 271lm.

We are pleased to note that the Lake Milling Company is receiving orders for its excellent flour from far and near, and has just filled a large order for a Kewanna merchant. This is truly gratifying, as it plainly shows that Culver flour ranks among the very best.

Horrible agony is caused by Piles, Burns and Skin Diseases. These are immediately relieved and quickly cured by De Witt's Witch Hazel Salve. Beware of worthless imitations. For sale by Culver City Drug Store. 271lm.

F. F. Wolf, of Grand Junction, Colorado, John Wolf, of Chicago, Mrs. Harry Phillips, of Chicago, Mrs. Bruce Hickman, of Nappanee and Prof. Daniel Wolf, who is teaching school near Bremen, spent the holidays with friends in this city.

Mr. S. A. Fackler, Editor of the Micanopy (Fla.) Hustler, with his wife and children, suffered terribly from La Grippe. One Minute Cough Cure was the only remedy that helped them. It acted quickly. Thousands of others use this remedy as a specific for La Grippe, and its exhausting after effects. For sale at Slattery's Drug Store. 271lm.

We will in a short time send each of our readers a sample copy of the Household Magazine, one of the finest illustrated publications in this country, which we will present free of charge to all those paying up arrears and renewing their subscription.

These are dangerous times for the health. Croup, colds and throat troubles lead rapidly to consumption. A bottle of One Minute Cough Cure used at the right time will preserve life, health and a large amount of money. Pleasant to take; children like it. For sale at Slattery's Drug Store. 271lm.

Robert Rea, who is attending school at the Chicago University, spent the holidays with his parents. He is making rapid progress, and when he finally graduates, we will wager that the boy from Culver will be right at the head.

The smallest things may exert the greatest influence. De Witt's Little Early Risers are unequalled for overcoming constipation and liver troubles. Small pill, best pill, safe pill. For sale by Culver City Drug Store. 271lm.

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New clean dry goods, groceries, boots, shoes and rubber goods.

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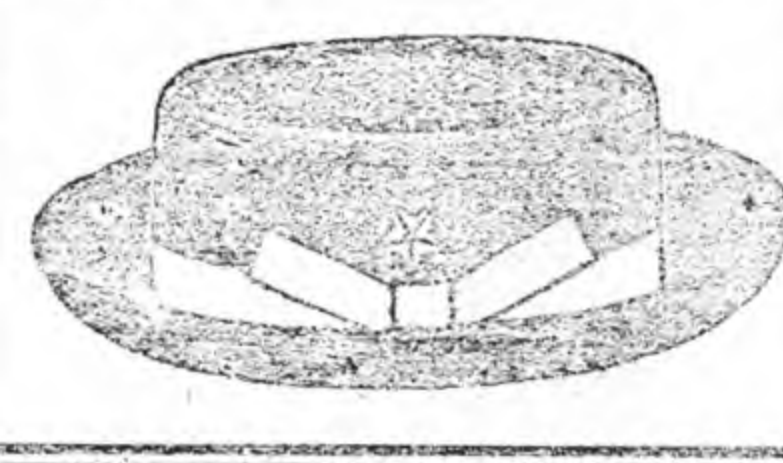
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THREE DOCTORS IN CONSULTATION.
From Benjamin Franklin.

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G. A. R. Meeting.

On Friday, January 6th, 1899, in the afternoon, commencing at two o'clock sharp. The G. A. R. Post, of Burr Oak, will have a public installation of officers, followed by a camp-fire in the evening. A most elaborate program will be given, consisting of recitations, instrumental and vocal music. The veterans and families, Sons of Veterans and their families, and Women's Relief Corps are cordially invited to attend. Be it also here noticed that a bountiful supper will be served, hence bring well filled baskets. Com.

Many household is saddened by death because of the failure to keep on hand a safe and absolutely certain cure for croup such as One Minute Cough Cure.



Dr. Shellhamer,

SPECIALIST OF WABASH will be at the Morris House, Culver, Ind., on

Thursday, Jan. 26th, 1899.

prepared to treat all forms of Chronic Diseases. All are invited to call upon the Dr. as it will cost you nothing and might result in permanent and lasting good to you. The doctor has been located at Wabash for 30 years and is endorsed by all who know him. Remember the date, Thursday, January 26th. Examinations and consultation free.

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Was the result of his splendid health. Indomitable will and tremendous energy are not found where Stomach, Liver, Kidneys and Bowels are out of order. If you want these qualities and the success they bring, use Dr. King's New Life Pills. They develop every power of brain and body. Only 25c at T. E. Slattery's Drug Store. 271lm

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Many a hot scrimmage with the Dons has been scrapped, but they always got the hottest end of it. They got the same end that the

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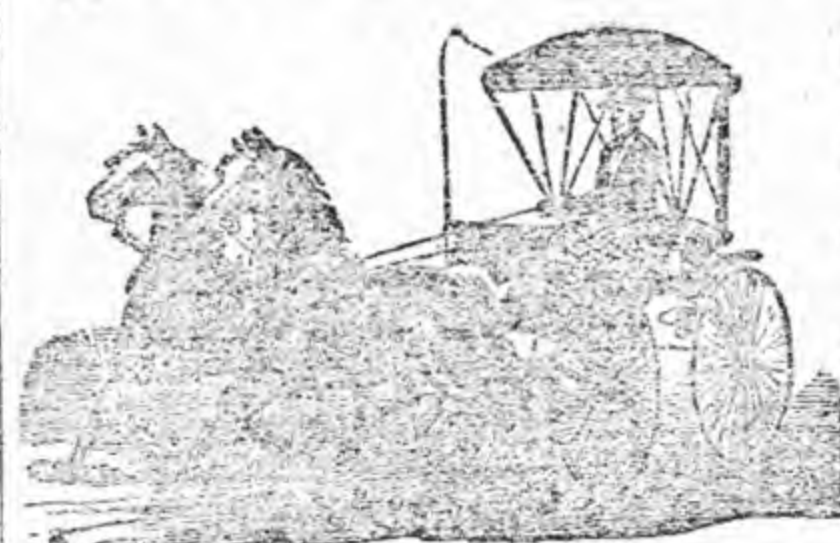


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WHAT THE WAR COST

WASHINGTON OFFICIALS SAY IT WILL REACH \$250,000,000.

This Is About the Amount Estimated by Careful Observers at the Time the Protocol Was Signed—Mexican Ambassador Dies from Appendicitis.

The cost of the Spanish war, including garrisons in the dependencies during the remainder of the present fiscal year, will probably fall within the limit of \$250,000,000. This was about the amount estimated by careful observers at the time of the signing of the peace protocol in August, and the estimate has been sustained by subsequent events.

The signing of the protocol was far from putting an end to the expenditures, and the net cost of the military and naval service above the cost on a peace basis was actually larger in September than in August. The figures for later months have shown a gradual decline of several millions per month, and it now looks as though existing revenue laws would pay most of the expenses for garrisons until the close of the fiscal year on June 30 next.

Stated in round figures the combined cost of the army and navy service above the cost of 1897, when both services were upon a peace basis, was \$19,000,000 in May, \$23,000,000 in June, \$29,000,000 in July, \$22,000,000 in August, \$25,000,000 in September, \$20,000,000 in October and \$17,000,000 in November. The cost during December has been about \$15,000,000. These expenditures are not entirely for the maintenance of troops now in the field, but involve the settlement of contracts entered upon in the spring, the manufacture of arms and supplies at the armories, which is still going on at a higher rate than before the war, and the payment of troops who have been mustered out of service.

The following table exhibits the warrants drawn upon the treasury for the service of the War and Navy Departments for each month since the emergency appropriation of \$50,000,000 was made by Congress, the warrants drawn for the same months of 1897, and the excess of the warrants this year over those of last year, which indicates substantially the additional military and naval expense imposed upon the country by the expulsion of Spain from Cuba, Porto Rico and the Philippines:

Month.	FOR THE ARMY.	Warrants drawn 1897.	Excess in 1898.
March	\$5,159,571	\$3,048,103	\$2,111,468
April	6,223,814	4,287,020	1,936,794
May	17,093,595	4,214,955	12,878,640
June	17,723,804	2,886,016	16,837,788
July	34,774,153	10,736,758	24,037,395
August	25,163,235	5,622,852	19,540,383
Sept.	24,643,374	4,376,022	20,267,352
October	22,851,129	5,226,718	17,624,411
Nov.	20,391,876	5,376,080	15,015,796
Dec. 1-26	13,944,000	3,043,000	10,901,000
Totals	\$190,012,451	\$48,757,524	\$141,254,927
Month.	FOR THE NAVY.	Warrants drawn 1897.	Excess in 1898.
March	\$5,241,443	\$2,694,835	\$2,546,608
April	12,556,982	2,744,079	9,812,903
May	9,095,575	2,537,576	6,558,001
June	9,506,021	3,563,922	5,942,099
July	8,514,279	2,998,809	5,515,470
August	6,386,277	2,672,691	3,713,586
Sept.	7,231,219	2,787,153	4,444,066
October	5,314,567	2,988,575	2,325,992
Nov.	4,676,181	2,736,454	1,939,727
Dec. 1-26	4,165,000	2,426,000	1,742,000
Totals	\$72,688,493	\$28,150,104	\$44,538,389
Gr'te.	262,700,947	76,907,718	185,793,229
Av. per month.	26,270,044	7,690,771	18,579,272

These figures show an expense for the war amounting to \$185,803,229, which is likely to be swelled to about \$188,000,000 at the close of the present month. The figures for December will be between \$14,000,000 and \$15,000,000, but a further shrinkage is likely to occur during January and still further decline during the following months. It is not unreasonable, therefore, to estimate the average war expenditure for the remaining six months of the fiscal year at \$10,000,000 per month, which would add \$60,000,000 to the expenditures already incurred.

This would bring the total expenditure for the fiscal year close up to \$250,000,000. What it will be in the future cannot yet be determined, but it is probable that a considerable portion of the expense for garrisons will be defrayed from the revenues of the new dependencies.

WAKE ISLAND.

Uninhabited speck in the Pacific to Be Used as a Cable Station.

The steamship that left San Francisco last week for Honolulu is said to carry instructions and dispatches to the commander of the Bennington, now at Hawaii, directing him to proceed to Wake Island and take possession of it in behalf of the United States. The island is uninhabited and valueless for general purposes, but it is wanted by this Government as a cable station. A Pacific cable connecting the Philippines and Hawaii with the United States is one of the first necessities imposed by the treaty of Paris which has so materially changed the map



of the Pacific. As the American peace commission did not succeed in obtaining one of the Carolines as a cable station, Wake Island, situated in latitude 19 north, longitude 168 east, will supply the place. The island lies about 2,000 miles from Niihau, the westernmost of the Hawaiian group, and 1,300 miles east of Guam. Being in almost the direct line between the United States and its Pacific possessions, it is admirably adapted to the purposes of a cable station.

MRS. BOTKIN GUILTY OF MURDER

California Jury Sentences Her to Life Imprisonment.

At San Francisco, Mrs. Cordelia Botkin was found guilty of murder in the first degree for causing the death of Mrs. John P. Dunning by sending a box of poisoned candy to her temporary home in Dover, Del. The condemned woman will be spared death on the gallows, however, the jury imposing the penalty of life imprisonment. The verdict was unexpected. An acquittal was confidently awaited by the defense, while the prosecution feared disagreement.

The crime for which Mrs. Botkin stands convicted is one of national interest, owing to the peculiar circumstances connected therewith. On Aug. 12, 1898, Mrs. John P. Dunning, her sister, Mrs. Dean, and a number of others partook of some candy at the home of Mrs. Dunning's father, in Dover, Del. Mrs. Dunning and Mrs. Dean died, and investigation showed that the candy had been heavily dosed with crystallized arsenic.

In the box of candy was a note signed "Mrs. C.," sending love to Mrs. Dunning and her baby. By a wonderful chain of circumstances the crime was traced to Mrs. Cordelia Botkin, who had become infatuated with Dunning during his career in San Francisco. Mrs. Dunning had, previous to receiving the candy, received anonymous letters, which Dunning declared had been written by Mrs. Botkin.

Handwriting experts declared positively that Mrs. Botkin wrote the note in, and the address on, the box of candy. Clerks at a candy store testified to the very day on which Mrs. Botkin had purchased the candy.

SEÑOR ROMERO DEAD.

Ambassador of Mexico Passes Away at Washington.

Señor Don Matias Romero, the Mexican ambassador, is dead. He had been confined to his room at the legation in Washington suffering from appendicitis.

Mr. Romero underwent a surgical operation on Wednesday, which lasted one hour, notwithstanding which the patient came out of the ordeal in a condition that was encouraging to his physicians and friends. Soon after Thursday midnight, however, the patient began to sink rapidly, and his death occurred at 4 o'clock in the morning.

Señor Romero was one of the most eminent statesmen and diplomats of Mexico. He was born at Oaxaca Feb. 24, 1837. He first entered the foreign office in 1855. In December, 1859, he came to Washington as first secretary of the Mexican legation. He returned to Mexico in 1863, and, after serving as chief of staff for Gen. Diaz during the war against the French, he was, in October of that year, accredited by President Juarez as envoy extraordinary and minister plenipotentiary to Washington.

Señor Romero returned to Mexico in January, 1868, and was appointed secretary of the treasury. In 1880 he served as postmaster general, and in March, 1882, came back to Washington as minister, and has remained here ever since, with the exception of ten months, when he again served as secretary of the treasury of Mexico. A few weeks ago his official rank was raised to that of ambassador.

VIRGINIA FAIR TO MARRY.

Her Engagement to William K. Vanderbilt, Jr., Is Announced.

The engagement of Miss Virginia Fair to William K. Vanderbilt, Jr., is announced. Current gossip has betrothed Miss

Fair so many times in the last few years that the report was not credited at first, but it was soon confirmed by her sister, Mrs. Herman Oelrichs. Miss Fair is a daughter of the noted Pacific coast millionaire, from whom she inherited about \$3,000,000. Young Vanderbilt, of course, has, or will have, a great deal more. His father entirely approves the match. Young Vanderbilt is now a student at the Harvard scientific school. He is about two years younger than Miss Fair.

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THEY DID NOT ADVERTISE.

Noticeable Fact Regarding Ten Failed New York Firms.

Since Christmas there have been over a dozen failures of New York concerns that made a specialty of goods intended for holiday presents. Some of these carried large stocks and were entitled to the designation "big." In one or two instances the stocks were valued at more than \$250,000. The noticeable thing about each of the collapsed concerns is that it did not advertise in the newspapers. The stores that did advertise were crowded with customers from the commencement of the holiday season to the hour of closing the night before Christmas. They all report the greatest holiday business in years.

HOSTILITY TO DR. MORRISON.

Nebraska Episcopalians Object to His Consecration.

The refusal of the standing committee of the Episcopal diocese of Nebraska to give its consent to the consecration of Dr. Morrison of Chicago as bishop of Iowa has created a sensation. The committee bases its decision on what it terms "outrageously corrupt methods" by which Bishop Morrison was elected after Dr. Greene of Cedar Rapids had been chosen. The committee also charges, "political double dealing of the enemies of Dr. Greene, in charging him with conduct to disgrace the church and cloth."

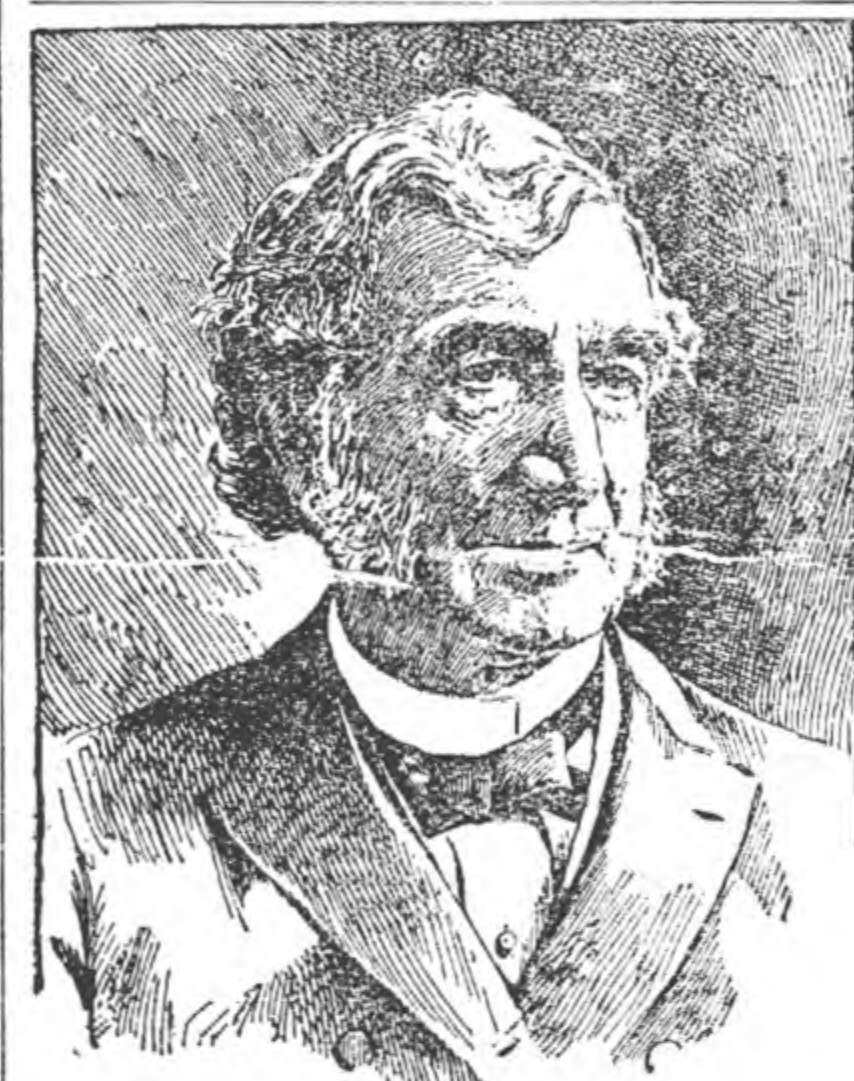
Baltimore Merchants Victimized. Charles S. Woodward and Clara L. Ames, who posed as the man's wife, were arrested by detectives as they were leaving the Metropolitan Church in Washington. They are charged with victimizing Baltimore merchants out of goods and money by the use of forged checks.

DEATH OF MORRILL.

VENERABLE SENATOR EXPIRES IN WASHINGTON.

Aged Vermont Statesman the Victim of Pneumonia—Total Eclipse of the Moon Visible in Many Places—Plans for a New President's Palace.

Senator Justin S. Morrill of Vermont, the venerable "father of the Senate," died at 1:25 o'clock Wednesday morning at his residence in Washington. There were at the bedside the Senator's son, James Morrill, Miss Swan, the sister of his deceased wife, and Senator Proctor, his colleague. He was attacked by grip about a week previous, but as the disease was mild in form, he attended the sessions of the Senate up to the holiday adjournment. His condition was not considered serious until the day before his death, when pneumonia developed. He grew rapidly worse, and Monday night became unconscious, in which state he remained except for a few short lucid intervals. The Senator suffered a severe attack of pneumonia last winter. His wife died last summer just



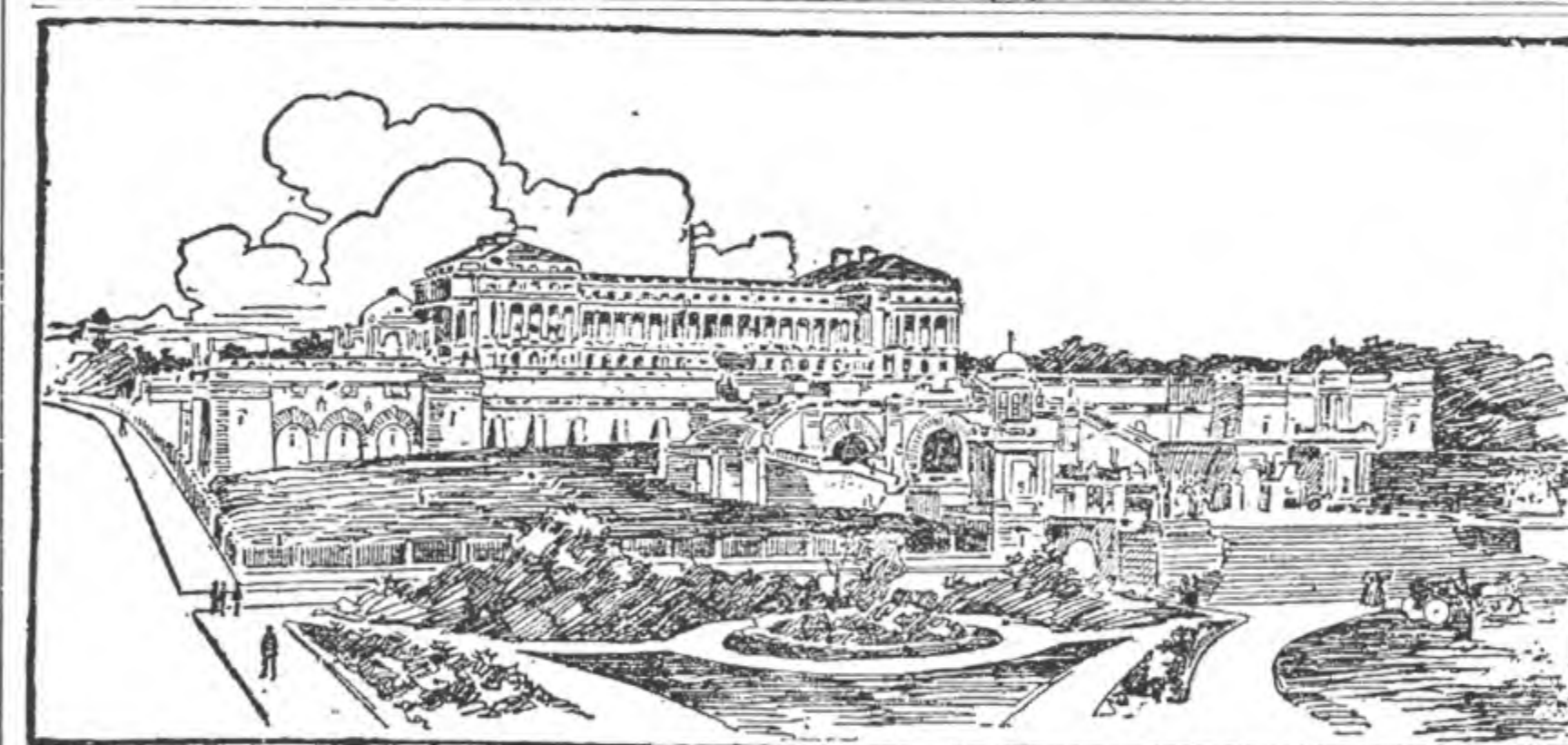
SENATOR MORRILL.

before the adjournment of Congress, and Mr. Morrill had been visibly failing since.

Justin S. Morrill was born at Strafford, Orange County, Vt., on April 14, 1810. He received an academic education and engaged in mercantile pursuits until 1848, when he took up agriculture. He was elected to Congress in 1855 as a Republican, and represented his native State in the Thirty-fourth, Thirty-fifth, Thirty-sixth, Thirty-seventh and Thirty-eighth Congresses. During his several terms in Congress he always took a leading part in all financial and economic legislation, and was the father of the famous tariff bill of 1861. This bill became known as the Morrill tariff bill.

Senator from Vermont, 1866.

Mr. Morrill was elected to the Senate from Vermont in 1866 and has served continuously ever since. He had been a member of Congress for forty-three years and had at all times been earnestly interested



THE PROPOSED NEW WHITE HOUSE.

In legislation. Mr. Morrill's career as Senator exceeded in length that of any other Senator in the history of this nation. Thomas H. Benton, the first Senator from Missouri, served thirty-one years in the Senate.

Senator Morrill was widely known in educational circles because of his successful advocacy of the act of 1862 granting land to the various States for educational purposes. The act came to be known as the Morrill land-grant act. It was from the proceeds of this fund and from his private resources that Ezra Cornell founded Cornell University. At that university and at many others Mr. Morrill's name is held in high honor, and a building at Cornell is named for him.

The Senator had been for some years the patriarch of the Senate and held a warm place in the affections of his associates. He likewise enjoyed the fullest confidence of his constituents, who, notwithstanding his years, re-elected him in 1896 for a fifth consecutive term, which would not have expired until March 3, 1903.

MOTIONLESS FIVE MONTHS.

Milwaukee Girl's Strange Trance a Puzzle to Physicians.

For five months Tiny Broesch of Milwaukee has not spoken a word and lies in her little room entirely oblivious to her surroundings. Every effort to attract her attention or make her so much as raise an eyelid has completely failed. She is gradually wasting away; death is the only thing which her family and friends think will relieve her from her suffering. She has become greatly emaciated, takes but little food and seems simply to exist without interest in the outward and apparent world. She is not in a trance, for during the greater part of the day her eyes are wide open and fixed with a wistful glance upon one corner of the room, where she seems to see things that other people cannot see.

Hypnotists are experimenting with the girl and claim to have made progress in reviving her. They expect to ultimately succeed. Physicians, however, find no change in the girl's condition.

RIOYERS AT HAVANA.

Deeds of Violence Precede Hoisting of Stars and Stripes.

Serious rioting occurred in Havana Tuesday night. Before it was quelled American regulars had to be called for. They did their work so well that one Spanish sailor was killed and a dozen Cubans and Spaniards injured, some fatally.

The trouble started through the resentment of some Spanish soldiers and sailors because the American and Cuban flags were flying everywhere in the city, which event the Cubans were boisterously celebrating. A Spanish soldier, marching with his company to the wharf, tried to pull down a Cuban flag in Bomba street. He was shot at and dangerously wounded. Desperate fighting followed between Spaniards and Cubans.

Lieut. Miller of the Tenth United States infantry, whose company had been brought into the city for just such an emergency, and was stationed three blocks away, sent Sergeant Adams with a detail of a dozen men to preserve order. The regulars soon reached the narrow street and forming in line swept all before them at the point of the bayonet. Midway in the block is a cafe. When the Americans reached there they were fired upon. A quick order from Sergeant Adams and a dozen rifles rang out as one. Nearly every shot told, for eight or ten persons were seen to drop. One Spanish sailor was killed and the rest, Cubans and Spaniards, were wounded. That single volley scattered the crowd like so many sheep. The American soldiers captured four of the ringleaders in the disturbance and marched them back to their quarters. None of the American regulars was injured. The city Wednesday was practically in the hands of the Americans.

A PRESIDENT'S PALACE.

A Movement for the Erection of a \$10,000,000 Executive Mansion.

A movement is on foot for the erection of a new executive mansion for the President. Paul J. Pelz, the architect of the Congressional Library, has prepared elaborate drawings and diagrams for the proposed mansion. The projectors want the Government to build a home for the President that will be a credit to the nation. They have found an ideal site on Meridian hill, bounded by West Sixteenth and Fourteenth streets. The crest of the hill is 202 feet above the Potomac, while the Capitol site is only 90 feet above the river. They say fifty-two acres can be secured at moderate cost by condemnation, because there are few buildings on the land. The White House grounds have twenty-one acres. Mr. Pelz's plan is drawn on a scale of striking grandeur.

The proposed building is in the form of the letter H. One wing is set aside for the living apartments of the President and his family, and the other is devoted to social and state functions. The connecting structure is to have a roof garden. In the rear of the building is an elaborate system of conservatories inclosing an enormous court that is to be covered. The site is a mile or more north of the White House, which is to be retained for office purposes for the President. The new mansion is to face south toward the

An Unprincipled Act. Mrs. Severn—Did you ever hear of such a thing!

Mrs. Sixtus—It certainly was mean of him to go to Dakota to oppose the divorce after she had journeyed all the way out there to secure it.—Philadelphia North American.

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Childlike Logic.

"Mamma," said Dot, "do all the rivers empty into the sea?"

"Most of them, my dear."

"Then why doesn't the sea run over; is it because there are lots of sponges in it?"—Philadelphia North American.

What Do the Children Drink?

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CUBA AT LAST IS FREE

STARS AND STRIPES RAISED OVER HAVANA.

Spanish Authority Is Relinquished in the Island and the United States Assumes Control—Captain General Weeps—Cubans Frantic with Joy.

Spain's rule in the new world is ended. On the first day of the new year the Stars and Stripes went up over Morro prison, over the Fortress of Cabanas, and over the palace, which has represented Spanish royalty in this new world. Spanish transports loaded with Spanish soldiers and a steamer carrying the captain general and his staff dropped down Havana harbor and stood out to sea while the Seventh army corps was marching along the Prado in the heart of the Cuban capital. From the one tall mast that protrudes from the tangled wreck of the Maine the American flag was flying. Captain Sigbee, who had commanded the ship when treachery destroyed it, himself rigged up a flag and flew it from the wreck to show that America had "remembered the Maine."

The event so long and eagerly looked for has occurred and Spanish sovereignty in the island of Cuba is forever ended. At noon a detachment of American troops occupied the Plaza de Armas, the square in front of the palace, and stood silent and immovable as the ceremony of the transfer of sovereignty took place. The American commissioners rode in on horseback from La Vedado and proceeded direct to the palace. Captain General Castellanos, whose official life was rapidly drawing to a close, received the commissioners in the main hall of the palace, surrounded by the members of his staff, all of whom were attired in gorgeous uniforms. After a brief exchange of salutations Gen. Castellanos said: "According to the protocol of peace, signed Aug. 12, I, obeying the orders of the Government of her Catholic majesty, the Queen Regent of Spain, in the name of her son, his majesty, the King, deliver the island of Cuba to the Government of the United States, represented by your commission."

Gen. Wade made a brief reply, and immediately turned the island over to Gen. Brooke, the military governor. Just at this moment the Spanish flag, which had floated over Cuba for 400 years, was lowered from the palace, the Cabanas fortress, Morro Castle and all the public buildings. As the red and yellow emblems sank from their staffs Senor Castellanos was profoundly moved. He turned pale and said, with tears in his eyes: "Gentlemen, I have been in many battles, but I never felt such profound emotion as I feel now."

With that he turned and went to his room. Shortly afterward he appeared carrying a small satchel. He was followed by his son and his staff. Gen. Brooke took him by the arm and said a few kind words to him, walking with him to the door of the palace. As he entered the Plaza de Armas from under the porch of the palace the American soldiers, in response to a quick word of command, presented arms and the officers saluted with their swords. As the ex-captain general walked toward the water front from across the plaza an American military band played the royal Spanish march. Gen. Clous accompanied Gen. Castellanos to the Muelle de Cavalleria, where a boat was waiting to convey him to the steamer Rabbat.

American Flag Raised.

As the Spanish flag was lowered it was replaced by the Stars and Stripes, and as the latter floated to the breeze it was saluted with twenty-one guns. Tears choked the utterances of Gen. Castellanos as he heard the deep-voiced guns roaring a welcome to the flag of the conqueror. After a while he controlled himself and said: "This is the most bitter moment of my life. I wish that no one of you will ever suffer what I am suffering now." Gen. Clous embraced him and shouted "Viva Espana!" Gen. Castellanos, with a trembling voice, answered: "Thanks, you are too kind." Then he jumped into the boat, which immediately started for the steamer.

The Cuban generals, Mayla Rodriguez, Mario Menocal and Rafael de Cardenas, who had been invited by Gen. Brooke, were present at the palace during the ceremony of surrender. Gen. Castellanos saw them there and asked that he be introduced to them. The British consul introduced them, whereupon Gen. Castellanos said: "I am sorry, gentlemen, that we have been enemies, having the same blood." "Sir," answered Gen. Menocal, "we fought for Cuba. Now that she is free we are no longer enemies." Gen. Castellanos shook hands with the three Cuban leaders, and all animosity seemed to have been forgotten.

After the American flag had been hoisted the bands played the American national hymn, and this was greeted with tremendous cheering by the crowd that had assembled in Obispo and O'Reilly streets, near the palace, and in the Plaza de Armas itself. Along the Prado and the other main streets a hundred thousand persons frantically cheered the Americans and the United States. All the houses occupied by Cubans were decorated, the flags, etc., that had been taken down after Gen. Ludlow's order forbidding demonstrations having been replaced. The Cubans, who at last saw the realization of their dreams of many years, were frantic with enthusiasm.

After all the formalities had been complied with and receipts had been exchanged for the forts and other properties that had belonged to the crown, and after the flag had been raised at Cabanas by Lieut. Fitzhugh Lee, Jr., and at the Morro by Lieut. Wade, Gens. Brooke and Ludlow and the members of the commission proceeded to the Central Park and the Hotel de Inglaterra, where the troops under Gens. Keifer, Williston, Hasbrouck and Col. Armfield were reviewed by Gen. Lee, the military governor of the city.

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MANITOBA'S CAPACITY.

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Toronto, Nov. 10.—The World comments on the report of the United Empire trade league on the capacity of Canada as a granary for Britain. The report refers to Manitoba as follows: Manitoba has an area of 47,000,000 acres. Deducting 10,000,000 for lakes, rivers, town sites and waste land, 37,000,000 acres are left for farm cultivation or homes for 116,000 families on 320 acres each, and as up to now there are only 27,000 farmers there altogether, that leaves room in one province for 89,000 more wheat growers. Supposing then we got them there and each one of them out of his 320 acres grew on an average 100 acres at 20 bushels to the acre. If you figure it up you will find it is quite possible for Manitoba alone to supply us with all the wheat we require from abroad. It is only a question of money and, comparatively speaking, not money either. The cost of one first-class battleship (about \$750,000) would put 5,000 families on to farms in the Northwest, allowing \$150 to each to find them in implements, seeds, horses, etc., and would keep them until their first crop was harvested. Five thousand farmers, averaging 100 acres of wheat each at 20 bushels to the acre, means an extra 10,000,000 bushels, for if that scheme is not liked Britain would put a duty on foreign wheat.

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Weary Watkins—Would you die for your principles? Hungry Higgins—I ain't done it yet, but I've took the chance. A doctor told me once I'd die if I didn't take exercise.—Indianapolis Journal.

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Snoop—Oh, I should like to see myself as others see me, just once.

Snapper—Well, I can tell you, once and for all, you would step on yourself and you wouldn't notice it.—Boston Courier.

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Loc.	5	2	4	Loc.	5	2	4	Loc.	5	2	4
11:00	10:15	10:30	10:45	Chicago	9:15	9:30	9:45	1:00	1:15	1:30	1:45
11:45	11:00	11:15	11:30	Valparaiso	8:25	8:40	8:55	1:40	1:55	2:10	2:25
12:30	11:45	12:00	12:15	So. Waukegan	7:35	7:50	8:05	2:25	2:40	2:55	3:10
1:15	1:30	1:45	2:00	Rock	6:45	7:00	7:15	3:10	3:25	3:40	3:55
2:00	2:15	2:30	2:45	Elkhart	5:55	6:10	6:25	3:55	4:10	4:25	4:40
2:45	3:00	3:15	3:30	Argos	5:05	5:20	5:35	4:40	4:55	5:10	5:25
3:30	3:45	4:00	4:15	Mentone	4:15	4:30	4:45	5:25	5:40	5:55	6:10
4:15	4:30	4:45	5:00	Corydon	3:25	3:40	3:55	6:10	6:25	6:40	6:55
5:00	5:15	5:30	5:45	So. Whitley	2:35	2:50	3:05	7:00	7:15	7:30	7:45
5:45	6:00	6:15	6:30	Pt. Wayne	1:45	2:00	2:15	7:45	8:00	8:15	8:30
6:30	6:45	7:00	7:15	Cleveland	9:00	9:15	9:30	8:30	8:45	9:00	9:15
7:15	7:30	7:45	8:00	Buffalo	8:10	8:25	8:40	9:15	9:30	9:45	10:00
8:00	8:15	8:30	8:45	New York	7:20	7:35	7:50	10:00	10:15	10:30	10:45
8:45	9:00	9:15	9:30	Boston	6:30	6:45	6:55	10:45	11:00	11:15	11:30

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