

## VICTORY!



Our Fusion Cock.



Goldie Going to the Funeral.



I never fail to make an — of myself over election returns. E. CUNNINGHAM.



I am the other jackass known as the "little whiffet." I get my inspiration from the great war president. Had Goldie just "howled a little longer" I might have had to borrow my whisky friend, Schmidtber's, brains.



Wayne County Republicans on Wednesday morning.



Friday morning.



"My name is I. W. Alter. I am the fellow what got out my flag after reading the Wayne Republican."

### PHONE RATES GO UP.

The Iowa and Bell telephone companies have, it is reported, been consolidated or gone into a combination. The central office here says that the city exchanges are to be raised to the old price \$2 for business houses and \$1.25 for residences. This will not go into effect until Dec. 1st. or Jan. 1st.

### Sticks Like a Bun.

An old gentleman remarked to the editor a few days ago: "Once I was young and now I am old and I've never seen a girl unfaithful to her mother that ever come to be worth a one-eyed button to her husband. It isn't a guess. It isn't exactly in the Bible, but it is written large and awful in the miserable life of a misfit home. I'm talking for the boys this time. If one of you boys ever come across a girl with a face full of roses who says as you come to the door "I can't go for thirty minutes, for the dishes are not washed" you wait for that girl. You sit right down on the door step and wait for her. "Cause some other fellow may come along and carry her off, and right there you have lost an angel. Wait for that girl and stick to her like a bur in a mule's tail.—Ulyses Dispatch.

### Arthur Miller Married.

Chelan (Wash.) Leader: Married, in Chelan, on Wednesday evening, October 29th, 1898, at the residence of the brides parents Mr. Arthur H. Miller and Miss Edith M. Hopkins. The ceremony was performed in an impressive manner by Rev. R. D. Osterhout of the M. E. church, Mrs. Jno. Leebart playing an appropriate wedding march. The bride, who is a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Hopkins, lately of Iowa, wore a gown of cream albatross, trimmed with lace and ribbons, carrying a bouquet of white rosebuds, and looked the ideally charming bride she was. The handsome groom, tall, stately, dignified, popular, was appropriately dressed for the occasion. Both are well known and experienced.

The happy young couple have taken up their residence in Lakeside, where they will be "at home" after November 15. The Leader extends sincere congratulations to Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Miller and wish them all the joy and happiness allotted to mortals here below.

### THE LATEST VERSION.

Anamosa—Journal: Mary had a little lamb, that time has passed away. A lamb could not follow up the pace that Mary sets today. For now she has an air shod wheel in skirts too short by half. No lambkin shares her airy flight but you can see her calf.

### CARROLL NEWS.

Smithberger's money and whisky did not do him any good in Deer Creek precinct, in fact he did not get as many votes as Hayward.

The republican majority was cut from 23 of last year to 14 this year in Deer Creek and next year the silver people expect to carry the precinct.

The report here Tuesday night that the republicans had carried New York by 320,000. Some of the republicans who did not have far to go went crazy and when they recover, if they do, and find that the majority is less than 20,000 they will likely again become unbalanced.

The M. E. Ladies will give a Bazaar and supper in the A. I. Or U. hall Wednesday evening, Nov. 16. Every one is invited.

The people of Wayne Co. will find Carroll, the newly elected county commissioner, an intelligent, and an efficient officer.

Mr. James Eby and family have moved to Laurel and we have lost some good citizens by their going away.

141 ballots were cast in Deer Creek and the votes were all counted by 9 o'clock.

### SCHOOL SHOES.

Buy the LITTLE GIANTS and save money. For sale only at MAUTE'S SHOE STORE.

### LOCAL NEWS.

Mrs. Chas. Bright was a visitor from Winside yesterday.

E. J. Davis, a prominent young farmer of Carroll, was in town Friday last.

Atty. F. A. Berry came down from Carroll last Friday night to hear Dr. Hipple.

Harry Webbles will open his new restaurant in the Van Camp hall in a few days.

The Beldin News has gotten to be quite a whole lot. It takes a good man to make a good paper in Belden.

Had the "popocrats" come out of the cornfields the republican party wouldn't know they had a ticket in the field.

A couple of young fellows broke out a few dollars worth of glass for D. S. McVicker, Sunday night. They ought to have been in church.

Mrs. S. A. Fox came down from Wausa yesterday to have her tonsils removed by Dr. Williams Mrs. Fox is a daughter of Robt. Skiles.

Brick was hauled this week from the Sherban yards to put in the foundation for the new church. Work will now be pushed on the proposed structure.

Miss Bell Bruner was in town Saturday being on her way home to Wausa from Norfolk where she visited her sister, Miss Lucy, who is a teacher in the Norfolk schools.

The Ladies of the Acme club gave Mrs. R. B. Crawford a very pleasant surprise last Saturday evening. They took luncheon with them and also a neat souvenir to present Mrs. Crawford.

M. S. Davies is getting his new stock of goods in, presentable shape and reports that his old customers and many new ones are patronizing him. He will handle a big stock of holiday goods.

H. L. Kimball and Homer Skeen rode down to Wakefield last Saturday night with the Bryan Glee Club. Homer says he enjoyed the visit immensely until he got in with the Wakefield orchestra.

A number of Wayne ladies have received invitations to attend an afternoon with Mesdames Mathewson, Chas. Mathewson, Haskell and Miss Haskell at Wakefield, from 3 p. m. to 4:30 p. m. today.

A. J. Ecklund is again selling Dr. Baker remedies in Wayne county. Next week he will spend in Brenna, Hancock and Hoskins precincts. Mr. Ecklund is a reliable salesman the people may have full confidence in.

The Dr. Hipple meeting in the opera house last Friday evening was not attended by a very large crowd, and a good many present were republicans. The doctor delivered an interesting address. The singing by the Bryan Glee club was apparently enjoyed by those present.

Talk about your lively towns, you ought to have been in Wakefield last Saturday night. The town was full of democrats and populists. Kay Bros. saloon, billiard and concert hall was doing a landoffice business. It ought to be the best-paying saloon property in the state, and Kay Bros. know how to run it.

A woodpecker pecked a hole clear through the gable of F. M. Northrop's residence Sunday. The family heard the burglar at work and were much mystified but failed to discover the cause until a hole was cut clear through. B. F. Feather says that a few years ago one billed quite a hole through Dr. Bradford's chimney.

The story goes that a passenger on the "Hartington branch" was kicking to the conductor about the infamous train service and the snail like pace of the train when the gentleman up and tells him if he didn't like the way the train was run he could get out and walk. "I would" says the passenger, "but the folks wouldn't be expecting me home so soon."

Our sympathies go out to our old employer, Judson Graves, of the Neligh Advocate, who has lost most of his savings of the last 17 years in the failure of the First National Bank of Neligh. Mr. Graves was a stockholder in the concern and will have to bear his share of the loss. Mr. Graves is a staunch old republican who is a republican because he is a republican, and has put in most of his time denouncing the democrats and later the popocrats. He has also been one of them who has constantly told about the immeasurable prosperity in the country and the solid and substantial condition of the banks. This immense failure for a town the size of Neligh, ought to open his eyes to the rottenness of the laws regulating National banks, coming, as it does, in the very midst of our unparalleled prosperity.—Randolph Reporter.

### IS SILVER DEAD?

THE ENTIRE STATE TICKET ELECTED.

SENATOR ALLEN WILL SUCCEED HIMSELF.

Robinson goes to Congress, and Hale to the Senate.

Wayne County Elects Ed. Carroll, Populist, County Commissioner.

After listening for nearly two days to the republican war whoopers the DEMOCRAT is pleased to present its readers with the correct election returns.

The entire state ticket is elected by from 2,000 to 3,000.

F. J. Hale is elected state senator by a small majority, between 50 and 100 votes.

A special telegram from Lincoln to the DEMOCRAT, received at 2:10 p. m. today, says Poynter heads the state ticket with a majority of 2,000 and the legislature is fusion by one majority, which insures Senator Allen's re-election.

A special from Norfolk places Judge Robinson's majority over W. F. Norris at 1,800. These reports are authentic. The vote all over the state was very light. Wayne county is off over 300. It is safe to assume that these were nearly all fusion votes.

### Court House Bonds.

Wayne county may well be proud of the vote on court house bonds, 757 for and 363 against, a majority of 394. This will bring out the best business qualities of our new board of county commissioners and the DEMOCRAT believes that they will be able to acquit themselves with credit the responsible position they will be placed.

Go to Ahern's for Ladies' and Children's Winter Underwear, and prices are always lowest, if you consider quality and weight of garment.

### Dress Shoes

The latest styles, the best wearers and the finest goods, at popular prices. MAUTE'S SHOE STORE.

Smoke the Nicko. Take clock repairing to Mines. Frank Kruger is in Winside today. Good work horse for sale—H. Goll. Dr. Ivory, dentist, over 1st National Bank. For a good smoke, call at the DEMOCRAT office. Job work with neatness and dispatch at this office.

Ohio maple syrup, guaranteed, at P. L. Millers.

Farm loans at lowest rates by W. M. Wright & Co.

Miss Wilkinson received a big stock of Crush and Walking hats which delight the eyes of the ladies.

The republican papers all over the state will have to tell the truth and shame the devil—next week.

A much needed improvement was put in at the depot last week. It is a platform that we can all stand on.

Breun's Coffees have become a great fad in the northwest as well as a staple necessary. All the traveling men say Breun's coffees are the best and that they use it exclusively.

Judge Norris was in Norfolk yesterday sizing up the political situation. The judge will no doubt be properly repaid by the administration for his heroic fight for a seat in congress.

Wakefield Republican: The appointment of C. P. Mathewson, of this city, as Indian agent, at the Winnebago agency, is announced. Mr. Mathewson is a pioneer of Nebraska, has had much experience in similar positions of responsibility and will fill the position creditably and acceptably.

Farmers, buy the "OMAHA" Overshoe. Just the thing for cornpicking. For sale only at MAUTE'S SHOE STORE.

Here's our compliments to Mr. Northrop. We'd never have thought it. In fact Mr. Northrop is the only republican in the county who had the situation sized up correctly.

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### You ought to see

Our lines of underwear, commencing at 25c for Mens and Ladies on to 35, 48, 75, 94 to \$2.50. You can't go wrong on these goods at these prices.

### A fine line of

Gents Furnishing Goods in all wool, jean and cottonade pants, Duck Coats, Gloves, Hosiery, Neckwear and the best overall on earth for 48c.

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Can honestly claim the attention of the closest buyers. We are selling a shoe worth \$1, \$1.25, \$1.50 and \$1.75, your choice 75 cts. Don't spend a cent for Foot Wear until you have taken a look through our stock.

### We invite

Every lady and her family, when in Wayne, to make

## The Regulator their Store Home

Come and go when you please, buy or not as you like, leave your wraps, carriage robes, packages from other stores, all to be cared for. But if wanting to purchase will be glad to show you our goods.

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Property to sell or exchange in Wayne, Cedar, Dixon, Knox and Pierce counties. Farms and city property to sell or exchange in Nebraska, Dakota, Iowa, Missouri and Texas.

City property in Chicago, Kansas City and various other towns in the west. Have excellent facilities for selling property anywhere in the United States. Have demands from both eastern and western correspondents.

### SOME BARGAINS.

No. 1. 640 acres, all in one section, under fence, one third bottom land, two or three sets buildings, fine living and well water, six miles from Wayne, at a bargain on easy terms. Best part of county and excellent section in every respect.

No. 2. 400 acres two and a half miles from Wayne, all under cultivation, four sets buildings, groves, orchards and vineyard, all under fence; good well water; some fine hay land; all at an average cost of \$34 per acre, or \$13,600. Will sell part of this beautiful tract.

No. 3. 160 acres one and a half miles from Wayne; \$34 per acre.

No. 4. 160 acres six miles from Wayne; fair improvements; good soil, living water, slightly but gently undulating; at the low price of \$23 per acre, one half cash, balance to suit.

No. 5. 700 acre ranch two and a half miles from Wayne; fine residence, large barn wind mill, scales and other extensive improvements; all under fence; all or most of it in fine timothy clover and blue grass; pastures the best in the country. If sold soon will sell hay and machinery, all at a reasonable price.

No. 6. 160 acres three miles west of Wakefield, \$25 per acre, all fine bottom land, 125 acres under cultivation, balance hay.

Everybody who wants to sell or exchange comes to me, learning that I have properties in nearly every state and territory in the union. That is why I am so well posted in my line of business, in reference to all kinds of property and their values wherever located.

I have stocks of merchandise, I have brick blocks, I have sets of tracts, I have business and dwelling lots, I have 40-acre tracts, I have 80-acre tracts, I have ranches, I have fouring mills, I have pasture lands, lease lands, school and college lands, I have bank stock, all for sale on commission. I have everything but money—money is what I want—and the man or woman who has money can get a bargain by communicating with

F. M. SKEEN, - Wayne, Neb

**First Smokeless Powder.**  
St. Louis Globe-Democrat: People have heard more about smokeless powder since the beginning of hostilities between Spain and the United States than they ever knew since its existence as a factor in warfare or as a source of great satisfaction to the sportsman. Smokeless or nitro powder is far more extensively manufactured in this country than one would suppose, since the army and navy were very short on the supply necessary to the requirements of the big guns. In fact, very little of the smokeless powder was used by the navy or the field batteries of our army.

Notwithstanding the fact that foreign manufacturers of smokeless powder were better supplied at the time we began to lay in supplies of it than the American makers, there are dozens of smokeless powder mills in America, says George H. Rawlings, who has handled the nitro powder ever since it was introduced for shot guns and rifles. "American makers of smokeless powder had not paid a great deal of attention to the manufacture of it for use in guns of larger caliber, like the armament of the navy or the cannon of the land forces, but America leads the world in the making of nitro powder for sporting purposes.

The first attempt in this country at experimenting in the compounding of chemicals for the manufacture of wood powder was made here in St. Louis by an old German named Dolde, who at one time kept the Sheridan house at the junction of Franklin and Easton avenues, and afterward the road house at the old Walsh home-stand. Dolde put in much of his spare time in experimenting with smokeless powder, and lost several fingers in his efforts to solve the problem.

On five different occasions the persistent old inventor went away to his improvised laboratory, and after several hours' work would return minus a finger. During the years he labored to perfect the smokeless powder he managed to have five fingers blown off, but he did not seem discouraged, and finally made a powder that was smokeless, but it would take a torch-light procession to ignite the stuff when in a gun or in shells. What became eventually of Dolde and his smokeless powder I don't know, but his experiments set others thinking.

About twenty years ago a man named Dittmar succeeded in getting a smokeless powder on the market, and a great deal of it was sold to sportsmen, but it was not a howling success at first. All shells had to be primed with black powder in order to ignite the Dittmar quickly. The Dittmar factory merged into the American Wood Powder company, and there was great improvement in the output, both in quantity and quality.

The Schultz powder, which was made in Europe, found its way to this country, and it gave such universal satisfaction and the demand became so great that the company came with its plant to this country. The Schultz was a very strong shooting powder and as quick as the black article.

The S. S. and some other makes of smokeless powders have passed out of the market, but plenty other brands took their places. The old black powder companies are nearly all making smokeless powder now. It is hard to tell which powder is the best of the smokeless. It is a matter of individual opinion to a great extent.

No up to date sportsman at the trap or in the field thinks of using black powder any more, and most all of them use the carefully hand loaded shells. Tons of nitro powder are burned up every week over the traps alone, and when the game season is fairly opened the amount consumed will be nearly ten times as great as now.

## SUPREME COURT RECORDS DESTROYED

### Fire in the National Capitol Building Causes Great Damage.

#### CAUSED BY GAS EXPLOSION

All the Court Records From 1792 to 1832 are a Total Loss.

### CAPITOL ITSELF SCORCHED BY FIRE

Loss to the Building Will Amount to \$200,000 While the Loss to the Records Cannot Be Figured in Money.

Washington, Nov. 8.—An explosion and fire at 5:15 o'clock yesterday afternoon wrecked the supreme court room and the rooms immediately adjoining it on the main floor of the capitol. The damage is enormous. The entire central-entrance part of the great marble pile, from the main floor to the subterranean basement practically is a mass of ruins. The force of the explosion was so heavy that the coping stones and the outer walls just east of the point where the explosion occurred were bulged out nearly two inches; windows in all that part of the building were blown out and locked doors were forced from their hinges quite two feet from the sills.

Fire in the explosion so quickly as to seem simultaneous with it. The explosion shook the immense structure to its foundation, and was heard several squares from the capitol. It occurred in a small room tightly enclosed by heavy stone walls in the subterranean basement immediately below the main entrance to the old capitol building. In this room was a 500-light gas meter, which was fed by a 4-inch main. Very little gas is used in that part of the building, but at the time of the explosion the gas had not been turned off at the meter. The meter itself was wrecked, and the gas pouring from the main caught fire. The flames darted up the shaft of the elevator, which had been completely destroyed by the force of the explosion, and communicated with the record room of the supreme court, the office of the marshal and the supreme court library. Before the flames could be subdued the priceless documents in the record room had been almost destroyed, and serious damage had been done in the marshal's office and some minor rooms in the immediate vicinity.

#### Supreme Court Records Burned.

The library of the supreme court, located immediately below the supreme court room, was badly damaged by fire, smoke and water, practically destroying the great collection of law reference books. The library contains about 20,000 volumes, and was used not only by the justices of the supreme court, but by the members of congress and lawyers practicing before the supreme court.

Justice Harlan said that the library was very valuable. Many of the works it contained would, he thought, be difficult to replace. Librarian Clarke, after a cursory examination, necessarily made the opinion that many of the books could be saved, although they had been badly drenched by water.

The most serious damage, in the opinion of the justices of the supreme court, is to the records stored in the sub-basement. These included all of the records of the supreme court from 1792 to 1832. The room contains records of cases and opinions rendered by the fathers of the judiciary of the government. Apparently the documents in this room are either totally destroyed or so badly damaged by fire and water as to be useless. Justice Harlan said that while the loss of the records was irreparable, it was fortunate that the later records of the court, which are kept in the office of the clerk on the main floor, were not injured. As documents for reference at this time and later, Justice Harlan thought these were of far greater value than the records destroyed. Fortunately the clerk's office was not in the least damaged by fire and the explosion did no damage in it except to slow out one window.

#### Some May Be Saved.

James McKenna, clerk of the supreme court, expressed the hope, after making an examination of the old record room, that some at least of the documents, priceless from the viewpoint of the historian, could be saved. Last night, however, owing to the inadequate lighting facilities in that portion of the building where the explosion and fire occurred, it was impossible for him to make an intelligent or thorough investigation of the damage. The supreme court room was damaged principally by water and smoke, the fire not reaching that point. Adjoining the court room, however, both the marshal's offices and the senate barber shops furnished food for the flames.

With the crypt archway over the meter room was completely blown out and great masses of masonry torn from the floor were hurled to the ceiling with such force as to burst the stone and plaster of the walls above. Ponderous stones were wrenched from their resting places, and throughout the corridors the frescoing on the ceilings and walls was utterly ruined. No damage was done to the main foundations of the building.

#### Art Works Destroyed.

Among the losses which will be most bitterly regretted are those of busts of Chief Justice Marshall and other distinguished members of the supreme court, which were arranged on small pedestals about the supreme court chamber. These valuable works of art were either badly damaged or wholly destroyed. Many of them have been treasured as exhibits in the supreme court chamber for half a century.

The capitol building has been damaged a number of times before by fire, but it is believed that last night's fire will prove to be the most disastrous in the history of the building. On two occasions prior to this fire have been started by explosions of gas.

No intelligent estimate of the money lost by the explosion and fire can yet be made. In the opinion of capitol officials and mechanics who examined the structure last night the loss will reach possibly \$200,000 to the building. The loss on the library and records is stated above and can scarcely be estimated in dollars and cents. A million dollars cannot replace them because many of them no duplicates are in existence.

#### Arrangements were completed at once by Librarian Clarke of the supreme court and Col. Richard Bright, sergeant at arms of the senate, by which the sittings of the supreme court will not be interrupted. The court will convene today in the room of the senate committee of the District of Columbia, one of the most spacious rooms in the capitol. How long the sessions will be held there will be determined by the justices themselves.

## MARIA TERESA LOST AT SEA

### Former Spanish Cruiser Again in the Bosom of the Deep.

Charleston, S. C., Nov. 8.—The oceaning Merritt put in here this morning for supplies and reported the loss of the cruiser Maria Teresa off Salvador, Bahamas, November 1, in a storm. The Maria Teresa was sunk by the American warships near Santiago July 3 with the rest of Cervera's fleet and was raised by Lieutenant Hobson and started for Norfolk, Va., to be fully repaired. She left Caimanera, Cuba, October 30. She had already passed Cape Mayst and started northeast around the Bahamas. A furious storm, the warning of which had been sent out, overtook her and she was unable to weather it. The strain opened rents in her hull which had been patched to enable her to make the journey, and she began to fill rapidly. The Merritt took off Captain Merritt and crew and she soon went down. The Merritt brought the captain and 136 men, who will proceed north by rail. No lives were lost so far as is known. The Merritt is at quarantine.

#### News Heard at Washington.

Washington, Nov. 8.—The navy department has received a dispatch from Lieutenant Commander Harris, who was with the Maria Teresa when she left Caimanera, saying he reached Charleston last night on the wrecking tug Merritt with the officers and fifty-eight men, formerly the crew of the Teresa. The cruiser was lost about thirty miles north of San Salvador Tuesday last during a northeast gale of exceptional violence.

Commander Harris' dispatch was as follows: "Charleston, Nov. 5.—Secretary of the Navy, Washington: Arrived here last night in steamer Merritt with all of crew of Infanta Maria Teresa, abandoned in heavy northeast November 1, thirty miles north of San Salvador. Have fifty-eight enlisted men.

(Signal) "Harris." Upon receipt of the news the officers of the navigation bureau consulted charts to locate the scene of the disaster. The first glance satisfied them that the last had been seen of the ill-fated Maria Teresa. As near as they could calculate the vessel lies in 2,600 fathoms of water, or nearly three miles.

The Spanish cruiser Infanta Marie Teresa left Guantanamo bay for Norfolk navy yard last Sunday night in tow of the Vulcan and Merritt, and was conveyed to Cape Mayst by the Cincinnati and Leonidas. She was one of the finest cruisers in the Spanish navy and the pride of Cervera's fleet.

The work of raising the cruiser was done under the direction of Naval Constructor Hobson by the Merritt Wrecking company at a cost to the government of nearly a quarter of a million of dollars.

The cruiser cost Spain about \$3,000,000, and the navy department expected to expend about \$1,000,000 in putting her in shape for service.

## THEATER BUILDING COLLAPSES

### Six Bodies Were Recovered and About Twenty-Five Men Are Seriously Injured.

Detroit, Mich., Nov. 8.—The roof of the new Wonderland theater collapsed this afternoon, carrying down the iron galleries of the structure and a great mass of scaffolding and debris. Some twenty-five men were working under the collapsed parts of the structure, and scarcely any of these seem to have escaped injury. The bodies of six dead men have already been recovered. Several others were fatally injured. The side wall of the four-story structure is bulging threateningly, and the front, although upright, is considered dangerous.

Ambulance surgeons say that fifteen are certainly dead, and eight are known to be injured. It is supposed the accident was caused by the removal of the temporary wooden braces supporting the roof. The instant the last one was taken down the roof collapsed, carrying everything down with it into the basement, including the workmen.

## Those Girls at Golden's

Everybody knew that the Golden's couldn't get a girl to stay, or one that would suit them if she would stay. That was the family worry from January to December—how to secure competent help. A few girls stayed the month out, some only half a month, the majority a week or less and there had been known cases where the girl left the day after she arrived. It must not be supposed from this that the Golden's were hard people to get along with. Mr. and Mrs. Golden were nice, quiet people of an easy-going nature, and the two daughters were just as affable and good natured as any two girls in the city. Young George Golden was rarely at home except during sleeping hours, and Willie, who attended school daily, did not interfere with the servant girls at all. The family always provided a good table and paid fair wages for help, while the house was not so large as to frighten a girl accustomed to a reasonable amount of work.

But inside of twelve months the Golden family had had English, Welsh, Scotch, Irish, Dutch, Danish, Swedes, Norwegians and colored girls. Those that weren't lazy were dirty or cheery. The English girl was found by Mrs. Golden stretched at full length on the parlor lounge reading a cheap novel, while her work remained untouched around her. The Scotch girl had such a thick brogue that it impeded her utterance and made it almost impossible for her to be understood. The Welsh girl was addicted to drink, and the Irish girl was decidedly too familiar and acted as if she was mistress of the house. The Danish girl didn't speak English at all. The Swedes broke almost everything in the house, including a few commandments, and the two Norwegian girls were lacking in neatness of appearance and general cleanliness. As for the innumerable colored girls that had been employed by the Golden family, they were in the aggregate lazy, dirty, cheeky, parsimonious in the matter of the truth, and generous in the dispensation of groceries and other eatables to their relatives and friends.

The great cardinal-virtue in the Golden household was scrupulous cleanliness, and had that been the prominent characteristic of any one of the girls it is likely that her other shortcomings would have been overlooked and that she might have stayed in the position. As it was, however, the only two of the entire bunch that kept the house even passably clean were slow and always behind with their work.

One day Mrs. Golden returned home from the "Intelligence" office—by the way, why on earth do they call these headquarters of ignorance "Intelligence offices?"—in quite a flutter of excitement.

"I do believe," she declared, as she took off her hat and wrap, and seated herself in her favorite armchair, "I do believe that I have secured the right girl at last."

"Yes, we have heard that very often before," remarked her husband, complacently; "they are always the 'right kind of girls' until they get here, and then they turn out wrong."

"But this one is really different from all the others," said Mrs. Golden.

"Different in what—appearance, manners or accomplishments? Is it impossible for her to oversleep herself in the morning, burn the toast, or tell a lie? Doesn't she break crockery, give cheek, or read novels? Is she fonder of work than of gossiping, or what kind of a freak is she?"

"She's just a plain, ordinary-looking girl, but she's an American first, American we have had yet, remember, Joseph, and she looks clean, moves quickly, and talks well. She wants \$20 a month, which shows that she has a high appreciation of her own worth."

"Oh, they all have that—none of them are too modest in their claims of what they can do. Twenty dollars is a mere bagatelle if she is worth it, but we have not had a girl yet that was worth half of it."

"Well, she's coming this afternoon, and we'll see how she gets on. For my part I believe the girl will give complete satisfaction to us all. I believe I have captured a new gem at last!"

"What's her name?"

"Annie Rooney."

"Good gracious!"

Sure enough Annie Rooney assumed her new duties in the Golden household that afternoon, and somehow there was that in her appearance which inspired confidence in every member of the family as soon as they saw her.

At the table she was a jewel. Little, active, alert—swift to see what was wanted and quick to supply it, she had earned the admiration of all before the evening meal was over. She was up early in the morning, lighted the fire noiselessly, started breakfast on the way, and then commenced to clean the kitchen and everything in it; as she expressed it, the place "wasn't fit to be seen with dirt."

"Joseph," said Mrs. Golden to her husband, shortly after breakfast, "Annie has gone to do the up-stairs work, and I just wish you to come down and look at her kitchen."

Mrs. Golden softly followed his wife down stairs, and the pair quietly tipped into the kitchen. The greasy, grimy look on the walls had disappeared, the paint looked fresh and clean. The tin and agate ware shone brightly, as did all the metal work about the stove and kitchen shelves, the crockery dresser glittered and glistened in the morning sunlight, the linoleum on the floor was spotlessly clean.

"There's her morning's work before breakfast," said Mrs. Golden. "I wonder how ever she did it in the time?"

"Here's the answer," replied her husband, sentimentally, as he pointed to a package that stood near the sink. "The girl is a gem, as you said, my dear—she uses Sapollo."

"But I should think it would take time—"

knows the difference between time and Sapollo."

"What do you mean, Joseph?"

"Time, my dear, was made for slaves—only by the use of Sapollo in housework."

## CONVINCING THE SPANIARDS.

### An English Diver Brought Proof That He Had Visited a Funken Vessel.

James Cassidy, in the St. Nicholas, has an article about diving, entitled "Under the Sea." Mr. Cassidy says: Some of the experiences of the divers are well worth recording, as we soon discovered by a chat with one of them. "I don't know that I've anything particular to tell you," he began, "nothing that you'd consider exciting; now, if I were Lambert, the famous British diver, I could tell you many stories of adventure under the water."

A little coaxing, and we soon prevailed upon the brave fellow to talk about the submarine life.

"I take it," he said, "that pluck and luck help materially in the making of an efficient diver. Some time ago Mr. Lambert and I—Lambert was then Messrs. Siebe & Gorman's chief diver—were sent out to survey a wreck supposed to contain a considerable amount of specie. Spanish divers—brave fellows, and capital men at their art—had been trying before us, but declared that it was quite impossible to reach the hold of the wreck, or even her deck. 'It's a sheer impossibility,' they said."

"Well, it may be," said Lambert; "but I mean to have a try, at all events, now that I've come so far; and so, dressing, he went down. Forty minutes expired, and then came the signal. 'Haul up,' and he was brought to the surface."

"It's all right," he declared; "the gold is there; but there'll be some difficulty in recovering it."

"Meantime the Spaniards were talking together rapidly, and one of our engineers heard their discourse. 'Do you know what they are saying?' he asked. 'It is that Lambert never reached the wreck at all—that he is only pretending to have done so!'"

"'Oh!' exclaimed Lambert, 'so that's their idea. Is it? Well, we'll soon correct that. And in spite of entreaties to the contrary, and the fact that he had been forty minutes under water at an unusual depth, he put on again his diving apparatus, and made a second descent, the Spaniards looking on in amazement."

"Enforcing his way to the steward's pantry, he took from a rack a tea-cloth marked with the name of the ship, and, pushing it into his belt, gave the signal, 'Haul up.' I was keenly watching, and espied the cloth in his belt. Seizing it, I waved it around my head, and the Spaniards, understanding in a moment what had been done, cheered and applauded lustily, subsequently thronging around Lambert and begging a thousand pardons of the brave fellow for their former skepticism. And so belief in English pluck was confirmed."

## Russia's American-Built Warships.

Some details have been made public concerning two war vessels that are to be constructed in Philadelphia for the Russian Government that should be studied by our naval authorities and the naval committees of Congress. The largest vessel is to be a battleship of 12,700 tons displacement, which must maintain a speed of eighteen knots an hour for twelve consecutive hours, with all coal, ammunition and stores on board. Speed must be maintained with ordinary draught, and the coal, ammunition and stores will be greater by 50 per cent. than those carried on any vessel outside of Russia. The other vessel, a cruiser, will have a displacement of 6,500 tons, a speed of twenty-two knots an hour for twelve consecutive hours, and a carrying capacity of 50 per cent. more stores of all kinds than has ever been put into a warship. These vessels will be far superior to any hitherto designed for our navy, and will embody all the lessons taught by Sampson's fight with Cervera.

#### Man's Inhumanity.

"Oh, you needn't talk," said the old-aged wife. "What would you be to-day if it weren't for my money, I'd like to know?"

"I really don't know, my dear," calmly replied the heartless wretch, "but I'm inclined to think I would be a bachelor."

#### Unshaken Confidence.

"It's always pretty safe to judge a man by the company he keeps."

"Oh, I don't know. There are exceptions. My Uncle John's business makes it necessary for him to associate with aldermen a good deal and still I'd trust him with every dollar I've got in the world."

#### His Eccentricity.

"That young Hooper is an enigma to me."

"Why?"

"He has had three poems published in as many different magazines and still keeps on having his hair cut."

#### Not Difficult.

He (indignantly)—I hope I know my own mind!

She (sweetly)—Yes!—You surely ought to know as much as that.—Pick-Me-Up.

#### A Death of Game.

"Hear about Gunning? While out hunting, the other day, he shot a pointer for which he had paid \$25."

"What was the matter—was there no men in the vicinity?"

#### Vienna has lost one of its best-known women authors by the death of Marbarthe Halm. Her most popular works are the novels "Frau Holders' Heart" and "A Feminine Prometheus." She was twice married, but was soon divorced from her second husband.

Hearts may be attracted by assumed qualities, but the affections are only to be fixed by those which are real.—De Moy.

If a pessimist has nothing to worry him he worries about that.

## To Clean Plink Keys.

London Mail: The white ivory keys of a piano should never be cleaned with water, which discolors them. Instead they should be rubbed over with a soft flannel or piece of muslin dipped in oxgall water, which can be obtained at any chemist's, and when the notes are stained or greasy use methylated spirits, gin or diluted whisky.

A simple way of cleaning ivory is as follows: Get some bicarbonate of soda and some hot water. Dip a brush into the water and then into the soda, and rub the ivory with it.

## An American "Blue Grotto."

Science: Many of the beautiful phenomena seen at the celebrated Blue Grotto of the island of Capri are reproduced on a small scale in a cavern at Lakes Minna and New York. This lake is situated on the Shawangunk range of mountains at an elevation of about 1,000 feet. It lies in a basin, excavated in glacial times, about half a mile long and less than a quarter in width, and of depth reaching seventy feet.

The rock on all sides is a white quartzite known as the Shawangunk grit, which rests upon shale, but no outcrop of the latter is visible at the lake. The quartzite is compact to granular, and contains in places pebbles of white quartz. It is very fine grained and has a siliceous admixture, so that it yields to the water very little soluble matter. Bare cliffs rising to the height of 150 feet bound the east side of the lake, while the western shore is well wooded. The cliffs are vertical and fringed at their base by the usual talus, which, however, is made up of blocks of unusual size.

The cavern is a shallow, irregular, rock overhangs the water so as to form a comparatively dark hole, and the space between the under side of the sloping rocks and the water surface is about two feet to not more than two inches. The cavern faces the southwest; it is very irregular in shape, and at one point the roof and walls reverberate in response to the deep blue notes. The water just at the entrance of the cavern is three-three feet deep, and two or three feet deeper at considerable depths.

As the rocks overhang so close to the water, the optical effects can only be seen by a swimmer, and it was while swimming along the shore that I discovered the American blue grotto. The water is clear as one approaches the mouth of the cavern the bluish color of the water is noticeable, but the beautiful effects are first seen by entering the cavern and looking outward toward the light. The water varies in color from Nile green through turquoise blue and sky blue to deep indigo blue, and in all these shades exhibits the silvery appearance characteristic of the characteristic of the grotto at Capri. A body immersed in the water has a beautiful silvery sheen, similar to the reflection of the moonlight on the water. These colors last all hours, but they are strongest when the sun is in the zenith; late in the afternoon the slanting rays of the sun enter the opening and the water glows, greatly diminishing the optical effects.

The water retains the characteristic color (but without the silvery sheen) on cloudy days, and even during rain, being especially bright when the clouds have direct sunlight. The relation between the different hues, green and blue, or the aspect of the sky, whether clear or overcast, is not evident.

Another pleasing phenomenon must be mentioned. Just below the water line, where the rocky sides are lapped by the waves, the white quartzite exhibits a brilliant, iridescent color. This color is limited to a space about three or four inches below the level of the lake and to certain walls of the cavern. The bare arm increased in the water, makes these colors of the green color when the light is reflected at one angle, and of the silvery blue color at another angle. The interior size of the cavern is not easily given, but the fact of the overhanging rocks measures about forty feet and they project about fifteen to twenty feet, and it is surprising that so small a cavern can produce such a variety of fine effects.

## Some Uses of Charcoal.

Philadelphia Record: Foul water is purified by it.

No better known disinfectant can be used.

Tainted meat can be sweetened and purified by its use.

Straw over the skins of birds and animals it will prevent all unpleasant odors.

Charcoal is so porous that it absorbs and condenses gases rapidly.

A teaspoonful added to half a glass of water is a remedy for acidity of the stomach and often relieves sick headache.

It absorbs the gases and relieves the distended stomach pressing against the nerves which extend from the stomach to the head.

Charcoal laid on a burn causes the pain to abate immediately, and by renewing the application will heal and cure—if it is not deep—in a few days.

## Activity of Vesuvius.

Much activity has been caused in Naples by the renewed activity of Mount Vesuvius. There is little likelihood that it will do any serious damage. On the other hand, thousands die daily from stomach disorders, who might have survived had they resorted to Hostetter's Stomach Bitters. It is the greatest tonic for stomach and digestive organs.

Bismarck, Gladstone and Leo XIII were all living when the battle of Waterloo was fought. Bismarck, the youngest of the three, was then an infant of between 2 and 3 months old, Gioachino Pecci was a little more than 5 years old. Gladstone was 5 1/2 years old. To all but one, death, and not "Blucher or night," have come, and Leo XIII is now making his last stand on the Waterloo of life.

It's an awful thing to play poker—unless one plays it exceptionally well.

Kansas is the great cereal raise state of the union. The wheat acreage is admitted and the census states might just as well acknowledge the corn.

Cold weather is just as apt to affect the nerves as any other part of the body, and neuralgia sets in. St. Jacobs Oil is just as certain to cure it as it cures the general pains and aches of the body.

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## Hood's Sarsaparilla

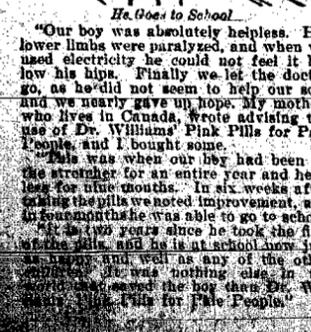
Is America's Greatest Medicine. 61¢ per bottle. Hood's Pills cure all Liver Dills. 25¢ each.

## A FATHER'S STORY.

From the Evening Crescent, Appleton, Wis.  
A remarkable cure from a disease which has generally wrecked the lives of children has attracted much attention among the residents of Appleton.

The case is that of little Willard Creech, son of Richard D. Creech, a well known employer of one of the large paper mills in the Fox River Valley. The lad was attacked by spinal disease and his parents had given up all hope of his ever being well again when, as by a miracle, he was healed and is now in school as happy as any of his mates.

Mr. Creech, the father of the boy, who resides at 1002 Second street, Appleton, Wisconsin, told the following story:



He Goes to School.

"Our boy was absolutely helpless. His lower limbs were paralyzed, and when we used electricity he could not feel it below his hips. Finally we let the doctor go, as he did not seem to improve, and we nearly gave up hope. My mother, who lives in Canada, wrote advising the use of Dr. Williams' Pink Pills for Pale People, and I bought some.

"This was when our boy had been on the stretcher for an entire year and helpless for nine months. In six weeks after taking the pills we noted improvement, and in four months he was able to go to school. At two years since he took the first of the pills, and he is at school now just as happy and well as any of the other boys. It was nothing else in the world that saved the boy, and Dr. Williams' Pink Pills for Pale People.

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In these and later years the population, in spite of an appalling death rate, was steadily increased by fresh supplies from the West Indies and elsewhere; and it grew more rapidly after 1807, when England's share in the slave trade was abolished by act of parliament, and when Sierra Leone again placed under the direct rule of the crown, came to be the principal asylum for captives rescued from illicit slavers, as well as for runaway slaves from the interior. According to the census of 1891, it then contained over 30,000 liberated Africans and their descendants, besides in so much of the territory as was under any sort of settled rule—more than 40,000 other black people and 224 whites.

Mrs. Winslow's **WATER** for children to relieve colic, cure wind, and soothe the stomach, allay pain, cure wind colic. 2c a bottle.

during the last period. The maximum quantity thus far shipped was in the fiscal year 1927, when 1,503,981 barrels, valued at \$2,331,143, were exported, though the greatest value, \$2,407,956 was in 1926.

WANTED—Cases of bad health that will not benefit. Send 5 cents to Rhoan Chemical Co., New York, for 10 pamphlets and 100 testimonials.

A German biologist has calculated that the human brain contains 300,000,000 nerve cells, 5,000,000 of which die and are succeeded by new ones every day. At that rate we get an entirely new brain every sixty days.

Piso's Cure for Consumption has been a God-send to me. Wm. B. McClellan, Chester, Florida, Sept. 17, 1895.

There is still an impression that the American typewriter played too conspicuous a part in the war.

### CONSULTING A WOMAN.

Mrs. Finkham's Advice Inspires Confidence and Hope.

Examination by a male physician is a hard trial to a delicately organized woman.

She puts it off as long as she dare, and is only driven to it by fear of cancer, polypus, or some dreadful ail.

Most frequently such a woman leaves a physician's office where she has undergone a critical examination with an impression, more or less, of discouragement.

This condition of the mind destroys the effect of advice; and she grows worse rather than better. In consulting Mrs. Finkham's Vegetable Compound, I have taken seven bottles of it, and am entirely cured."—Mrs. JOHN FOREMAN, 26 N. Woodbury Ave., Baltimore, Md.

The above letter from Mrs. Foreman is only one of thousands.



Her intimate knowledge of women's troubles makes her letter of advice a wellspring of hope, and her wide experience and skill point the way to health.

"I suffered with ovarian trouble for seven years, and no doctor knew what was the matter with me. I had spells which would last for two days or more. I thought I would try Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound. I have taken seven bottles of it, and am entirely cured."—Mrs. JOHN FOREMAN, 26 N. Woodbury Ave., Baltimore, Md.

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## WINNIE'S TRIUMPH

BY THE AUTHOR OF "FAIRY GOLD."

He had seen Mildred looking brighter, happier, handsomer, many a time than she looked that evening—a belle and beauty in her glistening azure satin and lace and white roses. He hated to see that haughty arrogant smile on her fresh lips, that supercilious droop of those haughty white eyelids which was becoming so habitual. She looked fevered and restless, for all her beauty and gaiety. He hated to think of gay, high-spirited, proud, warm-hearted, beautiful young Mildred being transformed into one of those cold, handsome, heartless, fashionable women whom Madam Vivian appeared to consider the perfection of high-bred womanhood. He hated to see Henry, Lord Mountrevor, with his arm around that girlish supple waist—a man he knew to be an effeminate dandy and a rascal of the gracefully-immoral, elegantly-knavish type, with no brains enough to be a very great or clever knave, but with inclination enough to be addicted to a great deal of knavery and immorality of a rose-water-perfumed, rose-color-veiled quality, and with intelligence and ability enough to enable him to keep the outside of his own particular sepulchre fairly whitened. There was not any great or particular wickedness in the polished nobleman, nor any particular good worth mentioning, save his intense and faithful admiration of Mildred Tredennick. But Stephen Tredennick hated to think of his beautiful young cousin's bartering herself for a share of that man's name, and being crowned with the glory of a coronet from his hand.

Perhaps she knew what was passing in the Captain's thought, from that calm, grave expressive face of his, and the anxious looks that followed her from his kind dark eyes. Certain it is that of the three dandies she had promised him, Stephen got but one, and then Mildred went down to supper at Lord Mountrevor's arm. Afterwards her cousin caught but an occasional glimpse of the brilliant, excited face and tall, slim figure—in pauses of the dance, in momentary smiling encounters in the large, well-lit saloons, through the flower-laden branches of exotics and the misty perfume of air, amid the gleam and glow, and flash and glitter, with the soft, sweet, measured, ringing music throbbing in unison with every pulse of gladness in one's being, until the gray summer dawn crept through the curtained windows, and the rolling away of carriages with their occupants left the great saloons more sparsely filled, and bare spaces of floor here and there and deserted niches in corridors and boudoir showed the floss and jetsam of the ebbing tide—faded flowers, scraps of ribbon and lace, long remnants of tulle, a dropped cobweb of a gauzy handkerchief, spangles and trinkets. The tide ebbed away faster with the first tremulous golden rays of the new day, and presently the last ball of the season was over.

"Thank goodness, it is over!" said Stephen Tredennick, with relief, as he followed his aunt and cousin, carefully escorted by Lord Mountrevor, to the waiting carriage, and saw the peer, as he pressed Mildred's hand, petition quite fascinatingly for a gift which she seemed scarcely willing to give, though it was but one drooping white rose from her fading bouquet. But he obtained it, nevertheless, and as Mildred watched him bowing and smiling, with the soft white rose drooping in his hand as they drove away, her cousin saw a quick, passionate revulsion of look and manner come over the girl as she took the rest of the flowers from the gold bouquet, and flung them far beyond on the street pavement from the carriage window.

Madam Vivian had fallen asleep, muffled up in a crimson downy-wadded *surfit au bol*, and there was none but Stephen Tredennick to see.

"Why did you do that, Mildred?" he asked, gravely, almost sternly.

"The brilliance and glow and pride were fast fading from the girl's weary pale face. Her bright eyes filled with sudden tears at her cousin's question.

"I was sorry I gave him one," she said, with a contemptuous backward glance and gesture toward Hollingsley house.

"They were Bertie's favorites. He gave me a cluster of them one evening, just before he went away. He liked white roses better than any other flowers—Bertie did."

CHAPTER XVIII.

The dew-drops were beading the long waving grass, and glittering tremulously on the rustling ivy leaves, which shook off the translucent gems, in a passing breeze, down upon the fresh, rose-tinted faces of the little daisies beneath, scarce unclouded as yet to the warm smile of the sunlight. The blossoms of the dewy white roses stirred softly, too, and the perfumed liquid of their suavely chaliced droppings on the thirsty leaves of the purple-flowered wild geranium, that clustered in shrub-like scented masses of downy leaves and lilac-stained petals.

But the birds were silent in the shadow of the elm-trees; chirp and song and fluttering gladness alike were hushed. The feathered occupants waited, watching in fear and surprise, to see the final issue of the strange invasion of that sunny, peaceful corner by the elm trees, where the white roses and purple geraniums had bloomed in wild luxuriance for so many years, where the dark clustering ivy twined and crept over the mossy wall, and the pink-tipped daisies starred the sod—the sunny, peaceful corner in the old English cemetery of the town of Winston, State of Massachusetts, United States of America.

Unwonted and strange the invasion appeared, for the peace and quiet of that little, old, out-of-the-way cemetery and its weed-grown, flower-grown graves was seldom disturbed by the arrival of another occupant for one of the many narrow homes in that silent land. More seldom still was one brought to the sunny corner beneath the elm trees—the stranger's corner—where the bones of a score of shipwrecked emigrants from English homes far over the sea had been lying more than forty years.

Yet was one coming now, for the new home—oh, so narrow, so dark, so cheerless—was prepared, and the pink-tinged daisies and tender dewy grasses, cut and strewed away, drooped and died, heralding the arrival of the new tenant to his home. Presently a group of dark-clothed men had gathered, and one, robed in white, with open book, solemnly gave possession to the new occupant of his six feet of earth in the God's-acre of the sunny old cemetery. Then the small group of men laid the stranger down in that strange home in a foreign land, with a few signs and grave sad looks, but no tears, no sob, no pallid beaded faces; there were only a

few grave, sober men—no women, save one, and she was weeping. The hour was early, the cemetery was distant from the town; no women were there, save this one, who was young and pale and fair, and wore fresh mourning tokens, and quietly wept behind her thick black veil.

She had a cluster of beautiful dewy white roses, buds, and half-blown blossoms in her hand; and, as the men prepared to lower the oak coffin, with its burnished plate flashing in the rays of the morning sun, down, down from the flowers and sunshine, the stirring blossoms, the glittering dew-drops, the breath of the sweet summer morning's life, into the dank, deep, silent place appointed, she pushed gently forward.

"If you please, sir, will you let me—if you please, sir?" she begged timidly of the quiet, gentlemanly young man before her.

"Certainly—I beg your pardon," he said, stepping back with alacrity, and glancing with quiet interest at the slender, girlish figure in the dark dress, and with the cluster of white fragrant flowers.

The oak coffin was at her feet as she moved into the vacated place, and, kneeling beside it, she laid the dewy branches of roses round the name-plate. She kept back one half-blown flower, and it was wet with the fast-falling tears that were dropping on the coffin ere she could hide it beneath her veil.

Then the adjusted ropes were lowered, and the coffin and its white roses soon were lying down there where light and life and love could come no more until the Resurrection morning.

"A friend of yours, I suppose?" the gentleman asked, with much courteous sympathy.

"I never saw him—never knew anything about him until he was dead," answered Winifred Caerlyon; "but, oh, I am sure some one knows him and loves him far away in England, and I came for their sakes!"

Someone knew him and loved him of a surety—that handsome fair-haired lad, who lay beneath that coffin lid in his lonely grave, with Winifred Caerlyon's white roses encircling his name—

ALBERT HARDINER.  
AGED 22.  
ENSIGN IN HER BRITANNIC MAJESTY'S 8-TH REGIMENT OF FOOT  
DIED JULY 29, 1895.

Just in the dawning that had closed the last ball of the season!

CHAPTER XIX.

As one that had passed away from their world for ever, yet keeping their memories of her fresh and living by messages of love, by words and deeds of thoughtful affection, with her gentle presence, her patient endurance, her cheerful laboriousness, so constantly and unavoidably missed, "sister Winnie," faraway in North America, became to the younger members of the Caerlyon family a dreamy, mythical personage, to be invested with all manner of attributes and perfections, very lovable and desirable, and much to be respected, but mythical. Although she did send home those bank-bills to "mother," that put her in such a good temper for the whole day, and the picture-papers to Sarah Matilda and Tommy, still she was mythical. "Sister Winnie," who used to bake the bread, and wash their faces, and curl Sarah Matilda's hair, to be away there in that pink-bordered country just where the edge of the atlas-map came, with the cold, blue-colored Atlantic by its side—impossible!

It was understood on all hands that there never was anybody—never could be anybody—half so clever, so accomplished, as that long-lost mythical "sister Winnie"; and, strangely enough, Winnie's once harsh step-mother and task-mistress never disparaged this ideal by word or deed.

On the contrary, Sarah Matilda, now a smart, self-willed, high-tempered, pretty girl, blooming into "the maiden-blossoms of her teens," grew disheartened sometimes with herself and her endeavors, in comparison with all the related achievements and perfections she was so often reproachfully reminded of as belonging solely to that banished elder sister. Did she forget a message, there was a running comment on the worthlessness of "heedless maids" accompanying the lamentation of regret for the "nice, quiet, careful ways" of the sister who never forgot—"no, not if she was sent for five-and-twenty times together!" (Mrs. Elizabeth Anne Caerlyon's "nagging" powers had not diminished in the least.) Did incipient womanly vanity prompt Sarah Matilda to passionately desire fashionable hats and white feathers therein, and urge her mother to the extravagant purchase, she received scolding homilies without number relative to "your poor sister Winnie, who never asked an inch of cloth she could do without."

Madam of Roseworthy, when she mentally compared her self-willed, proud, handsome niece disadvantageously with her poor little summarily-dismissed companion, was not alone in the remorseful rendering of justice to patient Winnie Caerlyon.

She had had time to recall the sterling memories of her gentleness, kindness, and long-suffering—she had had time to remember the sweet low voice that was heard no more, the sweet pale face that she could never see—she had had time to think of these things in seven years—of late years even more than at first.

And so came to pass the truth—strange and strangely flattering, as the meed awarded to her for the first time in her life, as the long-due reward freely and fully offered—that Winnie Caerlyon was sorely missed, was deeply regretted, though seven years of absence had made her memory like a dream of the dead and gone.

"What ages ago it seems since poor little Winnie Caerlyon used to run over every second evening to read to me and play for me—poor little thing!" Madam Vivian remarked, late one cold dark evening in February.

She was sipping the favorite buff tea from her favorite cup of pale buff and gold evening china, and with jeweled fingers, dimpled more deeply but less white-fair than of yore, daintily crumbling—after her usual fashion—the mere morsels of cake; she sighed as she spoke, glancing across the table at her vis-a-vis.

"Trewhehlla reads to you, does she not, Madam?" inquired the vis-a-vis carelessly.

"Trewhehlla!" said Madam, with a shrug. "Yes, sometimes. She has no notion of modulation or expression, poor woman! A dexter resort when my eyes ache, I assure you, my dear. It is not much more pleasure to me to listen to her reading than it is for her to read. A woman of her class, at forty-five years of age, has long out-grown the time when love-stories and romances are interesting; still she fancies it keeps up her dignity."

Her dignity! echoed the vis-a-vis, with a kind of lecherous scorn. "What have people of her class to do with dignity, I wonder? You pay her wages to make her

self-useful and agreeable to you, just as you used to pay Winnie Caerlyon to make herself useful and agreeable; and when she ceased to do so you dismissed her, I believe."

"I never dismissed her," said Madam, with peevish protest—"that is, not finally, you know. I meant to take her back—I have said so dozens of times."

"Oh, yes—I know," returned Madam's vis-a-vis, the lecherous scorn glimmering in a cold smile; "and, whilst you were deliberating about the possibility of forgiving her heinous offences, she fled out of the country. The little fool, she should have waited until you thought proper to remember her existence!"

"She should!" cried Madam, sharply, and it seemed defiantly, in the face of that haughty mocking smile. "She should have been more grateful and docile—I had been a good friend to Winnie for three years before, from the time her father came to Tolgooth. She should not have treated me so unkindly."

"There was a nun on Madam's face and there were tears in her eyes, the brightness of which was a good deal dimmed. Her brow grew lined, and the wrinkles in her fine skin deepened; and, as she sank back rather heavily in her cushioned chair, it could be seen that handsome Madam Vivian was growing an old woman very fast.

"I never intended to forget or forsake her—I meant quite to adopt her in time," she resumed, complainingly. "I always treated her like a lady, and required my servants to do so, too. Winnie treated me very ill, I think."

"Possibly," observed the other, in the same cool measured way; "there is no such thing as gratitude to be found, you know, I don't see why you should trouble yourself to remember a young person who was so forgetful of your extraordinary benefits. She was designing, and forgetful of her humble station, too, you recollect."

"I don't recollect anything of the kind!" Madam retorted, the cold measured voice, the barbed, mocking, polite assurances seeming to goad her. "I am well aware that there is no such thing as gratitude to be found—your ladyship has no need to remind me of it; but I don't believe poor little Winnie was anything worse than a foolish, simple-hearted child; and, if I had advised her in kindness and confidence, I believe there would have been an end of it. She was always a truthful, honorable little girl."

Madam had wiped away three or four angry tears while she spoke—seven years before her nerves would not have been so easily shaken. But neither tears nor anger seemed to ruffle the composed face and smile and voice of the "ladyship" she addressed.

"But there was another person in the case, I understand," she persisted, smiling, lying back in her chair to face Madam, more directly, and fanning herself slowly; "and there might not have been an end of it in the way you would have wished, Madam. It was much the better plan to dismiss her—send her packing, as housekeepers say. She is safely gone now—never to return."

"Madam's eyes shot a quick flash of indignation, and her lips parted; but a second glance at the calm, haughty face, the mocking smile playing about the downcast eyelids and sharply-cut lips, the indolent repose of the figure and the play of the fan, stopped the indignant reproof trembling on her lips. She turned her head away, and gazed unsteadily at the fire for a few moments; then she half turned round and addressed her companion with an attempt at composure and indifference that was rather a failure.

"Did you tell me that you had heard 'from Lord Henry this morning?"

"Yes," the lady replied, arching her eyebrows slightly, in a tone the perfection of indifference; "and, as you have reminded me of domestic relations, I had better look after Lord Henry's heir—though Jeanneton decidedly ignores any claims or directions of mine with reference to her spoiled pet."

There was a subdued gliding rustle as the heavy silken folds of a train of lustrous dark blue swept softly over the carpet, and the tall, imperially-moulded figure of the wearer passed out through the doorway, and Madam was left alone.

"Yes, gone—gone, never to return!" she muttered, half aloud, shaking her head; and the brilliant freight shone on a very lined and sad old face.

Despite the silvery curls, the careful head-dress, the silks and laces and diamond rings—yes, even the dainty kid, rosetted, gold-buckled shoes as of yore—Madam Vivian looked an old, weary, sorrowful, lonely woman, as she sat there in the luxurious green drawing room, in the restless glow and blaze of the firelight, and the steady, clear luminousness of her favorite wax-lights, listening to the steady roll and crash of the waves out by the Black Reef of Tregurthen Head, as she had done these many, many years alone.

(Continued Next Week.)

### Drivers on London Streets.

As a rule, the carelessness of the driver varies somewhat in proportion to the invulnerability of the vehicle that he drives. The driver of the hansom cab, though he often outrivals Jehu in the speed and fury of his driving; is always on the alert and rarely fails to pull up his horse in midcareer and avoid the collision which threatens him. To travel swiftly, to cut in and out of slower carriages, is the life of the hansom. We engage it for that purpose and its driver seldom disappoints us. But the hansom is an extremely vulnerable vehicle; even in collision with the four-wheeler it will surely fare the worse. Hence it comes about that the driver of a hansom keeps a sharp lookout for obstacles and prefers pulling his horse on his haunches to running over even the innocent foot passenger.

It is curious that, with all their speed, both hansom and butchers' carts—by far the swiftest of the wheeled denizens of our streets—have fewer accidents laid to their accounts than their slower fellows. The omnibus driver is also of a careful nature. He, too, conducts a carriage that cannot go into action with impunity. The omnibus can afford to bully the hansom or the brougham but it dare not jostle the van of its own size. And as regards foot passengers, the driver has a natural tenderness toward an unprotected race who supply him with fares.—The Spectator.

Drinkwater—What a fool you are, Jagster, to waste so much money on whisky! Supposing you only spend 25 cents a day, that would be \$90 at the end of the year. Jagster—Would it, though? I believe I'll quit. Great Scott! what a high old time a fellow could have on \$90!—Judge.

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### Barefoot Children.

Philadelphia Press: It is no unusual thing this summer to meet the "barefoot boy" at every turn among the smart set: Master Millionaire has discarded shoes and stockings for the hot weather and trudges through country grass and over seashore sand in the full blissfulness of barefootedness.

This is an encroachment on the custom which has prevailed in the south for many years. There the children of the best families run unshod all through the summer. Far from making their feet large and unshapely, as some have supposed, this freedom from footwear allows natural development and prevents troubles of the feet. Ane tall and graceful southern woman, who never knew a summer in shoes until she was half grown, wears a double A, a size which anyone might envy, for few feet are narrow enough to carry it.

The healthfulness of this new fad is undoubted. The principles of air baths are contained in it; all the foundations of physical culture are its footholds. A radical physician has lately declared that infants ought not to be burdened with any clothing at all for a time, so that their little bodies could absorb all the oxygen possible. The barefooted child in summer is a grown up edition of this scheme.

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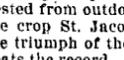
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The story that "Joe" Letter, the young financier and brother-in-law of the new Indian viceroy, is to become a hotel proprietor and run the average hotel has been received with a smile and much doubt by those who know him. The hotel in question is one at which his mother and sisters always stop when in New York, and is, owing to its western origin, known as "Little Chicago." It is said that Mrs. Curzon's health is in such a condition as not to allow her to accompany her husband to India, and she will remain in England until spring.

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RAILROAD TIME TABLE.

Table with columns: EAST, G. St. P., M. & O., WEST. Rows: Sioux City Passenger, Sioux Falls Passenger, Way Freight, BLOOMFIELD BRANCH, LEAVE, ARRIVE.

The "I told you so's" are not reaping their annual crop.

Tuesday was cold and dreary. The regulation election day.

Explanations are now in order, but some of them are out of order.

The Spanish war ships were evidently used to being in "soak."

"Daily Drift" means refuse and that is what you can get in the State Journal.

The word politics should be defined as "cigars, beer, whiskey, boodle and bribery."

The daily papers will now have to devote more space to the prize fighters and foot-ball casualties.

The Trans-Mississippi is dead. That is no doubt why it now makes such a stench. The coroner neglected to properly embalm it.

It may be possible for the board of investigation on the war to bring out some truths regarding Algerism now that election is over.

After all Spain's honor seems to have been of the same brand as our illustrious and notorious, Mark Hanna, simply a matter of \$\$\$, \$\$\$, \$\$\$.

One of our hardware men says he likes to be in the midst of a hot campaign. The populists "nail so many republican lies it makes the nail business brisk."

The Sioux City Journal is authority for the statement that the people of that town are looking for some fatie celebrities. Sioux City needs something of that sort to let the outside world know she is still on the map.

On election day Bixby, the professional liar of the State Journal, said: "No matter what parties they belong to, all politicians are alike." There is just as much truth in the statement as Bixby ever puts into any of his "Daily Drift."

Business will improve in Wayne from now on. The Omaha show was a big advertisement for the state but it also made a big deficit in the business of the smaller towns. Again it may prove a good lesson for those who patronize the department stores.

E. C. Rewick, in his talk at Wakefield Saturday night said he had just met Eugene Moore, the defaulter, on the train, and that he had asked Moore why he didn't give away the politicians of the state who had robbed him of the state funds, and of his character. Moore replied, so stated Rewick, that there was a day of reckoning coming and the people of this state would know the truth, the whole truth; that when certain indictments were settled and he was again a free man, he intended to relieve his conscience, and that the guffy ones should bear their share of the bur-

tion, President McKinley is mighty right in acknowledging that his administration was "compelled to take up the sword in the cause of humanity."

It was the Democratic party which thus compelled the McKinley administration. Its urgent demand that the awful sufferings of oppressed Cuba be no longer permitted at our very doors were for many months denounced by the Republican party as an incendiary attempt to plunge this country into a bloody war. But it bravely and humanely persisted until, at last, the facts of Cuba's appalling martyrdom becoming overwhelmingly apparent, the cautious and timorous Republicans could no longer resist public sentiment, and war with the tryant-Spain was declared.

The glory of that war, as it redounds to the good of humanity belongs to the Democratic party. But the thanksgiving for what it has accomplished in the way of

freeing an oppressed people should be participated in by all the people of this great country or of the civilized world, for that matter. A fine and noble thing has been done—let us hope without ulterior motives of territorial conquest and imperial expansion—and the nation which has done it should be grateful to the Almighty for being chosen as the instrument of his benignant will.

Democrats and Republicans alike should join themselves in thanksgiving on Thursday Nov. 24, as invited to do by President McKinley. Republicans should not hang back because of the facts that the special reason for thanksgiving arises from Democratic insistence upon this nation's doing its duty by a smaller and downtrodden nation.—Republican.

"Success," the new monthly magazine that has met with such great success of an enviable sort, is on Dec. 1st to become a weekly publication. It is perhaps the best periodical published to drive away the "blues," give the reader of it ambition, self-culture and self-control. If you need a literary tonic try Success.

In the "good old days now gone by," a Maroon might have as many wives as he pleased, but few had more than two, on account of the expense, for on making a present to one wife the husband was obliged to bestow a gift of equal value on each of the others. When a girl was old enough to be married it was usual for their parents to kill a pig to make a feast for their neighbors, rum flowed plentifully and the people amused themselves dancing and singing. Each guest was expected to place a small piece of money in the girl's mouth. This entertainment was the intimation on the part of the family that the eligible young men might come forward with their suits. The girl's debut in Maroon parlance was called "she hab killed hog!"—North American Review.

Sam Jones says that he finds that the devil is just before him in every city that he visits. Of course. He's the only fellow that Sam can't beat.

We are now looking to see Spain give up Madrid.

SUPERINTENDENT'S NOTICE.

I will be in the office Mondays and Saturdays. Examinations the third Saturday of each month and Friday preceding.



The drummer who tries to talk a merchant into purchasing a bill of goods may be handicapped by a face rendered unsightly by pimples and blotches and by a foul breath. Some men imagine that bad health does not handicap them in business. A bigger mistake may be the biggest kind of a detriment to a business man. An unsightly skin is caused by impurities of the blood. A foul breath means a weak stomach, an impaired digestion and an inactive liver. A sweet breath means that the stomach is sweet, the digestion good, the liver active and the bowels regular. It is an indication of a thoroughly constitutional sweetness. Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery strengthens the stomach, facilitates the flow of digestive juices, gives edge to the appetite, makes digestion and assimilation perfect, invigorates the liver and purifies and enriches the blood. It is the great blood-maker and flesh-builder. It is the great blood-purifier. It makes the eye brighter, the skin clearer, the breath sweeter and the step more elastic. It imparts both mental and bodily activity. It cures all diseases resulting from impurities in the blood. Found at all medicine stores.

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**FROM MANILA**

Another Interesting Letter From Elmer Lundburg.

MANILA, P. I., Sept. 18th, 1898. Special to THE HERALD: I am writing this letter at Salvation Army quarters, to take advantage of its accommodations. This is the only society that has established reading rooms here as yet. These are cool and pleasant quarters. I received some mail via Hong Kong on British battleship Powerful, the largest war vessel afloat.

News is a very scarce article here. We are compelled to wait for Frisco papers, and to think, it is forty-five days since we got one of them,—that is, the last one was that old today.

Products on these islands have no market,—your home-papers are full in their descriptions of them. I have been asked what prospects were for money-making here. Well, it is this,—opportunities in retail business of any kind are exceedingly slim; the Chinese have crowded the city with their little joints and sell everything imaginable and at a price no white man could live on, in competition. Exporters undoubtedly have good opportunities, but it requires large capital and those running steamship lines would have a decided advantage. The only chance is as leaders in the development of resources and means of production, as well as utilizing the mineral deposits which no doubt are rich. It is unsafe for a single man any distance from Manila because the people are comparatively wild, and only large bodies of men could make explorations.

The climate is not adapted to people from a temperate climate. Few Spaniards remain here more than five years.

Tuesday, Sept. 20—I picked up a couple of Chicago Daily Records of July 28 and 29, so that is where my time was spent instead of writing.

I am writing at barracks. This is a big custom house storeroom. We had bales of manila hemp for bunks at first, now we have regular cots, constructed of hard wood, topped with heavy canvas. The floor is of stone, and the windows are heavy wooden doors inside and iron bars outside, hence the building from without has the appearance of a prison, in fact, all the houses look like jails. Our building is about forty feet high, the second story being only a sort of a gallery around the wall. When lying in my cot I see above me the roof, which is of galvanized corrugated iron. When it rains, as it often does in torrents for a whole night, the noise on the roof is simply fearful. But it is nice to listen to that noise, than to feel the water all over you as we did at Camp Dewey. So while these quarters are not as beautiful as those of other regiments, they are cool and pleasant, and I believe in the most favored location in the city; for it is the center of activity, right along the wharves, which are crowded from early morn till night by hordes of Chinese and natives loading and unloading ships and barges.

Large steamers taking as much as twenty-two feet of water can come up Pasig river almost to the bridge and tie to the wharf. The wharves are built of granite and form the right bank of the river, being built downward from twenty-five to thirty feet, filled in, and paved over with cobble stones. The opposite bank of the river from the fort of the walled city, past the Lunetta, out into the bay, is constructed likewise. So the Pasig river is confined to its banks as it enters the bay, but the tides often reach the tops of the wharves and then again it is almost ten feet to water. There are a score of sailing vessels and a dozen big steamships that ply the China sea to Hong Kong lying at anchor in the stream now. Flags of every European and Asiatic nation fly from ships in the bay as well as from over buildings in the city.

The Chinese, Japanese, and English, as well as people of other countries, who have settled in Manila, have gathered themselves in different parts of the city, and each live in the styles and keep up the customs and habits peculiar to their native country. So one might travel through quite a number of lands and yet see but little more than can be found right here. Manila with all its European, oriental,—and

**BY DAD.**

"How does it feel to be a father, Goldie?" asked one of my former out-all night acquaintances, the other day. "Feel?" I replied, "well, the only way to properly appreciate the situation is to try it. You'll get more exercise and less sleep than if you were a candidate for president of the United States and the Philippine Islands. It gets a fellow out on the carpet from 9:00 o'clock to 12:30 every night, and that is only a fraction of what I may be able to tell you when I get a divorce from my wife."

A good joke is told on a prominent physician of the town who recently called one evening at the home of a neighbor to escort his better-half home from a hen party. The ladies present, having been apprised of the doctor's coming, hastily transposed the good lady's costume to another guest of equal proportions. Capes and shawls were donned, the goodnights said, and the man of medicine started briskly for home with the wife of a stockman. You only need to pass a remark upon the condition of the weather to get a smoke on the doctor.

Here's a new yarn from Georgia that bids for consideration from other states. The people down there have become so wicked that it was found necessary to introduce stringent measures that would serve as a warning to others. So once a year the people of the state take a vote on who is the meanest man, the one getting the most votes to be hung on February 1st. It is an awfully good thing for the owner of Wayne's stockyards that there is no such custom in vogue in this state. But then perhaps hanging wouldn't affect the gentleman, for they say he got used to that sort of thing before moving to Wayne.

Hon. C. A. Berry, member of the state legislature of '96-7, who gained much prominence as chairman of the ways and means committee on sweeping and spitoon cleaning, says that if the DEMOCRAT will just mention that Neis Grimsley is agent for the Oliver typewriter, he, Berry, would have shoals of fun over it. I asked Mr. Berry a quarter of a dollar for giving him so much amusement, but he couldn't see it that way. It made me think of a party who came into this sanctum once upon a time and said, while he gasped for breath: "Say, Goldie, I've got some news for your paper. I wanted to buy some frog — and he wouldn't trust me for it. Just give him a h—ll of a roast, but be — sure you don't get my name mixed up in it."

About the hottest political meeting I ever attended was held in Wakefield last Saturday night. E. C. Rewick, superintendent of the Lincoln asylum, was the speaker, and the way he threw the hot shot into the rotten republican party of this state was a caution. It is an actual fact that republicans who sat out the meeting had the cold perspiration oozing from their faces. Mr. Rewick talked cold facts from the records. He hit the republican hoodlums right between the eyes. He proved that Bartley and Moore were only ordinary republicans, after all. Every republican state official was of the Bartley stamp, and the State Journal was one of the biggest hoodlums in the bunch. This same thieving propensity did not stop with the officials of the state, but permeated to the g. o. p. dictators in the counties. The speaker had several samples of state printing done by contract with the State Journal, and similar work done since Fishy's cow. Spot, went dry. On books that the Journal received over \$6000 copy, they were now printed for 65 cents. A job that had been done at a cost of over \$3,000 was now gotten by contract for \$1,250 making a total of over \$20,000 stolen from the state in two years. But what the Journal Co. got was small compared to the gigantic frauds in school lands, in the state treasury, in the state institutions that by next thousands of tons of coal in July and August. Mr. Rewick was a republican for over twenty years and was one of the first men in the state to go back on the hoodlums. He said he believed that 95 per cent of the republicans were intentionally honest, but the five per cent dominated the caucus and the convention and named the ticket.

It takes an infant to crack a good joke and never know it. The other day little Marguerite Chase, after teasing some time for a piece, exclaimed with much self-satisfaction, after receiving it "blessed are the peace-makers." That was her Sunday school lesson for the day.

**Real Estate Transfers.**  
Reported by I. W. Alter, Bonded Abstractor, for three weeks ending Oct. 31st, 1898.

Fred Ehlers to Walter Weber, sw ¼ & w ¼ sec ¼ 31-27-1	\$3425 00
C M Youm to Ellis Kenrick w ¼ nw ¼ 10-26-1	600 00
Vaughn Davis to Enos O Davis e ½ sec ¼ 35-27-1	3000 00
F. Bowden & W. Collard to Geo F. Theils, nw ¼ 31-25-4	3918 00
State Bank of Crawford to Wm Woehler, lt 15, blk 2, Winside	418 00
Sheriff of Wayne Co. to State Bank of Crawford, lot 15, blk 2, Winside	660 00
John C Lundeke to John W Gibson, n ¼ lot 4, blk 8, B & B's ad to Wayne	1200 00
N H Nye to R H Lenton, sw ¼ 7-27-1	3200 00
E O Davis to Robert H Jones, sec ¼ ne ¼ 2-26-1	800 00
Ed B Mason to Phil H Kohl, e ¼ 29-27-1	7000 00
M E Zatz to Anna Johnson, lts 4 & 5, blk 5, Hoskins	50 00
M L Goresham to Sam Sabens, en, lot 12, block 22, Wayne	1200 00
C F Graham to A L Tucker, sw ¼ 7-27-1	4000 00
John Wiggart to Citizens Bank a lot 50-ft x 150-ft s of block 23, Wayne	350 00
John Drevsen to Maria Gottschob s ¼ sw ¼ 34-26-1	Love & affection.

News is a very scarce article here. We are compelled to wait for Frisco papers, and to think, it is forty-five days since we got one of them,—that is, the last one was that old today.

Products on these islands have no market,—your home-papers are full in their descriptions of them. I have been asked what prospects were for money-making here. Well, it is this,—opportunities in retail business of any kind are exceedingly slim; the Chinese have crowded the city with their little joints and sell everything imaginable and at a price no white man could live on, in competition. Exporters undoubtedly have good opportunities, but it requires large capital and those running steamship lines would have a decided advantage. The only chance is as leaders in the development of resources and means of production, as well as utilizing the mineral deposits which no doubt are rich. It is unsafe for a single man any distance from Manila because the people are comparatively wild, and only large bodies of men could make explorations.

The climate is not adapted to people from a temperate climate. Few Spaniards remain here more than five years.

Tuesday, Sept. 20—I picked up a couple of Chicago Daily Records of July 28 and 29, so that is where my time was spent instead of writing.

I am writing at barracks. This is a big custom house storeroom. We had bales of manila hemp for bunks at first, now we have regular cots, constructed of hard wood, topped with heavy canvas. The floor is of stone, and the windows are heavy wooden doors inside and iron bars outside, hence the building from without has the appearance of a prison, in fact, all the houses look like jails. Our building is about forty feet high, the second story being only a sort of a gallery around the wall. When lying in my cot I see above me the roof, which is of galvanized corrugated iron. When it rains, as it often does in torrents for a whole night, the noise on the roof is simply fearful. But it is nice to listen to that noise, than to feel the water all over you as we did at Camp Dewey. So while these quarters are not as beautiful as those of other regiments, they are cool and pleasant, and I believe in the most favored location in the city; for it is the center of activity, right along the wharves, which are crowded from early morn till night by hordes of Chinese and natives loading and unloading ships and barges.

Large steamers taking as much as twenty-two feet of water can come up Pasig river almost to the bridge and tie to the wharf. The wharves are built of granite and form the right bank of the river, being built downward from twenty-five to thirty feet, filled in, and paved over with cobble stones. The opposite bank of the river from the fort of the walled city, past the Lunetta, out into the bay, is constructed likewise. So the Pasig river is confined to its banks as it enters the bay, but the tides often reach the tops of the wharves and then again it is almost ten feet to water. There are a score of sailing vessels and a dozen big steamships that ply the China sea to Hong Kong lying at anchor in the stream now. Flags of every European and Asiatic nation fly from ships in the bay as well as from over buildings in the city.

The Chinese, Japanese, and English, as well as people of other countries, who have settled in Manila, have gathered themselves in different parts of the city, and each live in the styles and keep up the customs and habits peculiar to their native country. So one might travel through quite a number of lands and yet see but little more than can be found right here. Manila with all its European, oriental,—and

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Best buggies on earth—ELI JONES.  
All kinds of salt fish at J. H. GOLL'S.  
Buy your fruits at the Brookings store.  
Wanted—Woman cook at the Perrin hotel.  
It is pure—P. L. Miller's maple syrup.  
Genuine Canadian maple syrup at Sullivan's.  
S. B. Scace was a passenger to Omaha Tuesday.  
Frank Kruger was in Winside on business Tuesday.  
County Supt. Miss White was in Sioux City Tuesday.  
The DEMOCRAT will be issued as a weekly for a few weeks at least.  
The Misses Lanphear of Concord were guests of Mrs. E. B. Young last week.  
Atty. Welch left for Minneapolis Wednesday where he is interested in a legal case.  
We can supply you with the celebrated LOG CABIN SYRUP and Sugar, in any quality. EPLER & CO.

A fine granite kettle given away with every purchase of XXX baking powder at Sullivan.  
Mrs. T. J. Welty returned to Ponca Tuesday after a visit with her daughter Mrs. T. A. Berry.  
A. A. Welch and E. Cunningham held a campaign meeting in Hoskins Monday night, Mr. Welch making the speech.  
County correspondents are requested to have all correspondence reach the DEMOCRAT no later than Thursday morning.  
Missionary E. B. Young returned from Chicago last week when he attended a meeting of the Sunday school missionaries of the northwest district.  
Rev. Howard Young will preach in M. E. church next Sunday both morning and evening. Rev. Bithell will preach in Winside and near Carroll on that date.  
Contractor Burke is rushing the work on the electric light plant and it is high time he was doing so. There has been decidedly too much needless delay in regard to it.  
There is nothing like new faces of job type to make the patrons of a printing establishment smile. The DEMOCRAT has a goodly lot of new job type and can give you the very best figures. Never mind your politics, election is over, we are here to do business and can more than compete with houses that have to pay hired help.  
Vermillion S. D., friends of the late Lieut. William C. Neary, who was killed in the fight before Santiago last summer, propose to erect a suitable monument to his memory at Vermillion. It is suggested that, instead of a costly monument of marble or bronze, a first-class armory and gymnasium to be called Neary hall, be added to the buildings of the university of South Dakota. Mr. Neary was for several years an instructor at the university and was universally esteemed in Vermillion and South Dakota. The publisher of the DEMOCRAT was personally acquainted with Lieut. Neary. He was a fine fellow and a gentleman of the best habits.

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A queer state of affairs has developed in the city of Monroe, La., which is building a bridge across the Red river at that point.

The apartment house builder in New York has a new scheme. When all in perfect order he hires elevator and hall boys, puts them in a livery of scarlet and gold, advertises his apartments and keeps them brilliantly illuminated until midnight.

"General" Coxy once leased a farm and after occupying it for a year was told that the rent was to be doubled.

Reinhold Bogas, the German sculptor, has made a model for a Bismarck sarcophagus, to be placed in the Dom at Berlin.

Ira T. O'Brien of Rome, Ga., is often referred to as the successor of Elihu Burritt, "the learned blacksmith."

Miss Lotta Burns, famed as the "mother of Klondike," having been the first white woman to live at Dawson, took her bicycle with her on her last trip to that place.

Mr. Zeln has received, and is said to have accepted, a very favorable offer from New York to deliver a course of lectures in America that will, it may be assumed, deal largely, if not exclusively, with the Dreyfus case.

Richard Mansfield, the actor, has bought a fine new residence on River side drive in New York.

Ned Glover, his wife, Ann Solomon, and ninety-five of their descendants still live on the old Solomon plantation in Twiggs county, Georgia.

Coincident with the coronation of Wilhelmina of Holland comes the admission of a woman to the faculty of the ancient Dutch university of Utrecht.

Not many brides on this side the water can partake of their bridge breakfast in a home which has been in the possession of their own family for 250 years.

Miss Antoinette Greely, daughter of the arctic explorer, and Miss Rosemary Sartoris, a granddaughter of General Grant, will be among the debutantes in Washington this season.

In all the varied nomenclature of the day the name of Dewey easily leads seven new postoffices having been named after the Maine hero in July alone in as many states.

Miss Zephora Adler, who is regarded as the most beautiful woman in the world, has joined the Sea

ROOSEVELT CARRIES NEW YORK STATE

Democrats Make Great Gains on the Congressional Ticket.

REPUBLICANS LOOSE 20 SEATS Up to a Late Hour This Morning the Standing of the House Is Uncertain.

DEMOCRATS IN MASSACHUSETTS Governor Wolcott Is Elected but the Democratic Party Made Surprising Gains in Every District.

At an early hour this morning returns from the different states indicate that the democratic party has made surprising gains in all of the formerly solid republican states and that the house may have a slight majority on their side, or at least be about even.

New York, Nov. 9.—Theodore Roosevelt, republican, late colonel of the First United States volunteer cavalry, has been elected governor of this state by a plurality anywhere from 18,000 to 20,000.

Outside of Greater New York the vote for Van Wyck is only about one-fifth of 1 per cent above that of Porter in 1896.

There are seemingly democratic gains in the Eighth and Thirteenth districts, both in this city.

Returns received in the Associated Press office in this city from all over the country up to 12:30 this morning indicate that 85 republicans and 109 democrats have certainly been elected to seats in the national house of representatives.

The state senate will probably stand 27 republicans and 23 democrats. The last senate contained 35 republicans, 14 democrats and 1 independent.

Washington, Nov. 9.—Chairman Babcock of the republican congressional committee, has just made the following statement to the Associated Press:

While I am satisfied that the republicans will control the house of representatives in the Fifty-sixth congress, it is impossible at this hour to indicate what our majority in the house will be.

Washington, Nov. 9.—Chairman Babcock of the republican congressional committee, has just made the following statement to the Associated Press:

The figures referred to by Mr. Babcock were contained in his prediction that the republicans would have a majority over all of about twenty-five.

SOME DOUBT ABOUT CONGRESSIONAL ELECTION

Democrats May Have Gained Several Iowa Districts.

CHAIRMAN TOWNSEND'S CLAIMS Says Weaver Is Elected to the Sixth and Ney in the Second.

EIGHTH, THIRD AND NINTH Are Also in Doubt—Returns Slow in the Eleventh but Thomas Is Probably Elected—Returns Incomplete.

Returns from the Eleventh district are slow coming in, but all indications point to the election of Judge Thomas.

Des Moines, Nov. 9.—Returns are coming in slow, but the republicans claim to have elected the full congressional and state ticket.

Chicago, Nov. 9.—The chairman of the republican central committee says: From returns already received a republican plurality of 50,000 in the state outside of Cook county is a conservative estimate.

Five, and probably six, congressmen have been gained in Illinois by the democrats, and the next congressional delegation from this state is likely to be evenly divided—eleven democrats and eleven republicans.

St. Paul, Minn., Nov. 9.—Minnesota has not always been considered a doubtful state, but that is certainly her position this year.

Indianapolis, Nov. 9.—At midnight only about 20 precincts out of 329 have been heard from, no one having reported in full.

Woodbury County Is Republican—Sioux City, Nov. 9.—Returns from all precincts in the county are slow in coming in, but enough has been received to convince the party leaders.

Sioux City, A. S. Garretson, democratic candidate for Eleventh district congressman, polled something over 100 votes more than his opponent, Lot Thomas.

LIEUT. COL. HAM HAS NO TYPHOID The Dubuque Officer Has Had an Attack of Malaria But Is Now Better.

ONE WAR INVESTIGATION REPORT Committee That Visited Camp Meade Is Ready But the Report Is Not Public.

TERROR ALONG THE OKAWA Mysterious Animal Near Baldwin Illinois, Carries Away Valuable Stock.

During the last twenty-five years the number of lions and tigers in the country in proportion to population has increased over 100 per cent.

PANA STRIKERS ARE DRILLING

Equal of Twenty-Five Armed Men Discovered Near Pana, Illinois.

FOREIGN BONDHOLDERS MOVE Present Claims Against Cuba and Puerto Rico to the United States.

SIAMESE MINISTER IS COMING Delegation to Be Established in Washington After a Lapse of Many Years.

HE KILLED PRESIDENT BORDA Army Officer of Uruguay Gets Thirteen Years Imprisonment for the Murder.

A NOTED AUTHOR IS DEAD Mrs. Sarah A. Curzon Passes Away at Her Home in Toronto.

JEAVY FLOODS IN CUBA Large Section in the Province of Mantanzas Devastated by Storm and Flood.

PAYS A BIG PRICE FOR A SEAT New York Stock Exchange Membership Changed Hands for \$25,500.

CLAIMS DAMAGES OF PERU American Citizen Asks to Be Paid for Losses Committed by Pirates.

LOOTED A JEWELRY STORE Thieves at Pekin, Ill., Help Themselves to a Jeweler's Stock While He Is at Supper.

CHILDREN OUT OF THE FACTORIES Ohio Inspector Clears Them Out of the Factories in East Liverpool.

REPUBLICANS CLAIM TO HAVE NEBRASKA

Only One-Fourth of the Returns Are in as Yet.

DEMOCRATS DO NOT GIVE UP Claim That Full Returns Will Change the Situation and Put Their Ticket on a Winning Basis.

Omaha, Nov. 9.—Only one-fourth of the complete returns are in and they are in favor of the republican ticket.

Washington, Nov. 9.—Foreign bondholders have at last moved formally to protect their interests in Cuba and Puerto Rico.

Washington, Nov. 9.—The secretary of state has been informed that the Siamese government is about to re-establish its legation in the United States after a lapse of many years.

Washington, Nov. 9.—Information has been received here that Captain Arredondo, who shot and killed President Borda of the republic of Uruguay, has been convicted of the crime.

Toronto, Ont., Nov. 9.—The noted Canadian author and poetess, Mrs. Sarah A. Curzon, died here Monday.

Havana, Nov. 9.—Owing to the constant rains which have fallen recently the streams in the province of Mantanzas have overflowed, flooding over 1,000 acres in the Roque district.

New York, Nov. 9.—Stock exchange seats were quoted at \$25,500 bid yesterday. The advance to this price, which is the highest in fourteen years, is ascribed to prosperous business in Wall street.

Washington, Nov. 9.—Indian Inspector Cyrus Bede, an Iowa appointee, has been detailed to represent the interior department in the joint investigation of allegations made against Deputy United States marshals in connection with the causes of the recent Chipewee Indian outbreak.

Pekin, Ill., Nov. 9.—While J. S. Taylor was at supper last night his jewelry store was entered by thieves, who climbed over the rear transom.

Lima, Peru, Nov. 9.—An American citizen, Mr. Gottfried, who is a merchant at Huanchaco, has presented to the government, through the United States minister, Irving Dudley, a claim for compensation for damages inflicted upon himself and members of his family by a band of Peruvian marauders.

Washington, Nov. 9.—The transport Panama, from Santiago and Havana, has arrived with 400 passengers on board, including a number of sick.

Baldwin, Ill., Nov. 9.—The farmers in the strip of bottom land adjacent to the Okaw river, near this city, are being terrorized by the depredations of a mysterious wild animal that is creating havoc among their live stock.

Washington, Nov. 9.—The committee of the war investigating committee which went to Camp Meade has prepared its report, which it is thought will not be made public.

NO ANXIETY FELT

AT WASHINGTON

Believed That Peace Commissioners Will Soon Come to Terms.

WHY A MONEY CONSIDERATION

Will Cause a Better Feeling in Europe—Probable Direct Cash Payment—Wealth of the Islands.

Washington, Nov. 9.—Little doubt is felt in official circles that the Paris peace commissioners will, in due time, reach an agreement upon all important points.

Considerable time may pass before negotiations are completed, but the majority of the cabinet are disposed to take the Philippines and to pay for them to get them as cheaply as possible.

Recently a good many "feelings" have been put forth by members of the cabinet in order to sound public opinion on the question of holding these islands.

One reason given by cabinet officers for offering a "reasonable compensation" to the Spanish government is the better feeling which it will promote in Europe toward the United States.

Therefore, it is said, it may be worth much to the United States in future to show a liberal spirit towards the Spanish government at the present time.

The administration is strongly disposed to prefer a direct payment in cash to the assumption of any portion of the debt.

The United States probably would be able to purchase bills of exchange at a reasonable rate for the entire amount, if the payment were spread over several months.

A recent letter received by that department declares that "no one who has not gone beyond the limits of Manila can have any idea of the wealth and resources of the country."

Another report says: "I have never seen a country of such splendid productive power. For the first hundred miles almost all of it is under cultivation."

trees of a rare beauty, but not yet so much cultivated as that to the south. The secretary of war states that the custom house receipts at Manila during twenty-four working days were \$904,000, indicating an average of nearly \$8,000,000 a year when order is restored.

It will be observed that the sum of \$100,000,000 is being talked of and there is little doubt the peace commissioners have been advised that, if unavoidable, they may offer that sum as a solatium to Spain for territory we captured from her in time of war.

Manila, Nov. 9.—The Americans are settling down for a long stay at Manila. They apparently believe that Uncle Sam has concluded to hold the Philippines.

But while the sentiment of the army, men and officers alike, is that the United States will and should keep the islands, while many of the officers are renting or buying houses or sending for their wives to come out and join them.

They believe the islands will be and should be held, but they want some other fellow to do the holding. The army, in effect, is sadly afflicted with "malalgia."

More than half the sickness in the army I believe to be directly traceable to the desire to get away and to the practical impossibility of the gratification of the desire so long as conditions remain as they are.

There is one peculiar drink distilled from anise which has all the evil effects of absinthe upon the American brain, and which has the added evil effect that three drinks of it will afflict a man with a desire to rob his own trunk, and four will make him kill himself by way of punishment after he has done it.

TOWNS ATTACKED BY WILD BEASTS

Bears and Panthers Invade British Columbia Towns in Search of Food.

Vancouver, B. C., Nov. 9.—Bears and panthers, impelled by the pangs of hunger, are invading many towns in British Columbia and are terrifying the ranchers.

Nanaimo also was visited by bears, and the women and children had a scare. One panther waited all night in the branches of a tree overhead the ranch-house of Mrs. Duster.

STRANGE SLEEP OF A FIREMAN

Belote of Centerville, Michigan, Goes to Sleep and Can't Be Awakened.

Niles, Mich., Nov. 9.—The peculiar case of Charles Belote of Centerville is attracting much attention. Thursday morning an alarm of fire was given and Belote, being a fireman, was among the first to respond.

REPORT OF UNCLE

SAM'S GOLD BOX

United States Treasurer Roberts Submits His Annual Financial Report.

TREASURY IS IN GOOD SHAPE

But a Deficiency Exists Between Receipts and Expenditures.

THIS WAS DUE TO THE WAR

The Increase of Expenses on This Score for Four Months Amounted to a Total of \$134,970,945.

Washington, Nov. 5.—The treasurer of the United States, Hon. Ellis H. Roberts, has submitted to the secretary of the treasury the annual report on the condition of the treasury for the past fiscal year.

Up to the close of the fiscal year the increase of the expenditures on account of the war with Spain were \$43,041,732 for the war department and \$24,262,438 for the navy department.

Out of that were paid \$29,850,952 of the bonds issued for the construction of the Pacific railroads, which went to increase the expenditures.

Uncle Sam's Assets. Independently of the prospect of revenue or expenditures the treasurer regards the treasury as having been stronger at the close than at the opening of the fiscal year.

The total available assets were \$874,764,377 on June 30, 1897, and \$839,606,736 a year later. By the addition of the unavailable assets carried by the department these totals are swelled to \$904,411,576 and \$869,202,941 respectively.

The total currency of all kinds in circulation shows an increase of \$95,339,249 from September 30, 1896, to September 30, 1897, and one of \$137,755,854 in the twelve months ending September 30, 1898, a gain of \$234,294,103 for the two years.

In answer to inquiries from the west and northwest the treasurer has prepared a table which shows the amount of the capital, surplus, undivided profits and deposits of the national banks in the territory north of the Ohio river and west of the Mississippi river in July in each of the last three years.

History of the Gold Balance. A chapter is devoted to a review of the history of the net gold balance during the past ten years, detailing the various bond issues and other transactions by which the government reserve was kept up, and shows that since July, 1893, the reserve of \$109,000,000 has never been trampled upon.

The treasurer reviews the methods adopted to prevent a drain upon the currency of the country on account of the increasing product of the war revenue act, coupled with the proceeds of the war loan, and says that the results have been satisfactory in all respects and the immense financial operations of the war have been conducted so that the money markets have been in no degree disturbed at any time.

NEW YORK PREPARES TO SAIL

Destination Is Not Known But Is Supposed to Be Some Southern Port.

New York, Nov. 5.—The cruiser New York, flagship of the North Atlantic squadron, Commodore Philipp Schmitt, has completed coaling and is taking aboard stores for a long cruise. The exact destination is not known, but is supposed to be some southern port.

133,560, all of which will be payable after January 1, 1899.

The gradual decrease of the circulation of the subsidiary silver coins which has drawn down the treasury holdings of them in the last fifteen years from \$29,000,000 to a little over \$9,000,000, the treasurer says, will soon make it necessary to provide a further supply of this class of currency.

The receipts of national bank notes for redemption for the year amounted to \$97,112,000, as compared with \$13,574,000 for the year preceding.

As the result of the retirement of a large block of Pacific railroad bonds there were unusually heavy deposits of lawful money during the earlier part of the year for the reduction of the bank note circulation.

NO TRUTH IN THE REPORTS

Our Troops in Puerto Rico Are Well Behaved and Cause No Trouble.

New York, Nov. 5.—Some newspapers of Puerto Rico have been publishing articles bitterly criticizing the conduct of the United States soldiers sent to the island as a garrison.

The charges reflected particularly upon volunteer regiments and were so general and earnest that Alger felt called upon to take formal notice of them.

Had behavior of our soldiers in peace province is news to me. Colonel Castleman, commanding the provisional brigade there, now with me, says the report is entirely unfounded.

COMPLICATIONS FEARED IN ARABIA

Danakils Cause Trouble in Abyssinia That May Disrupt the Whole of East Africa.

London, Nov. 5.—The Rome correspondent of the Daily Mail says: "The government has received news from Massawa, in the Red sea, that a thousand Danakils, members of a tribe under Italian protection, recently attacked an caravan near Jibuti, on the west coast of the Gulf of Aden, belonging to the Abyssinian envoys, who were returning from Paris to the court of the Emperor Menelik of Abyssinia with M. Lagarde, the representative of the French government, and the former governor of Obok."

The Danakils, who occupy the territory between Obok and the mountains of Abyssinia, killed four French soldiers and seized 200 camels, 4,000 rifles, a large quantity of ammunition and valuable gifts intended for the Negus.

AN EARLY MORNING CAPTURE

An Indiana Marshal Seizes a Burglar Without Waiting to Dress Himself.

Wabash, Ind., Nov. 5.—Clad only in a night shirt, Charles Lines, city marshal of Wabash, yesterday morning pursued a burglar two blocks and forced him to surrender at the muzzle of his revolver.

Lines was aroused by the noise of the crackman working at a window of his home and got his revolver, but the fellow had taken fright and started away. Lines rushed out of the door, firing at the burglar as he ran.

COMPULLED TO RUN FOR OFFICE

A La Crosse Man Who Does Not Want to Be Sheriff May Have To Be.

La Crosse, Wis., Nov. 5.—By an action brought in the circuit court here Major J. Kirchois of the Third Wisconsin volunteers, a republican, is compelled to accept the nomination for sheriff of La Crosse county on the democratic ticket against his will.

While he was in Puerto Rico, the democratic convention, well knowing he was a republican, nominated him for sheriff without his consent or knowledge. His regiment has just returned from Puerto Rico on a sixty days' furlough, and he did not reach home until Monday, two days too late to file his declination of nomination.

The democratic county chairman, Mahoney, then brought action in the circuit court to compel the county clerk to place Kirchois' name on the ticket and won his case.

TYPHOID FEVER ON THE DECREASE

Troops at Camp Shipp Will Be Moved to Another Site.

Anniston, Ala., Nov. 5.—Typhoid fever, which has been mildly prevalent in Camp Shipp, is on the decrease in all the regiments except the Fourth Wisconsin, and preparations are being made to move the command to another site. Work on winter quarters has begun.

GENERAL MILES

SUBMITS HIS REPORT

Certain Portions of It May Be Withheld From Publication.

DEALS SQUARELY WITH MATTERS

That Certain Officials May Want Kept in the Background.

DEALS WITH MINUTEST DETAILS

In Plain English Criticizes Shafter's Conduct of the Campaign Before Santiago—Report Is a Big One.

New York, Nov. 9.—The Herald's Washington special says: General Nelson A. Miles has completed and submitted to the war department his report covering the entire period of hostilities between the United States and Spain. It could not be learned at the war department whether the report in its entirety will be given out or all. It is hinted that certain portions of the report may be withheld.

The sum and substance of the reason for withholding it, it is asserted, is the fact that the report is said to deal squarely with matters that certain officials prefer to keep in the background.

The reference to the Santiago campaign alone takes up many pages. The aviation and occupancy of Puerto Rico is given in detail. It is also mentioned that Miles conferred with Admiral Sampson and asked the admiral to protect the landing of United States troops on Cuban soil, which was done.

The report only makes a brief mention of the work of the inspector general's department, which Miles thinks satisfactory in so far as the inspector general had power and authority to act. From this the inference is drawn that the inspector general was curtailed by authority greater than his in conduct of his work.

The report makes no reference to the so-called Alger-Miles controversy, but some of the statements credited to Miles are reiterated. "A friend of General Miles said: 'The general will not make the report public, but the secretary of war will give it out. He will not dare to keep it back. It will be a bitter pill for Alger, but when it is known that the report has been submitted the demand for it will be great.'"

BRITISH NAVAL ACTIVITY GOES ON

Sham Attempt Made Last Night to Force an Entrance to Devonport Harbor.

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ADVISES SPAIN TO HURRY UP

Liberal, a Leading Paper of Madrid, Says the Power May Interfere.

Madrid, Nov. 9.—The Liberal leading article says the Spanish government should conclude the negotiations for peace with the utmost rapidity to avoid Germany, Russia, or any other country mixing in the question, which could but mean fresh disaster to Spain.

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Latest Sensation in the Consolidation of Capital Springing from New York.

New York, Nov. 9.—A trust of Chinese laundrymen is the latest. It is called the Dop Song Kong Sow and it has its tentacles wrapped around more than 1,000 Chinese laundrymen in Greater New York.

Gradually the movement to amalgamate the Chinese laundry is spreading and the organization in this city is practically the home of a commission that has branches in every large city in the country.

SAILORS DESERTED THE BUFFALO

With the Officers in Command.

New York, Nov. 9.—It has transpired that 193 of the enlisted men on the auxiliary cruiser Buffalo deserted after the orders were received at the navy yard directing the ship to sail for Manila with supplies, stores and reinforcements for Admiral Dewey.

There have been many complaints on the part of the enlisted men of cruelty, insufficient food and general harsh treatment by the officers. The deserters say that as soon as they were placed on the Buffalo they were told that they were in the service for three years, and an additional two years if the officers saw fit to keep them.

Then began wholesale desertions. In one night 110 men "went over the side," as the jacks call leaving the ship without leave. They jumped the stone wall surrounding the navy yard and disappeared.

The condition of affairs on the Buffalo was reported to the navy department and on Friday orders were issued sending her to sea immediately.

DROPPED DEAD WHEN READY

Salvation Army Lasse Slunks to the Floor Dead While Speaking.

Kansas City, Nov. 9.—"I'm trying to live a Christian life. I'm homesick to see Jesus. I'm ready to go today, this hour, this minute, if necessary. Praise the Lord!"

Scarcely had these words left the lips of Mrs. Jennie Walker, at a religious meeting at the Goodway mission yesterday, when she fell back into her seat, dead. The hall was crowded with worshippers. After a short service people in the congregation arose one by one and began to bear testimony.

INVESTIGATING IN CHICAGO

War Board Meet in the Windy City and Ask a Few Questions.

Chicago, Nov. 9.—The war investigating commission began work here this morning. Dr. Lewis Schooler of Des Moines, Ia., chief surgeon of the Second division, Third corps at Camp Thomas, Chickamauga, in June and July, testified that the conditions of the hospitals were not good, the sinks were bad, and discipline lax.

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DESERTS THAT HE MAY WED

Member of Seventh Cavalry Braved All for the Woman He Loves.

Evansville, Ind., Nov. 9.—Frank Hompluh, a member of troop A, Seventh United States cavalry, was arrested in this city on the charge of desertion.

Hompluh said he was to be married Thanksgiving day, and as the officers refused him a furlough he decided to desert. He was stationed at Fort Thomas.

MARCHAND'S RETURN ARRANGED

Will Bring His Force From Fashoda to France by Way of the Gulf of Aden.

Paris, Nov. 9.—The Matin yesterday confirmed the report that the government will instruct Major Marchand to return to France with his expedition from Fashoda by way of Jibuti, on the Gulf of Aden, "the only route consistent with French dignity." The paper expresses the hope that the national flag "will not again be involved in such small colonial enterprises unless success is assured beforehand, both diplomatically and by adequate support."

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CONDITION OF BANK OF SPAIN

Madrid, Nov. 7.—The Bank of Spain report for the week ended Saturday shows: Gold in hand, unchanged; silver in hand, increase 2,081,000 pesetas; notes in circulation, increase 7,764,000 pesetas.

# Abstract of vote of Wayne County, Nov. 8, '98.

	Hoskins.	Garfield.	Sherman.	Hancock.	Chapin.	Deer Creek.	Brenna.	Strahan.	Wilbur.	Plum Creek.	Hunter.	Leslie.	Logan.	Winside.	Wayne—1st ward and ward.	3rd ward.	TOTALS.	MAJORITIES.	
<b>For Governor—</b>																			
Monroe L. Hayward.....	95	36	54	24	24	75	29	51	52	51	58	16	26	37	57	67	77	838	90
William A. Poynter.....	38	31	30	62	43	61	67	66	29	28	46	44	29	48	36	39	44	748	
<b>For Lieut. Governor—</b>																			
George A. Murphy.....	99	36	54	24	23	73	29	51	53	51	57	16	26	37	57	67	78	831	92
Edward A. Gilbert.....	37	31	36	62	43	61	66	65	28	27	45	44	29	48	34	38	44	739	
<b>For Secretary of State—</b>																			
Cenek Duras.....	98	35	54	24	23	74	29	51	53	51	58	16	26	39	49	66	78	824	83
William F. Porter.....	38	32	36	61	43	62	66	66	28	27	44	44	29	46	35	39	45	741	
<b>For Auditor of Public Accounts—</b>																			
Ireanyon L. Mathews.....	98	35	54	24	23	72	29	51	52	51	57	16	26	39	50	65	78	820	82
John F. Cornell.....	39	32	36	61	44	62	66	66	28	27	44	44	29	46	36	40	45	748	
<b>For Treasurer—</b>																			
Peter Mortenson.....	98	36	54	24	23	73	30	51	53	51	59	16	28	40	50	66	78	828	87
John B. Meserve.....	39	31	36	62	44	61	66	66	27	27	43	44	29	46	36	40	45	741	
<b>For Superintendent of Public Instruction—</b>																			
John E. Saylor.....	98	36	53	24	23	70	29	51	52	51	56	16	26	40	49	64	76	816	70
William R. Jackson.....	37	31	36	61	43	64	66	66	28	27	47	44	29	46	35	40	46	746	
<b>For Attorney General—</b>																			
Nelson D. Jackson.....	99	35	54	24	28	72	29	51	53	51	56	16	26	41	48	66	78	823	78
Constantine J. Smyth.....	37	32	36	62	44	62	65	67	27	27	45	44	29	46	36	40	45	745	
<b>For Commissioner Public Lands &amp; Buildings</b>																			
Griffith R. Williams.....	98	37	54	24	24	74	29	51	51	51	58	16	28	38	50	70	81	832	100
Jacob V. Wolfe.....	38	30	36	62	44	61	64	66	28	26	45	44	29	48	38	35	43	732	
<b>For Congress—</b>																			
W. F. Norris.....	101	36	55	23	23	74	30	31	51	52	57	17	26	38	52	71	80	837	105
John S. Robinson.....	38	31	35	60	44	59	66	64	29	27	45	42	29	49	36	34	46	732	
<b>For Senator, 11th District—</b>																			
John R. Hays.....	97	37	54	25	29	74	29	51	51	53	62	16	26	39	49	64	75	831	93
Fielden J. Hale.....	40	30	37	59	38	62	65	64	28	26	46	44	29	47	38	37	48	738	
<b>For Representative, 17th District—</b>																			
Louis Smithberger.....	111	39	59	30	28	69	27	51	51	51	57	16	26	43	48	62	75	885	108
J. M. Doty.....	26	27	37	57	40	63	69	66	30	27	43	44	29	43	37	48	43	727	
<b>For County Attorney—</b>																			
Frank M. Northrop.....	99	39	46	25	25	71	33	59	48	59	50	18	25	38	47	61	73	800	41
Frank Fuller.....	38	29	40	59	41	67	63	66	34	26	55	42	30	49	42	42	46	799	
<b>For County Commissioner—</b>																			
M. S. Moats.....	87	34	48	25	27	67												329	
E. A. Carroll.....	53	33	42	61	41	71												345	16
	68	15	17	7	20	62	30	75	61	11	61	10	6	19	79	99	117	757	394
Court House Bonds.....	12	33	14	53	21	28	18	12	8	44	12	32	11	55	4	4	2	363	

## WHEAT.

The condition of the wheat market just at present, so far as the prospects for higher prices are concerned, is far from encouraging. A falling off of a cent a bushel in the Chicago price was noted last Saturday, and this in the face of a war scare which might be expected to at least keep the price up. The European war scare has been having more effect on the wheat market in this country than in Europe, and it is admitted that a greater decrease than 1-cent during last week would have occurred in the absence of British war preparations. But Europeans are viewing the situation with the greatest indifference. There has been a great falling off in demand for export, purchases for foreigners showing something like a steady decrease from one end of the week to the other.

One cause of this was doubtless the advent of the official Russian crop report, which gives the Russian wheat yield as 100,000,000 bushels greater than last year, and also states that the yield of rye shows an increase of the same amount. The fact of a large increase in the Russian yield, and therefore the presence in that country of an immense surplus available for support, might easily have a disastrous effect on the market, but perhaps the strained relations between England and Russia which if war results, would lead to an imperial Russian edict prohibiting the export of wheat, is having a counterbalancing influence and preventing a tumble in prices. It cannot be denied, however, that if the war scare is removed and the Russian statistics are shown to be reliable wheat will sell at a very low figure for several months to come. Last year Russia exported 40,000,000 bushels of wheat, if the yield in that country this year has increased by 100,000,000 bushels it is just that much more available for export, especially in view of the great increase in the yield of rye, which cereal readily displaces wheat among the Russian peasant class.

To partially offset this discouraging outlook it can be said that Russian crop statistics have seldom if ever proved to be reliable. No sound system is used in collecting the statistics, and it is a sort of hit-or-miss enterprise of the Russian government.—Sioux City Tribune.

## HEADQUARTERS FOR Fall and Winter Suits

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Good Single and Double Rigs at Reasonable Rate.

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Dealers in Dry Goods, Fancy Goods, Notions, Boys Clothing, Groceries and all kinds of Merchandise. No other House like us in Wayne.

We are receiving goods from day to day which are especially intended for the people in Wayne and the surrounding country. Remember no damaged stuff or old stock. All good, clean goods.

COME AND SEE US

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Yours for Business,

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Now's your chance—quick for cash only. We have a few three-inch break, Racing Fish Wagons for \$50. These wagons are first class in every respect and fully warranted.

TOWER & BRUSHOOR.

All Eyes Turned to Lincoln.

The Omaha exposition has closed and all eyes are turned toward Lincoln, the capital city, where the legislature will soon meet. The installation of new state officers, the election of a United States senator, and other matters of much importance will make Lincoln the centre of state interests and every Nebraskan will want to read the old reliable standby, The State Journal, during the coming year. As a special inducement to secure new readers, The Semi-Weekly Journal printed every Tuesday and Friday, will be mailed from now until January 1, 1901, for \$1.00. This is a mighty long time for the mighty long time of the money and the sooner you send your dollar for the more papers you get. There isn't any other paper in Nebraska that gives so much for the money. It is twice as good as the old fashioned weekly. Try it. Address, The State Journal, Lincoln, Neb.

## OPERA HOUSE!

Thursday Evening, November 17.

On the above date the people of Wayne and vicinity will have an opportunity of witnessing, for the first time the production of drama "Pygmalion and Galatea." The caste of characters is comprised of home talent who have spent some time in preparing the play for presentation in this city. Following is the cast:

Pygmalion, Sculptor Frank Nangle  
 Chrysoe, Art patron Thos. Holtz  
 Lucieppe, Soldier Geo. Wilbur  
 Agavimos, Chrysoe's Slave Ted Phillo  
 Mimos, Pygmalion's Slave, Clyde Winterburn  
 Galatea, Animated Statue, Maudie Britton  
 Daphne, Chrysoe's wife, Jennie Mettlen  
 Myrlue, Pygmalion's sister, Louie Sullivan  
 Cynthia, Pygmalion's wife, Edna Britton

Some new and up-to-date specialties will be introduced by home talent. Seats will be on sale at the Star-Grocery on and after Monday next. General admission 25c. Reserved seat 35c. Children and gallery 15c. Among the specialties will be a male quartette, song by Mr. Pritchard with autoharp accompaniment; song by Mr. Reed; Mandolin music, and songs by Miss Hattie Weber and little Freda Ellis, which are alone worth the price of admission. Secure your tickets early.

## Dr. Miles' Nervine

A REMEDY FOR THE Effects of Tobacco.



THE excessive use of tobacco, especially by young men is always injurious and undoubtedly shortens life materially. Mr. Ed. C. Elsen, compositor on the Contra-Costa News, Martinez, Cal., writes: "I have used Dr. Miles' Restorative Nervine and received much benefit from it. I was troubled with nervousness, dizzy spells and sleeplessness, caused by the use of tobacco and stimulants. I took Dr. Miles' Nervine with marvelous good results, allaying the dizziness, quieting the nerves, and enabling me to sleep and rest, proving in my case a very beneficial remedy." Dr. Miles' Restorative Nervine is especially adapted to restoring the nervous system to its normal condition under such circumstances. It soothes, heals and strengthens.

Dr. Miles' Remedies are sold by all druggists under a positive guarantee, first bottle benefits or money refunded. Book on diseases of the heart and nerves free. Address, DR. MILES MEDICAL CO., Elkhart, Ind.

## CLOAKS

We are in better shape than ever to give you good value in Plush Capes at \$3.25 up. Ladies' Jackets, new shapes, at \$3.50 and up. Fur Collarettes \$2.25 and up. Children's and Misses Cloaks and Jackets very low. Call and see us when in need of Winter Wraps.

## The Racket

"He who laughs last always laughs best."

F. C. Largent says the electric lights will be glimmering Nov. 25.

Chairman Conkling of the republican congressional committee was here from Tekamah yesterday.

Has a Wayne a board of health, and does quarantine quarantine? are likely to be much discussed subjects.

Atty. Guy R. Wilbur left this morning for Lincoln where he pleads for a pardon for Witty, the robber.

The finest Table Preserve in market. Heinz's Red Raspberry Jam, in bulk, at EPLER & CO'S.

The DEMOCRAT's press refused to grind this week until Poynter recovered from that attack of republican paralysis.

Geo. Mielke and Miss Grace Christenson of Winside were given license to wed by Judge Hunter on Monday. Mr. Mielke is the popular landlord at Winside.

Several costumes are to be secured from Omaha for the drama at the opera house next Thursday evening. You should not miss the opportunity of enjoying this treat.

The residence of T. W. Moran is again quarantined his little girl having taken the diphtheria. Dr. Williams reports E. E. Reed's residence quarantined today. Mr. Webber, living across the road from E. J. Nangle's is also quarantined.

A Mr. Bowman and wife, son-in-law and daughter of Mrs. McVey, came to this city last week intending to locate here. Mr. Bowman was called to Beatrice by a telegram announcing the serious illness of his mother. His wife is visiting here.

Ponca Journal: Messrs Pritchard, Cook, Kline and Dick, who are building the telephone line between Allen and Ponca, are as fine a musical quartette as we ever heard. Accompanied by Mr. R. P. Armstrong of this place gave our establishment an excellent serenade last evening.

## ASSESSORS ELECTED.

The following assessors were elected in the different precincts:

Hancock, Robt. Fenski; Garfield, F. E. Francis; Sherman, J. S. Baker; Hoskins, August Ziemer; Chapin, J. R. Washburn; Deer Creek, L. S. Sillerman; Brenna, Perry Benishoff; Strahan, Aug. Wittler; Wilbur, H. E. Hansen; Plum Creek, Pat Coleman; Hunter, J. W. Agler; Leslie, Neal Nye; Logan, Levi Dilts; Winside, J. P. Marvin; Wayne, A. T. Wither.

## LOCAL NEWS.

Take watch repairing to Mines.

John Elliot was in town Wednesday.

Hon. O. A. Williams was in the City Wednesday.

B. F. Swan was a visitor to Sioux City last night.

S. T. Wilson and Geo. Devine were in Norfolk yesterday.

There will be a ball at the opera house Thanksgiving night.

Robt. Fenski and Geo. Harrigfeldt of Hosking were in town Wednesday.

Atty. Berry was down from Carroll Wednesday with the election returns.

What's the matter with our democratic board of county commissioners?

Jas. Doty fooled 'em in Wayne county. He ran away ahead of his ticket.

All predictions were busted, so far as predicted by the local politicians of both parties.

There are several cases of diphtheria in Norfolk and the town fears an epidemic.

Charley Craven and R. W. Wilkins went to Sioux City yesterday to hear Sousa's great band.

Pat Coleman and Eugene Sullivan were fornaist the court house but they forgot to vote.

Mrs. A. E. Witter and Mrs. Hammond entertained a number of ladies yesterday afternoon.

E. P. Olmsted is the only citizen who confesses to having forgotten all about election and not having voted.

Deer Creek is the only decent democratic precinct in the county. F. A. Berry hustled them out up there.

The M. E. church ladies of Carroll will have a bazaar and supper at Carroll hall Wednesday evening Nov. 16.

The DEMOCRAT feels small today. Our readers will notice the shrinkage. However, the paper, as a newsgiver, will improve.

Miss Bertha Armstrong is organizing a dancing school, a hundred invitations being out for a first meeting next Friday evening at the opera house.

M. S. Moats was in town Wednesday and said he was not sorry that he had failed to be elected a county commissioner. Then we are all satisfied on that score.

Hartington News. The Northeast Nebraska Press Association will meet next Monday at Wayne. Most of the offices in this part of the state will be left in the hands of the d-l.

A small boy and a match came near making a bad fire last Monday at Geo. Crossland's residence. His son set fire to the hay in the barn and help arrived just in time to save the building, some hay was burned.

A good joke is on J. S. French. He was around before eight o'clock to vote for the court house bonds. The clerks of election were not ready and J. S. fumed a good deal about it and said he was afraid many voters would overlook the bond question. Then he went up stairs and voted and forgot about the court house himself.

Several democrats and populists have called at the DEMOCRAT office since election and stated that there were in their respective precincts from 20 to 30 democrats, who failed to vote, against two to four stay-at-home republicans. There is no question that the fusion forces in this county are in the majority, but their neglecting to vote is not the party's credit—not by a long way.

## Coats, Jackets, Capes and Collerettes,

For Ladies, Misses and Children. We are overstocked on those lines and will make some very low prices to move the goods. Come in and see us if you expect to buy anything in the Cloak line.

AHERN'S, Wayne, Neb.

H. S. Welch, jeweler and engraver.

New saurkraut—Sullivan's Grocery.

Three fresh milch cows for sale.

J. H. GOLL.

New saurkraut at Sullivan's grocery.

A full sized 10-4 Blanket, and only 45c. at AHERN'S.

Now let us all get ready for that turkey.

New fall hats—and Sailors—at Miss Wilkinson's.

Editor McKeen was down from Winside Saturday.

Mrs. E. Weber arrived home Wednesday evening.

Good three-room house for sale.—See Henry Goll.

Wheat today 50c, oats 17 corn, 20 1/2c hogs \$3.00, flax 78c.

New Saurkraut just received, at Sullivan's Grocery.

Fine line of late-style trimmed hats at Miss Wilkinson's.

Prof. C. E. Morgan was a visitor from Pilger Saturday.

Henry Mandersheid of Sioux City was in town last night.

Wednesday was a cold disagreeable day, wasn't it, democrats?

Mesdames Frank Bennett and Corbit are visiting in Stanton.

New sorghum, fine quality, in bulk or pairs at, Sullivan's grocery.

J. G. Mines and wife are the parents of a daughter who arrived Tuesday.

Ladie's and Children's kid gloves, a new stock just received at Miss Wilkinson's.

The telephone service was not a howling success when it came to getting election returns.

It was a free silver republican's whisker's, and not a pop's that tipped up Hon. Frank Fuller.

Mrs. Van Keuren, mother of Mrs. Dan Harrington, returned to her home in New York yesterday.

Next week the DEMOCRAT will whoop her up for local news. We are glad to drop politics for a few months.

Randolph Times: Tom Perrin has purchased Fred Fox's dray line and hereafter conduct it in his familiar old way.

The Sioux City Journal didn't say much for "Gillhooley's Reception," called it "horse play." The show drew a packed house in Sioux City.

For Overshoes, Rubbers, Overgarters, Leggins, Felt Boots, German Sox in fact anything in Winter Footwear, the highest grades at the lowest figures at MAUTZ' SHOE STORE.

A prominent democrat of the town wrote east yesterday that the republicans had driven out populism in Nebraska and redeemed the state and that people here would now expect to be able to borrow eastern capital without further security and no interest.

Geo. Shaw left for California Wednesday to be absent three years. They tell a good joke on Mr. Shaw. He waited here three days to vote for the court house bonds and then forgot all about court house when he sat in the booth to exercise his rights.