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### THE MARKETS.

These quotations are the prices paid by our merchants to producers.

FARM PRODUCTS.	
Eggs	20
Butter	20
Potatoes	2 00
HAY AND GRAIN.	
These quotations indicate what is paid at the elevators.	
Wheat	35
Oats	28
Corn	40
Flax	1 04
Hay	4 00
LIVE STOCK.	
Hogs	4 00 to 4 35
Cattle	3 00 to 3 25

**FIRST CLASS DRESS MAKING** at greatly reduced prices. An \$5.00 dress made for \$4.00. Millinery at cost. Miss H. Wilkinson, up stairs over the Racket store.

### LACONICS.

T. B. Hecker, Dentist. Get ready for the fair. The ice man holds the fort these days. Considerable wheat is now being marketed. See commissioners proceedings on fifth page. Men's and children's Straw Hats. D. E. Smith & Co. The weather has been very hot the past two or three days. J. Singer & Co. are always busy and their special low prices cause it. A hired man of H. M. Henry was overcome with the heat yesterday but is able to be about to-day. A new floor has been put in the building owned by the Citizens Bank north of E. P. Olmstead & Co. A number of the young folk enjoyed a "hay party" at the farm of R. Phillo north of Wayne Monday evening. Thos. E. Hill harvested 18 acres of oats which, when threshed, averaged 45 bushels per acre. If you want a can of fine California Peas, Apricots, Blackberries etc. at 15 cents a can and upward, remember that Shane always has them. We will give away with every dollar cash purchase an excellent piece of sheet music valued at from 25 to 50 cts., at R. W. Wilkins & Co's. It is not our few leaders we try to save you money on, but all our dry goods and shoes must go as we need room for our fall stock. J. Singer & Co. Another very pleasant dancing party was held at Mellor's Hall Saturday evening, the music being furnished by Prof. Tocci the harpist who visits Wayne regularly. K. H. James has decided to locate in Salt Lake City and Mrs. James expects to join her husband there in a short time. Their numerous Wayne friends wish them prosperity in their new home. The band has been reorganized and besides playing for the Wayne fair will doubtless fill a number of other engagements this fall. The membership numbers twelve now and will be increased to sixteen when needed. A base ball association with about 50 members is being organized. Among the members are several of the leading business men and before the season closes the citizens may expect to see a number of excellent games. Didn't know it was loaded and as a result one of two brothers named Johnson near Bloomfield received a gun shot wound at the hands of the other Sunday evening, which carried away a portion of his lower jaw, a portion of the upper jaw and part of his tongue. During the night Sunday, a roan colt owned by Peter Coyle was stolen from his barn or in some manner broke out of the stable with halter on. The door was latched on the inside the evening before but in the morning stood wide open. The horse was a racer and considered quite valuable. Later John Ziegler caught the horse at his place near Carroll where it had evidently been ridden by some one. The animal had been in a barb wire fence as there were a number of cuts on its legs. The fire department held a meeting at the new building Friday evening and transacted considerable business. After the payment of all expenses incurred the fourth a balance of over \$90 was left in the treasury. The fire department is a money maker and sooner or later Wayne will have one of the best equipped organizations in the state. Hansou raised five acres of sugar beets this year which will average 25 tons per acre for which he will be paid by contract \$4.50 a ton, making \$22.50 an acre or \$37.50 on the acre. The drought had very little effect upon the beets. The Herald sends the farmers of Wayne county five or ten acres of beets this year and only a few did. By the way you can see what the result

**J. SINGER & CO.** Just in a nice line of Fedoras at D. E. Smith & Co.

A. B. Clark had stock on the Omaha market Tuesday. Machine Oils. Sedgewick Drug Co., West Side Pharmacy.

The Odd Fellows have just received a lot of handsome new badges.

Agriculturally, Wayne county is the best county in the state, taken as a whole.

Here's a pointer: If you see it advertised in the Herald purchase it and be happy.

McCluskey & Needham, of Winside, shipped eight cars of cattle to Chicago Monday.

Purchase for cash one dollar worth of goods at R. W. Wilkins & Co's, and get a piece of sheet music free.

The five months old child of Anton Jorgenson died Monday and was buried in Greenwood cemetery Tuesday.

Weber Bros. have built quite an addition to their wheat storage house this week, and can now store about 10,000 bushels.

The M. E. campmeeting of the Norfolk district begins to-day and continues till Aug. 19. A number of Wayne people will attend.

We are not feeling quite so well this week as we did last but there is no place in the state in any better condition than Wayne county.

Mrs. A. A. Chance entertained a few lady friends Tuesday afternoon in honor of her sister, Miss Lillian Cole and Mrs. Jas. Rock, who are visiting from Hartington.

The little son of John Hanson, who resides near Concord, was kicked by a mule about six o'clock Tuesday morning. His face was mutilated in a terrible manner.

Those holding tickets to the Lu. B. Cate entertainment at the opera house Saturday evening can get them reserved without extra charge by calling at Miller's store.

Peter Merton lost two five dollar bills on the streets of Wayne last Saturday and states that if the finder will return them he will divide equally with him, which tender will be in respect for honesty.

Quite a number of people witnessed the Baptizing of the lake east of Wayne last Sunday afternoon. Five persons were emersed, the ceremony being performed by Rev. Millard of the Methodist church.

### J. Singer & Co.

While filling a well one day last week Henry Pfueger had the misfortune to lose two horses by driving too near the well the animals falling therein. The accident occurred at his place 11 miles southeast of Wayne.

L. M. Beeler of Oakdale, was in Wayne Monday, making arrangements for putting an extensive line of dry goods, shoes and gents furnishing goods in the building first door south of Kohl's drug store. The store will be opened about the first of September.

The kid pino went up to Randolph Tuesday to play the boys of that town a game of ball. Considering the fact that there were three or four men in the Randolph nine our boys must have played a good ball, the score standing 10 to 10 in favor of the Randolph club. A return game will be played some day next week.

"Their entertainments are worthy of the highest recommendation. Mr. Cate's 'Gost of Bill Nye' is rich indeed. He keeps the house in an uproar. Ella June Meade is an entertainer of rare attainments. They cannot fail to please the audience."—L. F. Southerland, Pres. Southern Ind. Normal.

At the opera house in Wayne Saturday, Aug. 11. Tickets 25 cents.

### J. SINGER & CO.

J. H. Goll's, butcher shot at a dog Monday morning and came near shooting a man instead of the dog. John Sherbahn who lives near Mr. Goll's was getting a bucket of water at the time and the bullet whistled by in close proximity to his head. It was a close call. It would seem that a man would know better than to be shooting inside the city limits, as life is endangered, besides there is a penalty for such an act.

W. H. McNeal has sold the Winside Watchman to Dorr Howard Carroll, consideration \$900. Mr. Carroll will take possession about the 20th of the month. The Herald extends congratulations and believes that if the business men of Winside will do their duty, Mr. Carroll will give them such a paper as the town merits. To be sure hustling is an essential part of the business, but without the hearty co-operation of the citizens the best newspaper man in the country would fail.



Subscribe for the HERALD and be happy.

Sugar, 20 pounds for \$1.00. D. E. Smith & Co.

Hayes & Cook have painted two handsome signs for D. E. Smith & Co.

Take your prescriptions to Sedgewick Drug Co., West Side Pharmacy.

Irish lawns, black lawns and figured lawns at D. E. Smith & Co's.

### J. Singer & Co.

A piece of sheet music given away at R. W. Wilkins & Co's with every dollar cash purchase.

The republican caucus of the third ward will be held at the Mellor hall at eight o'clock this evening.

This fall of all falls, Wayne county should have a fair the like of which was never known since the society was organized.

The young ladies of the Y. P. S. C. E. of the Presbyterian church will serve ice cream and cake on the church lawn to-night. Everybody cordially invited. Ice cream and cake 10 cents.

At the republican caucus in the Second Ward Tuesday evening, I. J. Coons, J. S. French, A. J. Tracy and I. W. Alter were elected delegates to the republican county convention Saturday August 11th.

Wayne has about as fine a lot of merchants as any city in the state and if you come to Wayne to purchase goods remember and buy of those who advertise in the Herald. You can't get on them every time.

Last week an item appeared in the Herald at which one of Wayne's attorneys took offense thinking it had reference to him but such was not the case. As to who the item refers that is our business but it was not Mr. Burdick.

S. B. Sence shipped two car loads of hogs Wednesday, and Wm. Greek and Roe & Fortner one each to Sioux City this morning. Ran Frazier ships three car loads of hogs to Omaha this afternoon and Henry Evans two car loads of cattle.

A new post office has been established at Magnet with Enoch Adkins as post master. This little burg is a town between Wausa and Randolph at which the C. St. P. M. & O. refused to stop their trains. They will have to do so now to deliver and secure mail. Mr. Adkins is one ahead.

### J. SINGER & CO.

Speaking of the original entertainers, Mr. and Mrs. Cate, W. W. Harsha, D. D., pastor First Presbyterian church, Tecumseh, Neb., says: "As an original performance it was most extraordinary. The songs, impersonations and original creations are all of a high order and most admirable in every regard."

At the opera house Saturday, Aug. 11, 1894. The county fathers were in session Saturday but for some reason or other no petitions relative to the special election were presented. Whether it was through negligence or indifference that the matter was dropped we do not know. The Board, however, authorized Geo. E. McDonald to prepare plans, details and specifications for a court house, to cost not more than \$30,000.00 complete, and to furnish a copy for each precinct. But if the bonds fail to carry no charges are to be made for the same.

The school board met at the office of W. E. Howard Monday evening. A few bills were allowed, after which the additional bid of Otto Voget for putting in ventilators in connection with the steam heating apparatus was accepted. A number of bids were received for the janitorship during the ensuing year, all of which were referred to the committee on teachers and janitor. The following committees were appointed: Finance and Supplies—Fisher, Howard and Ellis. Buildings and Grounds—Moran, Fisher and Osborn. Teachers and Janitors—Howard, Fisher and Moran. Rules and Regulations—Ellis, Howard and Osborn.

Born: To D. P. Peterson and wife, Sunday, August 5th, a daughter. W. A. Barr & Co. bought 4,000 bushels of corn yesterday through their agent Wm. Greek.

FOUND—A silver watch safe. Owner can have same by proving property and paying for this notice.

Carl Krakow informs us that through the medical assistance of Dr. Wightman, his little girl, who received injuries by falling in a cave some time ago, has entirely recovered.

"Always here for business day and night. If you want any thing in our line during the night, push the button on our front door bell and we do the rest. Sedgewick Drug Co., West Side Pharmacy.

Corn jumped up as high as seven cents on the Board of trade in Chicago Tuesday and yesterday made another jump upwards. The fellows who have a few thousand bushels of old corn are strictly in it this year.

The opera house management have put in a handsome new drop curtain and a horizon scene the past week, besides touching up and repairing the other scenery. The new drop curtain contains the ads of 21 of Wayne's business men and presents an attractive appearance.

### WAYNE, NEB., Aug. 8, 1894.

I have had the pleasure of listening to Mr. and Mrs. Cate, the author entertainers, and without hesitation declare their entertainment to be the best of the kind that I ever heard. I am certain that they will please all who go to the opera house Saturday night. M. J. Ellis.

While threshing at the farm of John Hull, eight miles south of Wayne, yesterday afternoon George Owen met with an unfortunate accident. He caught his arm in the large belt, running from the engine to the threshing and in an instant was thrown against the separator, breaking his left arm. His arm and face were also badly bruised. Dr. Blair reduced the fracture and dressed the wounds.

Duncan J. Koefoed, feather renovator, who occupies the building recently vacated by H. Wheaton, left their team standing in front of the building without any one to look after them. Mr. Koefoed, one of the delivery men came along and clucking to his horses started the team of the feather renovator. Before they could be stopped they ran into the wagon of Mr. Koefoed damaging the hind wheels. The horses then broke loose from the wagon and running down Main street ran into the large tree near the Boyd hotel throwing one of them down, but without injury to either. If it had not been for the tree they would have went into the hotel. On getting up the animals started down the street towards the feed mill near where they were caught. All the damage that occurred to the wagon of the feather renovator was the breaking of the double tree. The runaway occurred about 10 o'clock this morning.

### Case Ball.

The home team was treated to two drubbings the past week. One at the hands of the Wisner aggregation and the other by the Randolph fans.

The first game occurred Friday afternoon and as the day was one of those known only to northeastern Nebraska, the whole town of Wisner drove over to witness the game, and right here permit us to mention that the Wisner folks are nice a lot of people as reside on terra firma. The game was called about three o'clock and the Wayne club started in to play an elegant game but as usual lack of organization resulted disastrously and the game closed with the score standing 16 to 5 in favor of Wisner. A return game will be played in the near future and as the Wayne team will be materially strengthened, it is expected that a large number of the citizens of Wayne will drive over to Wisner as a mark of courtesy to the citizens of that town. Among the Wisner people present were Attorney McNish, Andy Graham, Dr. Pritchard, and in fact nearly all the business men of the town.

The second game was played at Randolph Saturday afternoon. Here the Wayne boys received courteous treatment but were defeated, as before stated owing to lack of organization, by a score of 21 to 7, although in the first four innings the score stood 4 to 0 in favor of Wayne.

The scribe hopes that a number of games will be played by the Wayne and Randolph teams during the season as the Wayne club will soon be strengthened. No games should be played on Saturday, however. The home people should encourage the boys and not roast them for mistakes as they have had uphill business in getting an aggregation together and they still have time to redeem themselves.

### PERSONAL.

J. J. Creamer is down from Belding to-day.

Guy R. Wilbur went to Lincoln yesterday.

P. K. Panabaker was in Sioux City Monday.

Judge Norris, of Ponca, was in the city Saturday.

E. A. Locke journeyed to Norfolk Tuesday morning.

John T. Bressler made a business trip to Omaha Tuesday.

Miss Stella Rhodes of Wakefield, was a Wayne visitor Monday.

L. E. Hunter was looking over the town of Wausa yesterday.

Lou Hunter and Geo. Fortner went to Sioux City this morning.

Miss Helen Lodge of Randolph, is visiting with Wayne friends.

Geo. Coyle went to Harmon Saturday to visit his brother Jim.

L. J. and Byron Hoile left Monday for a visit with relatives in Ohio.

Prof. Ezerman and Ed. Reynolds went to Sioux City Saturday evening.

Thos. J. Steele, of Tyndall, S. D. was transacting business in Wayne Tuesday.

Joseph Steiner, of Omaha, a former resident of Wayne, is visiting friends in the city.

Frank Pittinger arrived from Albion, Tuesday, and is visiting in Wayne county this week.

Misses Mary Coyle and Anna Lewis left this morning for a short visit with relatives at Dakota City.

Rev. A. F. Ernst and wife went to Farmingsdale, Illinois yesterday morning. They will remain four or five weeks.

Cheney Chase is in Antelope county purchasing hogs. Owing to the crop failure the hogs are selling at most any price.

Mrs. Dan Harrington arrived from Salt Lake City Tuesday evening. We understand Mr. Harrington will probably locate elsewhere.

Mike and Henry Lowery left for Ohio Monday in answer to a telegram announcing that their father had been stricken with paralysis.

Miss Helen Fair and Maude Braseley went to Hot Springs this morning. Maude has not been very well for some time and she goes for her health.

I. A. Hanson, assistant cashier of the Globe Savings Bank, of Omaha, is visiting with his brother-in-law, Johannes Hansen, who resides eight miles northwest of Wayne. Mr. Hanson left Omaha at five o'clock Friday morning on a bicycle, and reached Wayne at six o'clock in the evening making over one hundred miles in thirteen hours.

That "Italian sunshine" is just a little too thick. A few days of cloudy weather would be much more appreciated, and if it should happen to rain for a week no body would care.

### Tennis Tournament.

The North Nebraska Tennis Tournament is a sure go. It will be held in Wayne the latter part of September. Wakefield, Randolph, Coleridge and Hartington have signified their intention to take part. Now let us hear from Norfolk, Ponca and Pender.

The citizens of this place should render all the assistance needed to make this tournament a success as it will bring many visitors from the surrounding towns.

**NORMAL COLLEGE NOTES.** The following is the program for commencement week: August 12, 11 a. m. Baccalaureate Sermon, Rev. C. H. Strickland. August 13, 8 p. m. Scientific Class. August 14, 8 p. m. Eloquence Class. August 15, 8 p. m. Conservatory Dept. August 16, 8 p. m. "Caesar" by Eloquence Department. August 17, 3 and 8 p. m. Teachers' Class. August 17, 10 p. m. Alumni and Banquet. Mrs. Foote visited at the College Friday. Rev. Theobald and wife were pleasant callers Friday. Miss Meek of Omaha, is spending her vacation at the College. Pearl Bright spent a pleasant forenoon at the college Friday. Prof. Biglow, of Creighton conducted chapel exercises Monday. Prof. Beaver and Mr. Clayton, of Wisner, were College callers Friday. The Misses Caffee returned to their home at Ponca Monday. They expect to attend again in the near future. Between 300 and 400 students assembled at the College Saturday evening to enjoy the social announced last week. Marching, games and a short literary program were indulged in by all. This was one of the largest as well as the best socials of the year.

Dr. Crawford spent a few pleasant hours visiting the different classes Friday.

On Saturday afternoon about 40 students loaded themselves into a hay wagon and repaired to Crawford's grove north of town and spent the afternoon in as jolly a manner as only students can. Ice cream, lemonade, buns, etc. were on the bill of fare, we will not say anything about the bill but we faced all right. The only thing regretted was that this would be the last time that we would all be together on an occasion of this kind.

Julius Caesar will be given by the department of Eloquence and Expression at the opera house Thursday evening August 16, under the direction of Prof. R. W. Ball. The following is the cast of characters:

DRAMATIS PERSONAE.	
Caesar	E. L. Shaw
Marc Antony	C. H. Miller
Brutus	Prof. R. W. Ball
Cassius	John McChesney
Decius Brutus	Mr. John
Soothsayer	W. J. McDonough
Octavius	O. L. Taylor
Casca	W. H. Young
Metellus Cimber	B. T. Mason
Popilius Lena	C. C. Hulse
Titinius	A. B. Shelden
Trojanus	C. E. Morgan
Cinna	C. E. Morgan
Laelius	E. E. Lundberg
Pindarus	E. E. Lundberg
Servilius	C. C. Hulse
Portia	Coris B. Simmons
Calpurnia	Fanny Zahen
Priests, Guards, Sisters, Maids, Messengers, Soldiers and Citizens.	

Elegant costumes have been procured from St. Louis. Reserved seats 10 cents, general admission 5 cents. Reserved seats on sale at P. L. Miller's.

**You Can't do Better!** We will take wheat, oats and corn at highest prices on book accounts, notes or in trade. PHILLIPS & SON.

For Dress Goods see J. Singer & Co. J. Singer & Co.

I have a few fine Jersey helters for sale. They have been bred and will come in in the spring. S. M. Cutler.

**READ THE FOLLOWING POINTERS** From Wayne's Enterprising Merchants. If You Desire to Keep Posted.

J. Singer & Co. See that bargain table at D. E. Smith & Co's.

All kinds of canned goods at W. E. Brookings. Before buying elsewhere call on J. Singer & Co.

A fine line of ladies gloves and mitts at D. E. Smith & Co's.

See that beautiful new wash goods at D. E. Smith & Co's.

Best California fruit 2 lb. can 20 cents at D. E. Smith & Co's.

J. SINGER & CO. A full line of Misses and Childrens tan shoes at D. E. Smith & Co's.

Have you seen those new Amsterdam silk mitts at D. E. Smith & Co's.

For low prices on all classes of Fancy Groceries and Fruits Shane is your man.

J. Singer & Co. Is it going to rain? Why, yes. Well then you will need a Machintosh. We have them. D. E. Smith & Co.

W. E. Brookings carries groceries of every description, and his prices are in accordance with the times.

We have a fine Mecho and Java coffee we are selling at 75 cents per lb. in 3 lbs for \$1.00 at D. E. Smith & Co's.

We quote you Old Reliable Flour every sack warranted at \$1.00. Legal Tender 90 cents per sack. D. E. Smith & Co.

For anything you can think of, or for anything you can not think of in the way of Fruit, Vegetables and Groceries call at Shane's.

Our assortment of Pickles, Catsup, Table Sauce and all kinds of Dip and Meats in cans for Lunch was never so varied, and prices never so low as they are now at Shane's cash Grocery.

Look at the following prices and conclude to wear tailor made clothes. Suits made to order at \$18.00, \$20.00, \$22.50, \$25.00 and upward. Pants made to order at \$4.50, \$5.00, \$6.00 \$7.00 and upward. Holtz, the tailor, 1st floor west of State Bank.

J. Singer & Co. RUSH to Mel Norton's new establishment and have your buggy repaired. One hundred buggies wanted for this purpose, and the best of work at hard times prices is our motto. You will find us prepared to do the best of work. MEL NORTON, Wayne, Neb.

Ice Cream Parlor. You are respectfully invited to the Ice Cream Parlor of August Piepenstock where you can procure delicious ice cream, lemonade and other summer drinks.

# THE GHOST OF SAINT-GERY

Or Can a Brave Man Be Afraid? Written for This Paper. By Guy de Maupassant.

## CHAPTER II.—Continued.

It took a week or so for me to recover my health. I was happy to see Roger and my mother and happily for me, my mother was shortly after this ordered to Algeria. I distrusted Roger, and therefore made up my mind that I would not turn the letters over to him, but I wrote him a few lines telling him of my sudden departure from Rouen, and asking him to write to Saint-Gery and to tell him I would hold the letters subject to his orders, but would in no case deliver them up to any one else, except upon his written authorization.

I was absent from France for several years. Now and then, rummaging through my goods and chattels, I would come upon Saint-Gery's letters, and let me assure you my friends, that a sight of them was always quite enough to send a cold shiver down my back.

Upon my return from Algeria, my health was so impaired by African fever that I determined to resign from the army and make a tour through the new world. For many years my heart had yearned for the vast rivers, the endless prairies and pampas and its grand mountain chains, the Rockies and Andes, and it was while I was getting ready for this extended trip that I again came upon the Saint-Gery letters while packing away some books and souvenirs that I wished to leave in Rouen. It is a strange coincidence, that ten days I had another college chum who informed me that Saint-Gery was dead, that he had disappeared mysteriously from Rouen, and that after the lapse of several years the authorities had accidentally come upon proof which convinced them that he had committed suicide.

At that time I was impressed madly and as I walked back to my apartments the recollection of that terrible night of suffering came up to me in strange relief. I recollected everything to the smallest degree, although it was nearly ten years since it had happened, and I was seized with an irresistible inclination to open the packages and read the letters.

"What harm?" thought I. "Saint-Gery was the man of my race. These letters ought to be his, and I will deliver them. Either I must destroy them without reading them, for in the case of my death the letters would fall into other hands, and might blacken his memory by making him out a self-confessed murderer, or I may read them before despatching them, and thus open up the whole mystery concerning the death of Saint-Gery. I will use my power to keep any terrible secret that might be disclosed by the letters."

I deliberated for several hours, working myself up into such a state of mind that every rattle of the window curtains, every creak in the floor, every creak of the fire made me start like a startled cat. At last I took my hand on the door knob. At last I summoned up resolution enough to break the seals, and as I did so the bells in a neighboring church tower rang out a hour of midnight. It was another strange coincidence, and as I listened to the solemn tones, my flesh began to creep, my hair to stand on end, and I felt as if a heavy old fear had come back upon me, I was suffering the keenest torture. Gradually the fit passed off, and I was able to proceed with the reading of the letters. They were one and all love letters addressed by Saint-Gery to "Aurore."

They were wildly, almost passionately passionate, and more than once I noticed that Saint-Gery's reason had always been more or less unaltered. In every letter there was some reference to Aurore's glorious head of hair, and I now felt sure that I had not seen Aurore herself, but her spirit, that she had been foully murdered by Saint-Gery in an excess of love and jealousy. Upon unsealing the third package I found a heavy tress of golden hair at least five feet in length. It had been cut from Aurore's head by Saint-Gery, for that fact was noted in his handwriting, giving even the hour, day and date. A comparison with it of the few hairs that had clung to the buttons and gold lace of my military uniform, might be said to confirm one of the strongest beliefs that the spirits of the dead under certain conditions have the power of materialization when they walk the earth.

Well, you will not be surprised when I tell you that I didn't destroy these letters, that an intense desire to ferret out this mystery came upon me, and that I firmly resolved upon to do the task, and if possible, to learn the exact fate of the beautiful Aurore. You know what happened. In Rio I met a lady, loved her, married her and settled down there. It was twenty years before I was destined to see France again. I was then an old man, not in very robust health—a childless widower. I had come home to die, but the spirit of old friends and native land gave me a new lease of life, and it seemed to me as if I began life all over again. I was passionately fond of hunting, and one autumn about ten years ago while so engaged in the northeast of France, I was overtaken by a terrific storm. I urged my guide to find a shelter as speedily as possible. He assured me that there was not a roof within four miles of us, and scarcely were the words out of his mouth before I caught sight of what seemed to me to be a charcoal burner's hut nestled upon the forest about half a mile distant.

"Nay, my lord, not there," exclaimed the man with gesture of dread. "It might mean death to us both."

"Death to us both?" I echoed.

"Yes," returned the man, "the cot is inhabited by a mad man, or no very bad one."

But the storm was now increasing in fury, and madman or no madman I was determined to seek shelter there. As our knocking failed forth no response, I pushed open the door. In the center of the room stood a man of low stature with shaggy hair and long matted beard white as the driven snow. At a glance the man's eyes told me whom I had come upon. It was Saint-Gery. There could be no mistaking him. His right hand grasped a pistol and his left one to his forehead.

"Halt! another step and I'll shoot!"

"Halt! another step and I'll shoot!"

"You both down, you infamous minions of the devil. I know what you've come for—to arrest me for murder, and you're right, too; but I'm resolved to sell my life dearly; yes, dearly, just for the pleasure of killing. Ha, ha, ha!"

"Nay, sir, you mistake us entirely," I cried out in a friendly way. "We are not officers, we're more respectful, we'll create the shelter of your roof. We will do you no harm."

In an instant his fury left him, and he held out his hand to me.

"Saint-Gery," I cried, "old friend, don't you recognize me—your old schoolmate, De la Tour-Samuel?"

But my word made no impression upon his disordered mind. He was

hopelessly insane. "Hopelessly? And yet why?" thought I, as I sat gazing upon the awful mental and physical wreck before me. If I could but persuade him, little as I believed it myself, that Aurore still lived, that I had seen her, touched her, talked with her in the old chateau near Rouen, possibly I might be able to call his wandering reason back again. My mind was made up at once. As I contemplated remaining in that region as long as the hunting season lasted, I would send to Paris for the three packages and deliver them to him. The sight of these letters, the touch of Aurore's beautiful hair, together with the sound of my voice might gradually make Saint-Gery's reason whole again. Alas! Man proposes, but God disposes. I carried out my program to the letter. I covertly laid the three packages on Saint-Gery's table one evening and then left him alone with those reminders of the other days.

The next morning I found the door locked. When I tried to open it, there sat Saint-Gery at the table with his head supported on one hand, and his eyes apparently riveted upon something held in the other.

"Saint-Gery, old friend, how are you to-day?" I called cheerily, as I laid my hand on his shoulder.

"He was dead!" He had died sitting there with his eyes fixed upon the strand of Aurore's hair.

Putting a speedy end to my sport in the woods, I hastened to Rouen, resolved to seek out Roger, if he were still alive, and with the proof I had, extort a confession from him. The old chateau had been sold for taxes, and the old chateau near Rouen, possibly I might be able to call his wandering reason back again. My mind was made up at once. As I contemplated remaining in that region as long as the hunting season lasted, I would send to Paris for the three packages and deliver them to him. The sight of these letters, the touch of Aurore's beautiful hair, together with the sound of my voice might gradually make Saint-Gery's reason whole again. Alas! Man proposes, but God disposes. I carried out my program to the letter. I covertly laid the three packages on Saint-Gery's table one evening and then left him alone with those reminders of the other days.

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utter a shriek or even a groan—to the lowest chamber of the dungeon-keep, and there with hideous cruelty he first bound her hand and foot, and then having securely woven the long, thick strands of her hair into an iron ring in the wall, left her to starve. Ten days after, when he imagined that his diabolical work had effected its purpose, he suddenly informed me of his intent to leave the castle and never again to cross its threshold. I paid little heed to his wild words, and let him go without a syllable of dissent. I had had my eye upon him all along. Fortunately there was a secret underground passage leading to this dungeon prison known only to me. Its existence had been made known to me by my father. Through this I visited Aurore ever night with food and drink, impressing upon her mind



the necessity of simulating death, in case Saint-Gery should enter the dungeon. This he did on the tenth day, and hearing the clank of the bolts Aurore obeyed my injunction to the letter, rolled over on her face and lay stretched stark and stiff on the stone floor. Saint-Gery uttered a harsh breathing of relief and turned away. After the demon's departure I made haste to release Aurore and entreated her to betake herself to a convent in the neighborhood, but so unfixated was her mind by the terrible experiences she had gone through that she refused to obey. On different occasions the tombs caught sight of a white figure with long flowing hair seated at the window in the moonlight, and the chateau soon acquired the reputation of being haunted. At this period it was about a year after Saint-Gery's departure that you came for the papers.

Then it was not a beautiful spectacle I cried in astonishment, "but Aurore herself in flesh and blood?"

"Yes, my lord," added Roger, with a sad smile, "in flesh and blood, the beautiful Aurore herself, the ill-fated mistress of Chateau Saint-Gery, who by chance wandered into the room while you were searching for the papers."

"One day," continued Roger, "a curious idea flashed through my mind. It was that if I could only succeed in cutting off that glorious head of hair, perchance Aurore might recover her reason completely."

This, my dear friends, Roger now proceeded to do. Having administered a sleeping potion to Aurore, he sheared her of her glorious tresses with a bold and pitiless and while she slept.

Rising to his feet, the Marquis unlocked a panel closet and took out of it a silver casket, from which he drew forth a long braid of golden hair, made up of four strands, each alone quite thick enough to satisfy an ordinary daughter of Eve.

These are the radiant tresses, gentlemen," said the Marquis de la Tour-Samuel solemnly, "which belonged to the beautiful ghost of Chateau Saint-Gery, which I combed on that eventful night, and which I ween would have made Lady Godiva hide her head in bitter envy."

The two friends of the marquis drew me almost reverently, felt the braid and caressed it, pressing it first to their cheeks and then to their lips. This done, they both fixed inquiring eyes upon the marquis, and as one man pronounced the words:

"And Aurore?"

"Roger's reply was completely successful," replied their host. "Shorn of her ill-starred glory, Aurore soon recovered her reason and was easily persuaded to enter a religious house in another part of France, where no doubt she has long since fully atoned for her transgressions, if any she committed, by prayer, contrition and repentance."

"Peace, Aurore, to thy bruised head, to thy broken living, and thy eternal rest, to thy pure soul, if thou art dead," murmured the army officer reverentially.

"Amen! Amen!" responded the two others, and then, as with one impulse, they stretched out their left hands and joined them in a triple clasp, while with their right they raised their glasses to their lips.

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What They Lacked.

## TALMAGE'S SERMON.

RESPONSIBILITY FOR WHAT WE WEAR ON OUR BODIES.

Rev. Dr. Talmage on the Influence of the Idol of Fashion—Business and Character Shipwrecked on the Wardrobe—A Practical and Powerful Sermon.

### The Dress Tragedy.

Mr. Dr. Talmage, who is now in Melbourne on his round the world tour, has chosen as the subject of his sermon through the press "The Tragedy of Dress," the text selected being Peter iii, 3, 4, "The whose adorning let it not be that outward adorning of plaiting of the hair, and the wearing of gold, or of putting on of apparel, but that the hidden man of the heart."

"That we should all be clad in robes in paradise with an apparel of dark green. That we should all, as far as our means allow us, be beautifully and gracefully apparelled is proved by the fact that God's angels have had King of the East with gold and ambergris of a tree but He garlanded it with blossoms, or a sky but He studied it with stars, or allowed even the smoke of a furnace to ascend but He columned and tarped and domed and arched it into outlines of indescribable gracefulness.

When I see the apple orchard of the spring and the pagentry of the tombs, I am reminded of the conclusion that if nature ever does join the church, while she may be a Quaker in the silence of her worship, she never will be a Quaker in the style of her dress. Why the notches of a fern leaf or the stamens of a water lily? Why, when the day departs, does it let the falling doom of evening stay open so long, when the twilight is so near?

On summer morning I saw an army of a million spears, each one adorned with a diamond of the first water—I mean the grass with the dew on it. When the prodical came home, his father not only put a coat on his back but jewelry on his hand. Christ wore a beard. Paul the bachelor apostle, as affected with an sentimentalism, admitted the arrangement of a woman's hair when he said in his epistle, "if a woman have long hair, it is a glory unto her." There will be a fashion in Heaven as on earth, but it will be a different kind of fashion. It will decide the color of the dress, and the population of that country, by a beautiful law, will wear white. I say these things as a backbiter to my sermon, to show you that I have no whim, prejudice, prudish, or cast iron theories on the subject of human apparel. But the goddess of fashion has set up her throne in this world, and at the sound of the timbrels we are all expected to fall down and worship. The Old and New Testament of her bible are the fashion plates. Her altars smoke with the sacrifices of the bodies, minds and souls of 10,000 victims. In her temple four people stand in the organ loft, and from them there comes down a cold drizzle of music, freezing on the ears of her worshippers. This goddess of fashion has become a rival of the Lord of heaven and earth, and it is high time that we unlearned our batteries against this idolatry. When I find as many masculine as feminine men make an easy trade against woman, as though she were the chief worshipper at this idolatrous shrine, and no doubt some men in the more conspicuous part of the pew have already cast glances at the more retired part of the pew, their look a prophecy of the fate that will befall them. My sermon shall be appropriate for one end of the pew as for the other.

Frivolties of Men.

Men are as much the idolaters of fashion as women, but they sacrifice on a different part of the altar. With men the fashion goes to cigars, and club-rooms, and yachting parties, and wine suppers. In the United States men chew up and smoke \$100,000,000 worth of tobacco every year. Dress is their fashion. In London not long ago a man died who had started in life with \$750,000, but he ate it all up in gluttonies, sending his agents to all parts of the earth for some rare delicacy for the palate, sometimes one plate of food costing him \$300 or \$400. He ate up his whole fortune and had only one guinea left. With that he bought a good dinner, had it in the very best style, ate it, gave two hours for digestion, and walked out on Westminster bridge and threw himself into the Thames and died, doing on a large scale what you and I have often seen done on a small scale. But men do not abstain from millinery and elaboration of skirt through any superiority of humor. It is only because an appetite, a desire, would be blockaded to business. What would shaves and trims three and a half yards long in a stock market? And yet men are the disciples of fashion just as much as women. Some of them wear boots so tight they can hardly walk in the paths of righteousness. And there are men who buy expensive suits of clothes and never pay for them, and who go through the streets in great stripes of color, like animated checkerboards. I say these things because I want to show you that I am impartial in my discourse, and that both sexes, in the language of the surrogate's office, shall "share and share alike." As God may help me, I shall show you what are the deadly and deathful influences of inordinate fashion.

The first baleful influence I notice is in fraud, illegitimate and justly. Do you know that Arnold of the Revolution proposed to sell his country in order to get money to support his wife's wardrobe? I declare here before God and this people that the effort to keep up expensive establishments in this country is sending more business men to temporal perdition than all other causes combined. What was it that sent Gilman to the penitentiary, and Philadelphia Morton to the watering of stocks, and the life insurance agents to perjured statements about their assets, and has completely upset our American finances? The United States Secretary at Washington, the crash of whose fall shook the continent? But why should I go to these famous defaulting to show what men will do in order to keep up great households and expensive wardrobes, when we see and know scores of men who are at their wits' end and are lashed from January to December in the attempt?

Our politicians may theorize until the expiration of their terms of office as to the best way of improving our monetary condition in this country. It

will be of no use and things will be no better until we learn to put on our heads and backs and feet and hands no more than we can pay for.

### Tragedy of Human Clothes.

There are clerks in stores and banks on limited salaries who, in the vain attempt to keep the wardrobe of their family as showy as other folks' wardrobes, are dying of muffs and diamonds and shawls and high hats, and they have nothing to show for it but the grave. Eating and wine suppers, and give the evening and wine suppers, and die before their time, and they will expect us ministers to preach about them as though they were the victims of early piety, and after a high class funeral, with silver handles at the side of the coffin of extraordinary brightness, it will be found out that the ministerer cheated out of his legitimate expenses!

Do not forget me to preach the funeral sermon of a man who dies like that. I will blurt out the whole truth and tell that he was strangled to death by his wife's ribbons. Our countries are dressed to death. You are not surprised to find that the putting up of one public building in New York costs millions of dollars more than it ought to have cost when you find that the man who gave out the contracts paid more than \$5,000 for his daughter's wedding dress. Cashmere of a thousand dollars each are not rare on Broadway. It is estimated that there are 10,000 women in these two cities who have expended on their personal apparel \$24,000,000 a year.

What are men to do in order to keep up such home wardrobes? Steal! That is the only respectable thing they can do. During the last fifteen years there have been innumerable fine businesses shipwrecked on the wardrobe. The temptation comes in this way: A man thinks more of his family than of all the rest of the world, and if they spend the evening in describing to him the superior wardrobe of the family across the street, that they cannot bear the sight of the man is thrown on his gallantry and on his pride of family and without translating his feelings into plain language he goes into extortion and issuing of false stock and skillful penmanship in a stock exchange, and swindle to pay for their wives' dresses; I will say, it whether you forgive me or not.

A Fox of Almsgiving.

Again, inordinate fashion is the foe of all Christian almsgiving. Men and women put so much in personal display that they often have nothing for God and the cause of suffering humanity. I have seen a man in a city of 200,000 people, who has his \$100,000 in the bank, shut up his hand to hide the cent he puts into the poor-box. A Christian woman, at the story of the Hottentots, crying copious tears into a \$25 handkerchief and then giving a 2 cent piece to the collection, trusting it under the bills so people will not know that it was a \$10 gift. One hundred dollars for an income of 90 cents for God. God gives you 90 cents out of every dollar. The other 10 cents by command of His Bible belong to Him. Is not God liberal according to His titthing system laid down in the Old Testament? Is not God liberal in giving us 90 cents out of a dollar when He takes but 10? We do not like that. We want to have 99 cents for ourselves and 1 for God.

Now, I would a great deal rather steal 10 cents from you than from God. I think one reason why a great many people do not get along in worldly accumulation so fast as they do is because they do not observe this divine rule. God says, "Well, if that man is not satisfied with 90 cents of the dollar, then I will give it to the man or woman who is honest with me." The greatest obstacle to charity in the Christian Church to-day is the fact that men expend so much money on their table, and women so much on their dress, they have got nothing left for the work of God and the world's betterment. In my first settlement at Belleville, N. J., the cause of missions was being presented one Sabbath, and a plea for the charity of the people was being made, when an old Christian man in the audience lost his balance and said right out in the midst of the sermon, "Mr. Talmage, how are we to give liberally to these grand and glorious causes when our families dress as they do?" It had no answer to the question. It was the only time in my life when I had nothing to say.

How Fashion Distracts Worship.

Again, inordinate fashion is distraction to public worship. You know very well there are a good many people who come to church and they go to the races to see who will come out first. What a flutter it makes in church when some woman with extraordinary display of fashion comes in. "What a lovely bonnet!" says one. "What a perfect figure!" says five hundred. For the most merciless critics in the world are fashion critics. Men and women with souls to be saved, passing by the church door, where they have got their cravat or what store that woman patronizes. In many of our churches the preliminary exercises are taken up with the discussion of wardrobes. It is pitiable. Is it not wonderful that the Lord does not strike the meeting houses with lightning? What distraction of pure worship! Dying men, whose bodies are before these worlds strutting like peacocks, the awful questioning of the soul's destiny submerged by the question of navy blue velvet and long fan train skirt, long enough to drag up the church aisle, the husband's store office, shop, factory or office, the admission of half the people in the building. Men and women come late to church to show their clothes. People sitting down in a pew or taking up a hymn book, all absorbed at the same time in personal array to sing:

Now my soul, and stretch thy wings; Thy better portion trace, Rise out thy earthly home, Toward Heaven, thy native place.

Adapted from the Episcopal prayer-book.

"Good Lord, deliver us!"

Inordinate fashion also belittles the intellect. Our minds are enlarged or they dwindle just in proportion to the importance of the subject on which we constantly dwell. Can you imagine anything more dwelling to the mind

man intellect than the study of fashion? I see men on the street who, judging from their elaboration, I think must have taken time to study the subject. After a few years of that kind of absorption, which one of McAllister's magnifying glasses will be powerful enough to make the man's character visible? They all land in idleness. I have seen men at the summer watering places through fashion the mere wreck of what they once were. Eating, wine, Meagan of him, followed at the chest. Showing no animation, save in rushing across a room to pick up a lady's fan. Simpering across the corridors, the same compliments they simpered twenty years ago. A New York lawyer at United States Hotel, Saratoga, within our hearing, rushed across a room to say to a sensible woman, "You are a great beauty, and the gods of fashion are myriads. Fashion not only destroys the body, but it makes idiotic the intellect."

A Wasted Life.

Yet, my friends, I have given you only the milder phase of this evil. It shuts a great multitude out of Heaven. The first peal of thunder that shook Sinai declared, "Thou shalt have no other God before me," and yet I have to choose between the gods of fashion and the Christian God. There are a great many seats in Heaven, and they are all easy seats, but not one seat for the devotee of fashion. Heaven is for those who think more of their souls than of their bodies. Heaven is for those who have more joy in Christian charity than in dry, god-revelling. Why, if you are a devotee of fashion, should some how get into Heaven, you would be putting a French roof on the "house of many mansions." Give up this idolatry of fashion or give up Heaven.

What would you do standing beside the Countess of Huntington, whose joy it was to build chapels for the poor, or with that Christian woman of Boston who had 1,500 children of the street at Faneuil Hall on New Year's day, giving out as a sort of dexterity at the end of the meeting a pair of shoes to each one of them, or those Dorcas of modern society who have consecrated their needles to the Lord, and who will get eternal reward for every stitch they take. Oh, men and women, give up the idolatry of fashion. The rewards and the competitions of such a life are a stupendous wretchedness. You will always find some one with brighter array, and with more palatial residence, and with lavender kid gloves that make a tighter fit. And if you buy this thing and wear it you will wish you had bought something else and worn it. And the frets of such a life of being the crown feet to you, temples before they arrive, and when you come to die you will have a miserable time. I have seen men and women of fashion die, and I never saw one of them die well. The tappings off, there they lay on the tumbled pillow, and there were just two things that bothered them—a wasted life and a coming eternity. I could not pacify them, and their bodies, which had been exhausted in the worship of fashion, and they could not appreciate the gospel. When I knelt by their bedside, they were mumbling out their regrets and saying: "O God! O God!" Their garments hung up in the wardrobe never again to be seen by them. Without any exception, so far as my memory serves me, they died without joy, and went into eternity unprepared.

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## TAKING CARE OF HER FORESTS

Practical Measures Taken by France to Prevent Denudation.

There is no country in Europe where the science of forestry receives so much attention from the government as in France, and a tribute to the prominence of that nation in this particular branch of culture was afforded by the Anglo-Indian Government, which for many years maintained a branch of its crown forests of forestry at Nancy. It may, therefore, be of interest to state that the ministry, after having had under consideration various schemes for prevention of the fires which annually destroy hundreds of thousands of trees, has now decided to inaugurate a series of isolation zones. These spaces are to be traced out so as to go through the moistest ground, and at every point there will be a tower reservoir, with fire engines and long hoses. As an illustration of the attention which the government pays to these matters, a writer in the New York Tribune mentions that the once bare heath, or heath, of Gascony, covering an area of 1,500,000 acres, is now covered by a dense forest of pine and cork trees planted by the state. Another measure in this direction announced by the government is the proclamation that a premium of ten centimes will be paid to each person who brings a kilogram of cockchafers, which do so much damage to the tree. Notices to this effect have been printed and posted in every commune and village throughout the country. The humor of the government lies in the fact that the average number of cockchafers to a kilogram is 1,162, which enables one to appreciate to the fullest extent the munificence of the government and the value of cockchaffer-hunting, at the rate of one cent for every 600 insects, as a means of livelihood.

Oh, What a Surprise!  
What an agreeable one, too, is experienced by the hitherto misguided individual who has been ceaselessly but vainly dosing for years with the futile hope for curing constipation, when drastic pills and potions are abandoned for the Stomach Bitters, a faithful auxiliary of nature, which does its work without griping or weakening, but always effectually. "Throw pills to the dogs" and use this benign and thorough laxative, which achieves results which astonish as well as gratify those who use it. Not only a regular habit of body, but complete digestion and assimilation are restored by its use. It regulates the liver and kidneys, and counteracts a tendency to rheumatism. In no case where it is possible to procure it should its use be delayed. Fortify with it against malaria.

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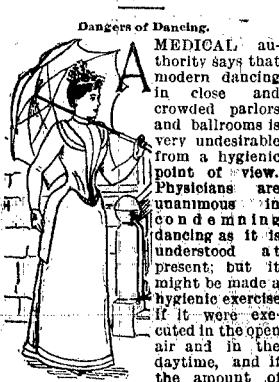
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## DOINGS OF WOMEN.

NOTES AND GOSSIP ABOUT FEMININE AFFAIRS.

There Are No Women in Matwetchin, Mongolia - Many Cases of Disease Is Thought to Originate in the Bath-Room - How to Care for the Hair.



Dangers of Dancing.  
MEDICAL authority says that modern dancing in close and crowded parlors and ballrooms is very undesirable from a hygienic point of view. Physicians are unanimous in condemning dancing as it is understood at present, but it might be made a hygienic exercise if it were executed in the open air and in the daytime, and if the amount of the exercise was in proportion to the strength of the dancers.

After a ball it is quite common to find that many delicate young women show signs of disturbed heart action, or of laryngitis, colds, bronchitis, and sometimes pneumonia and pleurisy. In all cases of consumption dancing should be rigidly forbidden, as it may cause the disease to assume a rapid form of fatal development. In cardiac troubles also indulgence in dancing is likely to prove very dangerous. The medical correspondent says:

"It is scarcely necessary to refer to the dust of all kinds, to the innumerable microbes that the dancers send flying into the air, nor need we speak of the untimely strain imposed upon the organism which, at a time when it ought to be at rest, is, on the contrary, overexcited. What greater mistake than the midnight supper, at which the most unwholesome things are eaten and drunk? The guests bolt in a very short time food that is generally heavy and washed down with strong wine, and this is resumed over before the dancing is resumed, against the most elementary rules of common sense and hygiene. Nor is this all; it is not the body alone that is concerned, as the mind has its share in this fatigue by the vivid emotions produced by the conversation, music, and flowers."—New York Herald.

A City Without Women.  
We know that Venice is a city without streets, without horses, except four or five bronze ones; without carriages, without trees, except in one garden, and without wooden houses. But there is a city still more peculiar than Venice. It is in Mongolia, close to the borders of Russian Siberia, and is named Matwetchin, and it is the only city in the world peopled with men only. The Chinese women are not only forbidden to enter this territory, but even to pass the great wall of Kalkan and enter into Mongolia. All the Chinese of this border city are exclusively traders, and they accumulate money until their trading with Europe through Siberia has created a sufficient fortune to enable them to return to their native cities and live there in ease with their families, says the St. Louis Republic.

Their dwellings indicate their prosperity. They are separated from the street by a clay wall, rather ugly, it is true, but surrounding generally a very elegant looking house, before which are gambling those sleek-looking, plump cubs, with unusually big eyes, such as are pretty faithfully represented on Chinese vases and screens. The main part of the houses of Matwetchin is divided into two compartments, and that which is behind is raised. Fires are kept under this great platform, which is covered with mats that serve as seats by day and beds by night. Opposite the door a niche is generally seen, where the domestic idols, unaccustomed to attentiveness to profane eyes, repose behind an ornamental blind. The walls of the reception room are lacquered in red or black, and sometimes covered with figured silk, according to the wealth and taste of the owner. The apartment overlooking the court is generally of light wood, perforated and carved, and over these openings colored paper is stretched, producing something of the graceful effect of stained glass. The idol temples are gorgeous buildings.

Not Ambitious Women.  
The Italian woman has not yet taken her true working place in society. She is generally handsome, rarely bad in the strictest sense of the word, though by no means a very strict moralist. At home she rules; outside she exerts no influence whatever. The political woman is as yet unknown. A few literary women exist, but among them are only one or two who rise above the average. The Italian is nearly always a good mother; even when a bad wife she follows impulses rather than reason in her actions, and this to a greater degree than her sisters in any other European country.

During the national uprising she was hopeful, but she remained humble and never became ambitious. Mme. Batuzzi, who tried to meddle in politics, had to desist. Outside the domestic circle the Italian women does not work, except in the lower classes and then she uses rather her physical than her intellectual strength. The business woman, like in France, is not met with except in Piedmont and Milan. The latter had not been able to find

## woman other official employments than that of schoolmistress.

Carling for the Hair.

For washing the hair, particularly such as is inclined to be oily, nothing is better than the common hard soap of the kitchen. A woman who has used it frequently herself and seen its benefits tested in other cases prescribed it with strong faith. "Make a strong sud," she says, "rub it quickly on the hair and wash it off again at once. After that any scented soap or wash may be used in the way of an ordinary shampoo." An English maid, who is famed for the care of her mistresses' hair, may be taken in further testimony of the same article, as the only wash she uses is soapuds, thickened with a teaspoonful of glycerine and the white of an egg. Undoubtedly women waste money in expensive hair beautifiers and preservers. Simple means right at one's hands are just as effective. The pulp of a lemon, for instance, rubbed on the roots of the hair will stop ordinary cases of falling out.

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French Laws Concerning Babies.  
It is not generally known that in France it is forbidden under severe penalties for anyone to give infants under 1 year any form of solid food unless such is ordered by a written prescription signed by a legally qualified medical man. Nurses are also forbidden to use in the rearing of infants confections to their care at any time or under any pretext whatever any nursing bottle provided with a rubber tube.

Feminine Gossip.  
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Mlle. D'ARSAILLY, who has married Count de Courtes, is a granddaughter of Gen. Lafayette.  
LOUISE CHANDLER MOULTON is out against woman suffrage. She opines that it isn't the wish of the majority of her sex, and she rather admires their taste.

CHINESE TRAMPS.  
The Most Miserable and Disgusting Wretches in the World.

The Chinese who have no habitation and who are simply scavengers, live in the streets of the cities, and their main endeavor is to keep out of the clutches of the law. What he suffers would appall the American tramp, who thinks he is hardly used when he fails to get three square meals a day. The diet of one of these Chinese vagrants is largely composed of lean or fat soup, and is eaten both in the winter and in the summer, which he gathers along the highway. Even rice is a luxury which he gets only at long intervals, and meat is something which he enjoys only in his dreams, when his imagination is made lively by the gnawings of his empty stomach. Ragged, dirty and filthy, with the most horrible appearance, even though his ugliness be not aggravated by deformity or disease. Half these beggars, however, have ophthalmia, their red eyes running with rheum, while it is a common sight to see fellows with ulcers the size of saucers or with other skin diseases, which mark their hideous and repulsive appearance. Doro, in some of his ghostly plates of human misery during Biblical plagues, never conceived anything more grewsome than the every-day sights which may be seen in this endless procession of unfortunates along Chinese roads.

Queer old famous.  
Beethoven, the great music composer, was surely ill-bred and so peculiar in his habits, that nobody liked to live in the house with him. He was fond of bathing, and would splash about his room until the floor was soaked and the water ran through the ceiling into the apartment beneath. When he was writing down the compositions he had prepared he was accustomed to groan and howl in the most diabolical way, varying the performance by an occasional ear-splitting yell that frightened every one in the block. During the summer season he spent much of his time in the open air, going out daily, after breakfast, and remaining until noon, then dining, and in the afternoon writing down his work of the morning. When walking in the fields and woods he sometimes went very fast, then would suddenly stop, wave his arms about and shout. He was considered by the country people a harmless lunatic. When he died his whole property amounted to less than \$5,000, and his immense collection of musical manuscripts of his own works brought only 1,183 florins, or about \$500.

The Decline of Charcoal.  
The charcoal business has been on the decline for thirty years. Its first great start downward came with the introduction of kindling wood, a business that has grown to large proportions. Kindling wood has almost entirely taken the place of charcoal in the ordinary domestic uses. Nowadays charcoal is hardly used anywhere except in hotels and by plumbers, tin roofers and cooper-smiths. Hotels use it for broiling. Charcoal has other uses, however. Placed in retorts or kilns, it is subjected to fire in such a way as to get the gas out of it and make it as near carbon as possible. It is then ground in different grades of fineness and sold to distillers for rectifying high wines. Granulated charcoal is sold to ice manufacturers for use in filtering water. The use of ice machines is increasing in the North as well as the South, and New York granulated charcoal is shipped to all parts of the country. That trade is increasing.

Built His Own Tomb.  
A rich foreigner, who settled in Marselles a few years ago, had made elaborate preparations for dying by his own hand whenever he decided that the moment had come. He built a vault, which could be hermetically sealed, in a corner of his garden, furnished with a reclining chair, two large candelabra, and two pans, filled with charcoal, ready to light. He entered the vault frequently, but not until a fortnight ago did he close the door and light the charcoal. He was found dead in the chair.

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No other language, having itself no great masterpiece of literature, has had such effect on modern literature as the Celtic. To it we owe many of the fairy tales of our childhood; some of Shakespeare's plays, some of the incidents detailed in the Arthurian poems, even some of those in the Divine Comedy, are drawn from Celtic sources. It was said of Washington, "Nature made him childless that he might be the father of his country," so it might almost be said of the Celtic language, "Nature left it childless that it might be the mother of other literatures."

The Celtic language is not a dead language. One-sixth of the population of the Emerald Isle (in round numbers, 800,000 persons) understand Erse; 40,000 persons there know no other language than it; one-third of the territory of Ireland is still Celtic, so far as the ability to understand the language is concerned, and upward of 2,000,000 in this country are familiar with the tongue. The path of the new society and of its predecessors is uphill; but the ascent has an end. A century ago the Welsh language was really in worse case than the Erse is now, but by the exertions of scholars and the local clergy of Wales it was rescued, and to-day is vigorous both in Wales and America. A similar success may await the Celtic societies of this country in their patriotic labors we sincerely hope.

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"Well," he replied, "I have not sold 90 per cent less of oysters, but I have not sold half as many oysters this season as I used to, and those that I have sold have been for less money, and even this less money I have not been able to collect."

"That is pretty hard lines," I said, "smaller sales, smaller prices and smaller collections."

"Yes," was the answer, "and, take it all along this side of Long Island, the number of oysters sold have been just one-half of what they were before we got Cleveland. Where we have oyster beds to supply the New York market and the American trade, it is there that we oystermen have suffered."

"How does dull trade in New York affect the oyster business?" was my next question.

"Well, it is in this way: If people are out of work or not earning as much money as they used to, they have to reduce their expenses, and the first things they do without are amusements and luxuries. People are not obliged to eat oysters in order to keep body and soul together, nor are they obliged to go to theaters, and when they do not go to the theaters they do not eat oysters after the theater, and that's just where we get left."

"Where do you sell your oysters mostly?"

"I used to ship my oysters and sell them direct to many of the large restaurants on Broadway and Sixth avenue, and I can tell you that they have been buying less and less oysters from me steadily. It is not so much that I cannot collect my money, but collections are harder, and where I used to come up once a week and have no difficulty in collecting every dollar owing to me now I am sometimes asked to wait a week, or perhaps two or three weeks, by some of the Sixth avenue restaurant keepers. And besides this we have to sell our oysters for less money. It is hard to get just what will pay actual working expenses and the wages of the men who are working for us."

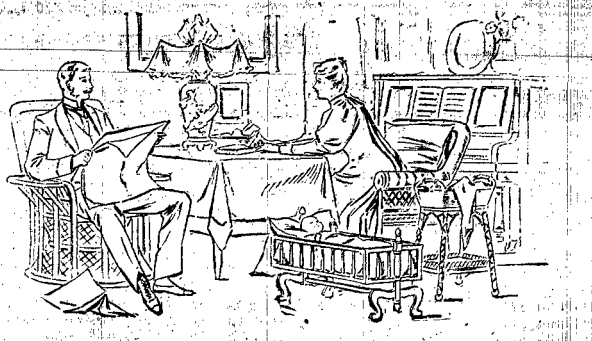
"There is no tariff on oysters," I said, "and the Democrats say that it is the tariff that prevents business. Therefore as there is no tariff on oysters the oyster trade should be rushing, and people should be scrambling and fighting for oysters."

He looked at me sharply and said: "What's your opinion? What affects our oyster trade is the general prosperity of the people of the country. If people are working, they have money to spend; if they have money to spend, they will have some amusement and luxuries. I used to be a strong Democrat, but I guess I have had just enough of it. I have suffered pretty badly in my business since the Democrats got into power, and that has knocked out of me all the belief I used to have in them. I have got to look out for myself, my wife and family, and if I cannot earn money enough to supply them with food, clothing and comfort while the Democrats are in power, just the same as I used to when the Republicans were in office, why, I am going to vote for those who help me. Next election you will find me voting a straight Republican ticket."

B. THINKER.

The Wolves and the Sheep. Once on a time the Wolves sent an embassy to the Sheep, desiring that there might be peace between them for the time to come.

"Why," said they, "should we be forever waging this deadly strife? These wicked Dogs are the cause of it all; they are incessantly barking at us and provoking us." The silly Sheep listened, the Dogs were dismissed, and the flock, thus deprived of their protection, became an easy prey to their treacherous enemy.



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**Republican Congressional Convention.**  
The Republican electors of the Third congressional district of Nebraska are requested to send delegates from their several counties to meet in convention in the city of Norfolk, Tuesday, August 28, 1894, at 7:30 o'clock p. m., for the purpose of placing in nomination a candidate for congress from said district.  
The several counties are entitled to representation as follows: Being based upon the vote cast for Hon. J. M. Raymond, for presidential elector in 1892, giving one delegate at large to each of the following counties: 188 votes and the majority fraction thereof:  
County. Del. County. Del.  
Antelope ..... Madison ..... 11  
Broomfield ..... Merrick ..... 7  
Burr ..... Nemaha ..... 7  
Cedar ..... Pierce ..... 5  
Comins ..... Platte ..... 10  
Conrad ..... Richardson ..... 6  
Dakota ..... Thurston ..... 6  
Dixon ..... Wayne ..... 8  
Dodge ..... York ..... 8  
Knox ..... Total ..... 153

Dated Norfolk, Nebr., June 18, 1894.  
BEST MARGES, Secretary. C. C. McNEAL, Chairman.

**Republican County Convention.**  
The republicans of the several precincts of Wayne County are hereby requested to send delegates to a county convention hereby called to meet at the court room in Wayne on Saturday, August 11th, 1894, at 2:15 p. m., for the purpose of nominating a candidate for County Attorney and selecting delegates to the Republican State, Congressional, Senatorial and Representative Conventions.  
The basis of representation is fixed at one delegate at large for each precinct and one for each 25 voters or fraction thereof. The following are the names of the precincts and the number of delegates for each precinct and one for each 25 voters or fraction thereof:  
Precinct. Del. Precinct. Del.  
Broomfield ..... 2  
Deer Creek ..... 2  
Hancock ..... 2  
Hunter ..... 2  
Leslie ..... 2  
Sherman ..... 2  
Wayne 1st Ward ..... 2  
Wayne 2d Ward ..... 2  
Wayne 3d Ward ..... 2  
Total ..... 16

It is recommended that the several precincts hold their primaries at such time and place between August 4th and 11th inclusive, as may be called by their County Central Committee. The following precincts composing the second Congressional District will also place in nomination a candidate for County Commissioner from that District: Wilbur, Strahan, Broomfield and first and third wards of Wayne.  
By order of Republican County Central Committee.  
A. A. WELCH, Chairman.  
R. C. OSBORN, Secretary.

**ONVENTIONS.**  
Republican State, Omaha, Aug. 22.  
Populist State, Grand Island Aug. 25

There will be a full crop of candidates this fall.  
Oh! where is Congress now? Down at Washington doing the sweat act.  
If there are any more positions left to run for, just fire them at "Billy" Bryan. He'll accept.  
The pops were not in it to any alarming extent in the Alabama elections Monday. The Democrats carried the day.  
Unless all signs fail the people will do the rest at the coming election. The button has been pressed by Grover and his House.  
The Japanese have proven themselves superior to the Chinese in warfare and have won every engagement with heavy loss to the Chinese.  
There is a rumor that neither MacColl or Majors will receive enough votes in the state convention to secure the nomination and that Governor Crouse may be re-nominated. Time will tell.  
Sometimes, in the course of human events, things are said that would have been much better if left unsaid. Spite should not be cultivated and the "Sermomizer" in last week's Democrat added nothing to his credit in an article that would have looked much better unprinted.  
Matt Daugherty, of Ogallala, has been nominated for congress by the republicans of the Sixth congressional district. Mr. Daugherty is one of the earnest workers of the republican party and if he is elected the "Six Sixty" will not be misrepresented as it has the past four years.  
The Bee is putting a good deal of stress on the unavailability of nominating Thos. J. Majors for Governor. It isn't at all likely that Majors will be nominated when men like McCall and Crouse are to be had and the Bee should save its ammunition for the demo-pop.

If any one wants to know why prices of all farm products are low fearfully low, let him look over the list of silent factories, dead furnaces and empty shops. These are the reasons, more eloquent and more convincing than all the oral and written testimony that has ever been produced. And it is the fulfillment of Republican prophecy. Literally and absolutely. Bates County, Mo., Record.

The Wayne Democrat calls our reply to its assertion that the "treasury was bankrupt when Harrison went out," silly. Yet the Democrat does not deny in its article our assertion that there were over \$40,000,000 more in the treasury when Harrison went out in '92 than when Cleveland went out in 1888. In fact by its silence on this subject the Democrat owns up that we are right and it is wrong.

Yes, Mr. Democrat, there were some \$40,000,000 more in the treasury when you chaffed the treasury was bankrupt than when your idol Cleveland backed out of the White House. If this is so in heaven's name what must have been the condition of the treasury when Cleveland vomited?—Pierce Call.

If the time ever comes in this country when the government is the owner of all the railroads, telegraph and telephone lines, coal mines, silver and gold mines, the people who are in favor of such ownership will find that many of the personal rights they now possess will have passed into the hands of the government. Wags will be established by the government from which there will be no appeal, and a strike under such circumstances would bring the strikers into direct conflict with Uncle Sam.—Seward Blade.

The very men who are resolving and declaring for government ownership of everything they don't own themselves, are howling because the general government is too strong already and exercises too much power. When the government of the United States gets to be a railroad corporation and a manufacturing company, and a mining company, and a telegraph company, and a long and short distance telephone company and every other kind of corporation, company, monopoly and concern, there will be visible signs of autocratic authority everywhere and freedom will be a myth. All we want of a government is to protect our lives and property and insure us the enjoyment of our natural and vested rights. Farther than that government is tyrannical to some one. It is abridging somebody's rights to enlarge the privileges of somebody else.—York Times.

**Why Is This Thus?**  
Here is the picture which ex-Gov. Boies drew before the late democratic state convention:  
"Homeless men by millions; rumblings of discontent from every quarter, but loudest and longest in the very centers of the most highly protected industries of the land; strikes and lockouts everywhere; armies of idle men gathered in our cities and marching over the country, vaunting their destitution in the face of the world with here and there the howl of the anarchist, the knife of the assassin and brand of the incendiary emphasizing with fire and blood a discontent that has become almost epidemic and threatens the stability of the government itself until the last resort of a nation, an appeal to the military arm for protection, has become a public necessity."  
And this after nearly two years of democratic administration of complete democratic control of the government!

Contrast with this description the promises which were the burden of Mr. Boies' campaign harangues two, three, four and five years ago—with the promised prosperity which was to be ushered in with democratic victory, the higher wages, the abundance of work and the better times for everybody.  
The ex-governor wants to hold the republican party responsible for everything when it is in power, and for everything that happens when it is out of power. His logic is not good. He blows hot and cold.  
If the republicans are held responsible when in power, why should not the democrats likewise be held responsible when they are in power?  
But Mr. Boies acknowledged in the same speech that he knows "we have not yet tasted the fruits of victory." What are the "fruits" but the things he describes and deplores as existing under democratic administration?  
If, as he pretends, the evils which surround us are the results of republican policies, why are the policies still on the statute book when the democratic party for nearly two years has had full power to wipe them off the statute book and to write democratic reforms in their stead? What is the democratic party on earth for? How many years does it take for the democratic party to begin its reforms?  
The ex-governor's defense is an indictment of his own party. Sioux City Journal.

**PROFIT SHARING.**  
The recent labor troubles have impressed upon students of industrial economy, profit-sharing as the one effective solution of the labor problem. There is an American Association for its promotion, and such men as Edward Everett Hale, President Angel, and others equally as prominent, are among its ardent supporters. At the second annual meeting of the association recently held, encouraging reports were made. Alfred Dodge the felt manufacturer has practiced profit-sharing for twenty years and when he was compelled recently to make a cut of ten per cent in wages it was accepted without complaint. Mr. Nelson, manufacturer of plumber supplies at La Claire, Ill., has a plan in operation by which six per cent is set aside as the interest on the capital invested, an allowance is made for the reserve and dividend fund, and the remaining profits are divided in the proportion of two per cent on wages and one per cent on capital. A reduction in wages there was accepted with "cheers." There are 100 profit sharing establishments in United

States, 80 in England, and 125 in France. We have yet to learn of one that is not satisfactory.—Omaha Christian Advocate.

The method above mentioned is about the only true solution of the labor problem.

**The Author Entertainers**  
Ella June Meade, Echo Vocalist, and Lu B. Cake, singing humorist, have been engaged by Superintendent White to give an entertainment before the Teachers' Institute Saturday August 11th. They will appear in their own songs, specialties and character creations, and an evening of pleasure and improvement is guaranteed. The Author Entertainers appeared before the Institute at Tokamah and proved a grand success. The Chicago Inter Ocean in speaking of the people says: The program differed widely from the usual Lyceum Entertainments of the day, being a happy combination of new songs, original specialties and witticisms. Ella June Meade was heartily applauded, and Mr. Cake's "Bill Nye" and "Fun on the Farm" kept the audience in continuous laughter. Admission 25 cents. Remember the date.

**Advertised List.**  
The following is a list of letters, etc., remaining in the Post Office at Wayne, Neb., for the week ending Aug. 4th 1894.  
G. W. Keefer, S. C. Merchant, M. M. Whitney, Mrs. Della Cook, and Miss Mary Reddick.  
Parties calling for the above please give date when advertised. A. P. Childs, P. M.

**Commissioner's Proceedings.**  
Wayne, Neb., Aug. 4th, 1894.  
Board met pursuant to adjournment. Present P. W. Oman and Mark Jeffrey, commissioners and S. B. Russell, clerk.  
Minutes of last meeting read and approved.  
The following proceedings were had and entered of record.  
- On motion J. W. Zeigler was appointed overseer of road district No. 29.  
- Bond of John Kofoed, overseer road district No. 22, approved.  
- Bond of J. W. Zeigler, overseer road district No. 29, approved.  
- Bond of J. W. Haines, overseer road district No. 37, approved.  
- Bond of S. H. McMakin, constable, Wayne precinct, approved.  
The following bills were allowed: Institute for feeble minded, clothing for Bowman, \$ 1 85  
W E Brookings, goods for pauper, 5 00  
Furchner, D & Co " " 20 00  
J H Golt, " " 3 00  
W D Hughes, " " 5 00  
J J Brady, " " 5 00  
J H Golt, " " 3 00  
P L Miller, " " 10 00  
A J Ferguson & Co rent for pauper, 5 00  
W H Bradford, " " 4 00  
B F Feather, overseer of poor, 11 50  
W P Agler, bridge repairs, 403 84  
Little Rock Lumber Co, ear piling, 201 00  
Edwards & Bradford Lumber, Wayne Winside 287 92  
Jacob Betchert, road work, 10 00  
L. A. Atkinson, " " 23 00  
P W Oman, commissioners fees, 3 30  
Mark Jeffrey, " " 3 00  
R H Johnson, dry, 1 40  
E Cunningham, printing, 4 10  
W V Coons, " " 13 40  
W H McNeal, " " 21 30  
T J Murrill, cleaning court house, 4 55  
Western Wheel & Scraper Co. repairs, 16 00  
S B Russell, salary and expenses, 1893, 805 65  
S B Russell, salary and expenses, 1894, 171 74  
E Martin, supplies county judge, 1 75  
M S Davies, " " sup'l, 10 00  
Ed Reynolds, court expenses, 1894, 26 25  
E Martin, costs State vs. Nichols, 22 10  
J P Gaertner, request expenses, 28 65  
C M White, Institute fund, 100 00  
S D Relyea, repairs, 3 00  
Application of B F Feather, poor commissioner, to compel J P Conley to support Anna Coney and her children. Approved by commissioners.  
Report of B F Feather, overseer of poor, approved.  
On motion George E. McDonald, of Lincoln, Neb., was authorized to prepare plans details and specification for a court house to cost not more than \$20,000 complete, including heating, light, water, fixtures and furniture. A copy of said plan to be furnished each precinct in Wayne county by said George E. McDonald, and in case the proposition for bonds fails to carry, no charges are to be made for such plans.  
Board adjourned to August 18th, 1894.  
Attest: S. B. RUSSELL, Clerk.

Madison Reporter. And still our amazement grows at the appearance of the Wayne papers. Four weekly papers as good as any in the state making a living in a town of 2,000 is a standing miracle in the newspaper world. To look at the pages of these papers one would think that Wayne had a population between 6,000 and 10,000. And reader merchant or property owner, don't over make the mistake that a good paper is not read and noticed, and that the appearance of the paper is an index to the character of the town. To our exchange table come papers that are scarcely opened and which would not be missed, and there are others which we have learned to know by the wrappers and which are opened eagerly. These latter have something in them worth reading, any why? In a town where there is no enterprise, where merchants do not advertise or rustle for business or support a paper, where moss is the principal commodity, an editor with brains and wit would not think of spending his time running a paper for the paltry trifle in it, so a moss-back like the balance of the community runs the paper in a slovenly, slipshod, never say anything way and editors of other papers learn to know the address on the wrapper and never open the paper. When a lawyer, a banker, a business man in another town in Nebraska, in Iowa, in Illinois, gets one of these papers he fires it into his basket and dismisses the town from his memory as if the recollection might prove a nightmare.

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KILLS HER ASSAILANT

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How National Quarantine Regulations Will Affect the Fruit Trade at New Orleans—Dun Reports "A Good Time Coming."

Killed Her Assailant. Norton, Kan., special: The Thuma School House was crowded by people eager to hear the preliminary examination of young Eugene McEnroe, whom Ella Lunney had charged with assaulting her.

FRUIT TRADE ENDANGERED.

National Quarantine Regulations Will Affect New Orleans.

New Orleans special: The orders of Collector Wilkinson putting in force the provisions of the recently enacted national quarantine regulations as received from Secretary Carlisle, have caused fears among shippers here.

Now the state board of health is trying every means in its power to have Secretary Carlisle exempt New Orleans from the provisions of the national act, or at least to modify it so as to conform to the regulations of the state board.

Struck by an Electric Car.

Bellaire, Ohio special: As a picnic wagon in which twenty-five persons, drove on the Whiskey Run bridge, it was struck by an electric car on the Wheeling and Bellaire Electric Railway.

Panic in a Tenement.

Chicago special: A panic was created by a fire which broke out in a row of tenement houses on West Fortieth and Ohio Streets, a hundred families tumbling over each other in a wild scramble to save their effects.

Alabama Goes Democratic.

Chicago special: The editor of the Mobile, Ala., Register telegraphs as follows: "Oates" election is assured by a majority ranging anywhere from 30,000 to 50,000.

Sped Them On Their Way.

Collinsville, Pa., special: Valentino Nowacki, leader of the foreign forces among the bootleggers, proposes to make an offer to the Japanese government to furnish 5,000 soldiers for the use of their war against China.

Cash in the Treasury.

Washington special: The cash balance was \$119,065,352, of which \$64,976,607 was cash reserve.

Bloomington Has a Brilliant Meteor.

Bloomington, Ill., special: About 7:45 a brilliant meteor, luminous and beautiful, flashed across the eastern sky.

Sentenced to the Guillotine.

Lyon, France special: Caesar Geronimo Santos, the murderer of President Carnot, was sentenced to be executed by the guillotine in the assize court.

UNCLE SAM'S COIN VANISHING.

Bonds Inevitable Unless Things Change for the Better Soon.

Washington special: There are differences of opinion among the treasury officials as to the probabilities of another bond issue. Neither Secretary Carlisle nor Assistant Secretary Curtis are willing to admit that there is any real cause for alarm in the present financial situation.

A GOOD TIME COMING.

Business Brightening at the Prospects of a Tariff Settlement.

New York, special: Dun & Co.'s review will say: An important change in the state of business is near at hand. Congress will act on the tariff question within a week.

Western Receipts of Wheat.

Western receipts of wheat were 6,100,254 bushels, against 4,002,696 last year, and exports were only 1,599,563 bushels from Atlantic ports, against 3,184,404 last year.

DUG HIS OWN GRAVE.

Would-Be Suicide Discovered Under a Mound of Earth.

Arlington, Mass., special: The superintendent of a Catholic cemetery near the Cambridge line discovered a new-made mound of earth in an unauthorized place.

BATTLE WITH WEALERS.

Jeffries' Band and a Train Crew Have a Vicious Fight.

Connellsville, Pa., special: Jeffries' commonwealthers arrived here and scattered through the town demanding food. When a Baltimore and Ohio freight train pulled out for the east, the whole crowd made a rush to capture transportation and succeeded in getting aboard.

ILLINOIS TOWN BURNING.

Farmer City in Danger of Being Utterly Consumed.

Bloomington, Ill., special: At 11:05 Farmer City wired that the town was in flames and asked for aid. Bloomington cannot respond.

Another Fire in Minneapolis.

Minneapolis special: Another fire is supposed to have been incendiary. It broke out in the warehouse of the Nelson Paper Company and the nearest fire alarm box was found to be plugged up tight.

Bismarck's Horses Take a Run.

Berlin special: While Prince Bismarck was taking a drive at Varzin the horses became unmanageable and plunged into the bob by the roadside, dragging the carriage with them.

Baker City Bank Suspended.

Baker City, Ore., special: The Baker City National Bank has suspended. The amount owing to depositors is about \$75,000.

Refuse to Obey Court Mandates.

Kansas City, Mo., special: At a meeting of the American Railway Union at Argentine 400 Santa Fe Railway employees, who were recently summoned to appear before the United States Court at Topeka, flatly refused to obey the mandates of the court.

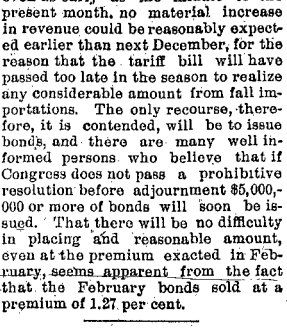
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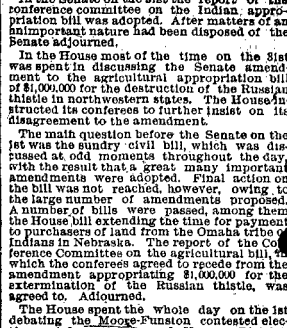
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Owing to the hard times a number of counties in Nebraska have decided to hold no fairs this season. The Douglas County Fair will be held at Omaha September 3 to 8, and the state fair will be held at Lincoln September 7 to 14. County fairs will be held as follows:  
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Personal Property.	No.	Value.	Av.
Horses of all ages.	379,683	\$5,527,460	\$2.50
Cattle of all ages.	1,241,813	117,387	3.00
Mules and asses of all ages.	44,026	498,130	11.09
Sheep of all ages.	191,022	35,455	.33
Pigs of all ages.	1,412,174	1,541,760	1.10
Engines in buildings.	1,840	150,183	83.79
Fires and burglar proof safes.	4,628	58,115	12.36
Billiard tables, pool tables, bagatelle or other similar tables.	1,140	23,176	20.17
Carriages and wagons.	199,997	1,108,710	5.63
Watches and clocks.	30,814	173,387	19.15
Sewing and knitting machines.	73,717	320,285	3.42
Pianos.	3,300	232,280	37.07
Metedons and organs.	20,538	803,434	7.58
Amnities and royalties.		15,320	
Patent rights.		1,055	
Steamboats, sailing vessels, wharf boats, barges, other watercraft.		3,988	
Mercantile and other articles.		4,716,686	
Manufactured articles.		136,324	
Machinery (other than tools, implements and agricultural tools).		317,321	
Gold and silver plate and plated ware.		1,183,306	
Jewelry.		15,590	
Bank deposits of bank, broker or stock jobber.		10,030	
Real estate of bank, broker or stock jobber.		1,074,808	
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Real estate of other than bank, broker or stock jobber.		559,712	
Credits other than of bank, broker or stock jobber.		699,437	
Bonds, stocks and securities.		2,547,383	
Real estate of village or school district warrants, and municipal curbs of any kind whatever.		148,035	
Shares of capital stock of companies and associations not incorporated by the laws of this state, except shares of stock of national banks.		109,220	
Property as pawn.		19,405	
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Real estate of a property owner.		434,908	
Bridge property.		83,135	
Property of saloons and drinking houses.		1,702,027	
Household or office furniture and property.		809,659	
Investments in real estate and improvements.		29,014,360	
Amount of railroad and sleeping car property.		102,325	
Amount of telegraph property.		1,593,576	
Real Estate—Lands.			
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Just before the country passed into control of the present administration, says the American Economist, January 31, 1893, the gold reserve in the National Treasury amounted to \$108,000,000. A year later, January 21, 1894, it had been reduced to \$65,000,000. By the aid of a \$50,000,000 bond gold loan, and the premiums of \$8,000,000 on that loan, the reserve was again restored above its legal limit of \$100,000,000. Last month, July 23, the gold reserve had again fallen to \$90,375,935. Deducting therefrom the \$50,000,000 gold loan and the \$8,000,000 of premiums on the loan, we would have only \$27,375,935 remaining as the balance of the Treasury's gold reserve to maintain the credit of the country after less than eighteen months of a Democratic administration that has threatened the country with free trade.

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July 23, 1894. .... \$60,375,935

Deduct:  
Gold loan. .... \$50,000,000  
Premiums. .... \$8,000,000

Balance without loan. .... \$12,375,935  
No account has here been taken of

**Nebraska Short Notes.**  
A PRAIRIE fire has been raging near Meadow Grove.  
WORK has been begun on the new Hamilton County Court House.  
AN association has been organized at Palmer for the purpose of fighting the Russian thistle.  
TRAMPS entered the store of M. A. Lamson at Elm Creek and carried off \$50 worth of cutlery.  
A LARGE acreage of tomatoes is being raised near Tecumseh for the use of the canning factory at that place.  
THE settlement of the shortage of ex-County Clerk Sears of Hall County has been deferred until September 4.  
A NEW house belonging to a German named Mr. Welch was burned down at Meadow Grove. It was worth about \$900.  
TRAMPS set fire to the farm house of James McAllister, near Pawnee City, and the building and contents were entirely consumed.

A PIECE of well tubing fell on the hand of Gail Benedict at Newcastle and nearly severed two of his fingers from the right hand.  
A FIRE, which came near to burning down the residence of George Koehler at Cedar Bluffs, was started by mice gnawing matches.  
The sheriff of Garfield County ordered a band of Italians with monkeys and bears to leave Burwell because one of the men beat his wife.  
THE 15-year-old son of Superintendent of Schools Barton of Aurora was thrown from a horse and sustained injuries that will prove fatal.  
THE question of bonding the town of Syracuse for the purpose of building water works will be decided at a special election to be held August 12.

THE Farmers' and Merchants' Bank of Auburn has consolidated with the First National of the same place. There are no needs of three banks in the city.  
THE 10-month-old child of O. G. Higgins, living ten miles west of Arapahoe, fell into the irrigating ditch running in front of the house and was drowned.  
ALEXANDER BATES, arrested at Valparaiso for burglary and an attempt to commit criminal assault, was bound over to the District Court, and, failing to give bond, was sent to jail.  
REV. G. L. BARKER, the noted Ocean Grove evangelist, has been secured to address the Norfolk District Campaigning, which convenes at Norfolk August 9 and continues until the 19th.  
HEARING the firing of guns, the 10-year-old son of Editor Backus of the Dubois Item ran about half a mile out of town and becoming overheated soon after died. The guns were being fired to bring rain.

A 12-YEAR-OLD Norfolk boy started out with a gun and \$3.20 to become a highway robber. He next thing to do was to get into a trap and was captured and returned against his will to the arms of his parents.  
ED BLEY, assistant cashier of the First National Bank of Madison, was running to catch a ball in the air when he ran into the sickle bar of a mower that was standing on the ground. One of the sickle bars pierced his arm and another his leg.  
J. W. LARSEN, living three miles west of Steele City, had two valuable mares, and on account of the fact that he killed nine rattlesnakes, one water snake and one garter snake near to where the mares died from snake bites.

WHILE carrying a lighted lamp in search of medicine, Mrs. John Train of Liberty fell and threw the lamp against the wall. It broke and the oil ignited, setting fire to the house, which was entirely destroyed. Mrs. Train was rescued from her perilous position by her brother just in time to save her life. Nothing was saved from the house.  
WILL ADAMS, the assistant cashier of the Broken Hill County Bank, is in jail at Oxford, having been captured at Okfuskee, Oklahoma, by the sheriff of Holt County, who brought him back to Nebraska in answer to the crime of having received deposits when he knew the bank was insolvent. No trace has been discovered of the whereabouts of President David Adams, who is a fugitive from justice.

**THE TAJ MAHAL.**

**Said to Be the Finest Building in the World.**

One of the most wonderful monuments in the world is the Taj Mahal, built near Agra in India by Shah Jahan as a mausoleum for himself and his wife. She was of Persian birth, of excellent family, but in moderate circumstances. She was



the love of Shah Jahan before he came to the throne. The match was not considered a desirable one and they were kept asunder. She was married to another. When Shah Jahan became Emperor he caused her husband to be killed and made her his wife. The name she is known by in history is Mumtaz Mahal, which means "Friede of the Palace." When she died the Emperor built for her this unrivaled mausoleum. It has been repeatedly called by competent judges the finest building in the world. It has been said of it that it was "designed by Titans and finished by jewelers." It is not only the finest building in the world, but it has the handsomest setting. In visiting it we first enter a spacious outer court, inclosed by beautiful buildings, crowned by springing domes. We pass through a lofty gate of red sandstone ornamented with white marble. Everywhere are masses of most wonderful and delicate carving in white marble, and slabs of cornelian and other valuable stone line the walls. Within are the tombs of Shah Jahan and his wife and these two are elaborately ornamented. The Taj was begun in 1630 and took seventeen years to finish. Who the designer was is unknown.

**IT RUNS BY STEAM.**

A New Road Wagon Which Makes Ten Miles an Hour.

The time seems to be coming when the horse will no longer be used for heavy road work, but electricity or steam will take his place. Already a steam road wagon has been invented and patented, a picture of which is given herewith. It runs on four bicycle wheels with rubber tires. The machinery consists of a steam boiler



LIGHT STEAM ROAD WAGON.

built to carry 100 pounds of steam to the square inch. The wagon weighs 437 pounds. Steam is made from naphtha and can be generated in five minutes. Five gallons of naphtha is easily carried and this is enough to run the vehicle 100 miles. The exhaust steam is passed through a feed water heater and is then delivered to the naphtha flame, where its presence destroys noise. No skill whatever is required for the management of the wagon, and it can easily make the speed of ten miles an hour.

**At Home.**

The highest style of being at home grows out of a special state of the affections rather than of the intellect. Who has not met with individuals whose face would be a passport to any society, and whose manners, the unstudied and spontaneous expressions of their inner selves, make them visibly welcome wherever they go, and attract unbounded confidence toward them in whatever they undertake. They are frank, because they have nothing to conceal; affable, because their natures overflow with benevolence; unfurled, because they dread nothing; always at home, because they carry within themselves that which can trust to itself anywhere and everywhere—purity of soul with fullness of health. Such are our best guaranties for feeling at home in all society to which duty takes us, and in every occupation upon which it obliges us to enter. They who live least for themselves are also the least embarrassed by uncertainties.

**One of His Puns.**

The eminent lawyer, Mr. William M. Everts, is an inveterate punster. Being at the top of Mount Washington, he began a speech, which the crowd of visitors had begged from him, with this felicitous pun: "We are not strangers; we are friends and neighbors. We have all been born and brought up here."

**Origin of "Book."**

The Anglo-Saxon word *booc* signifies a beech tree. Before paper came into general use the wood of this tree, being close-grained, was used to write upon, and from this fact comes the word *book*.

**THE THREATENED INVASION OF AMERICA.**



American Economist.

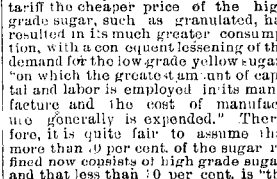
the \$10,000,000 in gold secured from New York bankers last month, by a transfer of funds in order to relieve the Treasury gold fund. Without this \$10,000,000 and without the loan the gold reserve would have been completely wiped out of existence, and there would have been a deficiency of \$7,624,035 in meeting the demands for gold that have actually been made upon the Treasury, with not a dollar of gold security left for the payment of Treasury gold notes. This is the result of less than eighteen months of a Democratic administration and the fear of free trade.

**Help Defeat the Tariff Bill.**

Threatened free trade, during the present administration, has caused the most general depression and actual suffering known in a generation. Depreciation in values and lessened employment, the like of which has been seldom, if ever, known, followed the free-trade verdict of 1892. During this period of suspense awaiting foreign invasion, the free-trade Wilson bill has reached its last stage of decomposition or power for destruction. The most careful legislators at Washington admit that the Wilson bill can be defeated, but add "it will probably pass."

Members of Congress to-day need the moral support of every true American who believes in the policy of protection. The American Protective Tariff League calls upon every friend to immediately urge the members of the House of Representatives and United States Senators at Washington that pending tariff legislation be defeated or delayed until the people can give their instructions by their votes. Nominations are already made in many Congressional districts, and Nov. 7 the people will decide whether they want free trade and poverty or protection and prosperity. The people must be heard.

**The Lumberman's Fix.**



# CENTRAL Meat Market

FRED VOLPP, Prop.  
Beef, Pork, Mutton, Smoked Beef,  
Hams, Shoulders and Bacon.  
Highest Price Paid for  
HIDES, PELTS AND FURS.  
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## Auction!

I will hold a Public Auction in Wayne every Saturday at 2 o'clock p. m.  
Persons having anything to sell—horses, cattle, hogs, machinery, or household articles—will please bring them in and I will dispose of them to the highest bidder.  
My charges for selling will be 5 per cent.  
ED. REYNOLDS, Auctioneer

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Will keep First-Class Meats Always on Hand.  
Highest cash prices paid for Hides.

## Now That The Fourth

And we are threatened with a famine because of the Pullman boycott, it will be well for you all to call on us for your supplies in Groceries, Fruit and Vegetables, as we have taken time by the forelock and stocked up heavy in anticipation of just such an emergency.  
REMEMBER!  
That our prices are so low, that competition never touches them, and our stock so well assorted as to challenge the envy of all comers.

# Shane,

The Low Priced Cash Grocer.



**\$5.00 Will Well Dress YOUR BOY.**  
Our Offer is as Unusual as its Great.  
A Full Suit of Clothes, Ages 5 to 15 years—every thread all wool—double breasted coat—pants made with double knees—double seats—taped seams (will outlast 2 pairs of the usual kind)—A Stanley Cap, made like illustration—to match the suit—and A Pair of Shoes of solid leather, first-class, strong and neat.  
THE HUB'S Head-To-Foot-Outlet for **\$5.00**  
Sent on receipt of price, or C. O. D. with privilege of examination to any part of the United States if \$1.00 deposit is sent with order. If not satisfactory we agree to refund the purchase price. Catalogue and samples free. In ordering include age, postage.  
THE HUB, Clothiers, Hatters, Furnishers and Shoers. CHICAGO, ILL. State and Jackson St.

Tenneth Bazemore had the good fortune to receive a small bottle of Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy when three members of his family were sick with dysentery. This one small bottle cured them all and he had some which he gave to God W. Baker a prominent merchant of the place. Lewis, N. C., and it cured him of the same complaint. When troubled with dysentery, diarrhoea, colic or cholera morbus, give this remedy a trial and you will be more than pleased with the result. The praise that naturally follows its introduction and use is made in very popular 25 and 50 cent bottles for sale by PHIL H. KOLL, Druggist.

**Irrigated Fruit Lands**  
Did you see the fruit in the Idaho Exhibit at the World's Fair? Nothing finer, first premiums and all raised on irrigated land. Its sure, its abundant, its profitable, its your opportunity.  
The country is new, the lands are cheap and the eastern market is from 300 to 1,500 miles nearer than to similar lands in Oregon, Washington and California.  
Advertising matter sent on application. Address: E. L. Lomax, G. P. & T. A., Omaha, Neb.

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The irrigated lands of Idaho possess that peculiar qualification which is perfectly adapted to the raising of apples, apricots, peaches, cherries, pears, plums, grapes, prunes, hops, alfalfa, corn, and potatoes, which always find a ready market and bring a good price.  
You can't overstock the United States with these commodities.  
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**INVESTIGATE** the irrigated lands of Idaho and you will find them the cheapest, the best and the most accessible to markets.  
**EMIGRATE** to Idaho and you will be happy. It's a new country, its for the poor man and the small farmer and fruit grower.  
**IRRIGATE** the lands of Idaho and you have a surplus of crops and fruit in abundance.  
**COGITATE?** Of course you will, then send for our Idaho advertising matter.  
E. L. Lomax, G. P. & T. A., Omaha, Neb.

A surprise for our German readers. The Lincoln Freie Presse, the best German paper in the west, offers to all subscribers a new premium book: "Der Deutschen Hausfrau Kochbuch," neatly bound, containing 300 pages, 50 cts. pays for the paper for one year and the book is given away free upon receipt of 10 cts. for postage. Subscriptions received at our office only. Subscribe for the FREIE PRESSE and the HERALD.

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## THE COUNTY NEWS,

And Other Correspondence.

**C. ROLL NEWS.**  
Fred Kibb is assisting in the bank this week.  
Aug. Lohberg went down to Wayne Tuesday forenoon.  
J. R. Manning was a Wayne passenger Monday morning.  
Chas. Co. of Nevada, Iowa, came in Wednesday evening.  
Fred Berry and Link Swartz were in Wakefield last Saturday.  
Ran Frazier and Mr. Tracy of Wayne were in Carroll Wednesday.  
C. H. Wolf shipped a car of hogs to Sioux City Tuesday afternoon.  
John Merrill of Plainview, Neb., visited over Sunday with his parents.  
Jacob Peters and family of Runsen, Iowa, are again residents of Carroll.  
William Hennessey of Iowa, is here with his family, visiting his brothers and mother.

J. H. Butler of Ida Grove, Iowa, is now here and has charge of the Peavey elevator.  
A. J. Swartz and P. A. Berry drove to Randolph Thursday afternoon to see the ball game.  
A. J. Swartz came from Sioux City and will visit with his parents for two or three weeks.  
Justice Yarkan and wife started for Fremont Thursday morning intending to be gone one week.  
F. M. Lick and James Stanton, of Petersburg, Boone Co., were in Carroll on business Wednesday.  
**WAKEFIELD NEWS.**  
J. L. Sies was visiting friends here this week.  
Gus Erickson of Concord, buried a child on Wednesday.  
Peter Neff's little child is dangerous ly ill with cholera infantum.  
N. P. Nyberg has bought the lot on Main street, adjoining the blacksmith shop.  
Elder Clark and quite a number of his congregation will attend the camp meeting at Norfolk.  
A party of Wakefield young people are camping at Crystal Lake, racing in steam yachts, and living on whales.

**NOTICE!**  
During the month of August I will make cabinet photographs for \$3.00 per dozen. All work guaranteed. C. M. CRAVEN.  
Readers and Stock Cattle.  
I keep constantly on hand a good grade of feeders and stock cattle for sale, and will make price and terms to suit responsible parties. Ran Frazier.  
J. Singer & Co.  
Mrs. Hattie Harrington and children, of Wayne, a daughter of our esteemed landlord, of the Merchants hotel, is in the city this week visiting her parents.  
—Craig Times.

**Road Notice.**  
To all to whom it may concern:  
The commissioner appointed to view the road extending from the Main street of Hoskins to section lines between sections 27 and 31, township 23, N. range 1, east, running north and intersecting with road between sections 27 and 28, township 23, N. range 1, east—said commissioner having reported favorably to establishing said road thereof. All objections or claims for damages must be filed in the County Clerk's office on or before noon of the 15th day of October, 1894, or such road will be established without reference thereto.  
S. B. RUSSELL,  
County Clerk.

**Legal Notice.**  
To E. A. Clark, defendant:  
You are hereby notified that on the 7th day of July, 1894, the plaintiff, Belle Clark, filed her petition in the district court of Wayne county, Nebraska, against E. A. Clark, defendant, the object and prayer of which are to obtain an absolute divorce from said defendant on the ground of extreme cruelty and for failure to support, though being of sufficient ability so to do; and the further prayer that she may have the care, custody and education of their child, F. M. Clark.  
You are required to answer said petition on or before the 30th day of September, 1894.  
Dated at Wayne, Nebraska, July 10, 1894.  
BELLE CLARK,  
By her Attorney Frank Fuller.  
Sheriff's Sale.  
17-5w.

By virtue of an order of sale issued by the Clerk of the District Court of Wayne County, Nebraska, on a decree of foreclosure wherein Charles Burr was plaintiff and Ernest W. Bennett, Sarah E. Bennett, John Connor, Maria Connor, James O. Cottle, Maggie Cottle, J. D. Hill, James Dolbin and John E. Turner are defendants, I will sell at public auction to the highest bidder for cash, at the front door of the court house in said county on the 15th day of August, A. D. 1894, at 10:30 o'clock A. M. the tract of land described in the following judgment to wit: the sum of one hundred and seventy dollars and eighty-five cents (\$170.85) and sixteen dollars and twenty-five cents (\$16.25) and accruing costs, the following described lands and townships to wit: The north half of Section seven (7), Township Twenty-seven (27), Range One (1) Wayne county, Nebraska.  
Dated at Wayne, Nebraska, this 11th day of July, 1894.  
ED. REYNOLDS,  
Sheriff of Wayne County.

**Probate Notice to Creditors.**  
Aug. 9-1w.  
In the County Court of Wayne county, Nebraska.  
In the matter of the estate of Fanny Graves, deceased.  
Notice is hereby given, that the creditors of the said deceased, before me, County Judge of Wayne county, Nebraska, at the county court held at the courthouse in said county on the 15th day of August, A. D. 1894, at 10:30 o'clock A. M. to satisfy judgment in the sum of one hundred and seventy dollars and eighty-five cents (\$170.85) and sixteen dollars and twenty-five cents (\$16.25) and accruing costs, the following described lands and townships to wit: The north half of Section seven (7), Township Twenty-seven (27), Range One (1) Wayne county, Nebraska.  
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**Starved Out of Business.**  
For more than a year past wool has been selling at free trade prices, so that many growers have been starved out of the business, and the few remaining have not been able to pay current expenses. In consequence of this condition of affairs several thousand in connection with the trade have been forced out of employment. In fact, never since wool growing has been an industry in this country has the business been in such a deplorable condition as during the past 12 months. The Bank of Tempo, A. T., has just closed its doors on account of the ruin of some of its stockholders through the shrinkage in the price of wool and sheep.—Oakland (Cal.) Saturday Globe-Review.

**Introduce the Monopolists.**  
Henry O. Havemeyer of Sugar trust fame gives the startling information that he does not know and has never seen Grover Cleveland, though he has been intimate with Secretary Carlisle for 15 years. Mr. Carlisle ought to extend the courtesy which he has on other occasions—a letter of introduction.—Rockland (Me.) Daily Star.

Congressman Bryan has a petition with 10,000 signatures asking for the investigation of Attorney General Ouley's course during the strike. Looking to impeachment.

## THE STAGE AND THE TARIFF.

Cleveland's Times Put Actors on Their Dignity and Tax the Benefit Funds.  
There is no class of people among our entire community upon whom is more quickly reflected a dull or a prosperous condition of business than the actor. There has been no business that more fully experienced the Cleveland panic of 1893-4 than did the theatrical profession. Managers have been disappointed. Many of the actors and actresses have been without work and in dire want and necessity.

At the thirteenth annual meeting of the Actors' Fund association, held in New York last June, President Palmer pointed out that "the terrible wave of business depression which has swept over our country has brought great misery and want to many members of the dramatic profession, and it has not only made our task in soliciting and collecting money very hard, but it has largely increased the volume of our work among the fund's beneficiaries; for, in addition to the care of the sick, we have been obliged to take an active part in caring for those of our brethren and sisters who, though not disabled by sickness, were still helpless, lacking in most instances even the barest necessities of life."  
In order to relieve the unfortunate actors and actresses who, owing to the Cleveland fall times, were unable to find remunerative employment, a special fund amounting to \$9,610.55 was raised by subscriptions and by benefit performances given in various theaters in New York. The expenditure of this money was placed in the hands of a committee, which reported that they had given relief to 517 actors and actresses and had paid out \$8,155.96. The report stated that relief was still being given to members of the theatrical profession who, though in bodily health, find themselves in most desperate straits until the coming of the new dramatic season, when it was hoped there would be an improvement in the general business of the country.

The growth of distress among actors and actresses was stated for 1892. In that year relief was afforded to 501 persons; in 1893 relief was afforded to 405 members of the profession, and this year the number has increased to 903. This long list of beneficiaries includes 703 actors and actresses of the dramatic, operatic and variety stage; 58 managers, business managers and agents; 16 dancers, 11 circus performers, 8 minstrels, 3 stago-managers, 2 dramatists, 40 musicians, 5 magicians, 10 machinists, 21 museum performers, 3 scenic artists and 23 of all other classes.  
The American actor and the American actress are not protected by the tariff directly; therefore, according to the free trade theory, their business should prosper without intermission and without regard to passing events around them. The result, however, which upsets the old and worn-out free trade theory we have already shown. But it may be well to go further and point out the fact that where the dramatic profession is not protected it has been a particular victim to free trade, because foreign managers and foreign actors who come to this country and make money out of the American people take that money out of the country. Yet they have been allowed to import their costumes and everything else pertaining to their productions free of duty, while American managers and actors were compelled to pay duty on everything that they imported from abroad.

Without the benefit of this concession it would not pay many foreign managers to bring whole companies to this country to take the bread and butter out of the mouths of American actors, who can do equally well, if not a good deal better, and the profits made by the ventures of the American managers would be expended or invested in our own country instead of being carried off to Europe to increase our outflow of American gold.

## "Tariff Reform."



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# Picnic

Season is Here and for it we Have

Bartaria Shrimp, Hamburg Eels in Jelly, Figaro Sardines in Luca Oil, Star Lobsters, Scarboro Beach Clams, Broiled Lake Erie White Fish, Potted and Deviled Ham, Potted Tong, Cooks Columbia River Salmon Steak, Boned Turkey, Boned Chicken, Corned Beef and Bewick Bay Oysters.

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