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GOVERNOR PALMER is not talking of going to Oklahoma, that we hear of, He has his eyes set on an Illinois boom that he thinks is coming this way. Poor old man, he will drop in the soup.

A GOOD local option law, passed by this General Assembly, would be hailed

by the people as a step in the right di-rection, and a long step. If the mem-bers would listen to the people, instead of the politicians, they would pass it.

ROBERT T. LINCOLN will probably leave for England in about thirty days. The new Minister and his wife will be accompanied by their daughter, Miss Mary, a charming young lady, who made her debut in society last season.

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The perpetual, tremendous and truly awful surprise which certain democratic journals profess to feel at their discovery of the fact that Gen. Benjamin Harrison is, in the fullest sense of the term, president of the United States, is about the most funny thing in the politics of the day. politics of the day. DEAF mutes in the United States have increased five-fold in the last forty years, while the population of the country has only doubled. It is owing to the inter-marriage of deaf mutes. Such marriages were unknown before the present system of education was introduced among this class of unfortunates. fuced among this class of unfortunates. PROBABLY not one in a thousand realizes the fact that, next to England, little Holland, whose king is at present at death's door, is the greatest colonial power in the world. The Dutch colonies have an area of nearly 800,000 square miles, which includes some of the finest colonial possessions in the world.

An extremely mangrant and mysterious disease resembling in some respects searlet fever has broken out in the country a short distance east of peets scarlet lever has broken out in the country a short distance east of Lincoln. So far, some dozen cases have been reported, all proving fatal. The disease usually runs its course within thirty-six hours, and so far has been confined to children. The doctors are puzzled and do not know what to make

THE Chief of the Bureau of Ordance says that the United States is building says that the United States is building guns, one of which will weigh 115 tons, and will throw a projectile weighing one ton ten miles. It will outrank any gun in the world. The cost of each gun will be \$50,000, and it will take a year to build it. It will be charged with half a ton of powder every time it is fired. So it appears that something is being done for this country, and if other powers will wait a year or two we can meet them in war.

Ex-President Cleveland has de-clined the office offered him as an ap-praisor of real estate in New York City, where some land was to be condemned where some land was to be condemned for bridge purposes. His reason for declining to act is that he "is not a judge of the value of real estate in New York City," and it is a wise reason. As a rule, Mr. Cleveland generally had a great deal more common sense than the toadies that surrounded him, and if he had taken his own coursel instead of theirs he might put now, have been of theirs he might not now have been "in the tureen."

One curious thature in the pictures of the presidents from Washington down, shows that all of the republican presidents were beards or approaching to it, while the other presidents were in the main without them. Johnson did not wear a beard, but he apostasized, and was in truth a democratic president. Lincoln shaved around his mouth only, and Arthur about his chin. Grant, Hayes and Garfield were, and Harrison wears, full beards. Of the other presidents, Cleveland had simply a mustache, and John Quincy Adams and Martin and John Quincy Adams and Martin Van Buren side whiskers. The faces of the others show up perfectly smooth. As pictures of the presidents will be numerous about Apr. 30, it will be well to section this forture.

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WESTERN ENTERPRISE.

Trials of Would be Journalists.

The natural course of municipal development on the frontier runs about like this: First, a wagon-load of stakes to mark out city lots; second, a barrel of whisky in a tent, with a home-made board sign solemuly asseverating that it is a saloon; and third, a newspaper. Getting out a newspaper in a now country with only one advertisement in it, calling on a population which has not yet arrived to subscribe, is dreary work. I have been there and know. There isn't as much blowing about the circulation as there is in Culcago, on a dull day, and the best that can be done is to claim the entire population of the country and show paper bills of two quires per week to provo it. Nevertheless there is going to be just as much competition for newspaper locations as there will be for good claims if yesterday's dispatches correctly forecast the situation. I know at to be a fact that in cases like this getting out a paper early is something to sit up nights for. I once took a hand in an affair of this sort and learned a great deal about the cash value of time. A town-site company had took a hand in an aftair of this sort and learned a great deal about the cash value of time. A town-site company had offered a bonus of \$1,000 to the first paper that should be entirely printed and published on the ground. My partner and I had an insatiable thirst for bonuses and we determined to get out the first paper at any cost not to overed.

sheep and heard them more than ever after they were askeep.

My pardner to make assurance double sure, had sneaked out as soon as it was dark and abstracted the can of printer's ink belonging to our inted competitors, and gave it into the care of the hotel clerk, with instructions to keep it until called for by the owners, and charge them a dollar for storage. We rose about 12 o'block, left our rival shoring over an unknown trail and in the darkest hours of night, was one of the hotel clerk by the care of the hotel clerk, with instructions to keep it until called for by the owners, and charge them a dollar for storage. We rose about 12 o'block, left our rival altitude to work whon they got back. She will be altitude of the hotel clerk, with instructions work whon they got back. She will be altitude to work whon they got back. She will be a help to them, but I fancy her hashad won't have her working long, for he's very bright and what is called a 'hastler.' I wish them luck.'' There are romances in every-day life that don't always get into the newspapers, and this little one is one of that sort.—Cincinnati Commercial.

In hunting up the "nearest kin of George Washington of Virginia, one of the nearest blood relatives of George Washington of Pather of his country. George Stepton the was one of the men we supposed we had left snoring at the end of the track. The low-down deceivers had hired a vulgar person to do their contemptible with this remark. 'Hero's yer Weekly coyote, 10 cents! First issue just out. Washington was an army officer, and in the army died. Ho was raised the full was one of the men we supposed we had left snoring at the end of the track. The low-down deceivers had hired a vulgar person to do their contemptible with this remark. 'Hero's yer Weekly coyote, 10 cents! First issue just out. The low-down deceivers had hired a vulgar person to do their contemptible with this remark. 'Hero's yer Weekly coyote, 10 cents! First issue just out. The low-down deceivers had hired a vulgar person to do their c

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The Compulsory educational bill compelling the attendance at school of person between the ages of seven and school of person between the ages of seven and fourteen years the principal features of the the substitute, or tasted coffice. He substitute, or tasted co

satisfaction of the board of, education or of directors that such child has attended for a like period of time a private school approved by the board of education or directors of the city, town or district in which such child resides, or that instruction has otherwise been even for a like period of time to such or district in which such child resides, or that instruction has otherwise been given for a like period of time to such a child in the branches commonly taught in the public school, or that such child has already acquired the branches of learning taught in thepublic schools, or that physical or mental condition, as declared by a competent physician, is such as to render such attendance inexpedient and impracticable then such penalty shall not be incurred. Such fine shall be paid, when collected to the school treasurer of such city, or township, to be accounted for by him as other school money raised for school purposes. Provision is made for the appointment of transt officers who are to be paid by the Board of Education and prosecutions under the law are to be instituted in the name of the people. These officers can also arrest children of a school age who habitualty haunt public places and lawe no hawful occupation. Police, municipal courts, justices of the peace and judges of the county court have jurisdiction.

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Romance of a Pretty Typewriter. Bonnaee of a Pretty Typewriter.

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In a hig short-hand and type-writing

so the first paper at any cost not to exceed
the thousand. It took but a very few
hours to get out at "The End of the
Track" which was the only name the
place had, with an army press, a gripsuck full of type, some miscellany
"salba," and two bosoms surcharged
with the spirit of Ben Franklin. We
were to start for the prospective town,
twelve miles in advance of the railroad,
bright and early the next morning, so
we loaded the plant on a wagon ready
for a break o' day start. We were
shocked but not dismayed to discover
another wagon loaded with a similar
plant. By a few discered inquiries we
learned that mother party was working
on our plan of eampaign, but we could
do nothing but hustle, as we had negleeted to copyright the scheme. My
partner, who was a very knowing young
man and had traveled some, fixed up a
method of acticn which was simply materly. We were toget up about midnight, steal away, get on the ground before daybreak, set up a stek full of
matter for the personal column announcing our arrival, and nail that
81,000. We were all stopping at the
same botel, and it so happened that our
rivals occupied the next room, a calicpartition only separating ins. We heard
them go to bed and heard them go to
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ous sit was dark and abstracted the
competitors, and gave it into the care
of the hotel clerk, with instructions to
keep it until called for by the owners,
and charge them a dollar for storage.
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In a big short-hand and type-writing school in one of the sky-scraping office buildings down town, has sat for seyeral months past one of the prettiest, daintiest, sweetest typewriters that over frowned when she spelled a word wrong. She was one of the bost operators in the school. A visitor the other day observed that the little stool upon which she sat was vacant and that her machine was covered. The matronly, brown-eyed, gentle little woman who owns the school smiled when she was asked about the pretty girl typewriter. "I didn't expect to keep her long." she said. "She came to me a year ago to learn the business, and her mother who wore diamonds, came with her, half apoligizing for the daughters whim. The two of them wore gowns that turned the heads of the whole school, and they looked as if they had lots of money. It turned out, after I became intimate with the girl, that she was engaged to a law student, a poor young fellow, and they wanted to marry as soon as he had been admitted to the bar. Hermother had frowned on the affair and her father had swore and said it could never be. So what In a big short-hand and type-writing

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FRIDAY, APRIL 26 1889.

CITY CHAT.

Circuit court next week.

Jake Miller is now a full-fledged "city chap.

Sam B. Hall went to Decatur last

The Rev. E. L. Prather visited Bethany Tuesday.

W. S. Harris transacted business in Shelbyville Wednesday.

The Hou. J. H. Hamlin was in the city the first of the week.

Teacher's Institute will convene at 1 o 'clock p. m. Saturday.

Try one loaf of the Decatur Patent Bread at Haydon Bros. 13tf

J. W. Wood contemplates a trip to Oklahoma in the near future.

A fine sugar syrup at Spitler's. Try it and be convinced of the truth. 20-3 Miss Dora Langhton and mother, of Bethany, visited in the city Tuesday.

E. Hall, of Decatur, came over las Wednesday to spend a few days with Sullivan friends.

Horse-traders have been in clover dur-ing the past few days, and lots of "swaps" have been made.

P. P. Francis, a prominent hardware dealer of Mattoon was in the city Wednesday.

Much corn has been planted, the season being fully three weeks earlier than usual.

. By an act of the last Congress the 30th of April is declared to be a national holiday.

The Johnson Bros., of Cook's Mill, have moved their saw-mill outfit to Allenville. The Rev. J. L. Pinkerton, of Decatur

will hold services at the Christian church next Sunday, B. F. Seutel & Son will hereafter close their meat market on Sundays at :30 a. m. 20-21

Charles Theaker, who is quite well known here was recently elected city attorney of Charleston.

Songer's Jewelry house has received a fine line of new Jewelry and Clocks. Call and see them. 13tf

A young news boy made his appearance at the home of the Editor of the Progress last Friday night.

Teeth extracted and new ones made at E. M. Scott's dental rooms. side, over Brosam Bros. 22tf

J. R. Pogue was confined to the house the first of the week, being afflicted with a severe case of tonsilitis.

Mr. and Mrs. G. M. Stivers are the proud possessors of a young druggist who arrived last Wednesday.

When you are in need of lime call on L. T. Hagerman. He has just received a car load of superior quality. tf

W. A. Trower, editor of the Shelby-ville Leader, has been appointed mas-ter in chancery of Shelby county.

Two gallons of sugar syrup in each pail at Spitler's. If found short in measure, the money will be refunded.

J. C. Riggin, who has held the post office at Lovington, for a few weeks has been superseded by John Williams.

James A. Livers came up from Hot Springs, Ark., last Tuesday, to spend a few days with his business and friends.

The entire Wabash system of railways lying east of the Mississippi river is to be sold at Master's sale in Chicago on Master's sale.

All pay locals, where time is not spec-ified when put in, will be continued until ordered out, and charged for ac-cordingly. tf

The ladies of the Christain church will give a sociable at the residence of E. B. Eden Thursday evening May 2. Supper at six.

Samuel E. Smyser, the real estate agent, sold Dr. Dunlap's lots in Titus' addition, to Mrs. Mary E. Coddington last Wednesday.

The postofile at Mattoon will change hands about May 1st. Col. T. R. Weaver, a prominent druggist, having drawn the prize.

Mr. J. F. Moore, general agent of the Westfield college, recently made a brief viet to his daughter in this city, Mrs. B. F. Mc Cielland.

T. A. Hollonbeck is selling the cele-brated Hatheld flour at \$1.25 to \$1.50 per sack. Warranted and guaranteed full weight. 20-1

The annual meeting of the Stockholders of the Moultrie county Park Association will be held Monday May the 6th. 201

An Iowa clergyman recently married three couples and conducted two funerals in one day, and to do it drove fifty miles. Total receipts, \$5.

Mr. Earp will move his family to the rooms over his meat market, having rented his dwelling to Dr. Ozee, of Coles, who will move here next week.

'Squire Twaddell, of Lake City, was shaking hands with his numerous friends here last Wednesdav. He bears his newly acquired honors with becoming

manded by the people. It will be time enough for reduced postage when these desirable things have been achieved.

on our third page to day will be one a striking and instructive illusfound a striking and instructive illus-tration of the comparative worth of the various kinds of baking powders now in the market.

We now have in our stock of lumber, which we will be pleased to show to any one wanting lumber. Our prices wil be reasonable. Yard at Planing Mill.— L. T. HAGERMAN. 17tf J. L. Thayer started Tuesday for Hot Springs Ark. He has been troub-led with rheumatism for some time and

oses to test the curative properties proposes to test the curative of those celebrated springs.

Dr. Trowbridge has moved his dental office to south side over the shee store. Best teeth \$10 per set. Satisfaction guaranteed. Office open every day except Thursdays and Fridays. 18tf

The Lovington Record's correspondent from this city has had a serious religose, but by the prompt applications of the proper restoratives he will probably be able to pull through—to Oklahoma. Miss Rebecca Clancy, who has been

west for the past six months, will arrive in Sulliyan to porrow, and if a sufficent number of pupils can be secured, will teach a kindergarten school here this

James A. Livers reports that Dr. A. U. Williams, formerly a resident of Sullivan, is building a \$10,000 residence in Hot Springs, Ark., and that the furniture and furnishings will add \$5,000 ports to the cost more to the cost.

During his lifetime Gen. Washington was first in war, first in peace, and now, at the close of a hundred years, judging from the prices charged for privileges in New York, he will be first in the pockets of his countrymen.

The directors of the Moultrie county board of agriculture met at the Edea House last Friday, for the purpose of revising the premium list. A few need-ed changes were made. The fair will be held the first week in September.

The committee to whom is intrusted the committee to whom is intrasted the charge of making the necessary ar-rangements for the Centen ial, Celebra-tion next Tuesday, have nearly perfected their plans and the outlook is favorable for a good demonstration.

In response to an invitation Mrs. Carrie Smyser and Miss Claudia Bushman visited Eden lodge, Daughters of Rebekah, at Windsor, Tuesday evening, and assisted the degree staff in the initiatory ceremonies. They were the guests of Mrs. Baldwin while in the city.

The delicions flavor and aroma of Vermont maple sugar is not equaled by the sugar product of any other state in the Union, and it justly has a worldwide reputation as a table luxury. These goods which were shipped direct from Vermont can be found at Spitler's. 18tf

For some time past the trustees of the M. E. church have been in doubt as to the advisability of attempting to build a new church this season, but upon mature deliberation it has finally been determined to build and the work will soon be under way on the site of the present structure.

Prof. H. F. Baker has been elected county superintendent of schools at Bellevue, Idaho. He is still principal of the Bellevue public schools but will visit Illinois friends when the spring term closes, teaching a month in the normal institute in Moultrie county in July.—Mattoon Journal.

The dissatisfaction in regard to the action of the city council in refusing to count the ballots east at the late city election has apparantly subsided and there seems to be no prospect of a contest, which if instituted would, at the most workship of the prospect of a contest. most, probably only result in a tie be-tween two of the aldermen.

The town board of Dora township re-cently met for the purpose of appoint-ing an assessor and collector, the office having become vacant by reason of the newly elected officials failing to qualify. After an all-day's session the board were unable to agree and in consequence the former officials will hold over.

The object of the Vermont Maple Su-The object of the Vermont Maple Sugar Exchange is to furnish consumers in all parts of the country a strictly pure article of maple sugar and syrup, direct from the sugar producers of the Green Mountain State, L. M. Spitler has a supply of these goods which were shipped direct from Vermont. 18tf

The P. D. & E. will sell excursion tickets to Colorado points, such as Denver, Colorado Springs, Pueblo and Trinidad. Tickets on sale from April 1 to October 15 inclusive. Tickets good going 30 days, returning, five days stop over priveleges allowed both ways. Tickets good 90 days from date of sale. Call on W. L. Hancock, agent, for other information. 16tf

At the next meeting of the city council which will occur Monday May, 6, an 'ordinance will probably be passed prohibiting cattle running at large. In compliance with the statute this ordinance must be published at least ten days before it can take effect. Until then the cows are "monarchs of all they survey, their rights there are none to dispute." ress and perfect arrangements

The various societies, organizations and public schools throughout the county are earnestly requested to make the sessary arrangements to meet in this city Tuesday Apr. 30th for the purpose of taking part in the exercises commemorating the first centennial day of the junguration of George Washington as the first President of the United States.—By Order of Com.

G. M. Stivers has purchased the Dunlap property, which will still be occupted however by Mr. Jennings, Mr. Stivers prefering his present location on the south side.

The agitation of "1-cent letter postage" has been again inaugurated; but the public is far more interested in having its letters get there with 2 cents. Postage is cheap enough for letters. Walter Eden and S. M. Smyser, This Certainty and speed are the things de-

essary at angements and appoint special committees as may be necessary. Court will probably be in session at that time, but it dge Vail has promised to adjourn at noon in order that these appropriate exercises may be held.

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A contemporary recalls the fact that "thirty years ago there was a great craze to go to Pike's Peak, where gold had been discovered. Thousands of people went thither. In less than six mouths a panic ensued and nearly over, body tried to get from again. The great plains were strewn with the dead way to perished from disease and hunger da "ing that memorable retreat." It is not in probable that some such seene will be witnessed in Oklahoma before the year is out.

For the past two years the editor of the Mattoon Gazette has devoted a large share of his time to the writing of local notes and editorials on the evils of al-lowing cows to run at large in that city and be accorded the blissful privilege of and be accorded the bussal privilege of cropping the young and tender sweet-scented dog fennel for which Mattoon is so famous. But his fondest hopes are blasted and his ditto cow, by and with the consent and advice of a majority of 400 votes, is given the freedom of the city. Surcease for your sorrow, Mr. Peck, may be found in emigration.

Quite a breeze of excitement was created here last Saturday over the e-lection of a school director for the enlection of a school director for the en-suing year, an effort being made to elect a director not in sympathy with the course pursued by the present man-agement of the school, one who would anticipate a change of teachers in some of the grades. There may be some lit-tle feeling in that direction, yet from the vote it appears that a large major-ity are well satisfied and in fact many think we have the best school ever con-ducted in this city. Hence the result was to re-elect Charles Shuman the out going director by a majority of 27 over going director by a majority of 27 over the opposition.

Our public schools celebrated Arbon Day in an apprepriate manner by hold-ing special exercises and planting flow-ers, shrubs and trees about the school louse grounds. Names were assigned to some of the trees, one bearing the name of Washington another Longfellow. This day has come to be very generally observed throughout the country, and while the selections may not soon attain sufficient size to materially benefit these propers and whether were sufficient size to materially benefit these propers. fit those by whose hands they were planted, in after years they will be a constant reminder of the thoughts and labors of those who are with us no

A cup and saucer, the only remains of a china service which was once the property of Martha Washington, is still shown to visitors at the Smithsonian Institution. It was originally made to order forthe French officers who fought under our flag during the revolutionary war, and who subsequently presented it to the leading lady of that time. It numbered 180 places. The ware was the finest then made in France, and the predominating colors were green and blue, the latter being the edging. Links of green ran around the inner borders of the plates, within the links being the union. In the center were the initials Union. In the center were the initials "M. W." and the Latin motto, Decus tutomen ab Illo, The cost of the set was about \$1.000.

The Centennial Colebration-Order of Ex ercises, Program, List of Speakers, Etc.

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The day will be ushered in by the ringing of bells and firing a salute of one hundred guns. Procession consisting of the various G. A. R. posts, Sons of Veterans, Military companies and other orders; also the pupils of the various schools, and all citizen are invited to march in the procession which will form at 10:30 and march through the principal streets. Returning to the square whom at 10:dock the first inaugural address delivered by Washington will be read, after which the orations of the day will be delivered, by the Hon. the day will be delivered, by the Hon.
H. J. Mamlin. Hon. Horaco Clark,
Hon J. J. Springer, W. G. Cochpan,
J. R. Eden and the Rev E. L. Prather.
Chief Marshal, M. M. McDonald;
Assistant T. F. Harris;

COMMITTEES.

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Executive—A. T. Jonkins, A. K.
Campbell, Peter Cofer, Walter Eden
and S. M. Smyser.

Program and Printing—A. K. Campbell, J. H. Dunscomb, J. W. Horner.
Finance—R. P. Cox, S. D. Patterson,
Dick Archer, M. Ansbacher.

Music—J. H. Baker, S. M. Smyser,
B. F. McClelland, N. O. Smyser,
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E. L. Prather.
Invitations—A. T. Jenkins, Frank
Pendro, Dr. Kellar,
Grounds—Peter Cofer, R. T. Jones,
Geo. Brosam, Jack Carouthers, Will
Haydon, E. L. Shepherd.

Ammunition—A. T. Jenkins, E. V.
Hessket, W. G. Covey.

Decorations—Henry Jeunings, W.
C. Cover, C. k. Theorems, Well-

day May, 6, ly be passed at large. In ute this or: at least ten t. Until then of all they

The following resolutions were passed y the Sullivan lodge A. F. and A. M. by the Sullivan lodge A. F. and A. M. at the last regular meeting April 10th:
WHEREAS, It has pleased the Almighty to call our worthy brother, Dr. Breyster H. Porter, from his labors on earth to ctornal refreshment in the Paradise of God, and

WHEREAS, He was, for many years, an honored brother, faithful to every trust, prompt in his attendance upon every summons, and ever, rendy to enforce, by precept and example, a standy obedience to the tenets of Free Missoury, and

WHEREAS, His presence in our loage room will be eadly missed by his confiding brothren therefore be it RESOLVED. That a page be set apart in the records of this ledge, as a token of respect to our departed brother, whom we hope to meet again at the sound of the gavel-in the Grand East, where parting shall be no more.

East, where parting shall be no more.

RESOLVED. That a copy of the above resolutions be furnished the hereaved family; that the same be spread at large upon the record of this lodge, and that a copy be furnished each of our city papers for publication.

J. H. DURSCOMP., Com.

Easter Services

Raster services were observed by two of the churches in this city, the M. E. and Christain, in a beautiful and appropriate manner. The Sunday schools took an active part, and aside from the Negton leaves and in the characteristics. Easter lessons prepared in the Sunday school leaves a special programme was rendered in which all the members of the school participated. The M. E. church was profusely decorated with flowers and evergreens which perfumed nearly the pating and leaves record. was profusely decorated with flowers and evergreens which perfumed nearly the entire audience room. Suspended from the wall and hanging immediately in front of the pulpit were the words "Christis Rison." In various parts of the room were to be seen cages of feathered songsters, the melody of whose sweet carols conveyed the idea, that they too, were happy and fully appreciated the part they were expected to take in the songs of praise. The decorations were arranged under the direct take in the songs of praise. The decorations were arranged under the directions of the young ladies comprising M. M. Steele's class, and the arrange tests showed that the members understood full well the effect of harmon, our blending of colors. A large congregation was present at the more ing service and a very interesting permon was preached by the Rev. J. W. Horner, pastor of the church. In the evening the Sunday schools give an Easter concert which was very much enjoyed by the large audience. The programme consisted of choruses, solos, quartets, recitations, etc by members of the school and every piece was well rendered. The recitation by the Rev. The school and every piece was well rendered. The recitation

etc by members of the school and every piece was well rendered. The recitation by Miss Ewing and the quartet by Misses Jennings and Hesket and Messrs. Ferrouson and Ashworth, and the solo by Mrs. J. W. Horner, deserve special mention. This society, as is well known, never does things by halves and the exercises last Sabbath added another tribute to their ability to produce interesting and instructive religious exercises.

ious exercises.

The Christian church being without a pastor no special morning services were beld. Elegant Easter cards, however, were served to each member of the Sanday school. The floral decorations at this church, while not so profuse as at the M. E, were fully as beautiful and the arrangement, causally, as artises. the M. E, were fully as beautiful and the arrangement equally as artistic. On the wall just back of the pulpit in bright, spotloss letters appeared the words "Christ is Risen." while at either side were beautiful flowers and rich ferns all so harmoniously arranged as to produce an effect not soon to be forgotten by those who were fortunate enough to be present. The program consisted of recitations, songs and responsive readings, and too much praise could scarcely be given the little folks for the manner in which their parts were rendered. Following each recitation came vocal music specially adapted to commemorate the event of which Easter services are expressive. These special services impress not only the young people, but also the older ones and all are made to feel better and happler for the part they have taken in them.

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The lecture at the opera house last
Wednesday night, although well advertised, did not draw a very large audience, yet judging from the close attention accorded the speaker, those present
felt that they were amply repaid. In
the opening the lecturer spoke of the
various forms or names under which
the ancients were accustomed to view
his satame majesty. He took up successively the business man, the doctor,
the lawyer, and lastly the minister, citing examples to prove bis statements
that they were all more or less hypocritical.

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He paid a glowing tribute to woman and in scathing language criticised the course of society which condemned her even for one false step, while man could go on sinning from day to day and yet society would open its arms to receive him. He said, "If all the devils of this world were boiled down the result would be hypocracy and the best weapon with which to fight it is modern heroism." His eloquence was at times sublime and in some of his outbursts of oratory, so enchanted were the audience that they listened as if spell-bound, and then again his rapid decent to the ridiculous would provoke unfeigned mirth, 'He commanded the closest attention throughout, and as an orator he is eloquent and at times sensational.

A Narrow Escape.

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Yesterday morning little Mary Stivers, aged about 4 years, fell from the walk at the rear of the second story rooms, on the south side, to the ground below, a distance of ab at 18 feet, sustaining little injury beyond some slight ebrasions of the skin. She had elimed up on the railing and losing her balance pitched forward and fell as above not-led. She turned one or two somersaults and struck the ground lying on her back. Enos Robinson witnessed the terrible plunge and ran to her assistance reaching the spot just as she struck the ground. She was unconscious for a moment, when she ravived and with the exception of a few slight means uttered no complaint and seem. and with the exception of a few slight means uttered no complaint and seem-ingly not seriously injured, and at present is able to play about the house. It was indeed a miraculous escape.

Gen. Grant's Birthday.

Gen. Grant's birthday will be appro-priately celebrated at Monticello, tomor-row under the auspices of the G. A. R. the Sons of Veterans and the Women's Relief Corps. The programme is as

Gen. Grant as a soldier, by Col, T. N. Moffet Gen. Grant as a statesman, by Mrs. F. Miller.

The G. A. R., responses by Col. E. T. Lee, The Women's Relief Corps, Mrs. Inez

The Sons of Veterans—Emmett Orns

by.

Music will be furnished by the Wom-en's Relief Glee club, led by Miss Pearl Pinkard, the sweet singer and daugh-ter of the regiment. To New York and Return

Centennial Celebration, President Geo. Washingthn's Inauguration, Apr. 29th and 20th, 1889. The Wabash Railway will sell excur-

sion tickets from all stations to New York and return, at a rate of about

ONE FARE FOR THE ROUND TRIP. ONE FARE FOR THE ROUND TRIP.

These tickets will be placed on sale April 26th and 28th, and will be good for return journey on all trains leaving New York up to and including Monday. May 6th.

The Wabash is the only line with through sleeping cars by way of Niagara Falls.

For Tickets and full information, aply to local 'agents Wabash Railway.

Marriage Licenses.

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Gouino Surprise.

"I had not intended to tell you, Billiger," aid the young wife of Mr. McSwat, "but I an't keep a secret any longer."

"Is it possible, Lobelin," exclaimed Billiger, neredulously, "that you have been able to form a secret at all?"

"It is. And you would never guess it,

ither."
"Been making me a dressing gown or an
mbroidered night cap!"

embroidered night cap:
"No."
"You haven't been running up a bill at
Spotcash & Co.'st" he inquired, with a suspicious look and a cold feeling in the region of

uls spine.

"Guess again."

"Been taking lessons at a cooking school?"
he asked, paling visibly.

"No. Guess again."

A clammy perspiration broke out all over
hout, as he garned.

port as he gasped:
"Lobelia, is Aunt Jubilee coming to spend

he summer with us?"
The young wife laughed gleefully.
"No," she answered. "You'll have to try

"No," she answered. "You'll have to try again, Billiger."
"Tell me wint it is," he said, with returning self command. "I feel as if I could stand any disclosure now."
"I think you're real mean, Billiger, but I will tell you. A little poem of mine is going to be published in the next Century Magazine."

(This is the time honored way in which a ng, low whistle of astonishment has always

"Or what?" she demanded, with s

erity.
"Nothing—nothing!" he exclaimed, hastily. "And so you are to have a contribution in the next Century! How much is the editor to pay you for it, Lobelia?"

"I don't know. I haven't heard from him

"Then how do you know he is going to

print it?"
"How do I know? Because he hasn't returned it. I sent it to him nearly two weeks

"O! You did! You inclosed stamps for re

turned it. I sent it to him nearly two weeks ago."

"O! You did! You inclosed stamps for return postage, of course?"

"Why, no, Billiger. I never thought of that. Is it customary?"

"ET—no! That is, not always," replied the young husband, mastering his emotion by a desperate effort. "It probably wasn't necessary in the case of your poem, Lobelia. And you have saved at least two cents!"

Mrs. McSwat was not exactly sure whether he was in earnest or not. She looked at him with some suspicion, but his countenance wore that look of unearthly gravity and innocence that may sometimes bo seen on the face of a boy at school just after he had rolled a double handful of bird shot over the floor.

"Lobelia," he said, after a pause, "you haven't spoken of this—this poem of yours that is—er—ah—going to be printed next month to anybody else besides me, have you?"

"No."

"Then don't do it, Lobelia," he said. "If you can manage to hold in till the poem is printed, which"—and Billiger held his handkerchief to his face and coughed convulsively in it for a few moments—"which will be only two weeks longer, you know it will be all the greater surprise to everybody. And when that poem is printed in the magazine, my dear, I'll make you a present of a pair of diamond earringa."

The trusting young wife pillowed her head on his bosom in an ecstasy of gratitude, and as Billiger McSwat smoothed her golden hair and murmured in her ear soft assurances of his willingness to bankrupt himself, if necessary, in order to give her costly presents as a token of his pride and admiration—as soon as the poem appeared—he could feel himself growing meaner, and smaller, and more despicable every moment.

O young wives! Be warned in time. When temptations to write poetry for the magazines assail your souls do not yield. Resist them. It is a terrible thing to do anything that causes young husbands to feel themselves growing smaller than they are already!—Extract from "Frightful Warnings of History," from the French of Dennis

A Green Lot.

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Among the personal effects of a fakir arrested the other day on complaint of a hotel for non-payment of board was a wheel of fortune, and while detectives were examining this with a great deal of curiosity one of them found a hidden spring which was worked by pressing a button.

"What is this for?" he innocently asked.

"To stop the wheel at any desired point," was the answer.

"But why should you desire to stop it at any certain point?"

"Why should I! Suppose that a John Henry has laid his dollar on the figure 7. The pointer stops at that figure and he wins."

"But do you stop it there?"

"Certainly."

"To let him wins"

"Of course."

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"No, of course you don't, but I do. Next time there are from four to eight John Henrys with their dollars at "7," and the pointer stops at 8. Sorry for you, gentlemen, but if you haven't traveled it's not my fault."—Detroit Free Press.

Easily Remedied.

Jackson (colored)—Hain't yo' nober read dat in all de railroad accidents de reah ca' am allus de one dat am smashed up de wuist!

Sawbones—Den why doan' dey leabe de reah ca' of de irain!—Philadelphia Fress,

DRY GOODS, CARPETS.ETC.

GEO. N. BUCK.

MATTOON, ILL. We are very proud of our

Sullivan and Moultrie county trade, and are very anxious to increase our business with you. We have enlarged our room, increased our stock and our facilties for doing business in every way. We have doubled our trade in the past year which enables us to buy goods in large quantities, buy them cheaper and place them before our customers at prices lower than competitors doing a smaller business can or will sell them. It is to the customers advantage to buy his goods where he can buy them the cheapest and he makes no mistake if he buys them at the house doing the BIG BUSINESS. The merchant selling large quantities of goods can always give you the latest styles, can give big assortments to make your selections from, and you know if he was not giving you the BEST BRANDS at the LOWEST PRICES he would not be doing the BIG BUSINESS. The masses go where they can do the best both in qualities and assortment, and where they can get the biggest Dollar's worth of goods for their money.

CARPETS.

We'll make you lower prices on Carets than any house in the state and will show you the largest stock of carpets in the state to select from outside of Chicago. We are showing 125 different patterns of all-wool Extra Supers at 65c per yard.

We are selling Ingrain Carpet from 15c per yard up. Hemp Carpet at 121c. Brussels from 50c per yard up.

CURTAINS.

Our line of Lace Curtains and Portiers is simply immense. We'll show you over 100 different patterns in Lace Curtains, from 50c per pair up, to select

SPRING WRAPS. We are showing an elegant line of

Ladies' Spring Wraps and Jackets and

Beaded Capes. DRESS GOODS. You'll not find a larger or handsomer line of Dress Goods in the state to select from. We are at present showing a line of shades that are very scarce. Our line of Dress Trimming in Fancy Silks, Persian Embroideries, etc., is very complete. You'll be no better pleased in any city and in price we'll

save you money.

MUSLINS: We are selling German Lonsdale (green ticket) Muslin at 81c. We are selling the heaviest yard-wide Brown Muslin at 64c.

GINGHAMS.

Good Ginghams 25 yards for \$1. MAIL DEPARTMENT.

Our Mail Order Department is in first-class working order. Parties wanting samples we will take pleasire in sending upon application.

PORTRAITS.

We have made for our customers in the last four months over one hundred life-size Portraits, and in a have given perfect satisfaction. The work is done in New York by as good an artist as there is in the United States: we furnish these portraits to any customer buying \$25.00 worth of goods within four months from date of purchase, upon payment of \$2.75 for frame and glass. You cannot duplicate the picture anywhere for \$10.

OIL PAINTINGS.

We have just received 500 more of those beautiful Oil Paintings, 24x36, which we are giving to our customers buying \$25.00 in four months.

GEO.N. BUCK,

CORRESPONDENCE.

BETHANY.

Nice bibles at all prices at Vadakin's, tf New stock of hats, cheap at Vadakin's. tf

Hayworth's and Tait's check-rowers at Lo gan's, 19-20

Dr. B. F. McMennemy was a business visitor in Decatur Monday.

A nice suit of clothes that fit, can be had at Vadakin's, cheap. tf

T. A. Lansden was called to Kankakee Monday on official business.

W. W. Wilkinson was the guest of Bloomington relatives over Sunday.

Lawyer Buckingham, of Decatur, transactor legal husiness in town Tuesday

Mr. and Mrs. T. C. Clark and Perry Hoskins were Decatur visitors Wednesday.

The Rev. James H. Crowder spent the Sabbath at his Springfield appointment.

Hon. Thomas E. Henry, of Windsor, trans

Robert Cleary, of Decatur, an old room-mate of ye reporter, was in town Monday and Tuesday.

Elegant line of ladies' and children's shoes at Vadakin's cheap, and as nice as can be had in Decatur. F. E. Smith, of Warrensburg, is now the P.,

D. & E. agent; vice Mr. Parker, who has gone to Warrensburg.

Miss Shelton, of Greenup, who has been the guest of Miss Ida Scott for several days, went to Lincoln Monday.

E. S. Adams, a prominent farmer of Todd's Point, returned from a business trip to In-

dianapolis Saturday.

Little Earnest Robertson, while playing Tuesday afternoon, had his leg broken by some lumber falling upon it.

The highway commissioners will let the contract of building a bridge across the Okaw on the Moawequa road the 29th of this month. Miss Jemima Milham, who has made he with Mrs. F. B. Hagerman for som

rears, returned to her mother's at Olney last Fuesday. John Howell has purchased the restaurant formerly owned by H.S. Weston, and will conduct it in the future. We wish him success in his new enterprise.

W. W. Wilson, in the employ of R. B. Utter-back of Sullivan, will soon open a shoc shop here. Repairing and custom work neatly and promptly executed. Sewed work a specialty.

At the annual school election last Saturday J. H. Vadakin received 21 votes and T. Hill 18 votes. Both are progressing men and either one would have made a good offi-

John Bleuz, a prominent butcher of Deca-tur, transacted business with Dedman & Son last Friday. He has made arrangements with Charles Dedman to buy butcher's stock for

Decatur trade. S. E. Walker left Tuesday for Spokane Falls, Washington Ty. He will spend a month in visiting different western cities. During Mr. Walker's absence his place in the bank will be

filled by W. H. Logan., To those who have no particular place to trade, I would ask that you make my store your headquarters, where we will try and make you feel at home. I keep grecories, elothing, dry goods, hats, etc.—J. H. VADA

Elder Herman was at Lovington Tuesda

Elder Herman was at Lovington Puesday looking after matters connected with his min-isterial work. We congratulate the Christian denomination of Lovington for their good fortune in having secured the services of sc able a pastor as Elder W. S. Herman.

Lowis Smith is authority for the statement that every man was originally named Smith but as they became sinners their names were changed to fit the transgression. We are not cattain as to the genuineness of this theology, but the motion is open for discussion.

Mrs. Kate Kennedy is showing a finer line hibited in this market. All the latest and most becoming styles and at prices that place them in reach of all. Please call and examine ock. Produce taken in exchange for First door east of Luby's, on Main

Sometime during the month of March stranger, representing himself as the adjuster of the Continental Insurance Company, of the Continental insurance Company, called upon John Goetz, a wealthy farmer living south of town, and induced him to give up his policy in the Continental and accept one in another company. Mr. Goetz signed a note, which he supposed was for \$35 but which proved to be for \$179.50. Mr. Goetz came to town and swere out a warrant for the man, who gave the name of J. C. Nicholds, and he was arrested at Kankakee and held until Sheriff Lansden reached that place, which he did last Monday and returned with his man Tuesday morning. The case was called Tuesday afternoon before J. T. Lawson but on change of venue was taken before J. H. McGuife, who upon hearing the evidence found Guire, who upon hearing the evidence found

H. S. Beals, of Trilla, Sundayed in Gays.

Mrs. Mary Colson has secured a pension. Dr. Grier was over to Mattoon Saturday.

Pat Kinsela and wife Sundayed in Mattoo R. P. Montague paid Oakland a visit Monday Mrs. Bowman visited at Mattoon over Sun

W. E. Treat was over to Windsor Sunday Willis H. Storms visited at Neoga Friday and Saturday.

J. W. Claxton, of Newton, was in Gays one day last week.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Langston visited at Wm. Armentrout's Sunday. Dr. Beals was over to Mattoon Thursday af ternoon on professional business.

James H. and Mrs. Clark, of Mattoon, visited at Jim Butler's Sunday afternoon.

Rev. and Mrs. Will McIntosh, of Shelbyvillo are visiting at Mr. W. M. McIntosh's.

Lewis Wright and daughter, Miss Alice, vis-ited at Mattoon Saturday and Sunday. Mrs. Thomas Smith visited at Paradise the latter part of last week and the first of this.

Misses Mabel Walker and Pearlie Kinkado were shopping in Mattoon Monday afternoon. George Gibler, of Mattoon, was in Gays Sut-urday atternoon giving instruction to "Band Boys."

John A. Kern, who has been in rather poor ealth for some time, is at Hot Springs, Ark. here he hopes to be benefited.

Mrs. P. A. Langston, of Fuller's Point, visited in the vicinity of Gays the latter part of last week and the first of this.

ARTHUR.

Mensles and mumps are still raging.

J. B. Rigney was elected school director Sat-John Ewing and Grace Stapp, of Arcola,

Sundayed here. E. E. Winter and family of Arcola, spent

O. W. Stapp is running a huckster wagon and it is a dandy. Born to Mr. and Mrs. O. E. Gibson on Wed-

nesday last, a boy. Elder Steele, of Kansas preached at the east side church Sunday.

Elder Barker, baptized converts into the church at West Prairie last Sunday. Rev. Dupoy, from Indianapolis, preached in

the new Baptist church last Sunday. Tom Walker has bought the property in which he resides from Charles Ogden.

Mrs. Wuddock and children, left Monday for their new home in the suburbs of Chicago. License was defeated in the election at this place Tuesday. Only 8 votes were cast in its

Mrs. Bell Thomason returned from the Hygiene Institute, at Indianapolis, Tuesday evening. Mrs. Henry Loubtram will remain three months longer.

Arthur was favored with a visit from "Mex ican Charley," Tuesday evening, but he did not seem to take very well, at any rate he had to take to his heels to escape the mob of

LOVINGTON.

Samuel Boggs spent Easter with his family Mrs. Joe H. Dawson visited Bement Tues

Joe H. Dawson and wife and Mrs. Robert Selby visited Sullivan Monday.

Oru school will be out May 8th. Then the eachers and scholars will be glad.

Mrs. Samuel Stricklin and little daughters, of Sullivan, visited Miss Hettle last Saturday Mr. Springer, of Williamsburg, has taken the Ceutral house, Vice L. B. March returned to private life.

Miss Etta Cooper, of Colfax, Ind., visited with Mrs. Rittenhouse and other relatives ver Sunday.

The Hon, W. G. Cochran left Sunday evening for Chicago where he did business and then went to Springfield. Two law-suits and one fight on Saturday last

and one fight on Monday. How is that for a town like Lovington. The Lovington Lodge No. 503. I. O. O. F. will

celebrate the 70th anniversary by holding a meeting in the M. E. church Friday night. There will be speaking and masic. The 30th of April will be appropriately observed here by exercises in the church. As we have not seen the program we can only say that everything will be done in proper shape.

DALTON CITY.

The new yillage board, organized last Thurs lay evening.

T. E. Mayes visited Sullivan, last Tuesday on legal business.

T. J. Freeland is shelling and shipping all

Jacob Foster was the lucky man in deciding by lot as to who should have the office of street

W.T. Cole an old time resident of Dalton City, was married Wednesday of last week to Mrs. Carrie Judy, at Sullivan, by Esq. Patter-

The Rev. O. P. Galloway of Prairie Hom day. He will preach regularly every two weeks, at 7:30 p. m.

The board of appointment for Dora Town-ship, held an all day meeting last Monday and failed to agree on the appointment of an as-sessor and collector. The result will be that the last year's collector an I assessor will hold

The entertainment given by the Dalton City well patronized, the seats being all taken. Every one attending was well pleased. The receipts were about twenty-five dollars, whic went for the bene fit of the band.

LORD LONSDALE'S TRAVELS.

He Has a Rough Time in the Arctic Regions, but Didn't Bring Back the Pole. San Francisco, April 24.—Lord Lons-dale arrived yesterday on the steamer Bartha from Kodiak, Alaska. He states Bartha from Kodiak, Alaska. He states that after leaving Winnipeg he traveled on sleds drawn by dogs, his only white companion being William McKean, a cook in the employ of the Hudson Bay company. In August, 1885, he reached Melville island, This was his farthest point north. Thence he started across Alaska to the nearest point on the Yukon river, after reaching which he followed the river nearly all the way.

A Rough Time of Touring.

He had with him sixty-nine dogs and eighteen Indiaus, but during the journey all but twenty-eight of the dogs died, and several Indiaus were nearly frozen to death. Lonsdale was obliged to walk over 1,500 miles

the prisoner guilty, and caused him to be bound over to court in a bond of \$500. J. E. Jennings appeared for the prosecution and Mr. Buckingham, of Decatur, appeared for the defense.

Londale was obliged to walk over 1,500 miles of the journey across Alaska, owing to the depth of the snow, which made it mossible for the degs to draw anything more than the sleds with the provisions on them, and

some rich specimons.

Not Looking for the Pole.

On Nov. 10, 1889, he reached the Russian mission on the Yukon river. From there he with across to Neshagak river, thence to Bristol bay, arriving at Katma on Jan. 12, 1880.

Owing to the thickness of the tee the boat did not arrive from Kodiak until March 17, He left Kokiak for this port about a month ago. Lord Lomelale says his object was not to find the north pole, as has been stated, but to explore the islands in the Arctic occan and study the birds and animals found there. He will stay a few weeks in this city and then go to New York by way of Winnipeg.

A Dishonest City Treasurer.

DENVER, April 23.—A special to The Republican from Durango states that T. F. Burgees, the treasurer of that place, is a defaulter to the extent of \$12,000. On a promise of being released from custody he paid over to the city a certificate of deposit for \$3,800. When released he at once set out for Rew Mexico. Officers are on his trail.

The secretary of war has ordered a salute of thirty-eight guns to be fired on the 50th of April at all the military stations in the United States.

BAKING POWDER

COMPARATIVE WORTH of BAKING POWDERS.

ROYAL (Absolutely Pure). GRANT'S (Alum Powder) . RUMFORD'S, when fresh. HANFORD'S, when fresh... REDHEAD'S CHARM (Alum Powder) # ... AMAZON (Alum Powder) *. CLEVELAND'S(shortwt.joz.) PIONEER (San Francisco)... CZAB SNOW FLAKE (Groff's) ... PEARL (Andrews & Co.).... HECKER'S GILLET'S ANDREWS&CO."Regal" BULK (Powder sold loose).... RUMFORD'S, when not fresh

REPORTS OF GOVERNMENT CHEMISTS

As to Purity and Wholesomeness of the Royal Baking Powder.

"I nave tested a package of Royal Baking Powder, which I purchased in the open market, and find it composed of pure and wholesome ingredients. It is a cream of tartar powder of a high degree of merit, and does not contain either alum or phosphates, or other migurious substances.

E. G. Love, Ph.D." "H. A. Morr, Ph.D."

"I have examined a package of Royal Baking Powder, purchased by myself in the market. I find it entirely free from alum, terra alba, or any other injurious substance. HENNY MORTON, Ph.D., President of Stevens Institute of Technology."

"I have analyzed a package of Royal Baking Powder. The materials of which it is composed are pure and wholesome. S. Dana Hates, State Assayer, Mass." The Royal Baking Powder received the highest award over all competitors at the Vienna World's Exposition, 1873; at the Centennial, Philadelphia, 1876; at the American Institute, Now York, and at State Fairs throughout the country.

No other article of human food has ever received such high, emphatic, and universal endorsement from eminent chemists, physicians, scientists, and Boards of Health all over the world.

Health all over the world.

NOTE—The above Diagnam illustrates the comparative worth of various Baking Powders, as shown by Chemical Analysis and experiments made by Prof. Schedler. A pound can of each powder was taken, the total leavening power or volume in each can calculated, the result being as indicated. This practical test for worth by Prof. Schedler only proves what every observant consumer of the Royal Baking Fowder knows by practical experience, that, while it costs a few cents per pound more than ordinary kinds, it is far more economical, and, besides, affords the advantage of better work. A single trial of the Royal Baking Powder will convince any standard appears of these feets.

ninded person of these facts. * While the diagram shows some of the alum powders to be of a higher degree of strength than other powders ranked below them, it is not to be taken as indicat-ing that they have any value. All alum powders, no matter how high their strength, are to be avoided se dangerous.

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T. A. HOLLONBECK

will enable him to sell them cheaper in exchange for goods or cash. All the than you can put them up at home.

Bought Carned Goods at a figure that Will take All Kinds of Courtry Produce newest designs in Glassware.

T. A. HOLLONBECK.

THE MARKETS.

Chicago.

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CHICAGO, April 23.

Following were the quotations on the board of trade to-day; Wheat—No. 2 May, opened flo, closed 50½c; June, opened 51½c; closed 51½c; July, opened 78c, closed 78c. Corn—No. 3 May, opened 31½c, closed 78c. Corn—No. 2 May, opened 31½c, closed 31½c; July, opened and closed 25½c; July, opened 311.75; closed 251.45; June, opened 311.85½, closed 311.47½; July, opened 311.25½c, closed 311.47½c; July, opened 311.25½c; July, opened 311.25; July, opened 311.25;

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New York, April 21.

Wheat—Irregular; No, 1 red state, \$76,08c;
No, 2 do, \$44,6c; No, 2 red winter May, \$25,6c;
do June, \$45,6c; do July, \$35,4c. Corn—Quiet;
No, 2 mixed cash, \$45,6c; do April, \$63,6c; do Jule, \$4c. Oats—Steady; No.
1 white state, \$8c; No, 2 do, \$1c; No, 2 mixed April, \$3c; do May, \$25,6c. Rye—Duil.
Barloy—Nominal.
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TOLEDO, Ohlo, April 23,
Whent—Cash, 80@8834c: May, 8234c; June,
8234c; July, 770c; August, 70c. Corn—Cash 37@
334c; May, 5034c. Oats—Cash, 24c. Clover
seed—Cash and April, \$4,60 bid.

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St. Louis.

St. Louis, April 23.

Wheat—Lower: cash, 80c; May, 801/6c; July, 143/46-141/6c; Corn—Higher: cash, 80/46-203/4c; May, 303/6c; July, 323/6c, Oats — Higher: Cash, 24c; May, 233/6c June, 233/6c. Pork—Dull; lower: \$12.00/61/25. Lard—Lower: \$6.50 Whisky—Steady; \$1.02. Detroit.

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Milwaukee.

Milwaukee. Wis., April 23.

Wheat—Weak; cash, 77;6c: May, 77;6c; July,
76c. Corn—Steady; No. 3, 33;6234c. Oats—
Juli. No. 2 white, 27;23c. Rye—Easy; Wa.,
42;4c. Barley—Easy; No. 2, 50c.

Isaac Newman, aged 78, and wife, 73, two pioneers of northern Indiana, died near Mexico, Ind., the husband Sunday and the wife Monday.

Princess Eugenia

Monday.

Princess Eugenia, a sister of the king of Sweden, is dead.

The town of Petite Revere, Haytl, was burned by Logitime's forces on April 7.

Jay Gould was elected president of the Texas Facilic railroad Tuesday in place of John C. Brown, resigned.

WACONS, BUCCIES, CARTS, FARMING IMPLEMENTS, ETC.

W. F. LOGAN,

Exclusive Implement Dealer

Bethany, Illinois.

By close attention to buying I have been able to place before the farmers of Bethany and vicinity. The Finest Class of Implements ever shown. My sales last year ran over 60 Carts, 54 Farm Wagous. 21 Buggies and Spring Wagons, and while I sold more than twice as much as any two dealers near me I did not have as much trouble with breakages as they did. My sales now run about \$700 per Week, and enable me to make close prices. "Small margins and lost of them." is my motto. Sell and buy again and not hang on to anything, as if there were no more, and let it get rusty.

Headquarters for Twine. I have already sold nearly 5000 pounds of Twine since April 1st, and being the agent for the Peoria Cordage Factory, which dont belong to the trust, I can give good prices. Call and see me, I will make it pay you. Come once and you will come again.

YOURS. ETC.

W.F.LOGAN

HORSE BREEDERS ASSOCIATION.

I MPORTED BREEDING HORSES, BETHANY, ILLINOIS

The Marrowbone Fine Horse Breeders' Association

ENGLISH SHIRE, \$15;

Located at Bethany, Illinois, has purchased THREE IMPORTED STALLIONS, THRIE IMPORTED STALLIONS,
to wit: One Imported Shire Horse, name,
SUMMER DAY: also One Percheron Norman
Stallion, Pellitico, No. 8836, in French Percheron Stud Book of France: and One Cleveland
Iny Stallion, PHINCE GEORGE, NO. 18, Vol. 1,
of the Cleveland Bay Society of America.

The above horses will make the

SEASON OF 1889
at the barn of John A. Crowder, one and onefourth mics morthwast of Bethany, at the
following terms, to-wit:

PERCHERON NORMAN, \$15; CLEVELAND BAY, \$20.

We insure mare in foal from all of the above horses, or mp pay. Parties breeding mares are expected to return regularly and neare or expected to return regularly and neare of the parties breeding mares and trading them of without regularly and near of the company, for eit instrance, or leaving the state, money becomes due.

Shire Horse Stud Hooks.

DESCRIPTION AND PEDIGRES OF Pollico:—Pollico No. 8836, is recorded in the French Perche
ron stud book of France; also as No. 8512 in Percheron stud book of America. Pellico was no
ported in June, 1887, by Kimp & Lowrey, of Normal, Ill., and is four years old this spring, is a
dark gray, weighing 1,850, with fine style and action for a horse of his weight, with the best
feet, lots of clean, flat bone and excellent eye; a well arched, neck, bruad chest, a well rounde

body, close coupled and close to the ground, and one of the best horses ever owned in the county.

PRINCE GEORGE, No. 19, Vol. 1, Cleveland stud book of America, is a beautiful bay with back points, about 16%, bands high, welghs 1,300 pounds, with a clean, in at hone and excellent feet, with remarkable style and action. He won first prize at the Illinois State Fair in Chicago in 1883 and first prize in his class at the Mountrie County fair, in 2883, and first prize in his class at the Shelby County fair and also grand sweepstakes. Was shown as the property of his class at the Shelby County fair and also grand sweepstakes. Was showning first in both and general sweepstakes. Frince the prize of the county fair, as general purpose horse and say the could be desired as a breefer, prof. Ing true to color, as Frince George was bred by James R. Crouther, of Winfield, Ragland, and marrowbone Fine Horse Breeders' Association, Rethany, Ill. Frince George was bred by James R. Crouther, of Winfield, Ragland, and Marrowbone Fine Horse Breeders' Association, Rethany, Ill. Frince George was folded in the spring of 1885. His sire was Prince George, No. 235 in the English stud book. John St. Avrin, J. A. CROWDER, Keeper 17-29 Committee.

VADAKIN'S GENERAL MERCHANDISE STORE.

J. H. VADAKIN, Bethany, Illinois.

N order to reduce my stock to the lowest possible amount by assessing time, I will make prices on my whole stock that will knock every piece of goods that you price, clear out of the store.

I have all the Nice Spring Suitings for Young and Old men, Ladies' Hosiery and Underwear, Gents' Underwear for Spring and Summer, Nice Neckwear. Elegant Spring line of Ladies' Children's and Misses' Fine Shoes at prices that will surprise you. Men's Fine Shoes in all the latest styles in Toothpick and Extra Wide lasts; Summer Gloves for Men; Ladies Kid Gloves only 75cts.--Good ones; Plow Shoes \$1.00 up. Poultry and Produce taken at Highest Market price. Groceries, Clothing, Notions, Boots, Shoes, Hats, Caps, Drugs, Medicines, Overalls and Working Clothes of every description and prices TO SELL. I want Money to pay bills and will Make you prices that Cannot be duplicated in Moultrie County.

I MEAN BUSINESS.

Don't forget to come where you can get \$1.50 worth for \$1.00.

Respectfully,

J. H. VADAKIN

BETHANY, ILL.

OKLAHOMA SWARMS WITH PEOPLE.

Men Ride for a Patch of Farth as if for Their Lives and Lay Out Work for Lawyers.

Conflicting Claims Mark, the First Hour of of the Grent Invasion—Thirty Thousand Settlers Axive by Railwhy+The Renes at Purcell and Guthrie Crush on the Trains-Intense Ex citement While Waiting for the Word; Wild Enthusiasm When it Is Given.

GUTHRIE, I.T., April 24.—The gates of Oklahoma were swing open at hoon yesterday, and resistless torrents of humanity began to pour over its soil. From the Cherokee strip came the great fleet of prairie schooners across the Cauadian; from the Chickasaw nation came troop after troop of sturdy ponies each one carrying a boomer; from the Ara-pahoe and Cheyenne reservations on the west, came a yelling mob of horsemen, who fired volley after volley to celebrate their final victory. The Kiowa of the southwest, and the Cherokee and Creek nations on the east, also furnished their contingent of

The Welkin Rang With Cheers.

At the starting signal they moved all together, great waves of cheering breaking upon the air, The wagons continued on overthe lovel green plain until they were about half way across the northera tier of claims, and then upward of a hundred of them were brought to a standstill. The others rolled on to the lower tiers. Men, women and, children poured from the stationary schooners, and in an incredibly short time the foundations for the pioneer homes of Oklahoma had been laid by willing hands.

The Tag of War Begins.

Every farm had more than one claimant, all ready to swear that they crossed the border first, and that their were the first improvements. So it is all over the territory, and especially on the sections adjoining Guthrice and Oklahoma City.

Tens of Thousands by Rail.

Between 20,000 and 50,000 people were dumped here yesterday by the Santa Forond, which ran twenty immense trains from Arkansas City. The trains moved across the Cherokos strip cautiously and slowly, and arrived here scarcely more than five minutes apart. As they approached the land of promise thousands of heads protruded from the windows, and curious eyes feasted on the green panorama that lay before them. There was much fighting to get out of the cars when the little building which inswers for a station was reached. Nobody was hurt, however, and the coaches were soon emptied.

Dazed by the Prospect.

I was a curious sight to watch the boomers after they had got fairly on foot. The majority of them seemed to be dazed by the notations of their surroundings. Many of them cazed stupidly to the north, southeast and west, and then moved ahead like men who were lost. Others started for the hills, and still others bent themselves to the task of raising tents which they brought with them, to open various kinds of business. Those who went for the hills were after claims. Just how well their explorations succeeded is not known, for very few of them have roturned. It is safe to say that last night overy farm in the territory was in possession of

THE BREAK AT PURCELL

rolls Sunday, a Hamlet Now—The Race Over the Line, LL, I. T., April 23.—A great change FURGILL, I. T., April 23.—A great change has come over this town. Sunday it was a metropelis. Now it is a hamlet in point of population. The metamorphosis was effected at 12 o'clock yesterday, when several thousand men, women and children crossed the Canadian river and entered upon a wild struggle for homes in the promised land.

The scenes connected with this hegira will sever be effected from the memory of these

never be effaced from the memory of those who witnessed them. The sun was not up who witnessed them. The sun was not up sooner than the average boomer yesterday morning. Probably not half the people slept at all during the night. Gasoline lamps flared from sundown to sunriss in the two business streets and the ghostly form of prairie schooners could be seen moving toward the ford a mile nowth of town. Pow. toward the ford a mile north of town. Day-break found scores of men in the saddle, and has been since the boom began. A stondy stream of wagons poured from the broken country west and north to the main ford, and when this became blocked hundreds of them were turned to the right, facing the river at every point where fording seemed at all practicable.

"All Aboard for Oklahoma."

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When the first train of eight coaches rolled into the station from the south overy boomer who had planned to invade Oklahoma by railroad was on hand. A howl of rage went up as the train sped on with trainmen on every platform to prevent any one from getting aboard. This train ran a little below the town and halted until the hour set for its departure into the territory. Soon afterward a special train of twelve coaches appeared, and inside of five minutes it was crowded with over 1,000 people. It ran down the switch and stopped until 11:40. The overflow was so great that another train of equal size was brought up, and this also was crowded to the platform in an incredibly short time.

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As the train lay on the siding each car was a theater. It seemed as if every man had a plan whereby he could leave the train afteritiad passed into Oklahoma, and stealthy glances at the bell rope showed that the engineer's gong would sound about the time the train was over the bridge below town.

A Moment of Intense Excitoment.

As the supreme moment drew near the ex-

citement increased. Every person who had not arranged to cross had secured an advantageous-position on a fiousetop or the great bluff just north of the town and was feverishly awaiting the rush. Not a few field-glasses were brought into requisition, Oklahoma is visible for miles from any elevation in Purcell, and seems a succession of beautiful valleys, with well timbered ridges between.

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The Signal to Start Given.

At 11:40 o'clock the conductor of the long special train on the siding gave the signal. The engines whistled strilly and the special began! its trip 'o'clahomaward. It seemed as if every man on the train shouted when the train moved, and a moment later the sound of pistol shots told only too plainly that the Texans were firing, their saluta. Gathering speed the train soon came. opposite the ford, and then a furnious 'usilland, broke, out, It was continued until the train desked around the head 'proparatory' to crossing the bridge. The succeding twenty infinities were the longest of the day to those on the banks of the river. Lieut. Addit could be seen calmly sitting on his shorse in mid-stream, watch in hand, and all, siyes, were centored on him. Suddenly, he was seen to motion to the soldiers near him, and the next moment the cheerful strains of the recall were sounded.

Helter Skelter Over the Line.

In an instant the seene changed. There was a mighty shout and the advance guard of the invading army raced like mad across the sands toward the narrow expanse of water. The north and south winds seemed to strike the water together. In they went, belter skeller, every rider intent on reaching the bank first. There a horse diappeared into a deep hole, and his rider fell headlong out of the saddle. Before he could arise he was apparently crushed by another animal which had stumbled and fallen. The crowd on shore gave a cry of horror, which speedily hanged to one of joy, for neither man was aint. They struggled to their feet and as he horses broke away and joined the flying lost their owners surged after them with the water to their waits.

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By this time the swiftest ones were over and speeding up the alope of the nearest ridge. The head of line of wagons just then emerged from the river bed. At this rate it would not be ten minutes before all were across. The racers took different directions, but most of the wagons went northwest.

New Way of Getting the Drop.

A dispatch from Oklahoma City says that at 12 o'clock men seemed to rise out of the ground there, and in an incredibly short time a town site was staked off and lots were placed on the markot. These men dropped from Sunday night's train when it slowed up for the station.

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Murdered by Claim Jumpers.

Arkansas Citt, Kam., April 23.—A special dispatch has been received here from Guthrie, Oklahomia, which says that three men who took claims there Monday were foully murdered about 5 o'clock by claim jumpers. The names of the assalants and their victims could not be learned. A vigilance committee is now scouring the country in search of the miscreants, who, it is said, will be summarily dealt with if caught.

Killed on His Claim. Killed on His Claim.

A man named Compls, with a partner, were staking a claim when they were ordered off by a man who said, it belonged to him. Compls refused to vacate, and the stranger shot him dead, nounted a horse and made his escape. The partner still holds the

A Go-as-You-Can Race.

Wichitz, Kan., April 23.—A special dispatch to The Daily Engle, dated. Fond Creek, via Caldwell, Kan., ays that 15,009 people participated in the race from there yesterday for a slice of the "promised land." The high water on the Cimarron has subsided and no further trouble is anticipated.

DESTRUCTIVE FOREST FIRES.

Great Damage Caused in Portions of Wis

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Milwauker, Wis, April 23.—Destructive fires are raging in the woods north of Clintonville, along the line of the Lake Shore road. The fullner is dry and the flames spread with great rapidity. The small town of Buckbee was entirely wiped out. Buckbee is a lumbering town, and a great deal of lumber was stored there. This was entirely consumed. The loss is estimated at \$100,000. A train of fourteen cars of lumbers and five cars of logs caught fire at Marion and burned; loss, about \$75,000. The full loss on the lumber and dwellings at Buckbee and near Marion will amount to nearly \$300,00f. There has been but little rain in that section this season, and it is presumed that the fire originated from a spark of a passing locomotive.

Great damage has been done in the vicinity of Bear lake on the Milwaukee, Lake Shore and Western railroad. Passenger trains had some difficulty in passing through the burning district. The vicinity is sparsely settled by homesteaders.

Heavy forest fires are raging west of Shawano. Many buildings are in danger, as the woods are as dry as tinder, no rain having fallen for two months.

Much damage is being done at points north and south of Antigo, but no loss of life is so far reported. Unless rain is had soon great damage will be done and small towns along the line of the fire destroyed.

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Two Children Burned to Death

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St. Louis, April 23.—A one-room frame house belonging to Edward Mounts, seven miles south of Marshall, Mo., was destroyed by fire Monday. In it perished two of Mounts' little girls, Flossy and Rosa, aged 4 and 7 respectively. Mounts and his wife were out on the farm to do some work and atterward Mounts went to the blacksmith shop a mile distant, leaving his wife in the field. They had left no one at the house but the children. Brush obstructed the view to the house and the fire had been in progress some time before Mrs. Mounts discovered it. She ran to the house, but arrived too late to rescue the little girls, although she could hear their screams as she approached.

Don't Believe in Observing Easter.

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DETROIT, Mich., April 23.—The Baptist
preachers Monday morning denounced the
observance of Easter. The Roya, Auger and observance of Easter. The Roya Auger and Deland also took a stand against the parade and pomp with which the day is celebrated, and the Roy. W. Thus inveighed against the idea of the country being Romanized. Easter, he said, was an invention of the Catholic church. The Rev. Trowbridge complained that many people go to church on Easter not for worship, but to hear the music and see the display of flowers.

Leaped from the Brooklyn Bridge.

New Yonk, April 24.—At 6:30 last evening Patrick Carroll, a shoemaker, aged 26 years, jumped from the Brooklyn bridge into the East-river. He was picked up by a tug and on being brought ashore was arrested. He was taken to a hospital and found to be badly burt, possibly fatally. It was an attempt at suicida.

Good Tidings at Last.

All the Lost Danmark's People Alive, Save One.

THE ENGINEER KILLED AT HIS POST

—The Engines Break, Down and the Pas-sengers and Crew Are Taken off by the Missourl, Which Throws Her Cargo Missourl, Whielt Throws Her Cargo Overboard to Make Room for the Ship-Wrecked Hundreds—A Brief but Satisfactory Dispatch. Cisa

NEW YORK, April 22.-The agents of the nmer Danmark received the following cablegram from Lisbon yesterday afternoon Passengers and crew of steamship Danmark ed at the Azores. Three hundred and forty of the passengers are 'on the steamer Missouri, bound for Philadelphia. Rest to follow by the next steamer."

Excitement in London

N, April 22.—Although there wer no English passengers on board the Danmarl that unfortunate vessel has been intense here At 7:30 o'clock last evening the afternor papers got out extras containing special d announcing the safety of the Dan mark's passengers and crew and their sale wa enormous. Bulletins were displayed in front of the various newspaper offices and the crowds which surrounded them blocked the

THE STORY OF THE WRECK fold Briefly by the Third Mate—Hum Life vs. Freight.

LISBON, April 22.—In au interview with newspaper representative Peter Rabsen, hird mate of the steamship Danmark, related the circumstances of the loss of that vessel. Her engines, he stated, broke down on April 4, while the vessel was 800 miles from Newfoundland. Engineer Knas was found lying dead on the floor of the engineroom, and the cause of the accident could not be ascertained. On April 5 the Danmark was spaken by the Missouri, which towed the Danmark until April 6. "The Danmark was then settling down," Rabsen states, "and we asked the Missouri to take our passengers. The Missouri as she was loaded had room for only twenty additional persus but she jettlemost. Missouri as she was loaded had room for only twepty additional persons, but she jettisoned her cargo and took us all on board—800 of us—landing us at Azores. She then proceeded for Philadelphia, taking 340 of the passengers besides the captain and sailors. Three of the engineers proceeded to London on board the Demerara steamer. The first and second mates are still at Azores, and the remaining nassengers and forty-two sailors. emaining passengers and forty-two sallors sailed for Lisbon on the steamer Acor."

Arrivals at Lisbon

LISBON, April 22.—Forty-two of the crew the Danmark and all of the passengers not then to Philadelphia on the Missouri have taken to Phila arrived here on the steamship Acor.

The Engineer's Death.
The death of the Danmark's engine due to the bursting of an engine pipe. The engineer was killed on the spot, and the ship was badly damaged. In consequence of this damage, together with the breaking of the shaft; the vessel was helpless in the heavy

ON TERRA FIRMA AGAIN.

The Passengers of the Wrecked St. Danmark Landed at Philadelphi

Danmark Landed at Philadelphia.
PHILADELPHIA, Pa., April 23.—The steamship Missouri, with 865 of the people from the wrecked steamer Danmark, arrived at the American Line Steamship company's dock at 6 o'clock Monday evening. All were well on board with the exception of three persons. All of the Danmark's passengers look hearty and black the day. persons. All of the Danmark's passengers look hearty and tright and show no signs of the hardships which they must have necessarily endured. Among those on board from the Danmark were Purser Hempel; Jespersen, the ship's physician; Cook Albert Johnson, Stewardess Mrs. Nielson, Baker John Lunchrist, Butcher Peter Benson, Emigrant Stewardess Mrs. Christianson and Waiter William De Walt-eight of the Danmark's crow in all General Passarger Agris

John Lunchrist, Butcher Peter Benson, Emigrant Stewardess Airs. Christianson and Waiter William De Walt—eight of the Danmark's crow in all. General Passengor Agent John Rath of the Thingvalla line came from New York to make provisions for the comfort of the people.

Monday night at 11 o'clock a special traiscurve of nearly 300 of the passengers tward their destination in the west and northwest. The remaining sixty-five who were destined for points in the east also left Monday night at majority of those bound west are going to Minnesota, Dakota, and other points, while a few go as far as Washington territory. They will be accompanied by agents of the Thingvalla line and will be reprovisioned at Chicago.

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The Vanderbilt Lines to Inaugurate Six Days' Work a Week.

DETROIT, Mich., April 24.—In relation to the statement telegraphed from Canada that no more Sunday trains would be run on the Dominion lines of the Michigan Central, President Ledyard said yesterday that the order is to be much more widely extended, "We have been constitlering this matter for a long time," he said. "By an arrangement with all the roads composing the Vanderbilt system we shall be able to give our employes the advantage of one day's rest in seven. It is, of course, an experiment. We do not know that we can keep it up, but by running faster during the week we can save the extra time. Mr. Vanderbilt, Mr. Depew and all the officials are in favor of Sunday as a day of rest."

Postmaster Pearson Dead.

New York, April 22.—Postmaster Pearson, of this city, died early Saturday morning of tumor of the stomach, aggravated by his hard work in the postoffice. Just before ing of tumor of the stomach, aggrayated by his hard work in the postoffice. Just before his death he was asked if the newspaper talk about his administration of his office distressed him. He said it did not, but having been an enemy of the spoils system all his life, it did hurt him to know that he was misrepresented and misunderstood. He had only been absent from duty for three months in sixteen years. Ex-Postmaster General James took charge of the office for Mr. Pearson's sureties.

years, jumped from the Brooklyn bridge into the East vier. He was picked up by a tug and on being brought ashore was arrested. He was taken to a hospital and found to be badly hurt, possibly fatally. It was an attempt at suicide,

Louks Like a Revolutionary Move.

PARES, April 22.—M. Naquet, as agent for the Boulangists, is negotiating in Loudon for a loan of \$20,000,000, offering 50 per cent. discount, Asa Matthews to Succeed Durham

SPRINGFILD, Illa, April 18.—The legisla ture reassembled yesterday. The senature reassembled requiring tax-payers to swent that about the senature of the sena their schedules; providing for the el of half the members of supervisors' boards primary elections; regulating farmers' ty mutual live stock insurance comp John's selection bill was debated, read the third time, the roll-call on its passage being ordered just before adjournment. The mo-tion to reconsider the vote defeating, the Mil-ler amendment to the habitual criminal act. was adopted by the house. The hilliamend, ing the homestead exemption act was read the third time. It exempts \$1,000 worth of property. The bill requiring a petition containing half the voters of townships to measure the property of the property of the property. power county boards to alter township lines was passed.

SPRINGFIELD, Ills., April 19, The senate Thursday by a vote of 23 to 21 non-concurred in a committee report favorable to the Bo I during by a vote of 25 to 21 non-concurred in a committee report favorable to the Bogardus local option bill, but notice of a motion to, reconsider was given. The vote by which the fish culture bill was passed was reconsidered and the bill returned to the order of second reading. A concurrent resolution was adopted to request the congressional delegation from this state to secure legislation for a ship cannal between Lakes Superior and Michigan. The Johns election bill was passed. The death of Senator W. R. Archer, of Pittsfield, was appropriately noted by the passage of resolution, and the balance of the session was devoted to memorial services in honor of the late Senator Dearborn.

The house concurred in the senate amendments to the non-resident trustee bill, The Merritt anti-trust bill was then taken up, debated and passed by a vote of 11s to 19, and the bill providing for the regular payment of wages in lawful money to employes at least once overy two weeks by a vote of 11s to 5.

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wages in lawful money to employes at least once overy two weeks by a vote of 117 to 5.

Springpield, Ills, April 20.—The appropriation for improvements at the Eigin insue hospital was passed by the senate yesterday and also the bill to pay the late Representative Teebey's widow the salary he would have received had he lived through the session. The bill changing the time of holding the 'supreme court sessions was passed, and the bill requiring wages of employes to be paid semi-monthly was sent to the judiciary committee. Adjourned to Monday evening.

The house referred the senate election bill to the proper committee. The bill providing that executions may issue upon judgments of justices of the peace any time within seven years, but not afterward, was passed, as was the bill regulating the duties of stock yards and transportation companies under governor's ploclamations restraining the importation of cattle into the state; also the bill reducing the interest on property sold for taxes—aimed at tax title 'sharks." A resolution was adopted to the effect that as at this time 100,000 citizens are marching on Oklahoma the house adjourn to 2:30 p. m. in hour of the noble pioneers. Upon reassembling an attempt to take up the telephone bill was defeated. A bill was passed requiring a bank director to be the owner of at least \$1,500 in shares of the stock of the bank. The stock yards bill was in session Saturday and hardly a only was in session Saturday and hardly a

yards one was made special order for any a. Springfield, I.ls., April 22.—The house only was in session Saturday and hardly a quorum was present. About the only business of general interest done was the advancement to third reading of the bill that all property shall hereafter be appraised at one-third its actual cash value for taxation nurposes.

purposes.

Springfield, Ills., April 23.—There was less than a quorum of members of the house present yesterday. An envitation from Chicago to send a representation to the Washington centennial in that city was read. The bill to provide for the safety of coal miners was sent to third reading, as was the bill requiring children between 8 and 16 to attend school at least sixteen weeks each year. The senate only had fourteen members present, and did no business of particular interest.

SPRINGFIELD, Ills., April 24.—The invita-tion from Chicago to the legislature to take part in the centennial celebration of Washaton from Chicago to the legislature to take part in the centennial celebration of Washington's inauguration there April 30 was accepted by the senate yesterday. The Kentucky legislature having repealed an act for the erection of a bridge across the Ohio at Paducah, in retaliation a bill rescinding the right to erect a bridge across the same river at Metropolis was passed. The bill requirintee effects of alcohol on the human can to be taught in the public schools was ordered to wird reading, as was the bill prediction to be publication in newspers of the fact of a lucky strike in a lotter; also the bill requiring street car companies to soil twenty-five rides for \$1. The house passed the bill appropriating money for the Southern National University at Carbondale; the bill amending the habitual criminal act; the employment inspection bill, but a motion to reconsider was entered. The bill repealing the Cole's boyott law was ordered to third reading, with several others.

The Boy Veiled "Fire."

NEWARK, N. N., April 22.—While Easter services were in progress at the Hill Street M. E. church Sunday night, a large congregation being present, a boy causing a panic among the worstippers. The pastor and ushers with much difficulty convinced the people that there was no fire, and order was restored. One woman was injured in the crush. The boy was arrested.

Sir Julian Pauncefote Arrives fote, the new British minister to the United lote, the new British minister to the United States, came over on the steamship Etruria, which arrived Sunday morning, and spent the day at the Windsor hotel. He started Monday morning for Washington. He was accompanied by his secretary, Hugo Ames, and Charles J. Edwards, British charge d'affaires. The new ambasador is about 60 years of age and has an extensive diplomatic experience, having been intrusted with several important missions by his government.

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Death of the Hon. John C. Park.
Bosros, April 22.—The Hon. John C.
Park, a notable whig orator of forty or
fifty years ago died at Newton Sunday night
aged nearly 83. He was a graduate of Harvard and a member of the Suffolk bar. At
the dinner tendered Charles Dickens in Boston in 1842 Mr. Park's speeches touched Mr.
Dickens so that he requested an introduction
to the orator.

Four People Drowned.
St. Louis, Mo., April 20.—As Mrs. A. H.
Lucas, of Carthage, Mo., accompanied by her
two daughters and a hired man, were attempting a ford a swollen creek two miles below that city in a wagon Friday evening, the rushing waters carried the whole outfit down the traging stream and all the people, as well as the horse, were drawned. None of the bodies had been recovered at last accounts. CASTORIA. TATUL WITTER

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lobby—Yes, but ma won't let me eat hot
read. Grandma (testing the hai's moral
trength)—She won't know anything about
b, Bobby. Bobby—All right, grandma; just
ive me a piece, please.—Harper's Bazar.



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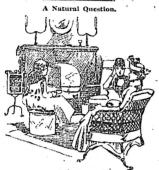
The Lopulation of sullivan Is about 2,000, and we would say at least one half are troubled with some

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It is safe to say that a man would not be permitted to hold his seat six weeks

in the American senate or house who would do on a single occasion what sev eral peers of the British have been doing habitually for years. Yet these scandal ous lordlings have a birthright life seat in the highest legislative chamber of

Great Britain.
There is Lord Mandeville, who has just taken refuge in the bankruptcy court His excesses piled up debts to the amount of \$600,000, and he pleaded guilty to obtaining money on false pretenses besides There, too, is that lovely specimen of British nobility, Lord Ailesbury. He is a debauchee, a swindler and a cheater at cards. His wife was a music hall singer. She and her blue blooded husband their nights with drinking orgies before which the reveiries of old Rome pale There are others not very much more dainty in their morals than these all can still vote on national questions in the house of lords.

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FOR LEAVE TO SELL REAL ESTATE.

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State of Illinois, County of Monkite, ss. In
Circuit Court. April tem 1889.

In the matter of the petition of Thomas
Storling, guardian of Cloyd D. Sterling, a minor, for leave to sell real estate of ward.

Notice is hereby kiven to all persons conecrued that the undersigned Thomas Storling
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MISCELLANEOUS

THE salaries of the examining sur geons in the pension service amount to \$1,000,000 a year.

OKLAHOMA will have one distinction, that of being settled up the quickest of any territory in the union.

The wholesale grocers of Indianapo-lis, Ind., have formed a company with a capital of \$100,000, to compete with Arbuckte and other monopolists in the coffee and spice lines.

GOVERNOR PALMER is not talking of going to Oklahoma, that we hear of, He has his eyes set on an Illinois boom that he thinks is coming this way. Poor old man, he will drop in the soup,

A good local option law, passed by this General Assembly, would be hailed by the people as a step in the right di-rection, and a long step. If the mem-pers would listen to the people, instead of the politicians, they would pass it.

ROBERT T. LINCOLN will probably leave for England in about thirty days. The new Minister and his wife will be accompanied by their daughter, Miss Mary, a charming young lady, who made her debut in society last season.

THE perpetual, tremendous and truly awful surprise which certain demo-cratic journals profess to feel at their discovery of the fact that Gen. Benja-min Harrison is, in the fullest sense of the term, president of the United States, is about the most funny thing in the politics of the day. politics of the day.

DEAF mutes in the United Staves have increased five-fold in the last forty years, while the population of the country has only doubled. It is owing to the inter-marriage of deaf mutes. Such marriages were unknown before the present system of education was introduced among this class of unfortunates. luced among this class of unfortunates. PROBABLY not one in a thousand re-

rights. And then in a thousand re-nlizes the fact that, next to England, little Holland, whose king is at present at death's door, is the greatest colonial power in the world. The Dutch colo-nies have an area of nearly 800,000 square miles, which includes some of the finest colonial possessions in the world. An extremely malignant and mysterious disease resembling in some respects scarlet fever has broken out in the country a show distance east of Lincoln. So far some dozen cases have been reported, all proving fatal. The disease usually runs its course within thirty-six hours, and so far has been confined to children. The doctors are possible and do not know what to make

puzzled and do not know what to make of the new disease. THE Chief of the Bureau of Ordance says that the United States is building guns, one of which will weigh 115 tons, and will throw a projectile weighing one ton ten miles. It will outrank any gun in the world! The cost of each gun will be \$50,000, and it will take a year to build it. It will be charged with half a ton of powder every time it is fired. So it appears that something is being done for this country, and if other powers will wait a year or two we can meet them in war.

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EX-PRESIDENT CLEVELAND has declined the office offered him as an appraisor of real estate in New York City, where some land was to be condemned for bridge purposes. His reason for declining to act is that he "is not a judge of the value of real estate in New York City," and it is a wise reason. As a rule, Mr. Cleveland generally had a great deal more common sense than the toadies that surrounded him, and if he had taken his own counsel instead of theirs he might not now have been "in the turcen."

ONE curious feature in the pictures of the presidents from Washington down, shows that all of the republican presishows that all of the republican presidents were beards or approaching to it, while the other presidents were in the main without them. Johnson did not wear a beard, but he apostasized, and was-in truth a democratic president. Lincoln shaved around his mouth only, and Arthur about his chin. Grant, Hayes and Garfield wore and Harrison. Lincoln shaved around his mouth only, and Arthur about his chin. Grant, Hayes and Garlicid wore, and Harrison wears, full beards. Of the other presidents, Cloveland had simply a mustache, and John Quiney Adams and Martin Van Buren side whiskers. The faces of the others show up perfectly smooth. As pictures of the presidents will be numerous about Apr. 80, it will be well to notice this feature.

A Strange Death in India

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A curious cause of death has recently been recorded in India. A native who was lishing in a stream caught a flat, cellike fish from fifteen to sixteen inches in length. Being desirous of killing it, he promptly, but with a lack of judgment and questionable taste, put it into his mouth in order to bite off its head. The mouth in order to bite off its head. The fish, however, scarcely appreciating this somewhat clumsy attempt at decapitation, vigorously essayed to make other arrangements, in which it was partly successful. Gifted with a sliminess which made it very difficult to hold, it slipped through the man's fingers into his mouth and conveyed itself partly down his gullet. The situation now was bad for the fish, but still worse for the man, for owing to the sharp fins on the back of the fish it was not possible to withdraw it. The man died in great agony within an hour. agony within an hour.

. WESTERN ENTERPRISE

Trials of Would be Journalists.

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The natural course of municipal development on the frontier runs about like this: First, a wagon-load of stakes to mark out city lots; second, a barried of whisky in a tent, with a home-made board sign solemnly asseverating that it is a saloon; and third, a newspaper. Getting out a newspaper in a new country with only one advertisement in it, calling on a population which has not yet arrived to subscribe, is dreary work. I have been there and know. There isn't as much blowing about the circulation as there is in Chicago on a dull day, and the best that can be done is to claim the entire population of the county and show paper bills of two quires per week to prove it. Nevertheless there is going to be just as much competition for newspaper locations as there will be for good claims if yesterday's dispatches correctly forecast the situation. I know it to be a fact that in cases like this getting out a paper early is something to sit up nights for. I once took a hand in an affair of this sort and learned a great deal about the cash value of time. A town-site company had cases like this getting out a paper early is something to sit up nights for. I once took a hand in an affair of this sort and learned a great deal about the cash value of time. A town-site company had offered a bonus of \$1,000 to the first paper that should be entirely printed and published on the ground. My partner and 1 had an insatiable thirst for bonuses and we determined to get out the first paper at any cost not to exceed the thousand. It took but a very few hours to get out at "The End of the Track" which was the only name the place had, with an army press, a grip-sack full of type, some miscellany "slabs," and two bosoms surcharged with the spirit of Ben Franklin. We were to start for the prospective town, twelve miles in advance of the railroad, bright and early the next morning, so we loaded the plant on a wagon ready for a break o' day start. 'We were shocked but not dismayed to discover another wagon loaded with a similar plant. By a few discreet inquiries we learned that another party was working on our plan of campaign, but we could do nothing but hustle, as we had neglected to copyright the scheme. My partner, who was a very knowing young man and had traveled some, fixed up a method of action which was simply masterly. We were to get up about midnight, steal away, get on the ground before daybreak, set up a stick full of matter for the personal column announcing our arrival, and nail that \$1,000. We were all stopping at the same hotel, and it so happened that our rivals occupied the next room, a calico partition only separating us. We heard them go to sleep and heard them more than ever after they were asleep.

My pardner to make assurance double sure, had sneaked out as soon

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My pardner to make assurance double sure, had sneaked out as soon as it was dark and abstracted the can of printer's ink belonging to our hated competitors, and gave it into the carry of the hotel clerk, with instructions to keep it until called for by the owners and charge them a dollar for storage. We rose about 12 o'slock, left our rivals shoring the snore of the innocent, and quietly got out of the camp. That ride although over an unknown trail and in the darkest hours of night, was one of the happiest of my life. I haughed and sung until the driver stopped me, on account of the miles, he said. They were tough but they could not stand everything. About dawn we approached the future great. A man came out and stood on the brow of a hill just as the morning spin appeared over the horizon, obviously to welcome the harbingers of a higher civilization. He had something white in his hands and he waved it in the faces of our mules with this remark, "Here's yer Weekly Coyote, 10 cents! First issue just out. All the latest news about Inflationville." My parduer and I fell off the wagon by innanimous consent. We were beatten. It was one of the more we supposed we had left snoring at the end of the track. The low-down deceivers had hired a fulgar person to do their contemptible snoring at the end of the track. The low-down deceivers had hired a fulgar person to do their contemptible snoring at the end of the track. The low-down deceivers had hired a fulgar person to do their contemptible snoring at the end of the track. The low-down deceivers had hired a fulgar person to do their contemptible snoring at the end of the snoring at the end of the track. The low-down deceivers had hired a fulgar person to do their contemptible snoring at the end of the snorin

The Compulsory Educational Bill.

and also that recommended by the Chicago board of education and prominent citizens. It requires every person having under his control a child between the ages of seven and fourteen years to annually cause such child to attend at least sixteen weeks, eight weeks of which attendance shall be consecutive, some public day school in the city, town or district in which he resides, which time shall commence with the beginning of the school year, or as soon thereafter as due notice shall be served upon the person having such control of thereafter as due notice shall be served upon the person having such control of his duty under this act. For every neglect of such duty the person offending shall forfeit to the use of the public schools of such city or district a sum not less than \$1 nor more than \$20, and shall stand committed until such fine and costs of suit are paid. But if the person so neglecting shall show to the

satisfaction of the board of education or of directors that such child has attended for a like period of time a private school approved by the board of education or directors of the city, fown or district in which such child resides, or that instruction has otherwise been given for a like period of time to such a child in the branches commonly taught in the public school, or that such child has already acquired the branches of learning taught in the public school, or that physical or mental condition, as declared by a competent physician, is such as to render such attendance inexpedient and impracticable then such penalty shall not be incurred. Such fine shall be paid, when collected, to the school treasurer of such city or township, to be accounted for by him as other school money raised for school purposes. Provision is made for the appointment of truant officers who are to be paid by the Board of Education and prosecutions under the law are to be instituted in the name of the people. These officers can also arrest children of a school age who habitually haunt public places and have no lawful occurs, institutes of the peace and judges of the county court have jurisdiction.

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In a big short-hand and type-writing school in one of the sky-scraping office buildings down town, has sat for several months past one of the prettiest, daintiest, sweetest typewriters that ever frowned when she spelled a word wrong. She was one of the best operators in the school, A visitor the other day observed that the little stool upon which she sat was vacant and that her machine was covered. The matronly, brown-eyed, genite little woman who owns the school smiled when she was asked about the pretty girl typewriter. "I didn't expect to keep her long," she said. "She came to me a year ago to learn the business, and her mother who wore diamonds, came with her, half apoligizing for the daughters whim. The two of them wore gowns that turned the heads of the whole school, and they looked as if they had lots of money. It turned out, after I became intimale with the girl, that she was engaged to a law student, a poor young follow, and they wanted to marry as soon as he had been admitted to the bar. Her mother had frowned on the affair and her father had swore and said it could never be. So what does my little lady do but get permission, without assigning any reason for the whim, to learn short-hand and type-writing. You see she thought if she learned these two things that she could marry and support the two of them until her husband got clients and fees enough to do it. Well, the other day, the household powers that be to the contrary notwithstanding, they went quietly over to Covington and were married by an accommodating "Squire. Now they've gore away on a little tour, and before she went she told me that she would be ready to go to work when they got back. She will be able to make \$10 or \$15 a week, which will be a help to them, but I fancy her her husband won't have her working long, for he's very bright and what is called a 'hastler.' I wish them luck.'' There are romances in every-day life that don't alwa

grand-fathers as possible.

The compulsory educational bill compelling the attendance at school of persons between the ages of seven and fourteen years has passed the senate. It was introduced by Senator Berry and contains the principal features of the bill drafted by Superintendent Edwards and also that recommended by the Chicago based of education and prominent, which we have been supported by the Chicago based of education and prominent whiskey occasionally and uses tobacco A Printer Who Has Never Eaten Meat. In the town of Franklin, Ind., lives E. B. Head, a printer, aged 72 years, hale and hearty, who has never eaten meat, beans, peas, onions, radishes or lettuce, or tasted coffee. He subsists on corn mush three meals a day; drinks whiskey occasionally and uses tobacco constantly. He is a son of the Rey. Jesse Head, of Kentucky, who performed the marriage ceremony for Thomas Lincoln and Naucy Hanks, parents of Abe Lincoln, and his "string" measures 10,000 "ems" per day. day.

An Orphan.

"What-is an orphan?" asked the teacher of the class in definitions. Nobody seemed to know. "Well I am an orphan," said the teacher, seeking an illustration that would not reveal too much.

At this a hand popped up, and the owner of it exclaimed, "An orphan is a woman that wants to get married and can't."

Advertise in the News.

FRIDAY, APRIL 26 1889.

CITY CHAT.

Circuit court next week.

Jake Miller is now a full-fledged "city

Sam B. Hall went to Decatur last Tuesday.

The Rev, E. L. Prather visited Beth any Tuesday.

W. S. Harris transacted business in Shelbyville Wednesday.

The Hon. J. H. Hamlin was in the city the first of the week.

Teacher's Institute will convene at 1 o 'clock p. m. Saturday.

Try one loaf of the Decatur Patent Bread at Haydon Bros. 13tf

J. W. Wood contemplates a trip to Oklahoma in the near future.

A fine sugar syrup at Spitler's. Try is and be convinced of the truth. 20-3 Miss Dora Langhton and mother, of Bethany, visited in the city Tuesday.

E. Hall, of Decatur, came over last Wednesday to spend a few days with Sullivan friends.

Horse-traders have been in clover dur-ing the past few days, and lots of "swaps" have been made.

P. P. Francis, a prominent hardware dealer of Mattoon was in the city Wed-Much corn has been planted, the sea-son being fully three weeks earlier than

By an act of the last Congress the 30th of April is declared to be a national holiday. The Johnson Bros., of Cook's Mill, have moved their saw-mill outfit to Allenville.

The Rev. J. L. Pinkerton, of Decatur will hold services at the Christian church next Sunday,

B. F. Sentel & Son will hereafter close their meat market on Sundays at 9:30 a. m. 20-21

Charles Theaker, who is quite well known here was recently elected city attorney of Charleston.

Songer's Jewelry house has received a fine line of new Jewelry and Clocks. Call and see them. 13tf

A young news boy made his appearance at the home of the Editor of the Progress last Friday night.

Teeth extracted and new ones made at E. M. Scott's dental rooms. East side, over Brosam Bros. 22tf

J. R. Pogue was confined to the house the first of the week, being afflicted with a severe case of tonsilitis.

Mr. and Mrs. G. M. Stivers are the proud possessors of a young druggist who arrived last Wednesday.

When you are in need of lime call on L. T. Hagerman. He has just received a car load of superior quality. tf

W. A. Trower, editor of the Shelby-ville Leader, has been appointed mas-ter in chancery of Shelby county.

Two gallons of sugar syrup in each pail at Spitler's. If found short in measure, the money will be refunded.

J. C. Riggin, who has held the post office at Lovington, for a few weeks has been superseded by John Williams.

James A. Livers came up from Hot Springs, Ark., last Tuesday, to spend a few days with his business and friends.

The entire Wabash system of railways lying east of the Mississippi river is to be sold at Master's sale in Chicago on May 15th.

All pay locals, where time is not spec-ified when put in, will be continued until ordered out, and charged for ac-cordingly. tf

The ladies of the Christain church

rooms over his mest market, having rented his dwelling to Dr. Ozee, of Coles, who will move here next week.

'Squire Twaddell, of Lake City, was shaking hands with his numerous friends here last Wednesday. He bears his newly acquired honors with becoming the instruction of George burn as the lirst President of States.—By Order of Com.

Dr. Trowbridge has moved his dental office to south side over the shoe store. Best teeth \$10 per set. Satisfaction guaranteed. Office open overy day except Thursdays and Fridays. 18tf

The Lovington Record's correspondent from this city has had a serious re-lapse, but by the prompt applications of the proper restoratives he will probably be able to pull through—to Oklahoma.

Miss Roberca Claney, who has been west for the partsix months, will arrive in Sullivan tomorrow, and if a sufficent number of pupils can be secured, will teach a kindergarten school here this

James A. Livers reports that Dr. A. U. Williams, formerly a resident of Sullivan, is building a \$10,000 residence in Hot Springs, Ark., and that the furniture and furnishings will add \$5,000 research to the cost more to the cost.

During his lifetime Gen. Washing-ton was first in war, first in peace, and now, at the close of a hundred years, judging from the prices charged for privileges in New York, he will be first in the pockets of his countrymen.

The directors of the Moultrie county board of agriculture met at the Edea House last Friday, for the purpose of revising the premium list. A few need-ed changes were made. The fair will be held the first week in September.

The committee to whom is intrusted the charge of making the necessary ar-rangements for the Centen dal Celebra-tion next Tuesday, have nearly perfected their plans and the outlook is favorable for a good demonstration.

In response to an invitation Mrs. Carrie Smyser and Miss Claudia Bushman visited Edon todge, Daughters of Rebekah, at Windsor. Tuesday evening, and assisted the degree staff in the intilatory ceremonies. They were the guests of Mrs. Baldwin while in the city.

The delicious flavor and aroma of Vermont maple sugar is not equaled by the sugar product of any other state in the Union, and it justly has a worldwide reputation as a table luxury. These goods which were shipped direct from Vermont can be found at Spitler's. 18tf

For some time past the trustees of the M. E. church have been in doubt as to the advisability of attempting to build a new church this season, but upon mature deliberation it has finally been determined to build and the work will soon be under way on the site of the present structure. present structure.

Prof. H. F. Baker has been elected county superintendent of schools at Bellevue, Idaho. He is still principal of the Bellevue public schools but will visit Illinois friends when the spring term closes, teaching a month in the normal institute in Moultrie county in July.—Mattoon Journal.

The dissatisfaction in regard to the action of the city council in refusing to count the ballots cast at the late city election has apparantly, subsided and there seems to be no prospect of a contest, which if instituted would, at the most, probably only result in a tie be tween two of the aldermen.

The town board of Dora township re cently met for the purpose of appointing an assessor and collector, the office having become vacant by reason of the newly elected officials failing to qualify. After an all-day's session the board were unable to agree and in consequence the former officials will hold over.

The various societies, organizations and public schools throughout the county are earnestly requested to make the necessary arrangements to meet in this city Tuesday Apr. 30th for the purpose of taking part in the exercises commemorating the first centennial day of the Inauguration of George Washington as the first President of the United States.—Hy Oppen or Cour.

G. M. Stivers has purchased the Dunlap property, which will still be occupied however by Mr. Jennings, Mr Stivers prefering his present location on the south side.

The agitation of "1-cept letter postage" has been again inaugurated; but the public is far more interested in having its letters get, there with 2 cents. Postage is cheap enough for letters. Certainty and speed are the things de-

before the year is out.

For the past two years the editor of the Mattoon Gazette has devoted a large share of his time to the writing of local notes and editorials on the evils of alnotes and editorials on the evils of allowing dows to run at large in that city and be accorded the blissful privilege of cropping the young and tender sweet-scented dog fennel for which Mattoon is so famous. But his fondest hopes are blasted and his ditto cow, by and with the consent and advice of a majority of 400 votes, is given the freedom of the city. Surcease for your sorrow, Mr. Peck, may be found in emigration.

Quite a breeze of excitement was created here last Saturday over the election of a school director for the ensuing year, an effort being made to elect a director not in sympathy with the course pursued by the present management of the school, one who would anticoate a change of teachers in some of the grades. There may be some little feeling in that direction, yet from the yote it appears that a large major. the reemby a that direction, yet from the vote it appears that a large majority are well satisfied and in fact many think we have the best school ever conducted in this city. Hence the result was to re-elect Charles Shuman the outgoing director by a majority of 27 over the consistion the opposition.

Our public schools celebrated Arbon Day in an apprepriate manner by holding special exercises and planting flowers, shrubs and trees about the school house grounds. Names were assigned to some of the trees, one bearing the name of Washington another Lincoln and still arother Longfellow. name of Washington another Lincoln and still another Longfellow. This day has come to be very generally observed throughout the country, and while the selections may not soon attain sufficient size to materially benefit those by whose hands they were planted, in after years they will be a constant reminder of the thoughts and labors of those who are with us no more.

A cup and saucer, the only remains of a china service which was once the property of Martha Washington, is still shown to visitors at the Smithsonian In-stitution. It was originally made to order forthe French officers who fought under our flag during the regulations. order for the French officers who fought under our flag during the revolutionary war, and who subsequently presented it to the leading lady of that time. It numbered 180 plecos, The ware was the finest then made in France, and the predominating colors were green and blue, the latter being the edging. Links of green rau around the inner borders of the plates, within the links being the names of the States the members of the Union. In the center were the initials "M. W." and the Latin motto, Decus tutomen ab Illo, The cost of the set was about \$1.000.

ercises, Program, List of Speakers, Etc.

The day will be ushered in by the ringing of bells and firing a salute of one hundred guns. Procession consisting of the various G. A. R. posts, Sons of Veterans, Military companies and other orders; also the pupils of the various schools, and all citizen are invited to march in the procession which will form at 10:30 and march through the principal streets. Returning to the will form at 10:30 and march through
the principal streets. Returning to the
square when at 10 clock the first inaugural address delivered by Washington
will be read, after which the orations of
the day will be delivered, by the Hon.
H. J. Hamlin, Hon. Horace Clark,
Hon. J. J. Springer, W.-G. Cochran,
J.-R. Eden and the Rev E. L. Prather.
Chief Marshal, M. M. McDonald;
Assistant T. F. Harris;

The following resolutions were passed by the Sullivan lodge A. F. and A. M. at the last regular meeting April 10th: WHEREAS, It has pleased the Almighty to call our worthy brother, Dr. Brewster H. Por-ter, from his labors on earth to eternal re-freshment in the Paradise of God, and treshment in the Paradiso of God, and Whriteab. He was, for many years, an honored brother, faithful to every trust, prompt in his attendance upon every summons, and over ready to enforce, by procept of Free Masoury, and

therefore be it.

RESOLVED. That a page be set apart in the records of this lodge, as a token of respect to our departed brother, whom we hope to meet again to the partial state of the same and the sa

manded by the people. It will be time enough for reduced postago when these desirable things have been achieved.

On our third page to day will be found a striking and instructive illustration of the comparative worth of the various kinds of baking powders now in the market.

We now have in our stock of lumber, which we will be pleased to show to any one wanting lumber. Our prices will be reasonable. Yard at Planing Mill.

L. T. Hagerman. '21f'

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J. L. Thayer started Tuesday for Hot Springs Ark. He has been troubled with rheumatism for some time and proposes to test the curative properties of those celebrated springs.

Sastar Services.

Easter services were observed by two of the churches in this city, the M. E. Court will 'reduced Viii has promised to adjourn at noon in order this. these that the actual that time, but 'dage Viii has promised to adjourn at noon in order this. these to adjourn at noon in order this. these appropriate exercis. Impropriate manner. The Sunday schools to appropriate exercis. Impropriate manner. The Sunday schools to appropriate manner. The Sunday schools to appropriate manner. The Sunday schools to appropriate manner. The Sunday schools that the fact that "thirty years ago there was a great thirty years ag they too, were happy and fully appreciated the part they were expected to take in the songs of praise. The decorations were arranged under the directions of the young ladies comprising Mrs. M. Steele's class, and the arrangements showed that the members understood fall well the effect of harmonious blend-ing of colors. A large congregation was present at the morning service and a very inforesting service. was present at the pointing service and a very interesting sermon was preached by the Rev. J. W. Horner, pastor of the church. In the evening the Sunday schools gave an Easter concert which was very much enjoyed by the large audience. The programme consisted of choruses, solos, quartets, recitations, etc by members of the school and every place was well sendayed. The switching etc by members of the school and every plece was well rendered. The recitation by Miss Ewing and the quartet by Misses Jennings and Hesket and Mossrs. Feronson and Ashworth, and the solo by Mrs. J. W. Horner, deserve special mention. This society, as is well known, never does things by halves and the exercises last Sabbath added another tribute to their ability to produce interesting and Instructive religious exercises.

The Christian church being without a pastor no special morning services were held. Elegant Easter cards, however, were served to each member of the Sunday school. The floral decorations at this church, while not so profuse as at the M. E. were fully as beautiful and the arrangement equally as artistic. On the wall just back of the pulpit in bright, spotless letters appeared the words "Onrist is Risen." while at either side were beautiful flowers and rich ferns all so harmoniously arranged as to produce an effect not soon to be forgotten by those who were fortunate enough to be present. The program consisted of recitations, songs and responsive readings, and too much praise could scarcely be given the little folks for the manner in which their parts were rondered. Following each recitation came vocal music specially adapted to commemorate the event of which Easter services are expressive. These special scrivices impress not only the young people, but also the older ones and all are made to feel better and happier for the part they have taken in them. ious exercises.

The Christian church being without a

The Rev. J. B. Rohno's Lecture.

The lecture at the opera house last The lecture at the opera house last Wednesday night, although well advertised, did not draw a very large audience, yet judging from the close attention accorded the speaker, those present felt that they were amply repaid. In the opening the lecturer spoke of the various forms or papes and under which the ancients were accustomed to view his satency majest. his satanic majesty. He took up suc-essively the business man, the doctor, the lawyer, and lastly the minister, cit-ing examples to prove his statements that they were all more or less hypo-critical.

critical.

He paid a glowing tribute to woman and in scathing language criticised the contemped her even for one false step, while man could go on sinning from day to day and yet society would open its arms to receive him. He said, "If all the devils of this world were boiled down the result would be hypocracy and the best weapon with which to fight it is modern heroism." His eloquence was at times sublime and in some of his our critical. weapon with which to fight it is modern heroism." His eloquence was at times sublime and in some of his outbursts of oratory, so enchanted were the audience that they listened as if spell-bound, and then again his rapid decent to the ridiculous would provoke unfelgued mirth. He commanded the closest attention throughout, and as an orator he is eloquent and at times sensational.

ands a supply of these goods which were shipped direct from Vermont. 1817.

Mr. J. F. Moore, general agent of the Westfield college, recently made a bid college, recently made a bid field college, recently made a bid field college, recently made a bid separate of the Westfield college, recently made a bid separate of the Westfield college, recently made a bid separate of the Westfield college, recently made a bid separate of the Westfield college, recently made a bid separate of the Westfield college, recently made a bid separate of the Westfield college, recently made a bid separate of the Westfield college, recently made a bid separate of the Westfield college, recently made a bid separate of the Westfield college, recently made a bid separate of the Westfield college, recently made a bid separate of the Westfield college, recently made a bid separate of the Westfield college, recently made a bid separate of the Westfield college, recently made a bid separate of the Westfield college, recently made a bid separate of the Westfield college, recently made a bid separate of the Westfield college, recently made a bid separate of the Westfield college, recently made a bid separate of the Westfield college, recently made a bid separate of the Mouth of the separate of the Mouth

Grant as a soldier, by Col. T.

Gen. Grant as a statesman, by Mrs F. Miller. The G. A. R., responses by Col. E.

The Women's Relief Corps, Mrs, Inez Bonder.
The Sous of Veteraus—Emmett Orns-

by.
Music will be furnished by the Women's Relief Glee club, led by Miss Pearl Pinkard, the sweet singer and daughter of the regiment.

To New York and Retur

Centennial Celebration, President Geo. Washingthn's Inauguration, Apr. 29th and 30th, 1889. The Wabash Railway will sell excur-

sion tickets from all stations to New York and return, at a rate of about

ONE FARE FOR THE ROUND TRIP. These tickets will be placed on sale April 26th and 28th, and will be good for return journey on all trains leaving New York up to and including Monday. May 6th.

The Wabash is the only line with

through sleeping cars by way of Niag-ara Falls.

For Tickets and full information, ap-ly to local agents Wabash Railway.

Marriage Licenses. The following marriage licenses have been issued since our last report:

NAME. James Sturgen Sarah Betts...... W. T. Cole..... Mrs. Carrie Judy.....

A Confiding Wife Gives Her Husband a Genuine Surprise.

"I had not intended to tell you, Billiger," said the young wife of Mr. McSwat, "but I can't keep a secret any longer."

"Is it possible, Lobelia," exclaimed Billiger, incredulously, "that you have been able to keep a secret at all?"

"It is. And you would never guess it, either."

"Been making me a dressing gown or an embroidered night cap?"

"No."

"No."
"You haven't been running up a bill at Spotcash & Co.'s!" he inquired, with a suspicious look and a cold feeling in the region of his spine.
"Guess again."
"Been talding lessons at a cooking school?" he asked, paling visibly.
"No. Guess again."
A clammy perspiration broke out all over him and he leaned against the mantel for support as he gasped:

port as he gasped:
"Lobelia, is Aunt Jubilee coming to spend the summer with us?"
The young wife laughed gleefully.
"No," she quswered. "You'll have to try again, Billiger."

"No," she gaswered. "You'll have to try again, Billiger."
"Toll me what it is," he said, with returning self command. "I feel as if I could stand any disclosure now."
"I think you're real mean, Billiger, but I will tell you. A little poem of mine is going to be published in the next Century Magazing."

(This is the time honored way in which a long, low whistle of astonishment has always been represented in print by the most successful wrestlers with the language, from the Old Masters down to H. Rider Haggard. The reader, therefore, will kindly understand that Mr. Billiger McSwat gave utterance to a long, low whistle.)

"In the days of our courtship, Lobelia," he continued, staring hard at the ceiling, "you never told me you wrote poetry. I didn't know you were addicted to it, or"——
"Or what?" she demanded, with some asperity.

(This is the time honored way in which a

perity.
"Nothing—nothing!" he exclaimed, hastily.

"And so you are to have a contribution in the next Century! How much is the editor to pay you for it, Lobeliaf"
"I don't know. I haven't heard from him

Then how do you know he is going to "How do I know! Because he hasn't re-turned it. I sent it to him nearly two weeks

ago."
"O! You did! You inclosed stamps for re-

"OI You did! You inclosed stamps for return postage, of course?"

"Wby, no, Billiger. I never thought of that. Is it customary?"

"Er—no! That is, not always," replied the young husband, mastering his emotion by a desperate effort. "It probably wasn't necessary in the case of your poens, Lobella. And you have saved at least two cents?"

Mrs. McSwat was not exactly sure whether he was in earnest or not. She looked at him with some suspicion, but his countenance wore that look of unearthly gravity and innocence that may sometimes be seen on the face of a boy at school just after he had rolled a double handful of bird shot over the floor.

"Lobelia," he said, after a pause, "you haven't spoken of this—this poem of yours that is—er—ah—going to be printed next month to anyhody else besides me, have your?" "No."

"Then don't do it, Lobella," he said, "If

that is—cr—an—going to be printed next month to anybody else besides me, have your" "No."

"Then don't do it, Lobella," he said. "If you can manage to hold in till the poem is printed, which"— and Billiger held his handkerchief to his face and coughed convulsively in it for a few moments—"which will be only two weeks longer, you know it will be all the greater surprise to everybody. And when that poem is printed in the magazine, my dear, 'Ill make you a present of a pair of diamond earrings."

The trusting young wife pillowed her head on his bosom in an ecstasy of gratitude, and as Billiger McSwat smoothed her golden hair and murmured in her ear soft assurances of his willingness to bankrupt himself, if necessary, in order to give her costly presents as a token of his pride and admiration—as soon as the poem appeared—he could feel himself growing meaner, and smaller, and more despicable every moment.

O young wives! Be warned in time. When temptations to write poetry for the magazines assail your souls do not yield. Resist them. It is a terrible thing to do anything that causes young husbands to feel themselves growing smaller than they are already!—Extract from "Frightful Warnings of History," from the French of Dennis Mulcahy.—Chicago Tribune.

A Green Lot.

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Among the personal effects of a fakir arrested the other day on complaint of a hotel for non-payment of board was a wheel of fortune, and while detectives were examining this with a great deal of curiosity one of them found a hidden spring which was worked by pressing a button.

"What is this for?" he innocently asked.

"To stop the wheel at any desired point," was the answer.

"To stop the wheel at any desired point,"
was the answer,
"But why should you desire to stop it at
any certain point?"
"Why should II Suppose that a John
Henry has laid his dollar on the figure?.
The pointer stops at that figure and he wins."
"But do you stop it there?"
"Certainly."
"Certainly."

Of course,"

"No, of course you don't, but I do. Next time there are from four to eight John Henrys with their dollars at '7,' and the pointer stops at 8. Sorry for you, gentlemen, but if you haven't traveled it's not my fault."—Detroit Free Press.

Easily Remedied.

Jackson (colored)—Hain't yo' nober read dat in all de railroad accidents de reah ca' am allus de one dat am smashed up de wist!

Sawbones—Den why doan' day leabe de reah on' off de trahit—Fhiladelphia Press.

DRY GOODS, CARPETS.ETC.

GEO. N. BUCK.

MATTOON, ILL.

We are very proud of our

Sullivan and Moultrie county trade, and are very anxious to increase our business with you. We have enlarged our room, increased our stock and our facilties for doing business in every way. We have doubled our trade in the past year which enables us to buy goods in large quantities, buy them cheaper and place them before our customers at prices lower than competitors doing a smaller business can or will sell them. It is to the customers advantage to buy his goods where he can buy them the cheapest and he makes no mistake if he buys them at the house doing the BIG BUSINESS. The merchant selling large quantities of goods can always give you the latest styles, can give big assortments to make your selections from, and you know if he was not giving you the BEST BRANDS at the LOWEST PRICES he would not be doing the BIG BUSINESS. The masses go where they can do the best both in qualities and assortment, and where they can get the biggest Dollar's worth of goods for their money.

CARPETS.

We'll make you lower prices on Carpets than any house in the state and will show you the largest stock of carpets in the state to select from outside of Chicago. We are showing 125 different patterns of all-wool Extra Supers at 65c per yard.

We are selling Ingrain Carpet from 15c per yard up. Hemp Carpet at 12½c. Brussels from 50c per yard up.

CURTAINS.

Our line of Lace Curtains and Portiers is simply immense. We'll show you over 100 different patterns in Lace Curtains, from 50c per pair up, to select

SPRING WRAPS. We are showing an elegant line of Ladies' Spring Wraps and Jackets and

Beaded Capes.

DRESS GOODS. You'll not find a larger or handsomer line of Dress Goods in the state to select from. We are at present showing a line of shades that are very scarce. Our line of Dress Trimming in Fancy Silks, Persian Embroideries, etc., is very complete. You'll be no better pleased in any city and in price we'll

save you money.

MUSLINS. We are selling German Lonsdale (green ticket) Muslin at 81c. We are selling the heaviest yard-wide Brown

Muslin at 64c. GINGHAMS.

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Our Mail Order Department is in first-class working order. Parties wanting samples we will take pleasure in sending upon application.

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OIL PAINTINGS.

We have just received 500 more of those beautiful Oil Paintings, 24x36, which we are giving to our customers buying \$25.00 in four months.

GEO.N. BUCK,

Great Homestead Race. OKLAHOMA SWARMS WITH PEOPLE.

Men Ride for a Patch of Earth as if for Their Lives and Lay Out Work for Lawyers.

Conflicting Claims Mark the Pivst Hour of of the Great Invasion. Phirty Thousand Settlers: Arrive by Railvay The Re-markable Scores at Parcell and Guthric -Crush on the Trains Intense Ex eltement While Walting for the Words

GUTHRIE, I.T., April 23.—The gates of Oklahoma were swung open at noon yesterday, and resistless torrents of humanity began to pour over its soil. From the Cherokee strip came the great fleet of prairie schooners across the Canadian; from the Chickasaw nation came troop after troop of sturdy ponies each one carrying a boomer; from the Ara pahoe and Cheyenne reservations on the west, came a yelling mob of horsemen, who volley after volley to celebrate their final victory. The Kiowa of the southwest and the Cherokee and Creek nations on the east, also furnished their contingent of

The Welkin Rang With Cheers

At the starting signal they movel all to-gether, great waves of cheering breaking upon the air. The wagons continued on over the level green plain until they were about half way across the northern tier of claims, and then upward of a hundred of them were brought to a standstall. The others rolled on to the lower tiers. Men, women and chil-

to the lower tiers. Men, women and children poured from the stationary schooners, and in an incredibly short time the foundations for the ploneer homes of Oklahoma had been laid by willing hands.

The Tug of War Begins.

Every farm had more than one claimant, all ready to swear that they crossed the border first, and that their were the first improvements. So it is all over the territory, and especially on the sections adjoining Guthrie and Oklahoma City.

Tens of Thousands by Rall.

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Tens of Thousands by Rail.

Between 20,000 and 20,000 people were umped here yesterday by the Santa Fercad, which ran twenty immense trains from Aransas City. The trains moved across the Elerokee strip cautiously and slowly, and prived here scarcely more than five minutes upart. As they approached the land of promise thousands of heads protruded from windows, and curious eyes feasted on the en panorama that lay before them. There

he windows, and curious eyes feasted on the green panoroma that lay before them. There was much fighting to get out of the ears when the little building which answers for a station was reached. Nobody was hurt, however, and the coaches were soon emptied. Dazed by the Prospect.

It was a curious sight to watch the bonners after they had got fairly on foot. The majority of them seemed to be dazed by the vastness of their surroundings. Many of them cazed stupidly to the north, southeast and west, and then moved ahead like men who were lock. Others started for the hills, and still others bent themselves to the task of raising tents which they brought with them, to open various kinds of business. Those who went for the hills were after claims. Just how well their explorations succeeded is not known, for very few of them have returned. It is safe to say that last night every farm in the territory was in possession of one or more claimants, and that besides there are the order of land. om twenty to thirty thousand more ering aimlessly in search of land.

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Besieging the Land Office.

The rush at the land office here is terrific. The building is surrounded by a mob of howling men, which is being constantly augmented by horsemen who are galloping in from every quarter. Land Agent Dilley and his force of assistants are unable to give attention to a hundredth part of the business that is being forced upon them. The detachment of troopers which has been detailed around the building with a view to keeping the mobin an orderly line, is completely worn out.

A Great Rush Everywhere.

A dispatch from Oklahoma City states that the rush there is even grater than here. Over at Kingfisher or Lisb n, where the crowds brought in on the Ruck Island are gathering, there has been no trouble as yet.

THE BREAK AT PURCELL.

A Metropolis Sunday, a Hamlet Now—The Race Over the Line.

PURCELL, I. T., April 23.—A great change has come over this town. Sunday it was a metropolis. Now it is a hamlet in point of population. The metamorphosis was effected at 12 o'clock yesterday, when several thousand men, women and children crossed the Canadian river and entered upon a wild struggle for homes in the promised land. The scenes connected with this hegira will never be effaced from the memory of those who witnessed them. The sun was not up The metamorphosis was effected

sooner than the average booner yesterday morning. Probably not half the people slept at all during the night. Gasoline lamps flared from sundown to surrise in the two business streets and the ghostly form of prairie schooners could be seen moving toward the ford a r break found scores of men in the saddle, and within an hour the town was as lively as it the stream of wagons pointed from the broken country west and north to the main ford, and when this became blocked hundreds of them when this became blocked hundreds of them were turned to the right, facing the river at every point where fording seemed at all practicable.

"All Aboard for Oklahoma."
When the first train of eight coaches rolled into the station from the south every boomer who had planned to invade Oklahoma by railroad was on hand. A howl of rags went up as the train sped on with trainmen ca overy platform to prevent any one from getting aboard. This train ran a little below the town and halted until the hour set. "All Aboard for Oklahoma. from getting appears. It is a than the below the town and halted until the hour set for its departure into the territory. Soon afterward a special train of twelve coaches appeared, and inside of five minutes it was crowded with over 1,000 people. It randown the switch and stopped until 11:40. The overflow was so great that another train of equal size was brought up, and this also was crowded to the platform in an incredibly short time.

As the train lay on the siding each car was a theater, It seemed as if every man had a plan whereby he could leave the train after it had passed into Oklahoma, and steathly glanding at the bell rope showed that the engineer's gong would sound about the time the train was over the bridge below town.

A Moment of Infense Excitement.

As the supreme moment drew near the ex-

citement increased. Every person who had not arranged to cross had secured an advantageous position off in housetop or the great bluff just north off the town and was foverishly awaiting the rush. Not a few field-glasses were brought into requisition, Oklahoma is visible for miles from any clevation in Purcell, and seems a succession of vation in Purcell, and seems a succession of bequitful valleys, with well timbered ridges between f(t) = (1 + t) + (1 + t). The Signal to Start Given.

At 11:40 o'clock the conductor of the long special train on the siding gave the signal. The engines whistled shrilly and the special tegán its titp Oklahomaward. It seemed a if every man on the train shouted when the

liegan its trip Oklahomaward. It seemed as if every man on the train shouted when the train moved, and a moment later the sound of pistol shots told only too plainly that the Texans were firing, their salute. Gathering speed the train sope ame opposite the ford, and their a furious fusilitals broke, out. It was continued until the train dashed, around the hard preparatory to crossing the bridgs. The suiceoffing twenty "Minutes we're the longest of the why to these on the banks of the river." Lieut. Adair could be seen calmly sitting on his horse in mid-stream, watch in land, and all eyes were centered on him. Suddenly, he was seen to motion to the soldiers near him, and the next moment the cheerful strains of the recall were sounded.

Helter Skelter Over the Line.

In an instant the scene changed. There was a mighty shout and the advance guard of the invading army raced like mad across the sands toward the narrow expanse of water. The north and south winds seemed to strike the water together. In they went, helter skelter, every rider intent on reaching the bank first. There a horse di-appeared into a deep hole, and his rider fell headlong put of the saddle. Before he could arise he was apparently crushed by another animal which had stumbled and fallen. The crowd on hore gave a cry of horror, which specilly hanged to one of joy, for neither man was nut. They struggled to their feet and as he horses broke away and joined the flying tost their owners surged after them with the start to their wnists.

By this time the swiftest ones were over and speeding in the slane of the nearest.

nost their owners surged after them with the water to their waists. By this time the swiftest ones were over and speeding up the slope of the nearest ridge. The head of line of wagons just then emerged from the river bed. At this rate it would not be ten minutes before all were across. The racers took different directions, but most of the wagons went northwest. New Way of Getting the Drop.

A dispatch from Oklahoma City says that at 12 o'clock men seemed to rise out of the ground there, and in an incredibly short time a town site was staked off and lots were placed on the market. These men dropped from Sunday night's train when it slowed up for the station. for the station.

Murdered by Claim Jumpers.

ARKANSAS CITY, Kan., April 23.-A spe cial dispatch has been received here from cial dispatch has been received here from Guthrie, Oklahouna, which says that three men who took claims then Monday were foully murdered about 5 o'clock by claim jumpers. The manes of the assailants and their victims could not be learned. A vigilance committee is now securing the country in search of the miscreants, who, is is said, will be summarily dealt with if caught-Killed on His Claim.

Killed on His Claim.

A man named Compls, with a partner, were staking a claim when they were ordered off by a man who said it belonged to him. Compls refused to vacate, and the stranger shot him ded, mounted a horse and made his escape. The partner still holds the claim.

A Go-as-You-Can Race.

WICHITA, Kan., April 23.—A special dispatch to The Daily Eagle, dated Pond Creek, via Caldwell, Kan., says that 15,000 people participated in the race from there yesterday for a slice of the "promised land." The high water on the Cimarron has subsided and no further trouble is anticipated.

DESTRUCTIVE FOREST FIRES. Great Damage Caused in Portions of Wis

consin.
MILWAUKEE, Wis., April 23.—Destructive fires are raging in the woods north of Clin-tonville, along the line of the Lake Shore road. The timber is dry and the flames spread with great rapidity. The small town of Buckbee was antirely wiped out. Buck-bee is a lumbering town, and a great deal of lumber was stored there. This was entirely lumber was stored there. This was entirely consumed. The loss is estimated at \$100,000. A train of fourteen cars of lumbers and five cars of logs caught fire at Marion and burned loss, about \$75,000. The full loss on the lumber and dwellings at Buckbee and near Marion will amount to nearly \$300,000. There has been but little rain in that section this season, and it is presumed that the fire originated from a spark of a passing loconictive.

Great damage has been done in the vicinity of Bear lake on the Milwaukee, Lake Shore and Wegtern railroad. Passenger trains had some difficulty in passing through the burning district. The vicinity is sparsely settled by homestcaders.

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Heavy forest fires are raging west of Shawano. Many buildings are in danger, as the woods are as dry as tinder, no rain having fallen for two months,
Much damage is being done at points north and south of Autigo, but no loss of life is so far reported. Unless rain is had soon great damage will be done and small towns along the line of the fire destroyed.

Two Children Burned to Death.
Sr. Louis, April 23.—A one-room frame house belonging to Edward Mounts, soven miles south of Marshall, Mo., was destroyed by fire Monday. In it perished two of Mounts little girls, Plasys and Rosa, aged 4 and 7 respectively. Mounts and his wife were out on the farm to do some work and afterward Mounts went to the blacksmiths shop a mila distant, leaving his wife in the field. They had left no one at the house high the children. Brush obstructed the view to the house and the fire had been in progress some time before Mrs. Mounts discovered it. She ran to the house, but arrived too late to rescue the little girls, although she could hear their screams as she approached.

Don't Belloye in Observing Easter.

DETROIT, Mich., April 28.—The Raptist
preachers Monday morning denounced the preachers Monday morning denounced the observance of Easter. The Ravs. Auger and Deland also took a stand against the parade and pomp with which the day is celebrated, and the Rov. W. Titus investigated against the idea of the country being Romanized, Easter, he said, was an invention of the Catholic church. The Rev. Trowbridge compilained that many people go to church on Easter not for worship, but to hear the music and see the display of flowers.

Leaped from the Brooklyn Bridge, Leaped from the Brooklyn Hridge.

New York, April 24.—At 6:30 last evening Patrick Carroll, a shoemaker, aged 26 years, jumped from the Brooklyn bridge into the East river. He was picked hip by a ting and on being brought ashore was arrested, He was taken to a hospital and found to be badly burt, possibly fatally. It was an attempt at suicide.

All the Lost Danmark's People Alive, Save One.

the engineer killed at his post

e Accident Mint Disabled the Vesse —The Engines Break Down and the Pas-sengers and Crow Are Taken Off by the Missouri, Which Throws Her Cargo Overboard to Make Room for the Ship-Wrecked Hundreds—A Brief but Satisfactory Dispatch. **GLESS**

NEW YORK, April 22.—The agents: of the steamer Danmark received the following sablegram from Lisbon yesterday internoon: Passengers and crew of steamship Danmarl landed at the Azores. Three hundred and forty of the passengers are on the steamer Missouri bound for Philadelphia. Rest to follow by the next steamer.'

Excitement in London

London, April 22.—Although there were no English passengers on board the Danmark public interest in the fate of those on board that unfortunate vessel has been intense here. At 7:30 o'clock last evening the afternoon papers got out extras containing special dis-patches announcing the safety of the Danmark's passengers and crew and their sale was enormous. Bulletins were displayed in front of the various newspaper offices and the crowds which surrounded them blocked the

THE STORY OF THE WRECK

Told Briefly by the Third Mate—Human Life vs. Freight. Lisson, April 22.—In au interview with a newspaper representative Peter Rabsen, third mate of the steamship Danmark, re-lated the circumstances of the loss of that vessel. Her engines, he stated, broke down on April 4, while the vessel was 800 miles from Newfoundland. Engineer Kaas was found lying dead on the floor of the enginefound lying dead on the floor of the engineroom, and the cause of the accident could
not be ascertained. On April 5 the Danmark
was speken by the Missouri, which towed the
Danmark until April 6. "The Danmark was
then settling down," Rabsen states, "and we
asked the Missouri to take our passengers. The
Missouri as he was loaded had room for only
twenty additional persons, but she jettisoned
her cargo and took us all on board—800 of
tis—landing us at Azores. She then proceeded for Philadelphia, taking 340 of the
passengers besides the captain and sallors.
Three of the engineers proceeded to London
on board the Demerara steamer. The first
and second mates are still at Azores, and the
romaining passengers and forty-two sallors
salled for Lisbon on the steamer Acor."

Lisbon, April 22.—Forty-two of the crew of the Danmark and all of the passengers not taken to Philadelphia on the Missouri have arrived here on the steamship Acor.

The Engineer's Death.

The death of the Danmark's engineer was due to the bursting of an engine pipe. The engineer was killed on the spot, and the shift was badly damaged. In consequence of this damage, together with the breaking of the shaft, the vessel was helpless in the heavy

ON TERRA FIRMA AGAIN.

Passengers of the Wrecked Steame Danmark Landed at Philadelphia.

PHILADELPHIA, Pa., April 29,—The steam-ship Missouri, with 365 of the people from the wrecked steamer Danmark, arrived at the American Line Steamship company's dock at 6 o'clock Monday evoning. All were well on board with the exception of three persons. All of the Danmark's passengers look hearty and trigist and show no signs of the hardships which they must have neces-sarily endured. Among those on board from the Danmark were Purser Hempel; rrom the Danmark were these typesheet, Jespersen, the ship's physician; Cook Albert Johnson, Stewardess Mrs. Nielson, Baker John Lunchrist, Butcher Peter Benson, Emigrant Stewardess Mrs. Christianson and Water William De Walt—eight of the Danmark's crew in all. General Passenger Agent John Rath of the Thingvalla line came from New York to make provisions for the com-

New York to make provisions for the com-fort of the people.

Monday night at 11 o'clock a special train conveyed nearly 300 of the passengers toward their destination in the west and northwest. The remaining sixty-five who were destined for points in the east also left Monday night. for points in the east also left Monday night. A majority of those bound west are going to Minnesota, Dakota, and other points, while a few go as far as Washington territory. They will be accompanied by agents of the Thingvalla line and will be reprovisioned at Chi-

WILL TRY A SUNDAY REST.

The Vanderbilt Lines to Inaugurate Six
Days' Work a Week.

DETROIT, Mich., April 24.—In relation to
the statement telegraphed from Canada that the statement telegraphed from Canada that no more Sunday trains would be run on the Dominion lines of the Michigan Central, President Ledyard said yest-rday that the order is to be much more widely extended, "We have been considering this matter for a long time," he said. "By an arrangement with all the roads composing the Vanderbilt with all the roads composing the Vanderbilt. estem we shall be able to give our employes system we shall be under dy give dur employes the advantage of one day's rest in seven. It is, of course, an experiment. We do not know that we can keep it up, but by running faster during the week we can save the extra time. Mr. Vanderbilt, Mr. Depow and all the officials are in favor of Sunday as a day of rest."

Postmaster Pearson Dead. New York, April 22.—Postmaster Pear-on, of this city, died early Saturday morning of tumor of the stomach, aggravated by ing of tumor of the stomach, aggravated by his hapd work in the postofflee. Just before his death he was asked if the newspaper talk about his administration of his office distressed him. He said it did not, but having been an enemy of the spoils system all his life, it did hurt him to know that he was misrepresented and misunderstood. He had only been absent from duty for three months in sixteen years. Hx.Postmaster General James took charge of the office for Mr. Pearson's sureties.

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Locks Like a Revolutionary Move.

A Moment of Interest Excitement.

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, ILLLINOIS LEGISATURE NGFILD, Ills., April 18.—The

ture reassembled yesterday it. The senat passet the lifts requiring tax dayers to swear to their schedules, providing for the election of half the members of supervisors' boards each year, for the culturated fish, to regulate primary elections; regulating farmers' country, mutuan 'live' stock' insurance' companies. John's election bill, was depass, read the thrist time, the roll-call on its passage being ordered just before adjournment. The motion to reconsider the vote defeating the Miller; amendments of the halffithis 'forminal act; was adopted by the house. The, bill amending the homestead exemption 'ite' was read the third, time, it exempts \$4,900 worth of ing the homestean exemption are was read the third, time, it exempts \$1,000 worth of property. The bill requiring a petition con-taining half the voters of townships to em-power county boards to after township lines was passed.

Sernograph, His, April; 10, April in a committee report favorable to the Bo Thursday by a vote of 23 to 21 non-concurred Inta-Committee report favorable to the Bogardus local option bill, lutroptice of a motion to reconsider was giyen. The vote by which the fish culture bill was plassed was reconsidered and the bill repured to the order of second reading. A concurrent resolution was adopted to request the congressional delegation from this state to secure legislation for a ship canial between Lakes Superior and Michigan. The Johns election bill was passed. The death of Senator W. R. Archer, of Pittsfield, was appropriately noted by the passage of resolutions, and the balance of the session was devoted to memorial services in honor of the late Senator Dearborn.

The house concurred in the senate amendments to the non-resident trustees bill, The Merritt anti-trust bill was then taken up, dehated and passed by a vote of 118 to 19, and the bill providing for the regular payment of wages in lawful money to employes at least once every two weeks by a vote of 118 to 19.

SPRINGFIELD, Ills., April 20.—The appro-priation for improvements at the Elgin in-sane hospital was passed by the senate yes-terday and also the bill to pay the late Rep-resentative Teebey's widow the salary he would have received had he lived through the session. The bill changing the time of holding the supreme court sessions was holding the supreme court sessions was passed, and the bill requiring wages of em-ployes to be paid semi-monthly was sent to

holding the supreme court sessions was passed, and the bill requiring wages of employes to be paid semi-monthly was sent to the judiciary committee. Adjourned to Monday ovening.

The house referred the senate election bill to the proper committee. The bill providing that executions may issue upon judgments of justices of the peace any time within seven years, but not afterward, was passed, as was the bill regulating the duties of stock yards and transportation companies under governor's plochamations restraining the importation of cattle into the state; also the bill reducing the interest on property sold for taxes—almed at tax title "sharts." A resolution was adopted to the effect that as at this time 100,000 citizens are marching on Oklahoma the house adjourn to 2:30 p. m. in honor of the noble pioneers. Upon reassembling an attempt to take up the telephone bill was defeated. A bill was passed, requiring a bank director to be the owner of at least \$1,500 in shares of the stock of the bank. The stock yards bill was made special order for May 1. of the stock of the bank. The stock ards bill was made special order for May 1.

SPRINGFIELD, I.Is., April 22.—The house only was in session Saturday and hardly a quorum was present. About the only business of general interest done was the advancement to third reading of the bill that all property shall hereafter be appraised at one-third its actual cash value for taxation murposes.

SPRINGFIELD, Ills., April 23 .- There was ess than a quorum of members of the hous resent yesterday. An invitation from Chi cago to sond a representation to the Washington centennial in that city was read. The bill to provide for the safety of coal miners was sent to third reading, as was the bill requiring children between 8 and 16 to attend school at least sixteen weeks each year. The senate only had fourteen members present, and did no business of particular interest.

SPRINGFIELD, Illa., April 24.—The invita-tion from Chicago to the legislature to take part in the centennial celebration of Washington's inauguration there April 30 was accepted by the senate yesterday. The Kentucky legislature having repealed an act for the heart by the sente yesterlay. The heart lucky legislature having repealed an act for the erection of a bridge across the Ohio at Paducah, in retaliation a bill rescinding the right to erect a bridge across the same river at Metropolis was passed. The bill requiring the effects of alcohol on the human system to be taught in the public schools was ordered to third, reading, as was the bill prohibiting the publication in newspapers of the fact of a lucky strike in a lottery; also the bill requiring street oar companies to soil twenty-live rides for \$1. The house passed the bill appropriating money for the Southern National University at Carbondale; the bill amending the habitual criminal act; the employment inspection bill, and defeated the general appropriation bill, but a matting to cole's boyoott law was ordered to third reading, with several others.

The Boy Velled "Fire."

The Boy Yelled "Fire."

NEWARK, N. N., April 22.—While Easter services were in progress at the Hill Street M. H. church Sunday night, a large congregation being present, a boy in the gallery shouted "fire" three times, causing a panic among the worstippers. The pastor and ushers with much difficulty convinced the people that there was no fire, and order was restored. One woman was injured in the crush. The boy was arrested.

Sir Julian Pauncefote Arrives. New York, April 22.—Sir Julian Paun fote, the new British minister to the United States, came over on the steamship Etruria, States, came over on the steamship Etruria, which arrived Sunday morning, and spent the day at the Windsor hotel. He started Monday morning for Washington, He was accompanied by his secretary, Hugo Ames, and Charles J. Edwards, British charge d'affaires. The new ambassador is about 60 years of age and has an extensive diplomatic experience, having been intrusted with several important missions by his government.

Death of the Hon. John C. Park.
Bosrox, April 22.—The Hon. John C.
Park, a notable whig orator of forty or
fifty years ago died at Newton Sunday night
aged nearly 83. He was a graduate of Haryard and a member of the Suffolic bar. At
the dinner tendered Charles Dickens in Boston in 1842 Mr. Park's speeches touched Mr.
Dickens so that he requested an introduction
to the orator.

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FRIDAY, APRIL 26 1889

Correspondents are requested to write, roper names plainly, state facts as they oc-ure and mail your items so as to reach this face on Wednesday.

CORRESPONDENCE. BETHANY.

Nice bibles at all prices at Vadakin's. ti New stock of hats, cheap at Vadakin's. tf

Hayworth's and Tait's check-rowers at Logan's, 19-20 Dr. B. F. McMennemy was a business visitor

A nice suit of clothes that fit, can be had at Vadakin's, cheap. If T. A. Lansden was called to Kankakee Mon-day on official business.

W.W. Wilkinson was the guest of Bloom ington relatives over Sunday. Lawyer Ruckingham, of Decatur, transacted legal business in town Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. T. C. Clark and Perry Hoskins were Decatur visitors Wednesday, The Rev. James H. Crowder spent the Sab-bath at his Springfield appointment.

Hon. Thomas E. Henry, of Windsor, trans cted business in town one day last week. Robert Cleary, of Decatur, an old room-nate of ye reporter, was in town Monday and

at Vadakin's cheap, and as nice as can be had in Decatur. tf

P. E. Smith, of Warrensburg, is now the P., D. & E. agent; vice Mr. Parker, who has gone to Warrensburg.

Miss Shelton, of Greenup, who has been the guest of Miss Ida Scott for several days, went to Lincoln Monday.

E. S. Adams, a prominent farmer of Todd's Point, returned from a business trip to In dianapolis Saturday.

Little Earnest Robertson, while playing Tuesday afternoon, had his leg broken by some lumber falling upon it.

The highway commissioners will let the contract of building a bridge across the Okaw on the Moawequa road the 29th of, this mouth. Miss Jemima Milham, who has made her tome with Mrs. F. B. Hagerman for some cears, returned to her mother's at Olney last

John Howell has purchased the restaurant formerly owned by H.S. Weston, and will con-duct it in the future. We wish him success in his new enterprise.

W. W. Wilson, in the employ of R. B. Utter-back of Sullivan, will soon open a shee shep here. Repairing and custom work neatly and promptly executed. Sewed work a specialty.

At the annual school election last Saturday J. H. Vadakin received 21 votes and George T. Hill 18 votes. Both are progressing mer and either one would have made a good offi

John Blouz, a prominent butcher of Deca-tur, transacted business with Dedman & Son last Friday. He has made arrangements with Charles Dedman to buy butcher's stock for

S. E. Walker left Tuesday for Spokane Falls, Washington Ty. He will spend a month in visiting different western cities. During Mr. Walker's absence his place in the bank will be filled by W. H. Logan.

To those who have no particular place to trade, I would ask that you make my store your headquarters, where we will try and make you feel at home. I keep groceries, clothing, dry goods, hats, etc.—J. H. VADA

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Rider Herman was at Lovington Tuesday looking after matters connected with his ministerial work. We congratulate the Christian denomination of Lovington for their good fortune in having secured the services of so able a pastor as Rider W. S. Horman.

Lowis Smith is authority for the statement that every man was originally named Smith but as they became sinners their names were changed to fit the transgression. We are not curain as to the genuineness of this theology, but the motion is open for discussion.

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Mrs. Kate Kennedy is showing a finer line of millinery goods than has ever been exhibited in this market. All the latest and most becoming styles and at prices that place them in reach of all. Please call and examine my stock. Produce taken in exchange for goods. First door east of Luby's, on Main street. 20-22

street. 20:22

Sometime during the month of March, a stranger, representing himself as the adjuster of the Continental insurance Company, called upon John Goetz, a wealthy farmer living south of town, and induced him to give up his policy in the Continental and accept one in another company. Mr. Coetz signed a note, which he supposed was for \$35 but which proved to be for \$175.50. Mr. Goetz Chap to Cours and swore puts a warpen for the ame to town and swore out a warrant for the man, who gave the name of J. C. Nicholds man, who gave the name of J. C. Nicholds, and he was arrested at Kankakee and held until Sheriff Lansden reached that place, which he did last Monday and returned with his man Tuesday morning. The ones was called Tuesday afternoon before J. T. Lawson but on change of venue was taken before J. H. McGuire, who upon hearing the evidence found the prisoner guilty, and caused him to be bound over to court in a bond of \$500. J. E. Jennings appeared for the prosecution and Jennings appeared for the prosecution and Mr. Buckingham, of Decatur, appeared for the defense.

GAYS.

H. S. Beals, of Trilla, Sundayed in Gays.

Mrs. Mary Colson has secured a pension. Dr. Grier was over to Mattoon Saturday. Pat Kinsela and wife Sundayed in Mattoon R. P. Montague paid Oakland a visit Monday

Mrs. Bowman visited at Mattoon over Sun-W. E. Treat was over to Windsor Sunday

Willis H. Storms visited at Neoga Friday

J. W. Claxton, of Newton, was in Gays one

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Langston visited at Wm.

Dr. Beals was over to Mattoon Thursday afternoon on professional business, James H. and Mrs. Clark, of Mattoon, visited

at Jim Butler's Sunday afternoon. Rev. and Mrs. Will McIntosh, of Shelbyville, are visiting at Mr. W. M. McIntosh's.

Lewis Wright and daughter, Miss Alice, vis ited at Mattoon Saturday and Sunday. Mrs. Thomas Smith visited at Paradise the latter part of last week and the first of this. Misses Mabel Walker and Penglic Kinkede-were shopping in Mattoon Monday afternoon. George Gibler, of Mattoon, was in Gays Sat

afternoon giving instruction to "Band

John A. Kern, who has been in rather poor realth for some time, is at Hot Springs, Ark., where he hopes to be benefited. Mrs. P. A. Langston, of Fuller's Point, vis-ited in the violatty of Gays the latter part of last week and the first of this.

Measles and mumps are still raging. J. B. Rigney was elected school director Sat-

John Ewing and Grace Stapp, of Arcola, E. R. Winter and family of Arcola, spen

Bunday in town.

O.W. Stapp is running a huckster wagon

Horn to Mr. and Mrs. O. E. Gibson on Wed-nesday last, a boy. Elder Steele, of Kansas preached at the cast side church Sunday.

Elder Barker, baptized converts into the church at West Prairie last Sunday.

Rev. Dupoy, from Indianapolis, preached in the new Baptist church last Sunday.

Tom Walker has bought the property in which he resides from Charles Ogden.

Mrs. Waddock and children, left Monda for their new home in the suburbs of Chicago License was defeated in the election at this place Tuesday. Only 8 votes were cast in its

favor.

Mrs. Bell Thomason returned from the
Hygiene Institute, at Indianapolis, Tuesday
evening, Mrs. Heavy Loudiram will remain
three months longer.

Arthur was favored with a visit from "Mex-ioan Charley," Tuosday evening, but be did not seem to take yery well, at any rate be had to take to his heels to escape the mob of pestery boys.

LOVINGTON.

Samuel Boggs spent Easter with his family Mrs. Joe H. Dawson visited Bement Tues

Joe H. Dawson and wife and Mrs. Rober Selby visited Sullivan Monday

Oru school will be out May 8th. Then the teachers and scholars will be glid. Mrs. Samuel Stricklin and little daughters of Sullivan, visited Miss Hetile last Saturday

Mr. Springer, of Williamsburg, has taken the Central house. Vice L. B. March returned to private life.

Miss Etta Cooper. of Colfax, Ind., visited with Mrs. Rittenhouse and other relatives yer Sunday. The Hon. W. G. Cochran left Sunday evening for Chicago where he did hitsiness and then went to Springfield.

Two law-suits and one fight on Saturday last and one fight on Monday. How is that for s

town like Lovington. The Lovington Lodge No. 593. I. O. O. F. will

The Lovington Lodge No. 533, I. O. O. F. will celebrate the 70th anniversary by holding a moeting in the M. E. church Friday night. Therelyill be speaking and music.

The 30th of April will be appropriately observed here by exercises in the church. As we have not seen the program we can only say that everything will be done in proper shape.

DALTON CITY.

The new yillage board, organized last Thurs lay evening.

T. E. Mayes visited Sullivan, last Tuesday on legal business.

T.J. Freeland is shelling and shipping all his grain from cribs on a poor market.

Jacob Foster was the lucky man in deciding by lot as to who should have the office of street

W. T. Cole, an old time resident of Dalto Mrs. Carrie Judy, at Sullivan, by Esq. Patter

The Rev. O. P. Galloway of Prairie Home preached at the Presbyterian church last Sun-day. He will preach regularly every two weeks, at 7:30 p. m.

The board of appointment for Dora Township, held an all day meeting last Monday and failed to agree on the appointment of an assessor and collector. The result will be that the last year's collector an I assessor willhold

The entertainment given by the Dalton City band and others hast Saturday evening was well patronized, the sents being all taken. Every one attending was well pleased. The receipts were about twenty-five dollars, while went for the benefit of the band.

LORD LONSDALE'S TRAVELS.

He Has a Rough Time in the Arctic Regions, but Didn't Bring Back the Pole.

San Francisco, April 24.—Lord Londale arrived yesterday on the steamer Bertha from Kodlak, Alaska. He states that after leaving Winnipeg he traveled on aleds drawn by dogs, his only white companion being William McKean, a cook in the employ of the Hudson Bay company. In August, 1839, he reached Melville island, This was his farthest point north. Thence he started across Alaska to the nearest point on the Yukon river, after reaching which he followed the river nearly all the way.

A Rough Time of Touring.

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A Rough Time of Touring.

He had with him sixty-nine dogs and eighteen Indians, but during the journey all but twenty-eight of the dogs died, and several Indians were nearly frozen to death. Lonsdale was obliged to walk over 1,500 miles of the journey across Alaska, owing to the depth of the snow, which made it impossible for the dogs to draw anything more than the aleds with the provisions on them, and some rich specimens.

Not Looking for the Pole.

On Nov. 10. 1883 he reached the Bresier.

Not Looking for the Pole.
On Nov. 10, 1889, he reached the Russian mission on the Yukon river. From there he went across to Neshagak river, thence to Hristol bay, arriving at Katma on Jan. 19, 1882.
Owing to the thickness of the ice the beat did not arrive from Kodiak until March 17. He left Kokiak for this port about a month ago. Lord Lonsdale says his object-was not to find the north pole, as has been stated, but to explore the islands in the Arctic ocean and study the birds and animals found there. He will stay a few weeks in this city and thon go to New York by way of Winnipeg.

A Distincest City Treasurer.

DENVER, April 23.—A special to The Republican from Durango states that T. F. Burgess, the treasurer of that place, is a defaulter to the extent of \$19,000. On a promise of being released from custody he paid over to the city a certificate of deposit for \$3,800. When released he at once set out for New Mexico. Officers are on his trail.

The secretary of war has ordered a salute of thirty-eight guns to be fired on the 30th of April at all the military stations in the United States.

BAKING POWDER

COMPARATIVE WORTH OF BAKING POWDERS.

GRANT'S (Alum Powder) . RUMFORD'S, when fresh. HANFORD'S, when fresh ... CHARM (Alum Powder) # ... AMAZON (Alum Powder) #. CLEVELAND'S(shortwt.jox.) PIONEER (San Francisco)... CZAR DR. PRICE'S. SNOW FLAKE (Groff's) ... LEWIS' PEARL (Andrews & Co.).... HECKER'S CILLET'S. ANDREWS&CO."Regal" BULK (Powder sold loose) RUMFORD'S, when not fresh

REPORTS OF GOVERNMENT CHEMISTS

As to Purity and Wholesomeness of the Royal Baking Powder.

"I nave tested a package of Royal Baking Powder, which I purchased in the open market, and find it composed of pure and wholesome ingredients. It is a cream of tartar powder of a high diegree of merit, and does not contain either alum or phosphates, or other injurious substances.

E. G. Lovz, Ph.D." #It is a scientific fact that the Royal Baking Powder is absolutely pure. "H. A. Morr, Ph.D."

"I have examined a package of Royal Baking Powder, purchased by myself in the market. I find it entirely free from alum, term alba, or any other injurious sub-stance. HERNAY MORYON, Fl.D., President of Stevens Institute of Technology."

"I have analyzed a package of Royal Baking Powder. The materials of which a composed are pure and wholesome. S. Dana Hayes, State Assayer, Mass." The Royal Baking Powder received the highest award over all competitors at the Vienna World's Exposition, 1873; at the Centennial, Philadelphia, 1876; at the American Institute, New York, and at State Fairs throughout the country.

No other article of human food has ever received such high, emphatic, and universal endorsement from eminent chemists, physicians, scientists, and Boards of Health all over the world.

NOTE—The above DIAGRAM filustrates the comparative worth of various Baking Note—The above Diagram filustrates the comparative worth of various Baking Powders, as shown by Chemical Analysis and experiments made by Prof. Schedler. A pound can of each powder was taken, the total leavening power or volume in each can calculated, the result being as indicated. This practical test for worthing Prof. Schedler only proves what every observant consumer of the Royal Baking Powder knows by practical experience, that, while it costs a few cents per pound more than ordinary kinds, it is far more economical, and, besides, affords the advantage of better work. A single trial of the Royal Baking Powder will convince any fair-minded person of these facts.

While the diagram shows some of the alum powders to be of a higher degree of strength than other powders ranked below them, it is not to be taken as indicat-ing that they have any value. All alum powders, no matter how high their strength, are to be avoided as dangerous.

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HOLLONBECK

will enable him to sell them cheaper in exchange for goods or cash. All the than you can put them up at home.

Bought Canned Goods at a figure that Will take All Kinds of Courtry Produce newest designs in Glassware.

T. A. HOLLONBECK.

THE MARKETS.

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CHICAGO, April 23.

Following were the quotations on the board of trade to-day; Wheat—No. 2 May, opened 51%c, closed 51%c; June, opened 51%c, closed 51%c; July, opened 70°C, closed 78%c, followed 78%c, olosed 78%c, olos

\$11.89% closed \$11.60 Lard—May, opened \$31.89% closed \$0.82%.
Live stook—The Union stook yards reports the following prices: Hogs—Market opened active and firm, and prices are well maintained; light grades, \$4.705.40; rogs, 12.80; larged, 15.80; larged, 15.80;

New York.

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New York, April 21.

Wheat—Irregular; No. 1 red state, \$76,98c; No. 2 do, \$44/c; No. 2 red winter May, \$35/c; do June, \$45/c; No. 2 do, \$1c; No. 2 mixed April, \$35c; do May, \$35/c. Rye—Dull, Barley—Nominal, Pork—Dull; new mess, \$13,500,18.76, Large Stock: Cattle—No trading; dressed beef firmer; city slaughtered sides, \$62/c \$9\$ in \$75/c. \$15/c. \$15/c.

Toleno, Ohio, April 23,
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Wheat—Cash, 862854c: May, 8334c; June,
8234c; July, 70c; August, 70c, Corn—Cash 3:20
8346c: May, 3546c. Oats—Cash, 24c, Clover
seed—Cash and April; \$4.00 bid.

St. Louis.

April 23.

Wheat—Lower cash, 80c. May, 803cc; July, 734@713cc.

Corn—Higher; cash, 20562034c;

May, 393c; July, 203c.

Out. — Higher;

Cash, Ric; May, 233cc. June, 203cc.

Pork—

Dull; lower; \$12,000,125. Lard—Lower; \$6.50

Whisky—Steady; \$1.02.

Detroit.

Dernorr. Mich., April 23.

Wheat—No. 1 white cash, 81c; No. 2 red cash, 834c; May, 849c; June, 84c; July, and August, 50c. Corn—No. 2 cash, 254c; May, 334c.

May, 395c.

Milwankee,
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May, 775c;

Isaac Newman, aged 78, and wite, 72, two ploneers of northern Indiana, died near Mex-ico, Ind., the husband Sunday and the wife Monday

Princess Eugenia, a sister of the king of Sweden, is dead. Swedon, is dead.

The town of Petite Revere, Hayti, was burned by Legitime's forces on April 7.

Jay Gould was elected president of the Taxas Pacific railroad Tuesday in place of John C. Srown, resigned. WACONS, BUGGIES, CARTS, FARMING IMPLEMENTS, ETC.

W. F. LOGAN,

Exclusive Implement Dealer

Bethany, Illinois.

By close attention to buying I have been able to place before the farmers of Bethany and vicinity. The Finest Class of Implements ever shown. My sales last year ran over 60 Carts, 64 Farm Wagons, 21 Buggles and Spring Wagons, and while I sold more than twice as much as any two dealers near me I did not have as much trouble with breakages as they did. My sales now run about \$700 per Week, and enable me to make close prices. "Small margins and lots of them," is my motto. Sell and buy again and not hang on to anything, as if there were no more, and let it get rusty.

Headquarters for Twine. I have already sold nearly 5000 pounds of Twine since April 1st, and being the agent for the Peorin Cordage Factory, which dont belong to the trust, I can give good prices. Call and see me, I will make it pay you. Come once and you will come again.

YOURS, ETC.,

W. F. LOGAN.

HORSE BREEDERS ASSOCIATION.

I MPORTED BREEDING HORSES, BETHANY, ILLINOIS.

The Marrowbone Fine Horse Breeders' Association

Located at Bethany. Illinois, has purchased THREE IMPORTED STALLIONS, THIRE IMPORTED STALLIONS,
to wit: One Imported Shire Horse, name,
SUMMER DAY: also One Percheron Norman
Stallion, PELLIGO, NO. 8828, in Prench Percheron Stud Book of France; and One Cleveland
Bay Stallion, PERSE GROUGE, NO. 18, Vol. 1,
of the Cleveland Bay Society of America. SEASON OF 1889
at the barn of John A. Crowder, one and onefourth miles northwest of Bethany, at the
following terms, to-wit:

ENGLISH SHIRE, \$15; PERCHERON NORMAN, \$15; CLEVELAND BAY, \$20.

We insure mare in font from all of the above oxee, or no pay. Parties breeding mares are colt coming dead or before time, owner of mare has privilege of breeding again next year free. But parties breeding mares and trading tuem of without the consent of the company, forfeit the insurance, or leaving the state, monoy becomes due.

DESCRIPTION AND PERIGREE OF the Knglish Shire Stallion, Summer Day:—Summer Day is coming three years old this spring; is a Beautiful Bay with one white the analytic the company, forfeit nec; weighs about 1.70, with extra good feet and clean, that bone; win late or, that, y and is the making of a grand, good boree. Foxled 1889, breeder Earl of Eliesmeet, which is a fact that a sum of the company is good feet and clean, that bone; win late or, that, y and is the making of a grand, good boree. Foxled 1889, breeder Earl of Eliesmeet, which will define the market of the company is good of the company. The company is good feet and clean, the body of good is good to be company in the company is good for the company is good for the company in the company in the company is good for the company in the company in the company is good for the company in the company in the company is good for the company in the company in the company in the company is good for the company in the company in the company is good for the company in the company in the company is good for the company in the company in the company is good for the company in the company is good for the company in the company in the company is good for the company in the company in the company is good for the company in the company is good for the company in the company in the company is good for the company in the company in the company is good for the company in the company in the company is good for the company in the company in the company in the company is good for the company in the

336, bred by Thos, Sinth & Hrvs., Garstane, Lanc., won 1st prize at Blackburn. Copied from Shire Horse Stud Books.

Description And Pedigree of Pollico:—Pellico No. 8932, is recorded in the French Percho ron stud book of France; also as No. 833 in Percheron stud book of America. Pellico was imported in June, 1887, by Kimp & Lowrey, of Normal, Ill., and is for the sar old this spring, is a flark gray, weighting 1,890, with fine style and action for a had for the sar old this spring, is a flark gray, weighting 1,890, with fine style and calculated the same style and the best of feet, loss of clean, dat bone and excellent eye; a weil struck need, broad chest, a well rounded body, close coupled and close to the ground, and one of the best horses ever owned in the county.

PRINCE GEORGE, NO. 19, Vol. 1, Cleveland stud book of America, is a beautiful bay with black points, about 16½ hands high, weighs 1,300 pounds, with a clean, flat bone and excellent feet, with remarkable style and action. He won first prize at the Illinois State Fair in Clarge in his class at the Mountrie County fair. In 1883, and first prize in his class at the Mountrie County fair. In 1883, and the first in Class at the Shelby County, fair and also grand sweepstakes and the classes at the Macon County fair, as a general purpose bore and that could be desired as a breeder, progeneral sweepstakes. Prince George was bred by James R. Crouther, of Winfield, England, and superi lot of the 1884, by Charles H Fowler, of Wendan, Ill. He is now the property of the interpretable of 1885. His sire was Prince George, No. 235 in the English stud book. Dam, by Fidus Duis No. 102, English stud book.

Jenn A. Crowder, Keeper 17:29

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VADAKIN'S GENERAL MERCHANDISE STORE.

J. H. VADAKIN, Bethany, Illinois.

N order to reduce my stock to the lowest possible amount by assessing time, I will make prices on my whole stock that will knock every piece of goods that you price, clear out of the

I have all the Nice Spring Suitings for Young and Old men. Ladies' Hosiery and Underwear, Gents' Underwear for Spring and Summer, Nice Neckwear. Elegant Spring line of Ladies' Children's and Misses' Fine Shoes at prices that willsurprise you. Men's Fine Shoes in all the latest styles in Toothpick and Extra Wide lasts; Summer Gloves for Men; Ladies Kid Gloves only 75cts.--Good ones; Plow Shoes \$1.00 up. Poultry and Produce taken at Highest Market price. Groceries, Clothing, Notions, Shoes, Hats, Caps, Drugs, Medicines, Overalls and Working Clothes of every description and prices TO SELL. I want Money to pay bills and will Make you prices that Cannot be duplicated in Moultrie County.

I MEAN BUSINESS.

Don't forget to come where you can get \$1.50 worth for \$1.00.

Respectfully,

J. H. VADAKIN,

BETHANY, ILL.

He Says He Likes to Shop Better in Bos-ton Than in Gotham. I always go and visit the Old South church when in Boston, because I like to see the old and pleasant cannon balls with which disagreeable people were killed when they acted improperly. I also like to attend a church where I can criticise things without hurting any one's feelings. After I visit the old church I like to go around over the Hub and buy things. I hate to contrast any city with my own town, but a nervous person with a shrinking nature can do better and enjoy it better while shopping in Boston than in New York. The Boston merchant evidently bought his goods for the purpose of selling them to the consumer, while the New York merchant appears to have purchased them more for the wild excitement of looking at them binself.

I always have my feelings hurt when I shop

them bimself.

I always have my feelings hurt when I shop in New York. In the first place, I am enraged before I get to the store by 957,236 people who knock me over and get on the elevated trains before the passengers can get off. Then I go to a store and wait near a stack of wet umbrellas until several total strangers, with a haughty air, jostle me against the wall.

I next speak to a floor walker, who plays

against the wall.

I next speak to a floor walker, who plays that he owns the store, and is allowed to draw that instead of a salary. He looks at me askance, as if he feured that I might be Nellie Bly. He goes over to confer with a heavy set saleslady, to inquire of her, evidently, whether I am there with sinister motives, and while I tremble at the thought that I am about to be searched for eaid motives, another man, who plays that he owns the store afternoons, comes along and asks me what I want there.

I tell him that I am a simple minded man, more or less picked on both at home and

me what I want there.

I tell him that I am a simple minded man more or less picked on both at home and abroad, that I would spend an enormous amount of money in New York if I had a chance: that today I had contemplated buying or trading for a full set of two heavy No. 10 English hose with double soles and a striking resemblance to each other. Nobody could be any more explicit than that without being offensive. I just tell a man what I want right at the start, and then if there should be any delay it his fault.

He looks at me sorrowfully and begins to feel in his pocket for something. I say, "Put up your gold. Get out with your dross. I am not poor or crazed by suffering. I am not poor or crazed by suffering. I am not poor or crazed by suffering. I am notly waiting to present a letter of introduction to the sock lady if I can obtain an audience with her. I would be satisfied with even a very small audience with her." He tells me where the office is, and I go there. She waits a long time before I seem to catch her eya. She looks through me, and so on across the store to a given point. She then says: "Weslf" "Yess" "Yess"

"What kind, please!" "English hose, doubles ole, unbleached, No. 10, two of a kind." "Fer yourself?" "Yes, exclusively for myself."

"Well, the men's hose is on second floor

self."
"Well, the men's hose is on second floor

facing the other street."

I then go to a hotel, register, get a room, ring for a messenger and send him for the hose.—Bill Nye in New York World.

Bobby (who is visiting his kind old grand-other)—I wouldn't mind catin' some of that mother)—I wouldn't mind eath some of that nice hot bread, grandma. Grandma—Well, Bobby, you can have all you want of it. Bobby—Yes, but ma won't let me eat hot bread. Grandma (testing the lad's moral strength)—She won't know anything about it, Bobby. Bobby—All right, grandma; just give me a piece, please.—Harper's Bazar.



-How conceitedly that man talks. Is Ho-Worse than that! He's an amaten

actor.-Life. Is Consumption Incurable? Read the following: Mr. J. H. Morris, Newark, Ark., says: "Was down with abscess of lungs, and friends and physicians pronounced me an incurable onsumptive. Began taking Dr. King's

consumptive. Began taking Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption, am now on my third bottle, and able to oversee the work on my farm. It is the finest medicine ever made."

Jesse Middlewart, Decatur, Ohio, says: "Had it not been for Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption. I would have died of lung troubles. Was given up by the doctors. Am now in best of health." Try it. Sample bottles free at S. D. Patterson's and J. H. Vadskin's drug stories. Vadakin's, drug stores.

Cotton goods of all grades have not been so low in price for a generation. A rise of a cent or two on the yard would raise the wages of the cotton goods weavers. It would not be felt by the purchasers.

The American Institute of Civics in New York has been founded to promote the study of the most essential facts re-lating to affairs of government and citizenship. Members of congress should apply.

The Handsomest Lady In Sullivan

The Handsomest Lady in Sullivan
Remarked to a friend the other day
that she know Kemp's Balsam for the
Throat and Lungs was a superior remedty, as it stopped her cough instanaly
when other cough remedies had no effact whatever. So to prove this and
convince you of its merit any druggist
will give you a Sample Bottle Free
Large size 50 cents and 21 5

The I opulation of Euflivan Is about 2,000, and we would say at least one half are troubled with some

affection of the Throat and Lungs, as affection of the Thront and Lungs, as those complaints are, according to statistics, more numerous than others. We would advise all our readers not to neglect the opportunity to call on their druggist and get a bottle of Kemp's Balsam for the Throat ond Lungs. Trial size free. Large bottle 50 cents and \$1. Sold by all druggists. 6

A Joke on the Crowd.

Roll Nosed Man int a Clark street resort fre Rel Nosed Man at a Clark street resort fre-quented principally by actors—I wanta good leading man for a new play. If I can get the right man I'll give him \$150 a week. A general rush and chorus of "I'm your man," "fake me," "I've played with Booth,"

tc.
Red Nosed Man—Not so fast. You may not want the part. It's a tank draina, and the leading man has to stay under water ten minutes.—Chicago Herald.



Miss Dille (warningly)—Sally, they used to tell me, when I was a little girl, that if I did not let coffee alone it would make me Sally (who owes her one)—Well, why didn't you?—Life.

A Sound Legal Opinion.

E. Bainbridge Munday, Esq., county attorney, Clay county, Tex., says:

'Have used Electric Bitters with most happy results. My brother also was very low with malarial fever and jaundice, but was cured by timely use of this medicine. Am satisfied Electric Bitters saved his life."

Mr. D. I. Wilcoxson, of Horse Cave,

Mr. D. I. Wilcoxson, of Horse Cave, Ky., adds a like testimony, saying: He positively believes he would have died, had it not been for Electric Bitters. This great remedy will ward off, as well as enre all malaria diseases, and for all kidney, liver and stomach disorders stands unequaled. Price \$1 at S. D. Patterson's. S. D. Patterson's.

Unlordly Lords.

A blow has been dealt at the hereditary privileges of the British peerage in a quarter where it would least have been looked for, namely, in the house of lords itself. Lord Carnaryon has introduced a bill to prevent disreputable peers from sitting in the house of lords. As the peers are about to reorganize their chamber they will have a large field to weed out if they accept Lord Carnarvon's proposition.

in the American senate or house who would do on a single occasion what sev eral peers of the British have been doing habitually for years. Yet these scandal ous lordlings have a birthright life seat in the highest legislative chamber of Great Britain.

There is Lord Mandeville, who has just taken refuge in the bankruptcy court His excesses piled up debts to the amount of \$600,000, and he pleaded guilty to ob-taining money on false pretenses besides. There, too, is that lovely specimen of British nobility, Lord Ailesbury. He is a debauchee, a swindler and a cheater at cards. His wife was a music hall singer. She and her blue blooded husband fill their nights with drinking orgies before which the revelries of old Rome pale There are others not very much more dainty in their morals than these. Yet all can still vote on national questions in the house of lords.

Piles! Piles! Piles!

Dr. William's Indian Pile Ointment is the only sure cure for Blind, Bleeding or Itching Piles ever discovered. It never fails to cure old chronic cases of long standing. Judge Coons, Maysville. Ky. says: "Dr. William's Indian Pile Ointment cured me after years of suffering," Judge Coffinburr, Cleveland Ohio, says: "I have found by experience that Dr. William's Indian Pile Ointment gives immediate and permanent relief." We have hundreds of such testimonials. Do not suffer an instant onger. Sold by druggists at 50c. and \$1 per box. Dr. William's Indian Pile Ointment \$1 per box.

A La Jesse James.

PATTONSBURG, Mo., April 22 — A masked robber walked into the Wabash railroad here Friday night and at the point of a pistol compelled the agent to open the safe, which contained \$6,000. The man made good his escape after securing the money.

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LEGAL.

FOR LEAVE TO SELL REAL ESTATE.

ROR LEAVE TO SELL REAL ESTATE.

State of Illinois, County of Moultrie, ss. In Circuit Court. April 1001, 1828.

In the matter of the petition of Thomas Sterling, guardian of Cloyd D. Sterling, a minor, for leave to sell real estate of ward.

Notice is hereby given to all persons concerned that the undersigned Thomas Sterling guardian of Cloyd D. Sterling, a minor, will on Monday, the 29th day of April, 1889 or as soon thereafter as counsel can be hear i present to the circuit court of said county of Moultrie, at the court house in the said city of said and the petition, praying for an order of said and the petition, praying for an order of said and the petition, praying for an order of said and the petition, praying for an order of said and the petition, praying for an order of said and the petition, praying for an order of said and the petition, praying for an order of said and the petition of the county of Moultrie and state of Illinois, being an undivided one-third interest in and to lots one and two (1 and 2) of the northwest quarter of section three (3), township fifteen [16], north range (10) (the third principal meridian, when and where you can appear and show cause, if any, you have why the said order of sale should not be made as prayed in said petition.

MELOS OF THOMAS STELLING, Solicior for Petitioner Guardian.

Dated this 3d day of Ap. 11, 1829.

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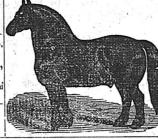
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