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Miss Lena Neyhus is reported as no better.

Miss Signa Ramberg was reported sick last Sunday.

See Puckett Bros' cloaks and capes before you buy.

Laxson Bros. will have a new line of cloaks this week.

All widths of oil cloth and linoleum to be had at Puckett Bros.

Get your winter apples of Puckett Bros. They have them by the carload.

Carl Gisselbeck of Arlington, this state, is visiting with Peter Norgaard of this city.

The finest line of gent's underwear to be had at Puckett Bros.—prices the lowest.

Use "Gilt Edge" flour, the best on the market. For sale by D. S. Waldo, Canton. 19-27.

Puckett Bros. is the place at which to buy carpets. Their stock and prices can't be beat in the city.

The band boys have made arrangements for an entertainment in Bedford Hall on Thursday night, Nov. 5.

E. J. Rusten of Lincoln township, was a visitor last Saturday, and left a couple of silver dollars for his LEADER.

Linoleum does not come much higher than oil cloth and it wears more than twice as long. Puckett Bros. keep the best.

Found—a large sheep-skin mitten in the Kennedy building after the meeting last Saturday. Owner can get it at this office.

Found—a light gray or drab overcoat, on a section line near Frank Sheldon's, about a month ago. Owner can find same by calling at this office.

Lennox Milling Co's "Gilt Edge" flour with all the patent in, costs no more than other flour with all the patent out. Try it. For sale by D. S. Waldo. 19-27.

Louis Wagner of Lennox, was a visitor last Saturday, and ordered a couple of locals announcing that the Lennox "gilt edge" flour was on sale at D. S. Waldo's.

Peter Norgaard received a brown leg-horn rooster by express this week. This fowl received the first prize in its class at the poultry show at Davenport this year.

The election returns will be received and read from the stage in Bedford Hall. The management is to be congratulated on the arrangements thus made, as it will enable the ladies to hear the returns as they arrive.

Close Up Patriots

Campaign Closes in a Blaze of Glory.—Silver Forces Enthusiastic and Shouting For Bryan.

VICTORY IS IN THE AIR.

Bryan, Lee and Lincoln County in the Victorious Column.—Lincoln County Safe for A Silver Victory By a Majority of 250 Votes.

CLOSE UP BOYS, AND FORWARD.

The magnificent and glorious campaign carried on in this county by American patriots in behalf of William Jennings Bryan and the money of the constitution, closed in Canton at 10 o'clock Saturday night.

A grand parade had been arranged for on Saturday, but the big storm of rain and snow spoiled that, but the free silver hosts came, just the same; came in wagons, buggies and on horseback, and many wanted to parade in the mud.

The main floor of the new Kennedy block, which is 100x144, was seated and warmed by two stoves, and the west wall decorated with mottoes, bunting, banners, flags, pictures of Bryan and many other emblems representing the love of liberty and hope for a peoples victory.

At 2:30 in the afternoon the Canton band opened the ceremonies on the street, and in 10 minutes that vast room capable of holding 2,000 people was filled with men, women and boys, shouting and cheering. The spirit that made Bunker Hill famous the world over was manifest in that crowd. Men and women who came 25 miles through mud and slush to show their devotion to the silver cause, represents the spirit of over two thousand people who came to Canton last Saturday to take part in the silver demonstration. It was a hopeful sign that the American people mean to save their country from the curse of trusts and the blight of plutocracy, and restore the money of Washington, Jefferson, Jackson and Lincoln to its constitutional rights.

Judge Kennedy called the meeting to order and presented two little girls, Nellie Edwards and Rosina Dill, who sang a delightful campaign song, entitled "16 to 1." The girls wore silver crowns and waved their little flags in the chorus, making a splendid picture. That vast audience cheered them heartily and the little maids were entitled to all honors shown them.

Judge Kennedy opened the meeting with a five minutes speech that started the free silverites to shouting and cheering. Mr. Kennedy appeals to reason and drives home solid chunks of common sense, showing clearly to the mind of any thinking man where he ought to stand in this great struggle for the preservation of the liberties of the people and the destruction of robber trusts and monopolies. Judge Kennedy was accorded a fine ovation as he closed.

Hon. Hugo Pryor of Cleveland, Ohio, was introduced and was given a reception that told him he was in a silver country. For two hours and a quarter he filled that great room with eloquence, logic and common sense argument. It was a magnificent speech, one that made many silver votes, and convinced many others that a vote for McKinley was a vote for a continuation of Clevelandism and high priced dollars and low priced product and labor; that a vote for McKinley was a vote for the trusts and monopolies, and against the producer and laborer. The speaker said he had been on the stump

in Ohio for 24 years fighting for the people, and that this year the matchless champion of liberty, W. J. Bryan, was going to win and carry Ohio, too. (Loud and continuous applause.)

It was a grand meeting, and a surprise to everybody, both in size and enthusiasm. Cold wind, mud and dampness could not effect the spirit of that vast audience, and the evidence seen was a true sign that Lincoln county would roll up a bigger silver majority than the most hopeful could estimate.

If the weather and the roads and mud had not prevented the closing parade, it would have been a hummer. The writer had reports from the 16 townships and towns that about eleven hundred voters would have been in line, and fully as many more women, boys and girls. It was a great disappointment to the silver people as well as the people of Canton, and our business men had decorated their stores in anticipation of the event.

A close estimate puts the number of silver voters in town at 800, and some puts the number higher.

Every township and town in the county was represented, which indicates that nothing in the shape of storm or mud can keep the silver patriots back. A spirit like this means a glorious victory for human liberty, prosperity, justice and good government. Bryan represents them all.

No meeting of the campaign showed such genuine signs of patriotism and spirit as the big closing rallies last Saturday.

The evening meeting was nearly as large and enthusiastic as the afternoon meeting, and was presided over by John Bertrand, who opened with a brief address, outlining the state issues, and then introduced Judge Kennedy, who made one of the strongest and most logical speeches heard in Canton during this wonderful campaign.

Every gold man who heard Judge Kennedy must feel that a vote for McKinley in this struggle, is a vote to destroy the liberties of the people; is a vote to enthrone trusts and monopolies; is a vote to make money dearer and scarcer; is a vote to keep the products of the farm down to pauper prices; is a vote to make more tramps and more suicides, and more ruin and misery. In the name of God, you men who call yourselves liberty-loving American citizens, how can you vote to continue Clevelandism through McKinleyism, and bring ruin to thousands of homes. Who can doubt the misery and ruin of the English gold standard, who will look back over the record of falling prices since silver was demonetized? Thousands of well-to-do farmers and business men have gone down under low prices and scarce money. Do you doubt it? Look around you. Stop and think. Who is it that can't recall the name of some friend who has not been foreclosed or forced to go out of business through low prices and lack of business? Thoughts of these things flashed across the mental vision of many a man who heard Mr. Pryor and Mr. Kennedy last Saturday.

The closing rallies of the campaign in Canton were hummers in spirit and in numbers.

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ing it up for Dayton township and her big majority for free silver.

Otto Hervig of Grant, was one of the most earnest silver men in town last Saturday.

Arne Arneson said that half of Canton township was on hand to see that free silver was duly honored.

"No cross of gold, no crown of thorns," was the war cry among the enthusiastic free silverites Saturday.

Vote for Bryan and the entire state and county ticket.

H. F. Benedict returned from Sioux Falls Saturday, where he has been attending the United States court in the capacity of grand juror. The court adjourned after transacting considerable business, although it did not finish up. Mr. Benedict speaks in the most flattering terms of Judge Carland.

On Monday the railroads will restore the freight rates on coal and wheat which existed before the cut. The coming rate will raise the transportation tariff on hard coal from \$2 to \$3 per ton, and will add about 3 cents a bushel to wheat. That is it will make about 3 cents a bushel difference to the producer.

Mrs. Mattie Gunderson, wife of George Gunderson, died at the family residence in this city Saturday night at 12 o'clock. She had been ailing for about eight days from inflammation, and had an operation performed, which did not give the relief expected. She had been the wife of Mr. Gunderson over two years, and a dear little girl, 11 months old, with the grief stricken father are left to mourn. Mr. Gunderson has the heartfelt sympathy of this community in this great loss. The deceased was a lovely woman, kind and full of hope for the future. The remains will be laid to rest today in the Lutheran cemetery northwest of town. Funeral from the house at 2 o'clock.

Fred Hawn and his mother, Mrs. D. H. Hawn, returned Saturday from their trip to the coast and back to Wisconsin. Fred is looking splendid, and says he enjoyed his trip immensely.

The "kid" highwayman, who escaped from jail some time ago, was captured at Brookings and brought back to durance by Deputy Sheriff Hymers.

No more meetings will be held in the brick church until Thursday evening of this week.

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