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There are a number of Philadelphia people who would willingly take the stand to testify against the national bank system, particularly as to the protection given the depositors through Government supervision.

Ex-Senator Ingalls says Blaine will never be President. Perhaps not; but since Mr. Ingalls made such a bad break in prophesying his own political future his predictions have not been valued as high as they were "once upon a time".

Parnell's marrying Mrs. O'Shea will not probably restore him to the leadership of the Irish party, but it will give him control of her large fortune, which will doubtless go a long way towards reconciling him, at least that is the effect which money has on most people.

In China, swindling, no matter what the rank of the swindler, is punishable by death. A member of one of the highest Mandarin families has just been sentenced to be executed because of swindles he perpetrated upon tradesmen of Paris and London, while connected with the Chinese embassy in those cities. This is a law that America would do well to import. Swindling, from the low-down bunco steerer to the oily-tongued, high-toned bank president or cashier is entirely too common in this country, and even when its perpetrators are punished, which is not as frequent as it should be, the punishment seldom fits the crime.

"He gambled in stocks" is almost invariably given as the cause of the defalcation of the trusted bank official or private employe. It would be hard to calculate the injury done to the people of this country every year by stock gambling; the good it does, if any, is infinitesimal. Why then, is it not stopped? Simply because the stock gamblers have up to this time been able to defeat all proposed legislation, either State or National, against this form of gambling. A great majority of the people are unquestionably opposed to this or any other form of gambling, but in this, as in other matters, the legislative bodies have refused or neglected to carry out the wishes of a majority of their constituents.

"Our New War-Ships" is the title of an exceedingly interesting and instructive article by Secretary Tracy in the June number of the North American Review. It is at once a lucid description of the principal vessels in the new navy and a masterly defense of our naval policy against foreign criticism.

The New York World estimates that the Billion Dollar Congress spent more money than all the workers in all the "protected" industries can earn in three years. It certainly spent more money than would have paid off the entire National debt. It spent as much money as the entire wheat crop of the country for three years would amount to. If the money were in one dollar bills, and the bills placed end to end, they would reach half way from the earth to the moon. And they would also encircle the globe at the equator four times. If an expert cashier could count one hundred of these bills a minute, and work ten hours a day without a pause and 265 days a year, it would take him nearly fifty years to count the whole. If the whole sum were in gold and loaded in freight cars, filling each car to its full capacity of 40,000 pounds, it would require a train of 100 cars to transport the gold from place to

place. In silver, about 1,500 freight cars would be required. From estimates like these the people get some faint and inadequate notion of the inconceivable amount of money the Billion Dollar Congress spent.—Ex.

The following is the state of the produce market at Canton, Thursday morning, June 25 Wheat, 70@75; oats, 25; corn, 30@35; barley, 45@50; flax, \$3. hogs, \$3.50@3.90 cattle, \$2.25@2.75 fat steers, \$3.00@4.50 butchers \$2.75@3.00.

Financial Report of The resources and liabilities of the FARMER'S LEADER Publishing Company June 22d. 1901:

Liabilities.	
Bills payable.....	\$ 300.00
Interest on bills payable.....	15.00
Accounts payable.....	100.00
Total.....	415.00
Resources, Cr.	
Cash.....	\$ 200.64
Bills Receivable.....	105.75
Accts.....	87.45
Cash of present tools and type not including freight charges.....	92.87
Office fixtures.....	30.00
Total.....	1,406.41
Present worth, \$990.41.	

LOOK HERE. Everybody can have a genuine good time by attending the big 4th of July, Celebration at nine mile Hall in Daytan Township.

H. F. Benedict President of the day.

Hon. A. R. Brown speaker.

Miss Mary Schriener will read the declaration of Independence.

Singing by the glee Club.

J. W. Griffith and Charlie Wells Marshalls of the day.

Promptly at 10 o'clock the exercises will begin at the hall grove.

At one P. M., game of base ball between the Garrison and Souix Valley Ball teams.

At 2:30 P. M. the races will begin. Horse race, slow horse, 100 yard foot race, 50 foot race for boys, sack race, potato race, wheel borrow race, greased pig and Jockey race.

As good music as there is in the state is secured for the dance.

Refreshments of all kinds will be served on the grounds.

Come everybody, and you cannot help enjoying yourself.

By order of Committee.

The Third Annual Meeting of the Rock Valley Driving Park Association will be held on Saturday, July 4th. The society not only offers \$1,000 in cash purses, but guarantees the payment of the same. Ample accommodations, a superb track and a large list of entries insure the finest meeting in the history of the Association and the northwest. Rock Valley is noted for its interesting races, and proposes this year to outdo all previous efforts. Make up your mind to celebrate at Rock Valley, and bring your friends with you. There will be an old-time celebration in addition to the races.

For further particulars, programs, etc., address the secretary.

T.H. Maguire, Rock Valley, Iowa.

ALLIANCE MEETING. Meeting of Kyle alliance in Fairview township will be held at the Harris school house on July 1st at 4 o'clock to consider the purchasing of Oil and twine. All are invited to attend.

JOHN FALDE, Secretary.

4th of July Excursion.

The Souix City & Northern Railroad Co. will sell tickets between all stations, at one fare for the round trip. Tickets on sale for July 3rd and 4th good to return until July 6th.

Jas. V. Mahoney, Traffic Manager.

Mortgage Sale. WHEREAS, Default has been made in the conditions of a certain mortgage, executed and delivered by Mary E. North and Julius M. North, her husband, mortgagors, to John W. Hewitt, mortgagee, dated December 31st, 1898, and duly recorded in the office of the register of deeds of Lincoln county, Dakota Territory, on January 16th, 1899, in Book S of mortgages, on page 36, on which mortgage there is due and unpaid at the date of this notice, the sum of one hundred twenty-seven dollars, and no action or proceeding has been instituted at law or otherwise to recover the debt secured by said mortgage, or any part thereof; and which mortgage and the note secured thereby have been assigned and sold to the undersigned, which assignment was duly recorded in the office of the register of deeds of said Lincoln county, S. D., on the 12th day of June, A. D., 1901, on page 392 of Book 4 of mortgages. Therefore, notice is hereby given by the owner and holder of said note and mortgage, that by virtue of the power of sale in said mortgage contained, and of the statute in such case made and provided said mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale of the mortgaged premises therein described, at the front door of the court house, in the City of Canton, Lincoln county, South Dakota, at public auction, by the sheriff of said county, on Monday, July 27th, 1901, at 10 o'clock, a. m., of said day to satisfy the amount which shall then be due on said mortgage with interest and costs and expenses of sale and twenty-five dollars attorney's fees, as stipulated in said mortgage. The premises described in said mortgage and so to be sold are as follows, to-wit: Lot ten (10) of block thirty-six (36) of Hill's Addition to the City of Canton, S. D. Dated June 17th, 1901.

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Notice.
Notice is hereby given that an open alliance meeting will be held at Rises school house June 20th at 2 o'clock p. m., and at Austin Olson school house 7:30 p. m., John Langnes of Minnehaha county, will speak in the Norwegian language, other speakers will also be present. All are cordially invited to attend especially those opposed to the "object and aims" of the alliance which will be the main object for discussion on the occasion.

O. J. Byre.

IMPORTANT ANNOUNCEMENT.
We have taken charge of the Canton feed store in Canton, will run it in connection with the Beloit Mills, giving the same exchange, 32 lbs. TIP TOP flour, 10 lbs. bran, 5 lbs. shorts for each bushel of wheat. We have for sale, flour, Graham and meal for family use, shorts, bran, screenings, ground feed—(corn and oats) ground screenings. We buy wheat, Oats and corn, paying market price for same. please give us a call.

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