

WEEKLY CHAMPION

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The new Emperor of Germany is 29 years of age. He has a decided aversion to the English element of his family, and his succession may not properly be regarded as entirely conducive to the peace of Europe.

It is suggested to the lady whose husband is at times absent that a too close companionship with a single gentleman on such occasions is being noticed by gossip.

The Signal dislikes journalistic duels, yet it holds neither that or any other kind in dread.

The Democratic Central Committee met in Prescott Wednesday afternoon. The reapportionment of delegates to the County Convention was made on the basis of 1 for each twenty-five votes cast at the last election for Mark Smith.

The London Star declares truthfully that Mr. Cleveland's "ideas go a long way toward free trade."

Will the "editor" of our contemporary please reveal its authority for the statement that men are working in the "protected industries of Maine at 60 cents per day?"

The Prescott Courier again imposes upon its readers the muddy old chestnut that Clark Churchill originated the P. & A. C. subsidy bill.

The old man of the Courier still charges the passage of the P. & A. C. subsidy bill against the republicans, as though it were a criminal measure (as it really was) and in the same breath declares his undying fealty to the provisions of the act.

A GREAT many of the territorial papers are in favor of a pardon being granted to Sol. Barth, now confined in the Yuma penitentiary for alleged complicity in the robbery of the Apache county treasury.

Secretary Whitney is dissatisfied, and contemplates resignation. He will not be missed—he's on the list.

DEATH OF FREDERICK III.

The death of Germany's beloved Emperor, which occurred on the 15th inst., opens anew the grievous wound suffered by the Germans in the loss of the venerable William. The demise of Frederick III cuts short a reign which shone with healthful promise to the German Empire.

With a coy innocence that is charmingly frank and childlike, the Louisville Courier-Journal says that "Mr. Collins, Secretary of the Convention [Democratic] spoke with bated breath of the promises and performances of the party, and in reference to the character and career of Mr. Cleveland."

PRESIDENT CLEVELAND recently vetoed a bill introduced by Mr. Milliken, of Maine, which provided for a public building at Bar Harbor.

THE irresponsible scribbler who never paid a dollar of tax in any manner, in assailing Thomas J. Eamus, one of Yavapai's most honored and respected citizens, and also one of the largest taxpayers in our county, exhibits not only a depraved and diseased mind, but a total disregard for the welfare of the sheet to which attaches responsibility for his spenic emissions.

THE Democratic party's attitude toward the tariff question which is judged by the measures which it has proposed in Congress, rather than by its platform utterances. The tariff plank of the platform just adopted, however, so far as it means anything, goes farther in the direction of free trade than even the Mills bill does or the Morrison bill did.

MR. MILLS is in hopes that his tariff bill will pass the House by July 1. Six or seven months ago he said he thought it would be sent to the Senate in February at the farthest.

THE Albuquerque Citizen expresses our sentiment in the following terse paragraph: "There should be no hesitation on Mr. Cleveland's part in accepting the resignation of Indian Commissioner Atkins. The Indians are entitled to some consideration."

JUDGE BELFORD, of Colorado, says: "For a quarter of a century the democrats have been blowing their noses with their fingers. Two weeks ago they for the first time learned the value of the bandana and they all want it now."

THE Globe-Democrat asks: "If a hen and a half lay an egg and a half in a day and a half, how many red bandanas will it take to cover the weak spots in the record of Grover Cleveland?"

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Progressive Euchre Party.

Mr. and Mrs. A. A. Dutton entertained a party of friends most agreeably at their Milton residence last Saturday evening. The feature of the occasion was progressive euchre, four tables being occupied. Among those present were the following: Mr. and Mrs. G. A. Bray, Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Gibbons, Mr. and Mrs. E. S. Clark, Miss Fulton, Miss Stearns, Miss Coffin, Messrs. C. A. Keller, Geo. Cook, Fred. S. Sommers, C. S. Bowman, R. H. Cameron, Dr. P. G. Cornish, Chas. Howard.

The royal prizes were won by Mrs. H. W. Gibbons and Mr. F. S. Sommers, while the booby honors attached to Miss Stearns and Chas. Howard. After the playing was finished an elegant lunch was spread, to which ample justice was accorded. The party was most thoroughly enjoyed, and reflects credit on the worthy host and hostess.

Correction and Retraction. Last week we had a brief item to the effect that Major Hornback, our efficient register of deeds, had got staving drunk, destroyed a bushel or two of valuable papers, had two fights and then gone home to smash his cook stove and lick his wife. Next day Major Hornback called at this office and not only subscribed for the Kicker for himself, but sent two copies to friends in the east, paying us \$6 cash. We therefore, desire to correct the item of last week. The Major was not drunk. It was an attack of vertigo to which he is subject. He was never drunk in his life, and a more efficient public official or a kinder husband and father can not be found on the face of this globe. We shall make other corrections from time to time as the victims come in and subscribe.—Aurora Kicker.

THE TERRITORIES. George Lull informs the New Mexican that twenty teams are excavating on the Taos valley canal. The residence of O. Aldrich, located near E. M. Bigg's mill, in Rio Arriba county, together with its contents was entirely consumed by fire.

W. E. Clanton will start an ostrich farm near Phoenix, Arizona. He has purchased two large breeding birds and ten two months old chicks as a starter, the price paid being \$1,000.

Yuma Sentinel: The first ripe grapes of the season, "Black Hamburgs," were picked from the vines in J. H. Taggart's garden on Saturday last, June 2d. For early fruits Yuma beats the record!

Thomas Highland, a German suffering from consumption, shot himself fatally at the Albuquerque house, Albuquerque, on the 19th inst. He was in the last stages of the disease and preferred to die at once rather than linger along. Sensible man.

A jury of San Miguel county staid out four days considering a case against a notorious woman named Chata Baca, charged with keeping a house of ill fame. The verdict returned after so much deliberation was "guilty," and the penalty imposed one great American iron dollar.

The Atchison, Topeka & Santa Fe railroad company have just received for their mountain division two monster locomotives, that weigh one hundred tons each and which will haul one hundred freight cars on a fair grade, or seventy five on a mountain grade. They will probably be put to work on the Gloriosa mountain grade.

Nr. R. C. Parsons, a wealthy mine-owner of New Mexico was found dead in the river at Las Vegas Hot Springs recently. It is supposed that he committed suicide through theories on this point are very conflicting. He had repeatedly been offered \$150,000 for his interest in the Hopeful mine, and as often refused. He was from Ohio.

CHICAGO.

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CONVENTION NOTES FROM JUNE 19th. The convention assembled at noon in the great auditorium hall, which was magnificently decorated and admirably arranged. Every face was plainly distinguishable and the soft light of 2,500 incandescent electric lamps bathed the interior with a striking brilliancy.

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