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NEWS ITEMS.

Six hundred Spaniards have enrolled themselves at the consulate at Buenos Ayres for service against the insurgents in Cuba.

The president has appointed Burton R. Bennett, of Washington state, to be United States district attorney for the district of Alaska.

The will of the late Mrs. T. DeWitt Talmage was filed for probate Friday. The estate is left to her husband and is valued at $106,000.

The Lindell hotel, St. Louis, was Friday sold by the Boston Bound Rent Co. to the Washington Realty Co., of St. Louis, for $532,000.

The British steamer Argonaut, Capt. McGilliveray, from Halifax July 30, left Port Morant, Jamaica, foundered near Port Morant. All on board were saved.

Celebrations in commemoration of the German victories during the Franco-Prussian war continued to be held in various parts of the German empire Thursday.

The executive committee of the Southern Wholesale Grocers association announce that the boycott over the Louisville & Nashville railway will be continued.

Very Rev. James Hughes, vicar general of the Roman Catholic diocese of Hartford, Ct., died Wednesday evening. He was born in county Longford, Ireland, in October, 1830.

The repair shops of the Boston, Revere Beach & Lynn railroad at Orient Heights, Boston, with four locomotives, were totally destroyed by fire entailing a loss of $50,000.

The democratic convention at Jackson, Miss., nominated Hon Wyly N. Nash, of Oktibbeha, for attorney general, and A. A. Kincannon, for superintendent of instruction.

The agricultural implement firm of Hearst, Dunn & Co., of Peoria, Ill., failed Thursday. Assets $145,000; liabilities, $125,000. The firm has been in business there since 1864.

Fire broke out in one of the lumber yards of the Skillings, Whitneys & Barns Lumber Co., Ogdensburg, N. Y., at 3 o'clock Friday morning, and consumed about 9,000 feet of lumber.

The town of Neches, near Palestine, Tex., is in ashes as the result of incendiaries. The business portion of the village was destroyed. The loss is estimated at $15,000 with very little insurance.

Lieut Trugillo with four men had an encounter at Pla, near Guinallas, with a band of outlaws under Simon Sanchez. The latter was killed. The government troops captured some arms, etc.

A dispatch from Madrid says: Thirty-three thousand troops will go to Cuba this month and twenty thousand more will be sent in October, if they should be necessary to aid in quelling the rebellion there.

The republican state central committee met at Lincoln, Neb., Wednesday, and fixed Wednesday, October 2, at Lincoln as the date and place for holding the state convention. There will be 1,067 delegates.

From advices received concerning the troubles at Spring Valley, Gov. Altgeld says that there is nothing in the situation as it now appears to justify calling out troops or any state interference in the matter.

The Cloud Street Railway Co., of St. Louis, Miss., applied for a receiver Monday morning. It has a capitalization of $225,000, including $100,000 in bonds. This is equal to $23,000 a mile in a town of 6,000 people.

The four persons implicated in the Wilson assault near Oconii, I. T., were captured by United States marshals and a posse Friday afternoon. A large number of citizens are in pursuit with the intention of lynching them.

It is believed that the vessel which was sunk in a collision with the British ship Prince Oscar off the coast of Brazil is the British ship Holthill. The Holthill sailed from San Francisco for Queenstown April 23, carrying grain.

At Ottumwa, Ia., the mammoth wholesale establishment of George Daw & Co., doing business throughout Iowa, Missouri and Nebraska, was robbed early Friday morning. Money and goods valued at $1,500 were taken. No clew.

The California supreme court Wednesday dismissed the appeal of Murderer William Fredericks, who was recently hanged. The appeal was taken from the decision of Judge Murphy refusing to compel a jury to try the question of the murderer's insanity.

It is learned at Duluth, Minn., Friday evening from sources that are thoroughly authentic that the Rockefeller corporation has settled with William McKinley for $198,744. The suit of Mr. McKinley against the Lake Superior consolidated iron mines was for $600,000.

Fire in the double flats at 391 Dearborn street, Chicago, Friday afternoon, caused by an explosion of gasoline, fatally burned Joseph M. Meyers and communicated to adjoining dwellings and destroyed eight frame houses before it was controlled. Loss $20,000; partial insurance.

Gen. Lopez has consented to become governor-general of Cuba, Gen. Martinez Campos continuing to direct the campaign against the insurgents in the island. This arrangement has been made in order to show that the different political parties are agreed as to the necessity of quelling the rebellion.

Count Gaston Badhemor, chevalier of the Legion of Honor, member of the French Geographical society and inventor of the telephone system used by the French government, has leased the historic "Moss Neck" farm near Fredericksburg, Va., and with his family will live there in the future.

One of the worst collisions which ever occurred on the White Mountain division of the Boston and Maine railroad took place one mile south of Plymouth, N. H., Thursday morning. Three men met with instant death, several received injuries, and ten or twelve passengers received a fearful shaking up.

The London Times prints a dispatch from Hong Kong asserting that the riot at Flatshan Wednesday was not a serious outbreak. The dispatch says the Wesleyan hospital was damaged, but that the missionaries will remain at their posts.

A dispatch from Sydney, N. S. W., states that the British steamer Catterthun bound from Sydney for Hong Kong ran on the Seal Rocks, which lie between Sydney and Brisbane and became a total wreck. The dispatch notes that none of the passengers and crew were saved and that a number of persons are missing.

GOLD GOING ABROAD.

The Drain Upon the Reserve Seems to Have Begun in Earnest.

WASHINGTON, Aug. 13.—The drain upon the gold reserve of the treasury of the United States foreshadowed in these dispatches for some time past, seemed to have begun in earnest Monday when the officials were advised of the withdrawal of $1,650,000 from the sub-treasury at New York for export. The condition of affairs has occasioned much speculation of the means the administration will employ to maintain the gold reserve, should the probable withdrawals reduce it below the amount which it is deemed necessary for the government to hold. It can be stated that as between another issue of bonds and the calling of an extra session of Congress that the former will be resorted to.

Monday's withdrawals were the largest on any one day since the contract with the Belmont-Morgan syndicate went into effect last February. They reduced the gold in the treasury to $101,302,953, or a loss of more than $9,000,000 from the highest point it reached after the syndicate had made its final payments last month. On July 9 the gold reserve reached $107,541,478, being higher then than on any day according to the treasury's official "ten day's" statement, since February 20, 1893. Between the two days named $163,400,000 United States bonds were sold for gold, at prices aggregating $182,000, and the gold reserve, which was something over $65,000,000 in January, 1893, replenished as it has been by these bonds, amounts to a little more than $101,000,000, or a net loss of $146,600,000.

Department officials are loth to discuss the effect on the treasury of renewed gold shipments, or to express an opinion as to their probable extent, or when the shipments will cease, or whether the bold syndicate will feel itself bound to place the gold as it did after the first large withdrawal after the purchase of bonds. With exchange at 4.90½, an exceedingly high figure, the opinion is generally expressed that gold exports to the extent of $20,000,000 or $30,000,000 are likely to occur before October 1.

The excess of expenditures over receipts for the past two years amount to $107,000,000, and for the month and a third which has elapsed of the current year $15,000,000. But the receipts are increasing and officials express the hope that by January 1 next they will equal the expenditures, or nearly so.

IN BELLE MEADE CEMETERY.

The Remains of the Late Justice Jackson Laid to Rest—Fuller and Brewer Present.

NASHVILLE, Tenn., Aug. 13.—The remains of the late Justice Howell E. Jackson, of the supreme court of the United States, were laid at rest in a private family cemetery at Belle Meade stock farm, six miles west of this city, Monday morning at 10:30 o'clock. Belle Meade is the home of Gen. W. H. Jackson, brother of the deceased justice, who in associated with Richard Crocker is raising thoroughbred horses. It is one of the loveliest spots in all the country.

The funeral cortege moved from West Meade, the home of the deceased justice, shortly after 9 o'clock, and was something less than an hour reaching its destination.

The officiating clergymen were Revs. J. H. McNeily and R. Lin Cave, both of this city.

The ceremonies at the grave were not elaborate, but very impressive.

Chief Justice Fuller and Justice Brewer were the only members of the supreme court present. The others are scattered so far apart it was impossible for them to reach here in time. A large number of prominent men from Tennessee and other states were among the attendants.

An Aged Pedestrian.

CENTERVILLE, Ind., Aug. 13.—Christopher Columbus Cleveland, of Centerville, who is eighty-one years old, left his home in January last and walked to Danville, Ill., to pay a visit to his mother, who still lives, at the age of 117. After a short visit with her he started to walk to Washington, D. C., to see about his pension. Having satisfactorily adjusted the matter, he returned on foot. He left Centerville on February 13 and arrived in Washington in May.

The Cruiser Columbia.

NEW YORK, Aug. 13.—Monday afternoon the big United States cruiser Columbia, which recently raced across the west bound course of the Atlantic, was floated into the dry dock at the Brooklyn navy yard. The vessel was viewed by many naval officers Monday, and Tuesday she will be examined by the board of examiners from Washington to ascertain if her keel has been warped by the distribution of weight.

Decided In Favor of Waldeck Lodge.

CHICAGO, Aug. 13.—Judge Brentano, in the superior court Monday morning, gave Waldeck lodge, Knights of Pythias, authority to use the German language in its ritual. An injunction restraining the Grand lodge from further interfering with Waldeck lodge, because its members persist in using the German language during services in the lodge room, was made permanent.

Search for Howard Pietzel's Remains.

LOGANSPORT, Ind., Aug. 13.—Frank P. Geyer, a Philadelphia detective, is here searching for the remains of Howard Pietzel, an alleged Holmes victim. He claims the boy was killed and buried here in a trunk.

Appointments by the Governor.

INDIANAPOLIS, Ind., Aug. 13.—Gov. Matthews has appointed the following delegates to represent Indiana at the Mexican expedition, which is to open next April and continue six months: Jas. Studebaker, George Ford and Benjamin Birdsell, South Bend; John H. Bass, Ft. Wayne; Ralph H. Hemingray, Muncie; John J. Cooper and Volney T. Malott, Indianapolis; James H. Willard, Bedford; Francis J. Reitz and Benjamin Vonbehren, Evansville; John F. Beggs and G. W. Bennett, Terre Haute; George Pence, Columbus; Walter Evans, Noblesville; Benjamin Star, Richmond.

Dissatisfied Miners Meet.

PITTSBURGH, Aug. 13.—Twenty delegates representing the miners employed in the thirty-fourth pool mines met in convention here Monday. The miners represented are without the national organization and are dissatisfied with the terms of the recent compromise adjustment of wages in the Pittsburgh district. The morning session was occupied in effecting an organization and passing on credentials. Among those applying for admission were the officials of the miners' union. This was refused, however, much to the chagrin of the officials.

A REVOLT

Against Anti-Silver Platform Adopted by Iowa Democrats.

It is Believed Many Democrats Will Vote the Populist Ticket—The Chairman of the Democratic Free Silver Committee Writes an Open Letter.

OMAHA, Neb., Aug. 12.—Specials to the World-Herald from various points in Iowa indicate a formidable revolt against the anti-silver platform adopted by the Iowa democratic state convention at Marshalltown last week. It is believed by some observers that many democrats will vote the populist ticket and that others will not vote at all. At Council Bluffs two members of the county committee, among them W. H. Ware, representative of that county in the legislature, have resigned their positions, refusing to act with the party under the circumstances, though declaring they will not act with any other party, and it is said that the entire committee will resign.

Among the most outspoken of the disaffected ones is Judge W. C. James. Interviewed Sunday night he said:

"If the declarations of the Marshalltown convention are true then we have been misrepresenting, abusing and lying about the republican party ever since 1879. Their financial declaration is identical with the principles of the republican party as laid down in every state convention since the crime of 1873. There is no difference to-day between the two parties, and as the republicans have always been consistent on this subject, the acknowledgement of the Iowa democrats that their antagonists are right gives them a tremendous advantage and I will watch them win another great victory in Iowa this fall without any sorrow. I do not say I will vote the republican ticket, but only that I will not vote with the democrats, and as I am not a populist and have no patience with their vagaries, I will do what a great majority of the democrats around will do—not vote at all. There are 125 federal office holders in that state convention, and nearly all of them were there by proxy. They represent Cleveland and his gold bugs, and not the democratic party in Iowa."

J. J. Shea, chairman of the democratic free silver committee, and last year candidate for clerk of the supreme court on the democratic state ticket, is out in an open letter in which he charges the federal office holders in the convention with all sorts of threats, bulldozing, cajolery and bribery in defeating the free silver amendment. He advises democrats not to bolt, but keep up the fight.

HARMONY SOCIETY.

They Celebrate Their Ninety-First Harvest Home Day at Economy, Pa.

PITTSBURGH, Pa., Aug. 12.—The Harmony society celebrated its ninety-first harvest home day at Economy Sunday. Of the original members living of the once wealthy society only two were present to-day. There has been much dissension in the ranks of late, owing to the opposition against senior trustee Duss.

One of the features Sunday was a concert given by trustee Duss' band. One of the selections rendered was "The G. A. R. in Dixie, or North and South," dedicated to the coming encampment at Louisville, Ky. The march was so popular that the visitors were not satisfied until it had been rendered three times. Mr. Duss is the composer.

Died at the Age of 123.

INDIANAPOLIS, Aug. 12.—Mrs. Keziah Pierce, who claimed to be 123 years old, died in the Alpha home, a refuge for friendless colored women. She was four times married, and was the mother of twenty children. She was wretchedly ignorant and her memory was defective, but she remembered that she was born in Virginia and that she was sold to the Gilmore family, of Christian county, Ky. She lived in that state until 25 years ago, when she came here.

No Talmage Sermon.

NEW YORK, Aug. 12.—Owing to the recent sad bereavement of Rev. DeWitt Talmage he did not prepare a sermon for Sunday, the second time he has failed in his ministerial career, covering more than 40 years, to address on Sunday a congregation from the pulpit or through the press.

Burton Family Reunion.

MITCHELL, Ind., Aug. 12.—The twenty-first annual reunion of the Burton family will be held Thursday, August 29, at the Burton cemetery, two and one-half miles southwest of Mitchell. Addresses will be make by Dr. T. T. Eaton, of Louisville, Ky.; Hon. Will Cumback, of Greensburg, Ind., and others.

The Body Exhumed.

MIDDLESBORO, Ky., Aug. 12.—Carrie Slaughter, aged 16, colored, died and was buried three weeks ago. No minister could be secured to preach the funeral. This week Rev. Thompson, of Richmond, came. The body was exhumed, the funeral preached and the body then reburied.

Silver Mine on His Farm.

SERGENT, Ky., Aug. 12.—Dolphus Bukey, a farmer near the mouth of Forked creek, Perry county, has lately discovered a rich silver mine on his farm. Great excitement prevails and further investigation will be made. It is said that silver in paying quantities can be found.

Homing Pigeon Society.

ELWOOD, Ind., Aug. 12.—A homing pigeon society, composed of fifty members and owning nearly 1,000 birds, 500 of which are trained, has been organized in this city, with Mr. Piggott as president, Joseph Branch, vice-president; Wm. Kromes, secretary; John Collir, treasurer, and John Tarpey, racing secretary. The society will begin sending birds to Pittsburgh Monday, and daily thereafter, and the speed attained by the bird carefully noted. Birds will also be sent to Cincinnati and Chicago, and also Indianapolis, and young birds will be sent with the trained ones to be trained.

Bunkoed a Farmer.

LAPORTE, Ind., Aug. 12.—Two strangers called on Clayton Mallory, a prominent Steuben county farmer. One of the men introduced himself as Byron Spofford, president of the Branch County Savings bank, and with this formal introduction entered into negotiations for the purchase of Mallory's farm. The purchase price was finally agreed upon and Mallory produced a tin box containing the abstract of title, and in which was also $3,000 in paper money. The two men assaulted Mallory, and beating him into unconsciousness disappeared with the box and money.

THE WORLD'S MARKETS.

Canada Becoming a Great Competitor of the United States in Foreign Trade.

WASHINGTON, Aug. 13.—The secretary of agriculture will issue in a few days a bulletin No. 4, of the "World's market series." The present one treats of Canada, which has become so great a competitor of the United States in foreign markets.

This bulletin shows that the total exports of our Canadian neighbor increased from $89,000,000 in 1886 to $115,000,000 in 1894, or 33 per cent.; the imports from $109,000,000 to $123,000,000, or 13 per cent.; and the total trade from $198,000,000 to $241,000,000, or 21 per cent. during the same period. The largest proportional annual increase was in 1892, when the value of the total trade exceeded that of the preceding year about 11 per cent. During the years 1888 to 1891 inclusive the trade of Canada with the United States exceeded that with any other country; since then the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland has taken first rank, with the United States second. An important fact is that a large share of the agricultural products going abroad from Canadian seaports are cereals and flour in transit from the United States. Of $27,000,000 of such products shipped last year, $9,000,000 was American merchandise.

Of late years increased attention has been given by the government of Canada to dairy interests, encouraging the dairy associations throughout the country and passing strict sanitary laws regulating the manufacture of cheese and butter. No adulterations can be used and the importation, manufacture and sale of oleomargarine and other similar substances are prohibited. Though the quantity of butter exported decreased from ten and one-half million pounds in 1868 to five and one-half millions in 1894, nearly 50 per cent., the value declined from $1,700,000 to $1,100,000, or nearly thirty per cent. This indicates improvement in the quality of butter exported.

The export of cheese has increased notably. While in 1868 it was 6,141,576 pounds, valued at $620,543, in 1894 it rose to the large figure of 154,977,480 pounds, valued at $15,488,194.

Mention is made of the fishing industry and forest products. The value of the former in 1894 was over $30,000,000, and of the latter for 1894 over $60,000,000. In wood pulp in 1894 the United States alone imported from the dominion $369,010.

PHILADELPHIA FIRE.

Paper Box Factory Destroyed—Loss $500,000—Firemen Overcome by Heat.

PHILADELPHIA, Aug. 13.—One of the fiercest fires that has visited this city for some time started Monday morning. The flames originated at 8:30 a. m. in the rear of the paper box factory of Brown, Bailey & Brown, of 413 Franklin street. The building was five stories in height and extended through to Eighth street. It is a complete loss. The factory was completely surrounded by small buildings.

The fire leaped across Willow street to the dwellings on the south side of that thoroughfare and is rapidly eating its way through to Callowhill street, one block south. Several firemen who were overcome by the heat were removed to the hospitals. The loss will be fully $500,000.

Louis Roth, aged 5 years, who lived with his parents in the rear of 726 Willow street, is supposed to have been burned to death. When the fire spread to the Roth residence the parents fled with the boy, but the latter ran back into the dwelling and has not since been seen.

STRANGE DEATHS.

A Woman With Spasms Falls Across a Tub of Water and Drowns—A Child in Her Arms Was Also Drowned.

BALTIMORE, Aug. 13.—With the body of her 3-months-old baby John, clasped tightly in her arms, Mrs. Barbara Buschman, 25 years old, of 803 O'Donnell street, was found dead Monday morning. When the woman's husband, George Buschman, retired Sunday night, his wife remarked that she would remain below stairs a while to allow the baby to get some air. When the husband awoke Monday morning he found his wife's body beside a small tub filled with water, her head hanging over the edge. Pressed closely to her breast was the dead child, completely immersed in the water. After an examination the physicians declared that the woman died of spasms, superinduced by intermittent fever. The woman had fallen across the tub, and in her unconscious condition held her babe under water for several hours.

A Four-Handed Duel.

NOWATA, I. T., Aug. 13.—A desperate and bloody battle between the McGuirk brothers and the Walker brothers occurred here Monday morning. There were two on each side, and the four were armed with shotguns and the fight was a hot one. When the smoke cleared away all of the participants were found to be fatally wounded. The tragedy grew out of an old grudge.

Judge Patton Still in the Flesh.

LOUISVILLE, Ky., Aug. 13.—The report that Judge J. S. Patton, of the Twenty-fourth judicial district of Kentuck, is dead, proved to be erroneous. He has been seriously ill, but is now rapidly recovering.

Cubans in New York Well Pleased.

NEW YORK, Aug. 13.—Cubans in this city are delighted at the news that a provisional government has been formed in Cuba, and that Masco had been elected president. They regard him as a true patriot and otherwise the right man for the place.

Tufektchieff Released.

SOFIA, Aug. 13.—Tufektchieff, who was arrested on suspicion of having murdered ex-Prime Minister Stambuloff, has been liberated on bail. No others have been arrested in connection with the assassination.

The Sugar Bounty Decision.

WASHINGTON, Aug. 13.—No decision is expected from Controller Bowler in regard to the payment of the sugar bounty claims for some time, probably not before the return to the city of Secretary Carlisle, which will be about the first of September.

Free Silver Conference.

WASHINGTON, Aug. 13.—The conference of free silver democrats called by Senators Harris, Jones and Turpie, will be held in Washington Wednesday, and may extend over that and the next day.

FOREST FIRES.

Much Damage to Timber in Northern Washington.

No Loss of Life Reported, But Many Narrow Escapes—The Loss in the Counties of Whitcom and Skagit Will Approximate One Million Dollars.

WHITCOM, Wash., Aug. 12.—Throughout the past week forest fires have raged in the heavily timbered sections of the northern part of the state. In the counties of Whitcom and Skagit hundreds of acres of valuable timber and many ranches have been laid waste. No loss of life has been reported, but there have been many narrow escapes. The actual loss of property is large, approximating a million dollars in the two counties but the suffering of the ruined settlers exceeds the money loss. The town of Mount Vernon, Skagit county, has been visited and the shingle mill of Lodge & Mitchell, four residences and the plank sidewalks of the town burned. At Montborne, near-by, the dry house, ware house and a million and a half of shingles were burned. The fires on Fidalgo island have been extensive. Halton, Skagit county; Prairie, Whitcom county; Laurence, Whitcom county and other places all suffered losses. The fire is now spreading in the direction of LaConnor, Skagit county. Every one is praying for rain, but no sign of it appears.

Reports from Anacortes, Wash., says as a result of the protracted dry weather the most extensive forest fires in years are prevailing on Whidby and Camano islands and many farms have been ruined.

RAILROAD DISASTER.

A Locomotive and Part of a Train Drops Into the River—Three Men Lose Their Lives.

SPRINGFIELD, O., Aug. 13.—The Ohio Southern railroad had one of the worst wrecks in its history Sunday afternoon at Paint river, forty miles south of here. At this point there is a two-span bridge over the river. A west-bound coal train of thirty-five cars struck the bridge, which had been considered perfectly safe. The structure gave way in both spans, and the engine dropped twenty-five feet into the water, which at that point is about thirty feet deep.

The coal cars followed the engine until twenty had piled up in the river. The remainder of the train had by this time become checked and remained on the track. Engineer Clint Radcliffe, Fireman Martin Houser and Brakeman Wm. Hincox, who were all in the cab when the bridge collapsed, went down without a moment's warning with the iron monster and were drowned. They are at present buried in the river under about 400 tons of coal. They all lived here. The remainder of the crew escaped. In connection with the sad catastrophe it is reported that four tramps, who were stealing a ride, went down to death with the train.

STORM AT BALTIMORE.

St. Elizabeth's Catholic Church Demolished and Other Property Damaged.

BALTIMORE, Aug. 13.—A wind storm of cyclonic proportions, accompanied by a heavy downpour of rain and hail, visited this city Sunday afternoon. Houses were unroofed, trees uprooted, windows smashed, telegraph, telephone and trolley wires broken and other damage done. The most serious damage done was the demolition of St. Elizabeth's Catholic Church, in course of erection on East Baltimore street, opposite Patterson park.

The losses so far reported will amount to upwards of $50,000. Just before the rain began the mercury at the weather observers made a record-breaking drop of nine degrees in one minute. The highest temperature during the day was reached just before the storm broke, when 96 degrees were recorded.

A New Railroad Contemplated.

ELYRIA, O., Aug. 13.—The Johnson Co. is preparing to construct a railroad from Sandusky to Cleveland via Lorain and the steel plant. Two routes have been surveyed east from the steel plant, one of which covers twenty-two miles; the other ends at Berea, where connection is made with the Big Four. It is understood that the terminal facilities of the latter will be used in Cleveland. Bids have been invited on the construction of the eastern end of the new line, which will be mainly a freight road, designated to carry the output of the Johnson Co. Its construction will probably hurry the work of harbor improvements at Lorain.

Bad for the Kellars.

BLOOMINGDALE, Ind., Aug. 13.—Justice Penny held for trial Daniel Kellar, his wife and sister, Nancy, for the murder of Miss Clara Shanks, the beautiful young girl found dead a few weeks ago at Wolf Creek falls. The theory of the prosecution is that Miss Shanks was murdered in the Kellar house. It was proved that Mrs. Kellar threatened Miss Shanks.

THE MARKETS.

CINCINNATI, Aug. 13.

LIVE STOCK—Cattle, common	$2 15	@ 3 25
Select butchers	4 00	@ 4 05
HOGS—Common	4 25	@ 4 65
Good packers	4 65	@ 4 80
SHEEP—Choice	3 00	@ 3 75
LAMBS—Spring	4 50	@ 4 75
FLOUR—Winter family	2 00	@ 3 00
GRAIN—Wheat—No. 2 red		@ 69½
No. 3 red		@ 68½
Corn—No. 2 mixed		@ 40
Oats—No. 2		@ 22
Rye—No. 2		@ 47
HAY—Prime to choice	13 00	@13 50
TOBACCO—Medium leaf	10 00	@11 50
Good leaf	12 00	@14 75
PROVISIONS—Mess pork		@11 00½
Lard—Prime steam		@ 6 00
BUTTER—Choice dairy		@ 11
Prime to choice creamery		@ 22
APPLES—Per bbl	1 00	@ 1 50
POTATOES—New, per bbl	1 25	@ 1 50
NEW YORK.		
FLOUR—Winter patents	3 05	@ 3 15
GRAIN—Wheat—No. 1 north'n		@ 70½
No. 2 red		@ 70½
CORN—No. 2 mixed		@ 45½
OATS—Mixed		@ 25½
PORK—New mess	11 25	@11 50
LARD—Western		@ 6 45
CHICAGO		
FLOUR—Winter patents	3 25	@ 3 75
GRAIN—Wheat—No. 2 red	65	@ 65½
No. 2 Chicago spring	65	@ 65½
CORN—No. 2		@ 40½
OATS—No. 2		@ 19
PORK—Mess	9 70	@ 9 75
LARD—Steam	6 07½	@ 6 10
BALTIMORE		
FLOUR—Family	3 40	@ 3 70
GRAIN—Wheat—No. 2	69	@ 69½
Corn—Mixed	43½	@ 43½
Oats—Mixed	28	@ 30½
LARD—Refined		@11 00
PORK—Mess		@16 25
CATTLE—Fine quality	4 37½	@ 4 62½
HOGS—Western	5 30	@ 6 00
INDIANAPOLIS		
GRAIN—Wheat—No. 2		@ 67
Corn—No. 2 mixed		@ 43½
Oats—No. 2 mixed		@ 25
LOUISVILLE		
FLOUR—Winter patent		@ 4 25
GRAIN—Wheat—No. 2 red		@ 69
Corn—Mixed		@ 43
Oats—Mixed		@ 28
PORK—Mess		@18 25

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CURRENT TOPICS.

INDIGO is the cap of the indigofera.

CORK is the outer rind of the cork oak.

THE Indian word "moccasin" means "a warmer."

GINGER is the dried rootstock of the ginger plant.

QUEEN VICTORIA'S favorite dish is boiled beef and cabbage.

TURPENTINE is a balsam which flows from some varieties of pine.

A HAILSTORM near Fargo, N. D., is alleged to have done $500,000 damage.

THE Dollar Savings bank, of Kansas City, has gone into voluntary liquidation.

JERSEY'S cranberry crop promises to be exceptionally large and good this year.

CAMPHOR is contained in the wood and the root of the camphor tree of the East Indies.

GUTTA percha is the milky sap of the Isonandra gutta percha tree of the East Indies.

JUDGE REED, of Brockton, Mass., recently fined a farmer $28 for running into a bicycle.

MISS GERTRUDE VANDERBILT received $25,000 worth of bouquets at her coming-out party.

THE International Geological congress at London has adjourned to meet in Berlin in 1896.

WM. C. WHITNEY has a ballroom in which the panels of pink Italian marble cost $5,000 each.

ROSE COGHLAN is in trouble. She must give up her rents to satisfy a mortgage of $10,000.

BERLIN, by a census just taken, has 1,616,381 inhabitants, 120,000 less than had been estimated.

IN the English army a soldier is drummed to church just as he is to drill or dress parade.

SIX cows and two horses owned by Peter Doremer, of Evansville, Wis., were killed by lightning.

AT the Burden-Sloane wedding there were 150 millionaires, with the aggregate pile of $1,000,000,000.

BANK burglars got but seventy-five cents and some beneficial exercises out of the Bank of Corder, Mo.

THE female of the common mosquito lays 350 eggs, which hatch in a period of from seven to nine days.

THIS year's election will cost New York city about $450,000, over 11,000 election officers being required.

BY his own confessions, Henry G. Clark, aged 17, of Chelsea, Mass., has set fires that caused $50,000 loss.

THE completed census gives Superior, Wis., a population of 26,176, an increase of nearly 125 per cent. over 1890.

CHICAGO and Milwaukee are to be connected by an elevated bicycle road. A toll of ten cents will be levied.

LIGHTNING struck a flock of sheep recently belonging to H. V. Watts, at Lydon, Mich. Nineteen were killed.

BEATRICE HARRADEN claims that she has received from all sources but $650 for her "Ships that Pass in the Night."

JOHN OLIVER HOBBES (Mrs. Craigie) has been elected president of the Society of Women Journalists of London.

THE navy department has decided to punish officers guilty of lending money at usurious rates or winking at it.

TWENTY governors, with their staffs, have promised attendance at the dedication of the Chickamauga National park.

AS a result of improvements on the Seine that river is now navigable for steamers of 1,000 tons burden as far as Paris.

OREGON has just passed a law against fishing in the Columbia river on Sunday. It is intended to give the salmon a rest.

GEO. VANDERBILT has spent $5,000,000 on his country seat in Carolina, and expects to spend as much more in furnishing.

A CAREELESS Chicago motorman on the west division street line ran into a funeral procession, nearly killing two persons.

WITHIN twenty miles of the summit of Mt. Washington fully 10,000 more people can be accommodated than could 20 years ago.

MISS DODGE (Gail Hamilton) is slowly improving in health. Friends who have seen her recently say that she is in excellent spirits.

THE deer are cheekier than crows in northern Maine. Farmers can't drive them out of their oats, and they seem obliged to feed them.

AT the Glen Summit hotel, in Pennsylvania, the other day, three gentlemen named King, Queen and Ace registered at the same time.

A NEW measurement of Mt. Adams, Washington, finds it to be 12,902 feet high. If this is correct the peak is 197 feet higher than Mt. Hood.

THE princess of Wales has tired of big sleeves and has discarded them without any appreciable effect on the prevailing fashion, however.

THE river Thames is from 800 to 1,500 feet broad in London and seven miles broad at the Nore. It is navigable 115 miles above the London bridge.

MADDER is the root of an herb-like growth. It is about the size of a lead pencil and much longer. It is cleaned, dried and ground. It is dye stuff.

THE treasury department expects a heavy increase in the internal revenue receipts the last of the month from the withdrawal of whisky from bond.

CHAUNCEY DEPEW, when asked by a friend for a pass for the latter's mother-in-law, considerately sent a round-trip pass, good for three days only.

NEARLY $400,000 is the amount obtained from the bicycle tax this year by the French government, the number of machines declared being just under 200,000.

THE Oklahoma man who has been in Kansas soliciting aid for drouth sufferers is having his heels trod on by another man asking aid for Oklahoma flood sufferers.

THE water in the Kennebec is said to be lower than it was ever before known to be at this season. Unless rain soon falls the people who go canoeing through northern Maine the coming autumn will be likely to do some walking.

PHEBE WALTON, who died in the Bucks county, (Pa.) poor-house the other day at the age of 90 years, had spent only five weeks of her entire life outside the house.

JOSEPH DUDLEY, of Waterford, Me., seventy years ago built a big clock over the entrance of his house. Neither rain nor snow has affected it, and it still keeps excellent time.

THE hardware trade journal estimates this year's product of the bicycle factories at 400,000 wheels with many manufacturers unable to supply the demand. Next year's output promises to be nearly double this.

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