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DIRE DISTRESS.

YELLOW FEVER RAVAGES IN THE SOUTH.

Alarming Increase of the Disease at Memphis and New Orleans--Noble Efforts of the Howard Association to Alleviate the Terrible Suffering and Check the Disease--Pressing Appeals for Aid and Liberal Responses from Various Northern Cities.

NEW ORLEANS.

NEW ORLEANS, Aug. 24.—New cases, 193; deaths, forty-two. Hugh Irvine, chief operator of the Western Union telegraph office in this city, died this morning of yellow fever after six days' illness. Total cases for the week, 891; to date, 1,866; total deaths for the week, 311; to date, 577. There is no explanation of the increase of new cases to-day other than the spread of the disease, the report containing but few if any more old cases than those of the preceding days. From noon to 6 this afternoon 103 new cases had been reported at the office of the board of health, indicating a still larger number of new cases for to-morrow than were reported up to noon to-day.

The Tours infirmary and Hebrew Benevolent association have received to date over $600 in contributions, which they are disbursing in aid of the sick and needy.

The telegraphers of Texas have forwarded $160 for the relief of the sick. The New Orleans telegraph manager, E. W. Barnes, of the Western Union Telegraph company, and C. H. Smith, operator, are down with fever. F. B. Moxon, operator, is convalescent. Col. B. P. Anderson, of the Memphis Howard association at Grenada, telegraphs to the Howards here to-day for twenty more nurses. One hundred and thirty-four applications for relief were made to the Howard association to-day.

MEMPHIS.

MEMPHIS, Aug. 24.—To-day the number of cases of yellow fever reported is nearly double of that of any previous day, the total for twenty-four hours ending 6 P. M., being 106; the deaths in the same time number fifteen. The large increase becoming known at noon created something of a panic among those who had determined to brave it out, and many wavered in their resolution and left the city by rail this evening. Howards have had more than they could attend to to-day, experienced more difficulty in supplying nurses for sick. Among the deaths to-day is Dr. Jno. C. Rogers, and among the cases Father Maher, of St. Bridget church, Dr. D. T. Porter and Dolph Thumel, teller of the German national bank. The grand dictator of Tennessee, Knights of Honor, has issued a circular appeal to the Knights of Honor to respond to the distress call. Many members of the order have died and many more are now on the sick list. The expenses of the lodges here are very heavy and the treasury well nigh exhausted.

The increase of the fever to-day has brought more laborers into the field, and Odd Fellows, Masons, Knights of Honor and Orders of Workingmens' relief boards find their time pretty well occupied in caring for the sick and destitute. The terrible epidemic of 1873 scarcely equals the distress now prevailing in our midst, when our depleted population is taken into account. To-day whole families were prostrated within a few hours, the misery being increased in some instances by the delay in receiving proper attention.

In answer to the appeal for help from Butler P. Anderson, member of the Memphis Howard association, who has been working among the sick at Grenada, Thos. J. Brogan and D. W. Coon to-day volunteered their services and will proceed to Grenada in the morning. Two more of our physicians, Drs. Ess and Theuentt, are reported down with the fever to-night.

HOLLY SPRINGS.

MEMPHIS, Aug. 24.—A special to the *Appeal* from Holly Springs, Miss., reports six cases of yellow fever there, all refugees. The Jackson board of health has designated Holly Springs as one of the infected points and quarantined its mail matter.

JACKSON.

JACKSON, Aug. 24.—Not a case of fever has yet appeared in Jackson. Our authorities are working with the energy of despair to keep out the grim destroyer. Even roads and railways are watched day and night and the town patrolled. Citizens, both black and white, constitute themselves detectives, and all strangers unable to give a good account of themselves are marched to the city limits and warned not to return. The fire bells ring at 10 P. M., and all persons found on the streets after that hour are arrested. A mass meeting pledged the Mayor moral and physical support to carry out all measures. The Vicksburg Meridean railroad discontinue their trains to-day. Contributions from the Masonic fraternity are coming in answer to the appeal of Grand Secretary Powers.

The following appeals speak for themselves: Jackson, Miss., Aug. 24. 1878.—Odd Fellows of the United States: We need help. We have no funds in our treasury. Our citizens who were able have generally fled from our pestilence stricken towns. The mortality and destitution at Vicksburg, Geneva and Port Gibson is fearful. Other towns threatened with the scourge. Send your contributions to our grand treasurer, J. L. Powers, Jackson, and he will distribute. (Signed) Jno. H. McKenzie, grand master."

"Hibernian associations of the United States: The distress among our people in Vicksburg and other pestilence stricken towns in this State is fearful. Citizens who had means fled on the approach of the fever. Bishop Elder and a number of priests and Sisters of Mercy are now laboring among the dead and dying in Vicksburg. Send us help. Answer soon. Forward to Bishop Elder, Vicksburg. (Signed) C. Cummings, vice president Hibernian association."

GRENADA.

MEMPHIS, Tenn., Aug. 24.—A special to the *Appeal* from Grenada says appeals for nurses to-day which could not be answered were heart-rending. Whole families are down without a soul to aid them. Fifty brave nurses on duty have more than an average of two patients apiece, yet they do not flag in their duty. Abundant supplies of provisions from neighboring towns come in daily, and funds are now being received quite liberally. Good nurses are the great need.

LOUISVILLE, Aug. 24.—At a meeting of the physicians of Louisville assembled at the instance of the mayor this morning, expressions of opinions were unanimously made.

First—ample accommodation by hospitals and otherwise have been provided by the city for the reception and treatment of all cases of yellow fever that may offer in this city of persons whose necessities make such accommodations desirable.

Second—That the sanitary condition of the city was never better at this season of the year than at the present time.

Third—That whenever in the past yellow fever has prevailed in Southern cities, cases have been brought to Louisville, and within our knowledge no instance has yet occurred in which a case has arisen among our own citizens. This experience warrants us to promise immunity at the present time.

Contributions.

CHICAGO.

CHICAGO, Aug. 24.—Subscriptions aggregating $2,500, were made on the board of trade this morning for the benefit of the yellow fever sufferers.

John B. Drake has contributed $250. The Young Men's Christian association has forwarded contributions aggregating $148, the board of trade $2,500, Scotch people $100, Jews $1,000. Numerous other small amounts have been subscribed.

NEW YORK.

NEW YORK, Aug. 24.—The chamber of commerce relief committee to noon to-day had received $1,900 for the yellow fever sufferers.

CINCINNATI.

CINCINNATI, Aug. 24.—A bale of cotton brought by the steamer James D. Parker, was sold on 'Change to-day for $600. This will be sent to aid the sufferers at Memphis.

ERIE.

ERIE, Pa., Aug. 24.—Our citizens subscribed $300 to-day for yellow fever sufferers at Vicksburg, and more will be sent to other points of the South.

NASHVILLE.

NASHVILLE, Tenn., Aug. 24.—The citizens' committee to-day collected $2,040, besides a large quantity of provisions, in aid of the cities affected with yellow fever.

ST. LOUIS.

ST. LOUIS, Aug. 24.—The fund for fever sufferers in the South was increased to-day to about $5,000. Several societies are also at work raising money for the same purpose. John R. Parson grand commander, Knight Templar, sent $100 to-day to the grand commander of Mississippi for distribution, and other sums were forwarded to different places.

CLEVELAND.

CLEVELAND, O., Aug. 24.—A large attended meeting of citizens was held this morning in Doane's tabernacle to raise funds for yellow fever sufferers. Hon. Amos Townsend presided and $1,500 was subscribed. The Oriental commandry of Knights Templar, gave $100, the board of trade $300 and the city bankers $500.

NASHVILLE.

NASHVILLE, Aug. 24.—Over $2,000 were collected here to-day for the suffering Southern cities.

CLEAR LAKE ASSEMBLY.

A Rainy Day Interferes with the Proceedings of the Day—Full Exoneration of Rev. J. H. Lozier.

CLEAR LAKE, Ia., Aug. 24.—Saturday at the Clear Lake assembly was hot in the forenoon and raining in the afternoon, so that the board of managers at their evening session decided to throw open their gates during the rest of the session. It was Alumni day and Dr. Crook, of Minnesota, delivered the alumni address of the morning, and Dr. Scovell, of Pennsylvania, followed at night. Both lectures were able and popular.

The board of managers at the session to-day fixed upon July as the time for opening the next assembly which is to continue two weeks, and two days, including a Sabbath, are to be given to temperance.

The following is the unanimous action of the board of managers in relation to the assaults of the Dubuque *Times* and some other papers upon Rev. J. H. Lozier, in refutation of certain false and slanderous charges concerning Rev. J. H. Lozier:

The board of managers of the Sabbath School Assembly of the Northwest desire to put on record that all the funds of the assemby have been received and disbursed by the regular constituted officers of the assembly and not by Mr. Lozier, and that in all the proceedings in reference to charges at the gates, the board itself has given the directions and is responsible therefor. There has not been, nor could there be, any speculation made by Mr. Lozier out of the funds of the assembly, nor has he made any attempt in that direction.

(Signed), R. H. GILMORE, Prest.
R. W. KEELER, Sec'y.

Monday comes the class examinations and Monday night closes the series of splendid entertainments.

GRAIN INSPECTION.

Changes in Rules by the Milwaukee Chamber of Commerce.

MILWAUKEE, Aug. 24.—The board of directors of the chamber of commerce having reconsidered the recommendation of the 13th inst., in reference to the amendment of the rules governing the inspection of grain, have given their approval of the following, which was unanimously adopted at the noon board to-day:

HARD WHEAT.

Resolved, That rule twenty be amended by striking out of section one the words "hard fife or black sea wheat," and substituting in place of these the words "the hard varieties of spring wheat, No. 4 to be fit for warehousing, otherwise unfit for higher grades weighing not less than fifty-one pounds to the measured bushel. Rejected shall comprise all wheat fit for marketing, but too low in weight or otherwise unfit to pass as No. 4."

WHITE OATS.

Resolved, That rule XX, section 1, be amended by the addition of the following: No. 2 white oats shall be sound, reasonably clear, reasonably free from other grain, and composed mostly of white oats. No. 1 white oats to be white, sound, clean, free from other grain, and reasonably bright.

Bonds Held for Security.

WASHINGTON, Aug. 24.—The treasury now holds $348,921,450 United States bonds to secure national bank circulation, and $13,860,400 to secure public deposits.

U. S. Bonds deposited for circulation week ending to-day	$ 1,207,500
Amount withdrawn	1,041,500
National bank circulation, outstanding currency notes	321,892,252
Gold Notes	1,432,120
Internal revenue	409,297
Customs	562,411
Receipts of national bank notes for redemption for week ending to-day, as compared with corresponding week last year, 1877	3,984,000
1878	3,421,000
Receipts to-day	597,000

Colder To-Day.

WASHINGTON, Aug. 25, 1 A. M.—Indications for the upper lake region, colder, clear or partly cloudy weather, preceded in the southern portions by light winds, mostly northwesterly; rising barometer. For the upper Mississippi and lower Missouri valleys, clear or partly cloudy weather, preceded in the southern portions by occasional rain and northwesterly winds. In Missouri and Iowa, lower temperature and rising barometer.

Successful Workings of the Chain Gang.

ERIE, Pa., Aug, 24.—Our new tramp law, under which tramps are sentenced to thirty days hard labor in the chain gang, breaking stone on the street, is working beautifully. The tramps seldom linger long in the city after being released, and the community never was freeer from them than now.

Appointed Consul.

WASHINGTON, Aug. 24.—The President has appointed Henry Dethmer, of New York, consul at Presean, Germany.

POTTER'S PUMP.

The Committee Hold a Short Session Yesterday and Develop Other Proof of Republican Rascality in Louisiana--Adjournment of the Committee Subject to Call.

NEW YORK, Aug. 24.—The Potter committee continued its investigation to-day. J. R. Alcee Gouthreaux, of New Orleans, who had charge of the registration bureau in 1874, testified that his bureau ascertained that the number of fraudulent registrations in New Orleans amounted to 13,000, and affidavits had been made against 9,400. The witness said many of the republican supervisors of elections and registers were non-residents, fugitives from justice, and in several cases were under indictment. The witness said he had a conversation with Judge Dibble, who made the remark that he and Burke were foolish to work for the Democracy, for if they had a majority of 20,000 they would be counted out by the returning board.

Witness referred to the sewing machine circular by which he said the Republicans made their registration lists and said that when Maj. Burke and himself protested to the returning board against this fraud they were laughed at. He then gave the names of a large number of those who manipulated the late election, all of whom held federal offices, including J. Madison Wells and Thos. O. Anderson. Witness admitted that he belonged to the organization known as the White League. He had turned out with them and borne arms. The object of the league was to protect themselves against the machinations of men who wanted to encroach on their rights as citizens and take their property from them. The organization was still in existence and numbered from 700 to 1,000 members.

Richard B. Edgeworth, captain of police, New Orleans, and supervisor of elections, handed in the following, among other letters:

HEADQUARTERS REPUBLICAN PARTY OF LOUISIANA, NEW ORLEANS, Sept. 25, 1878—S. B. Edgeworth, supervisor of registration, Parish Plague Mine, La.—Dear Sir: It is well known to this committee from examination of the census of 1875 that the Republican vote in your parish is 3,000, and the Republican majority 2,200. You are expected to register and vote the full strength of the Republican party in your parish. Your recognition by the next State administration will depend upon your doing your full duty in the premises, and you will not be held to have done your full duty unless the Republican registration in your parish reaches 3,000, and the Republican vote is at least 3,000. All local candidates and committees are directed to aid you to the utmost in obtaining this result, and every facility will be offered you, but you must obtain the results called for herein without fail. Once obtained, your recognition will be ample and generous.

Very respectfully,
(Signed.) D. J. W. A. JERRART, Sec'y.

James B. Kelly, of New Orleans, testified to seeing Eliza Pinkston taken from home, on Gravier street, to the Republican investigating committee, and she walked down the steps unaided.

Adjourned subject to call of chairman.

THE OLD CAMP GROUND.

Grand National Soldiers Reunion at Marietta, O.--Union, Confederates and Britishers in Loving Concourse.

CINCINNATI, Aug. 24.—Extensive preparations are making for the national soldiers reunion at Marietta, O., beginning Sept. 3d, and lasting four days. The government has furnished a large number of army tents, utensils, etc., which are now coming from Jeffersonville; also, about ten tons of artillery and musket cart-cartridges from the Rock Island arsenal, with artillery and small cannon from the Alleghany arsenal. Two regiments of Ohio National guards and the First regiment of West Virginia troops will go into camp and compete. Also the Columbus cadets, Putnam light artillery and other unattached companies. Also, a portion of the Twenty-second battalion of Canadian militia, who are, by special permission of the British and American governments, allowed to attend. Letters of acceptance are received from Secretary Evarts, Generals Hope, Crooks, Garfield, Wallace, Legatee, Senator Thurman and others with Gen. Moseby of the Confederate army. Invitations are still pending with the President, Generals Joe Johnston, J. B. Hood, Fitz Hugh Lee, Longstreet and others. The exercises will consist of parades, experience meeting, sham battles and prize drills. Tents, fuel, and cooking utensils are furnished to all who wish to go into camp. It is expected the daily attendance will reach 40,000 to 50,000. Gen. D. B. Fearing, of Cincinnati, will command the post.

LABOR SAVING MACHINERY.

A Witness Before the Labor Commission Who Believes it Responsible for the Business Depression---Other Theories Advanced.

NEW YORK, Aug. 24.—J. J. Hinchman, of Brooklyn, gave his views to the labor Congressional committee to-day. He did not think the depression of business was so great as reported, and he believed that the government should not interfere by legislation.

F. H. Thurber, a merchant of this city, testified that he believed the primary cause of the ills which the laboring and other classes are complaining of are the developments of steam and electricity which, in connection with labor-saving machinery, have within a comparatively few years revolutionized production and commerce, altered our manners and customs of life and now absorb the attention of statesmen of the day in the adjustment of organic law to meet the changed conditions of the age in which we live. An overstocked market means a commercial crisis, with all its attendent phenomena of declining prices, idle manufactories and distress among operatives. The only remedy for this is to wait until consumption catches up with production.

Some funther testimony of similar quality was given, and the committee adjourned till Monday.

Foster on the Stump.

SPRINGFIELD, O., Aug. 24.—Chas. Foster is addressing a fine audience at Black's opera house to-night. He opens the campaign in this district. He takes ground for the policy of resumption and defends the motive of the President in his Southern policy, while admitting its doubtful character as a partisan measure.

The Strike of the Peg and Awl Ended.

CHICAGO, Aug. 24.—The shoemakers' strike is ended, the trouble between the shoemakers and manufacturers having been amicably settled. It is said the manufacturers will now put on double forces and will soon be able to fill any orders.

Their Contract Continued.

NEW YORK, Aug. 24.—The freight contract between the Pacific Mail steamship company and the Union Pacific railroad, which would have terminated the last day of this month, has been continued for sixty days longer on the same basis.

Stock Brokers Failed.

NEW YORK, Aug. 24.—The suspension of Davidson & Jones, bankers and brokers, was announced at the Stock Exchange this morning. The failure is understood to have been caused by the decline in stock. The firm had no contracts outstanding at the board.

CRIMES AND CASUALTIES.

Serious Fight With Moonshiners in Tennessee--Fires and Other Misfortunes.

SMALL FIRES.

DETROIT, Aug. 24.—The planing and feed mills of Danford & Co., at Ovid, Mich., were totally destroyed by fire last night. Loss on mills, machinery and material $10,000; insurance $3,000.

CINCINNATI, Aug. 24.—The shoe shop and brush and chair factory of the State reform school at Lancaster, Ohio, was burned last night. Loss $20,000; uninsured.

JAIL DELIVERY AND RECAPTURE.

DEADWOOD, D. T., Aug. 24.—Shortly before noon to-day as Jailor Manning unlocked the door of the main cell of the city jail, the prisoners, acting on a preconcerted plan, made a dash for liberty. The jailor was knocked down and the prisoners all succeeded in getting outside of the jail yard before an alarm was given. Under Sheriff Mahan and deputies, assisted by a large number of citizens, were quickly on hand and began a hot pursuit of the jail-birds, who had taken to the mountains. The chase was so well managed that in less than an hour all the prisoners except one were recaptured. Several shots were fired but no one injured. The prisoners recaptured were White and Keiser, horse thieves, and Dale and Martin, cattle thieves. Bell, the alleged murder of Charles Lee, did not attempt to escape.

A CONVICT ESCAPES.

COLUMBUS, O., Aug. 24.—Wait W. Jones, a five year convict from Cuyahoga, escaped from the penitentiary this morning. He was dressed in a citizen's suit, and presented the pass of a foreman of the shop at the prison gate and walked away to freedom without trouble.

SKIRMISH WITH MOONSHINERS.

NASHVILLE, Tenn., Aug. 24.—Revenue officers report an engagement with an armed band of illicit distillers in Overton county, headed by Campbell Morgan, at 6 P. M. yesterday. The revenue officers were under fire for forty-five minutes, and Phillips, Pippins and Smith were wounded. Commissioner Raum has given Collector Woodcock authority to send enough men to capture the entire band. He is now getting up a posse for that purpose.

KILLED IN A DRUNKEN ROW.

NEW ORLEANS, Aug. 24.—Paddy Jones was shot and killed by Louis Grady to-night on Royalston height in a drunken row.

FIGHT WITH MOONSHINERS.

NASHVILLE, Aug. 24.—Ayres and Strain arrived here this evening from nine miles north of Cookville, in Overton county, where the fight of yesterday occurred between illicit distillers and twelve revenue men, and they say they were about to put up for the night when they were unexpectedly fired into by twenty or thirty men. A regular skirmish ensued in which Phillips was shot through the left side, and it is believed mortally wounded, Tippers under the right eye, and Smith in the left arm. One of the illicit distillers was seen to fall. They were sent here by Davis for reinforcements. When they left firing was still going on, and news of the result is awaited with interest. Eighteen armed men were sent from here to-night to reinforce Special Deputy Collector Davis. Two illicit distilleries have just been broken up in Lawrence and Overton counties.

SPORTING EVENTS.

The Turf.

SARATOGA RACES.

SARATOGA, Aug. 24.—The first race, three-quarters of a mile, was won by Lady D'Arcy, Alever second, Loiterer third. Time, 1:16¾.

The second race, a handicap for three-year-olds, a mile and three-quarters, was won by Dalicheff, Pilot second, Bertha third. Time, 3:08½.

The third race, a mile and a quarter, was won easily by Parole, beating Hattie F. Time, 2:14.

The fourth race, one mile, was won by Nannie H, W. J. Hilgens second, Owen third. Time, 1:45.

The fifth race, a free handicap chase, usual course and three-quarter mile, was won by Deadhead, Walter second, Derby third. Time, 1:33½.

Aquatic.

SCULLING RACE.

WHEELING, W. Va., Aug. 24.—In the two-mile scull race at Beach Bottom, near this city, between Clayton, of Wheeling, and Leybert, of Pittsburgh, the former won by three boat lengths. Time 22 minutes 15 seconds.

Base Ball.

CLEVELAND, Aug. 24.—Forest Citys 5; Uticas 6.

PITTSBURGH, Aug. 24.—Providence 11; Indianapolis 1.

CINCINNATI, Aug. 24.—Cincinnatis 7; Chicagos 5.

MILWAUKEE, Aug. 24.—Bostons 4; Milwaukees 3. The Bostons and Milwaukees will play next Monday for the benefit of the yellow fever sufferers.

KERR'S RESPITE,

But They Are Getting Ready to Ventilate Him Again.

[Special Telegram to the Globe.]

ST. PETER, Aug. 24.—The senators composing the investigation committee returned to their homes this morning. They will not again meet till Mr. Smith, their secretary, has prepared a complete list of all vouchers filed by Mr. Kerr, the treasurer, with the State auditor. Mr. Smith will also prepare for the committee a statement of all money paid to Damren & Snyder on their contracts and extra bills, and the amounts paid trustees for traveling expenses and per diem wages as claimed by them.

When everything is prepared so that the committee can proceed with the investigation with some prospect of getting to an intelligible comprehension of the building accounts, the chairman will call the committee together, and the poor old clerical financier, Kerr, will again be put on the rack.

A Sunday Thought for Mr. Key.

[Windom Reporter.]

The *Dispatch* wants all the postmasters to go to St. Paul to do honor to Rebel Gen. Key, Hayes' postmaster general. Yes. Union soldiers ought to do him honor. Will the *Dispatch* tell us what for?

The True Platform.

[Delano Eagle.]

Anything to beat Washburn and the pine-land rings, is the platform Democrats and independent voters in the Third Congressional district want to stand upon this fall.

Deposit the Money.

[St. Paul Dispatch.]

The treasurer of the board of education is being loudly called on to comply with the law in reference to deposits of school money.

FATAL FANATICISM.

A LUNATIC WHO IMAGINES HIMSELF A PROPHET.

He Organizes His Disciples and Starts Out to Overcome His Enemies—But Meeting a Squad of Police and Refusing to Disperse His Followers, He is Shot to Death—Miscellaneous Old World News.

A PROPHET KILLED.

LONDON, Aug. 24.—A Roman correspondent of the *Times* gives an account of the grossest fanatic and the circumstances of his death. Lazzerette declared himself to be Christ come again, and had chosen twelve apostles. On the morning of the 18th the prophet, at the head of about 2,500 followers, started for the village of Arcidosso. His purpose, it is said, was not peaceful. A hundred believers dressed in white tunics, like ancient Jewish priests, led the column. At their head walked David, the saint, attired in a half regal, half pontifical costume, with a diadem on his head and an iron shotted club in his hand. The procession sang hymns with the refrain "Long live God and the Christian Republic," "Praise be to Christ come a second time on earth." The mob was met half way by a delegate of the police, accompanied by nine Carbineers, who invited them to disburse. Upon this David cried "I am King," and ordered his followers to disarm the soldiers. As he spoke the police were fired upon, and a shower of stones followed. The delegate gave the requisite warning to disperse, each was followed by the prophet aiming a blow at him with a club. The police then finding themselves surrounded opened fire, and among the first to fall was the prophet, shot full in the forehead, and his followers seeing their leader down, gave way.

FRIENDLY COMMUNICATIONS.

VIENNA, Aug. 24.—The *Political Correspondence* says: Most friendly communications passed between Austria and Servia on occasion of the celebration of Servian independence. The emperor, Francis Joseph, has assured Prince Milan that he and Servia might rely upon the most cordial support of Austria in all matters affecting their welfare.

SHORT LOANS.

LONDON, Aug. 24.—The *Times* says there was considerable demand for short loans Friday, which is said to be in connection with purchases of United States bonds for export.

RUSSIAN LOAN.

ST. PETERSBURG, Aug. 24.—A 5 per cent. loan of three hundred million roubles is announced. The issue price is ninety-three. The Russian imperial bank undertakes to issue the loan.

NEW CONVENTION.

LONDON, Aug. 24.—A Vienna dispatch says Count Andrassy has submitted a new project of a convention to Carathedore Pasha, and the porte is considering it

ARMISTICE.

RAGUSA, Aug. 24.—It is stated that the Turkish commander of Podgoritza has requested the Prince of Montenegro to wait three days before commencing hostilities in order to enable him to obtain instructions from Constantinople. The prince has granted the delay.

A HEAVY BLOW.

VIENNA, Aug. 24.—Gen. Jovoanich telegraphs his defeat of the insurgents at Sholatz the 21st inst., was a heavy blow to the Herzegovinian insurrection. The resistance was not obstinate. Most of the insurgent chiefs were killed. Sholatz has been fired on on account of the treacherous attitude of the inhabitants.

BANQUETTING GRANT.

Kasson, American minister, gave a banquet to-night in honor of Gen. Grant, who leaves Monday for Steiermark.

SAN DOMINGO.

HAVANA, Aug. 24.—The fall of President Gozoles, of San Domingo, is considered inevitable. Luperon is to succeed at Hayti. Seven prominent persons had taken refuge in the British and French consulates. The president's life being threatened, a strong guard was maintained over his residence.

A DOCTOR'S FATAL BLUNDER.

He Administers Strychnine to a Lady, Who Expires in Fifteen Minutes.

[Houston (Aug. 22) Special to La Crosse Chronicle.]

The city of Rushford is greatly agitated and saddened by a peculiarly distressing tragedy that occurred there yesterday. Mrs. Niles Carpenter, wife of the president of the Rushford bank, who has been sick for a long time, but who had so far recovered as to be about the house, died very suddenly last evening, from the effects of a dose of strychnine which had been given her by her physician, with the mistaken idea it was a prescription. Dr. Evarts has been attending her, and last evening, finding that she was out of medicine, Mr. Carpenter went to the doctor to procure a fresh supply. The medicine he had been giving her contained strychnine, and closely resembled that deadly drug; the bottle he had prepared was exactly like another containing the poison, and the two stood near together. The doctor gave Mr. Carpenter the poison instead of the prescription and Mrs. Carpenter took her accustomed dose. She was instantly thrown into agony and the doctor was summoned. Immediately upon arriving at her bed side Dr. Evarts threw up his hands and said "I am the man who did it. She is poisoned!" Dr. Evarts and his wife are nearly crazed by the terrible calamity.

A Pious Kiss in Prospect.

[Isanti County Press.]

If the mere announcement that President Hayes will visit St. Paul during the State fair has such an effect on the editor of the GLOBE, as to induce him to drop such expressions as "His Fraudulency" and the like, and to give the President more correct and dignified titles, the actual bodily presence of Mr. Hayes will so overcome this editor that he will piously kiss his excellency's feet.

More Reading than Any Newspaper in the State.

[Anoka Union.]

The St. Paul GLOBE grows better and better, and by using small type, gives more reading matter than any newspaper in the State. It is an excellent paper, and every Democrat should have it.

An Insane Idea.

[Faribault Democrat.]

Quite a number of Republicans throughone the State seem possessed with the insane idea that the office of State Auditor was not created especially for Mr. Whitcomb, and there is considerable talk about nominating Gen. M. D. Flower for the position.

A HUSBAND'S WRONGS.

The Story of the Lawrence Scandal—The Duel in Belgium—Gen. Lawrence's Petition for Divorce from His Faithless Spouse.

[Newport Special to New York World.]

Gen. Albert Gallatin Lawrence, son of Wm. Beach Lawrence, has filed in the supreme court of Newport county a petition for a divorce from his wife Eva, the widow of an officer in the regular army killed during the war. Gen. Lawrence alleges her adultery with one Van Dannest, secretary of the Belgian legation at Washington. Mrs. Lawrence has left her husband and gone to Europe, where Gen. Lawrence some time ago had a hostile meeting with Van Dannest, at which one shot was exchanged without effect. Concerning the duel facts are: After the death of Capt. Kingsbury his widow went into seclusion from society with her infant son. Her husband's affairs had been entrusted to Gen. Burnside, who became the guardian of Mrs. Kingsbury. When Mrs. Kingsbury threw off her mourning she met Gen. Lawrence and they were married. The issue of their marriage is a little girl. Van Dannest was introduced to Gen. Lawrence's family, and became a frequent visitor at the house in Washington. The absence of Gen. Lawrence from Washington was at times prolonged. While absent on this duty information reached him that Van Dannest has been particularly attentive to his wife. He remonstrated with her. Then he was sent by the United States government on some business which detained him many days, and on his return was informed that the secretary had continued his attentions. Finally, the evidence came to his knowledge on which he is now seeking a divorce, and he sent a challenge to Van Dannest, which was accepted. The duel was arranged to take place on the border between Belgium and Holland. When Gen. Lawrence sailed for Europe Mr. James Gordon Rennett and Mr. Carroll Livingston, of New York, were both in Paris, and were consulted by him. It is reported that both went with him to the meeting. Mr. Livingston certainly did. Van Dannest refused to fight at a less distance than twenty-five paces, though Gen. Lawrence demanded fifteen. Van Dannest's seconds begged for even a longer distance, but it was refused them. Mr. Livingston paced off the twenty-five paces, and Van Dannest complained that he took too short steps. The conditions further exacted were that but one shot should be exchanged. This Gen. Lawrence objected to, but without avail. Gen. Lawrence, on account of an injury received in the army which partially disabled his arm, was allowed the "drop shot," instead of being compelled to raise his pistol from his side at the word. Both fired at the signal, Van Dannest up in the air. Gen. Lawrence endeavored to hit his antagonist but missed, and was much chagrined at the condition allowing only one exchange of shots. Since Mrs. Lawrence's departure to Europe she has written to her son, young Kingsbury, now a lad of 16, to join her abroad, but he refuses to go.

CLOSE OF A CURSED CAREER.

A Crime of Half a Century Recalled by the Death of the Woman in the Case in the Baltimore Alms House.

[Baltimore Special to Chicago Times.]

The death of Jane Cunningham, a pauper patient at Bayview asylum, at the age of 73 years, ends a somewhat remarkable career, and recalls a startling tragedy of fifty years ago, in which she figured prominently as "The woman in the case." Sheriff Swearinger, of Washington county, a young man of wealth and high social position, and just taken to his residence a beautiful bride, when he met by accident Miss Cunningham, then a charming and accomplished girl of 19. It was a case of mutual love at first sight. A criminal intimacy followed, knowledge of which finally came to the ears of the young bride. Shortly after this Swearinger, while horseback riding with his wife, asked permission to leave her for a few minutes. She refused to grant the privilege, and after upbraiding him for his intimacy with Miss Cunningham, threatened to follow him if he left her side. Finding her in earnest, and anxious to free himself from the alliance, he hurled her from the horse, and she fell to the ground a corpse. The killing occurred in Aleghany county. He threw the body among some rocks and mutilated the horse, to convey the impression that the animal had fallen and killed its rider. This theory was at first accepted, and the murdered woman was buried from her husband's home, he appearing in the role as chief mourner. Suspicion was subsequently excited, and threats of an official investigation prompted the murderer to flee from the State, taking his paramour with him. He was pursued, arrested in New Orleans, returned to Allegheny county, convicted of the crime on purely circumstantial evidence, and hanged at Cumberland. On the scaffold he confessed his crime, Miss Cunningham lived the life of a prostitute in the South for many years, until her beauty faded, and nearly a quarter of a century ago she came to Baltimore, and becoming insane, went to an asylum and recovered. Being without friends or means, she then entered the city alms house, and for many years has been a devout and professing Christian. She was connected with some of the leading families of western Maryland, and was a woman of education, culture, brilliancy, and beauty.

Strait's Steals.

[Le Sueur Sentinel.]

The St. Peter investigation is developing the kind of timber the Republicans are supporting for Congress in the Second district. Major Strait rides on his pass to St. Peter and charges the State full fare, as well as making "constructive" charges for time, which amounts to downright robbery.—*St. Paul Globe.*

That is a matter of taste, to some extent, although a person of fine sensibilities might have acted upon a higher plane than Strait did. But the objectionable conduct on the part of Strait, that which should condemn him effectually, is that as one of the trustees of the hospital, he not only tolerated the abuses of the public trust, but he was one of the worst to disregard the plain letter of the law, which positively forbids the trustees from taking anything more for their services than actual expenses; and he did not even stop with taking $4 and $5 per day illegally for himself, but drew between $30 and $40 for expenses of two friends who accompanied him on his official visits. If he will stoop to such little steals, what will he not do?