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DARE THEY DEFY PUBLIC OPINION?

The newspaper apologists for the state stealers are greatly worried over the ringing condemnation of the crimes of the conspirators by the leading journals of the country.

The latest move in the conspiracy was made in Washington in inducing the president to rush his admission proclamation so as to terminate the life of the territorial supreme court.

These denunciations were just and true but severe. They reflected honest public sentiment all over the country.

PARTY WRECKING.

President Harrison had more or less trouble with the Illinois senators over the collectorship of internal revenue for the Springfield district.

CROSS-CUTS.

"You say that drinking is one of your husband's failings?" "Failings? Oh, no. It is one of his successes."—Life.

The haste with which the president's son engineered the shoving of Montana into the union suggests that his title ought to be Prince Rush.—Philadelphia Record.

J. ELLEN FOSTER, the champion of Vice President Levi P. Morton before the National Woman's Christian Temperance union and the leader of the opposition to third-partyism in the work of the union.

party would give the state and nation prohibition when it had the power to do so. Last year she was particularly zealous in behalf of the republican national ticket.

There is trouble brewing for the president and his party over the Montana territorial election scandal. If it shall turn out that the territorial supreme court was summarily deprived of its powers by a presidential proclamation.

A man who will never acknowledge that he has been fairly beaten, when such is the fact, is an object of contempt; not the less so a political party.

A unit of 16 created a sensation in the national convention of the Women's Temperance Union by addressing the delegates from the stage arrayed in a white tulle dress with frill and tucks and underneath a corset.

MONTANA offers the best field for the safe investment of capital in the United States to-day. Whether it goes into real estate in our solid towns, or farms or mining properties.

THE Philadelphia Record discovers that the choice of five democrats out of a possible six in the states which held elections for governor is one notable result of the contest of last Tuesday.

THE Chicago and Northwestern and Union Pacific combination has arranged for a fast train service which will reduce the time of the run from Chicago to Portland to a little more than three days.

There is wretched bungling in the alleged water service in some parts of town. The West Side water has not been furnished to many consumers for more than three weeks.

"Why, my boy, you've spelt window without an n! Don't you know the difference between a window and a widow?" "Yes, sir. You can see through one—and—and—you can't see through the other, sir!"—Punch.

Vice-President Morton's new plan of requiring his customers to buy a 15-cent sandwich with a 20-cent drink shows a determined effort to reconcile the demands of public opinion with the cravings of the cash drawer.—St. Louis Republic.

"Do you see that little dried-up man going along there?" "Yes, what of him?" "He looks harmless enough; but he is a bold man. He would shrink at nothing."

Wanny runs the Sunday school. Morton runs the bar. The Lord runs Harrison. And There You Are! Clothing Salesman—Well, how do you like this pattern? Customer—Can't you

give me something a little quieter? You see, I frequently come home after midnight, and it is a matter of some importance to me not to wake up my wife.—Burlington Free Press.

St. Louis Man (to Pan-American tourist)—What are those queer blue marks on your nose? Looks as though some one had been pinching you. Pan-American Tourist—Those, why don't you see 'em on all the fellows? We wore clothes-pins on our noses while doing Chicago, you know.—St. Paul Pioneer Press.

HEARD AT THE HOTELS. Chairman Seligman, it seems, has not found the exalted position which Col. Sanders craved upon his taking because he was "just fitted for it," so very desirable after all.

Grand Opening To-Morrow. The John Steinmetz Jewelry company will have a grand opening to-morrow morning. Goods will continue to arrive daily, and every day from now until Christmas will be a grand opening day.

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AUCTION SALE

Household and Kitchen FURNITURE. ON WEDNESDAY, NOV. 20, 1889.

Magnificent Management. The Weekly Underwriter, Nov. 2, 1889: The tragic death of Frank J. Bowman in Missouri, recalls the fact that two years ago he applied at the St. Louis agency of New York Life Insurance Company for a policy of \$25,000 on the ten year endowment plan.

Rooms. Members of the legislature and their friends, who are seeking a location for the winter, can find bright, cheerful rooms at the Harvey Block, Grand Street. Central location and first-class accommodations.

THE CHURCHES TO-DAY.

At the Sixth Ward M. E. church Sunday school will be held at 3 p. m., and preaching at 7:30 p. m.

At the Grand Street Methodist church—Services at 11 a. m., and 7:30 p. m., conducted by the pastor. Sunday school at 2:30 p. m.

At St. Paul's Methodist Episcopal church the pastor, Rev. Dr. Raleigh, will preach at 11 a. m., and Rev. Dr. Tower at 7:30 p. m.

At the Second Presbyterian church, Adams' hall, Helena avenue, the services both morning, at 11 a. m., and evening, at 7:30 p. m., will be conducted by Rev. Dr. Quinn.

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We will save you money on all kinds of Dry Goods of same quality such as we offer. Investigate with intelligence, or ask those who have already done so. We don't expect every caller to buy. Come right in and look about you at the many Grand Bargains we are offering.

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