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same pious undertaking that Dr. Russell has performed for BRACKETT and ALLEN and HALL. No wonder that thoughtful journals like the Boston Transcript are worried at the prospect. It seems inconceivable that a party which possesses a trained and famous statesman like INDEPENDENCE HALL of Billerica should take up with a shadowy and foggy nobody like PILLSBURY, whether PILLSBURY has been run to earth in some hill or willies ineffectually at Squamit or Hog Island.

around his camp to winter near him. Some of them traveled two hundred miles, two years ago, to visit him. They never expected to see him again, and we may imagine the joy with which they welcomed the "Kapitanjok" who returns to them with a large supply of the odds and ends that are of priceless value to the Eskimo people.

trains on the South Eastern Railway. It appears that the down train reaches a speed of sixty miles an hour only, and then for but a quarter of a mile, while the up train never exceeds fifty-seven and a half miles an hour. The subject of a speeded complaint in the service of the Great Western, between London and South Wales. The utmost which this road does for travel between them is to send one express train to Newport at forty-two miles an hour, one to Cardiff at forty-one miles an hour, and one to Swansea at thirty-eight.

There Will Be No Weakening.

Here is a good, strong, sweeping, whopping assertion of our esteemed Republican contemporary, the Springfield Union: "The Democrats, with a few rampant exceptions, have concluded that they are not bound by the letter of their Chicago platform. If they ever meant to enact a law which would wholly protect, the condition of the country and the general position which has been assumed by the Democrats, the reins, are enough to warn them that it would ruin their party to carry out its pledges."

Peary in His Arctic Home.

Lieut. PEARY could not have hoped for a more auspicious beginning of his new work in Greenland. Remarkable journeys have been made to the Smith Sound region, but PEARY's last trip surpasses them all in the celebrity with which he reached the site of his winter camp, after he had once struck Greenland waters, and in the progress he made in a very few days toward putting things to rights and securing a large supply of fresh meat for men and dogs. Not an untoward incident occurred on the way; every day was one of large achievement, and the prospects were as bright as they could be when the expedition started.

Teach Them English.

Rabbi MENDES prescribes the true remedy for the anarchistic spirit manifested by so many of the recent Jewish comers to New York. It is to teach these people "the language of the country they reside in." Anarchism is a poisonous weed of late importation. English is rarely used by the seditions speakers at anarchistic meetings. All the leaders are of foreign birth, and generally they are unable to speak the English language or have little proficiency in it. For the most part the Anarchists are still aliens; they have not acquired American citizenship. Among the wildest of them are some of the poor, miserable, and degraded Jews of whom we have received by immigration so great a multitude during recent years.

INDEPENDENCE FOREVER.

THE EDITOR OF THE SUN.—The Social Science Association, Sept. 7.—The Social Science meetings to-day were devoted to jurisprudence. Eugene Smith of New York read a paper on "The Retributive Element in the Treatment of Convicts and Criminals." He argued against the establishment of a retributive crime as a disease, and would have the State take the convict in hand for the treatment of the disease as being the best method of curing or reforming him. For this purpose he would have convicts committed indefinitely to prison, to be discharged only when they were cured of crime, and which are amenable to treatment, but under a free government men should not be punished for propensities, but cured of them.

The Sunlight of Prosperity.

Governor FLOWER had those wise and hopeful words to say at Chicago: "Already the good day has come, and I can safely predict that within ten days all this money will flow out again, and there will be an abundance of cheap money for business, and enterprise, and wage work. The action of the House in voting for the repeal of the Silver Purchase bill did wonders in restoring confidence and hastening the dawn of renewed prosperity. The fact that the wages in the good examples set by the House, and that at an early day."

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OFFICES FOR DISCHARGED SOLDIERS.

WASHINGTON, Sept. 7.—How to get good recruits for the army, and to keep them from deserting after they are discharged, which has exercised the wits of the military authorities for many years. The former part of the problem is not very pressing just now, because the labor troubles are providing more candidates for enlistment than are wanted; while the latter part is a special object, also, does not seem to be a special object. It appears that on the Continent, Europe there is an extensive use of appointments to civil office as an inducement for long and faithful service in the army. In Germany, under a system established in 1855, every enlisted man who has served with the colors twelve years, and is in sound health may have a civil employment in addition to his military \$250. There are 491 classes of civil employment thus opened to the army and navy, and 368 of these, to which they have an exclusive right, are reserved for old soldiers and sailors. The other 123 are open to all citizens, and require an examination of scientific knowledge in competition with the civil element and no right to promotion must be surrendered at any time. The appointments are made while there is a supply of qualified candidates, but the employment certificates issue of the officers set aside for civil office.

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