# BOIL THE FOREIGNERS

## Instructions to Those That Attacked the Peking Legations.

### SHOWN BY DOCUMENTS FOUND

**It Is Said That the Plan Also Included a Massacre at Shanghai.**

*New York Sun Special Service*

Victoria, B. C., March 6.—According to advices received by the Empress of India, a northern correspondent of the Hongkong Press states that it is reported from fairly reliable sources that documents have been found in Peking proving that the assailants of the legations during the siege had instructions not to kill the inmates but to take as many as possible alive, as all prisoners were to be taken to the temple of heaven and there put through the process of being boiled.

It is also said that Li Kung Yi, viceroy of Nanking had repeated instructions to attack and massacre the residents of Shanghai, and that had Tientsin fallen and with it Peking, there is some reason to believe that these instructions would have been carried out, that is as far as it lay in the power of the Chinese.

### CHECK TO REFORM

**Reactionary Governor Is Returned to His Post.**

*New York Sun Special Service*

Shanghai, March 6.—The reactionary governor Yu Ying Ling, who two months ago was removed because he opposed Viceroy Chang Chih Tung and was sympathetic with the Boxers, has been re-appointed to his old position of governor of Hupeh, with a residence at Wuchang, opposite Hankow. He is now at court for an imperial audience and has succeeded in defeating the opposition of Chang Chih Tung. He is much opposed to schools and all reforms.

It is possible that his re-appointment is due to a desire to check any suggestions of reforms by the viceroy and to which the latter's friendly relations with foreign nations, owing to the Chinese fears of aggression in the Yangtse valley.

Yu Ying Ling was a close friend and supporter of all the officials that have been executed. The papers declare that he is equally guilty with the condemned men.

His appointment shows that the portion of the court is still uncertain. The present outlook for the viceroys' supporting reform in answer to the imperial edict is very poor. The viceroys seem to think that the edict is perfunctory and that it was exacted by force.

### REBELLION IS GROWING

**Court Fears That the Rebels May Invade Shensi.**

Victoria, B. C., March 6. — Chinese papers received by the Empress of India say that in Kansu the Mohammedan revolution, of which the moving spirit is General Tung Fu Siang, is growing. The court, fearing the rebels may invade Shensi, is talking of removing the capital to Sze Chiang.

Shan Tung missionaries are planning to return to their stations after the Chinese new year.

It is said the villagers in the province of Shensi are eating human flesh.

**Court Will Not Return.**

London, March 6.—The Reuter Telegraph company has received the following from Peking, dated March 5:

"Inquiry concerning the reports of Emperor Kwang Hsu's return have elicted assurances from Chinese officials that he has not the remotest intention of leaving while the present situation continues, and that if the powers persist in fortifying the legation quarter, it is extremely probable that the court will never return to Peking.

# TRANSFER HOUSES

**Three Important Projects Started by Mankato Men.**

Special to The Journal.

Mankato, Minn., March 6.—Three projects are on foot for having a transfer house in this city. Charles J. Macbeth is about to use the packing-house property for this purpose. J. E. Hickey, Charles Sohn and W. H. Grof have organized under the name of the Mankato Transfer company, and will erect a two-story building, 50x150 feet. Other men are contemplating erecting a large building and going into the business.

Henry Kortz has received word that his late wife's brother has left him a farm in Germany, and he will soon go there and dispose of it.

The North Mankato council as its last official actions, purchased a fine hook and ladder truck to equip the newly organized fire department there, and granted a franchise to the Mankato Gas and Electric Light company to extend its system across the river.

A vacant residence on North Broad street, owned by John N. Hall, burned early Sunday morning. The fire was of incendiary origin.—Mrs. James Cinch, wife of the potsmaster of Garden City, was buried Sunday.—The owners of the Mankato Mineral Springs have partitioned the property and the portion of the land containing the springs goes to Nic Petersen.

# HER BODY FOUND

**Negro Is Charged With Murdering a White Girl.**

Warrensburg, Mo., March 6.—Wisely, colored, was placed in jail to-day at Knobnoster, ten miles east of Warrensburg, charged with murdering Nellie Allen, a 17-year-old white girl. The girl's body, showing marks of violence, was found last night in the middle of the street near her mother's home.

# CALLAHAN IS HELD

**Alleged Cudahy Kidnapper Waives Preliminary Hearing.**

Omaha, March 6. — James Callahan, charged with being connected with the Cudahy kidnapping, to-day waived preliminary hearing and was held to the district court in $7,000 bond.

BOY'S SEARCH FOR HIS MOTHER.

Special to The Journal.

Rochester, Minn., March 6.—Charles Chapman, who for years has been living at Viola with J. W. Chapman, by whom he was adopted when a lad of 5 years, has gone to Minneapolis to find his mother and sister, who are believed to be living there. The name of his mother is Dahlstrom. His father was killed in a street car accident.—There are said to be ten cases of smallpox in the neighborhood of Elgin.—Rev. Loren A. Clevenger of Minneapolis is meeting with wonderful success in his revival work in the First Baptist church in this city. Large crowds greet him every evening.


# This Month

Danger to health is especially great.

You can best prevent illness by taking Hood's Sarsaparilla to keep your blood pure, sustain your appetite and build up your strength.

If you think you are attacked by the grip or severe cold, the first and best thing to do is to open the bowels with a good dose of Hood's Pills.

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# Hood's Sarsaparilla

And Hood's Pills make the best combination of medicines ever devised.


# GETS READY FOR WAR

## Japan Is Reported to Be Making Quiet Preparations.

### TO OPPOSE RUSSIA IN KOREA

**Feeling Is Increasing That Japan Must Act Soon to Protect Her Interests.**

*New York Sun Special Service.*

Victoria, B. C., March 6.—According to news received by the steamer Empress of India to-day, there is much quiet preparation in Japan for a seemingly impending war. The encroachments of Russia in Korea, that power having marched her armies over the frontier at the headwaters of the Tumen in pursuit of the Boxers driven from Kirin and other northern points, at the same time seizing the island of Han-To, at the mouth of the Tumen, has given an impetus to the preparations, and the feeling is increasing that Japan must soon act if she is to protect her interests.

The Nichi Nichi Shimdun gives the information that in connection with preparations the Japanese government has decided to construct two new cruisers and eight fast torpedo destroyers.

# SULTAN STILL HAS CREDIT

### GERMAN SYNDICATE WILL LEND

**But the Loan Is Conditional on Orders for Arms and Ammunition to German Firms.**

Constantinople, March 6.—It is stated here that an important German syndicate has offered the porte a loan of 3,000,000 pounds, Turkish, to be granted by the proceeds of a 6 per cent surtax on the taxes of the empire, and a 2 per cent surtax on inland incomes dues.

The loan is conditioned upon future orders for arms and ammunition to be given to German firms.

# BERNHARDT HUNTS DUCKS

### SHE IS AN EXCELLENT WING SHOT

**At New Orleans She Goes Out With Louis Rapho and Bags Sixteen.**

*New York Sun Special Service*

New Orleans, March 6.—When the "Divine Sarah" visits New Orleans she makes it a point to interview Louis Rapho, one of the best known sportsmen of this section, and if possible to accompany him on an expedition after ducks.

She and Rapho made their last hunt yesterday. They started out at 2 o'clock in the morning and hunted all the forenoon at Chef Montour. Sarah did all the shooting and got sixteen ducks. Rapho handled the paddle.

Rapho said that Bernhardt was an excellent wing shot. She handled her gun in an exquisite fashion and rarely missed a shot.

# MANCHESTER DEFENDANT

### BREACH OF PROMISE IS ALLEGED

**Papers Served on the Duke on His Arrival With His American Bride.**

Liverpool, March 6.—On his arrival here to-day with is bride, formerly Miss Zimmerman of Cincinnati, on the White Star line steamer Oceanic from New York, the Duke of Manchester was served with a writ for an alleged breach of promise, on complaint of Portia Knight of London.

DAILY VOTE IN NEBRASKA.

Lincoln, Neb., March 6.—The following vote was taken on United States senator to-day: Allen, 50; W. H. Thompson, 49; D. E. Thompson, 36; Currie, 15; Meiklejohn, 28; Hinshaw, 19; Rosewater, 14; scattering, 6.

BARTENTER BUNCOED BY A KANSAN.

Chicago Chronicle.

There was one veteran who attended the G. A. R. encampment who refused to be beguiled by the soft smiles or machinations of gentlemen who had gold bricks for sale or who desired to dispose of slightly shopworn green goods at a low figure. The "explosion on the lake front" had no fascination for him, and if he did not return to his rural home with some of the Chicago sharks' hard money it certainly was not his fault. he probably lacked the opportunity.

The veteran, likely, was the only man who visited Chicago during the encampment who knew the secret of getting two glasses of beer for five cents. He never worked the game twice on the one bartender; there are many saloons in Chicago. The old fellow's plan was simplicity itself. A writer for the Chronicle overhearing him explain how he was beating the saloon men out of free drinks without their knowing it, followed him.

The old fellow headed a small band of Kansas veterans into a State street saloon. They were all thirsty and all wanted the beverage that foams in the glass. The man with the scheme drank all of his beer with the exception of a few drops in the bottom of the glass; when the fellow behind the mahogany was not looking he brought his half closed right hand with a swoop down the bar where the flies were congregating. Quickly slapping his hand over his glass, the veteran plunged an unfortunate fly into the liquor where it began to swim around and around. The old soldier called the bartender, a look of supreme disgust stamped on his sunburned face.

"Is this the kind of beer you give a feller in this 'ere town?" he demanded.

"What's the trouble?" asked the bartender as he pulled the glass toward him.

"Look at that fly," answered the schemer in an aggrieved tone; "how do you expect a feller to patronize a place like this when you give him such a cold deal?"

The bartender apologized profusely and immediately filled a clean glass with beer. The old fellow drank the second glass with an air of injured innocence and went forth to continue his clever bunco game further down the street.

THE ORIGIN OF THE SLAVS.

Nature.

There has been considerable diversity of opinion concerning the ethnic affinities of the Slavs, and Zaborowski returns to the subject in a recent number of the Bulletins et Memoires de la Societe d'Anthropologie. His view is that the Slavs belong to the same race as the Celts of French anthropologists, that is, being brunet brachycephals, they are members of the Alpine race. Their original home was that which is still occupied by the southern Slavs between the Danube and the Adriatic, and they were allied to the inhabitants of the Terramara of Emilia. The northern Slavs migrated along the valley of the Vistula and reached the shores of the Baltic, where they developed a civilization and introduced in this region the practice of burning their dead, which was previously unknown there; they also brought with them metals and glass. Wherever the Slavs migrated they introduced the custom of incineration, and carried with them the characteristic metal head rings, the ends of which terminated in sigmoid curves. The settlement of Venede, on the Baltic, dates back to the fourth century B. C. The Baltic Slavs were profoundly affected by the expansion of the Germans, about the beginning of our era, but apparently not until the eighth century A. D., did Slavs colonize Northern Russia.

**The Grip Cure That Does Cure.**

**Laxative Bromo-Quinine removes cause.**

# PLOT AGAINST DIAZ

## Alleged Conspiracy to Overthrow the Mexican President.

### HIGH PUBLIC OFFICIALS IN IT

**President's Illness Said to Be Due to Poisoning by the Conspirators.**

*New York Sun Special Service*

El Paso, Texas, March 6.—El Progresista, a Spanish paper of this city, contains a long article from a correspondent at Mexico City, which discloses an alleged conspiracy to overthrow the Diaz government.

It says a powerful patriotic secret society, composed of many men holding high public positions, has been organized to bring about a revolution, and that the base of military operations and supplies will be the Rio Grande border.

The writer alleges that President Diaz's present illness is due to a poison administered by members of the society.

# WAR ON IDAHO RANGES

### CATTLEMEN AGAINST SHEEPMEN

**Sheep Are Killed and Cattle Are Run Until They Stampede—Pitched Battle Feared.**

*New York Sun Special Service.*

Lewiston, Idaho, March 6.—Word has been received from Grangeville that the trouble between the sheepmen and the cattlemen has broken out again in the Salmon river country, and that a pitched battle with perhaps several violent deaths, may be expected at any time.

The sheep camp of Jackson & Thompson was attacked Sunday and a number of sheep were killed. In reprisal herds of cattle were run until they stampeded.

# CATS CURE PNEUMONIA

### HIDE APPLIED OVER THE LUNGS

**At Any Rate the Belief Is Depleting the Cats in a Kansas Community.**

*New York Sun Special Service*

Tokepa, Kan., March 6.—An epidemic of pneumonia is raging in Allen county, and it seems certain to deplete the cats of that region. It has been discovered that the hide of a cat newly killed and applied warm to the patient over their lungs has wonderful powers in allaying inflammation.

In Iola boys have killed more than 100 cats and sold the pelts for from $1 to $2 each.

# IOWA WOMAN CONTESTS IT

### MISS MARY BEACH TOUSEY'S WILL

**Mrs. Rohrer of Council Bluffs Wants a Share of the Million.**

New York, March 6.—Whether the fortune of Miss Mary Beach Tousey, amounting to about a million dollars, is to go almost entirely to religious and charitable institutions, is the main question in the contest over her will before Commissioner Sharp. Miss Tousey was 70 years old when she died in March, 1899. She inherited the most of her fortune from Sinclair Tousey, the millionaire founder of the American News company. Her will makes liberal provisions for institutions of the Protestant Episcopal denomination.

Mrs. B. Rohr of Council Bluffs, Ia., is the nearest surviving relative of Miss Tousey, and she brought the contest. She charges mental incapacity and undue influence.

DEATH OF WILLIAM QUINN.

Special to The Journal.

Hot Springs, S. D., March 6.—A telegram was received to-day announcing the death of William Quinn at Havre, Mont., from heart disease. He was a son of the late Mrs. Ellen Quinn, and his age about 40 years. He was a member of Hastings division, No. 1, A. O. H. At the time of his death he was in the employ of the Great Northern road, leaving here last spring. The remains will be forwarded here for burial.

**TIPS BY FLICKERTAIL EDITORS**

Fargo Call—One of the things that cannot be done—the cornering of the North Dakota coal product. When a farmer can go down stairs and knock a hole in the cellar wall and come up with a scuttle of coal there's one combination he can give the loud guffaw.

Sheldon Progress—Down at Oakes the kids call old man Smith "a blessed old baldheaded benefactor." The old man converted the Republican office into a skating rink in an attempt to start a home made hot water plant.

Grafton Record—The Minneapolis Journal states that cucumbers will bring on the grip. We have heard of a number of people who have felt so.

Aneta Panorama—Again the old bewhiskered rumor is afloat concerning the organization of a brass band.

Grafton Record—Last Saturday our coal scuttle came out of the woodshed and saw its shadow and has gone back to work for six weeks more, if the coal bin isn't a "has been" before the time is up.

Wahpeton Globe—A job on the supreme bench is very desirable, and every lawyer in Fargo is figuring out his chances to succeed Judge Wallin. A Richland county candidate came within one-half of a vote of landing a supreme court nomination a few years ago and he is still ambitious.

Bismarck Tribune—A correspondent of the Oberon Reporter commends Senator Hansbrough's irrigation scheme and goes further. He wants to drain the Mouse river into Devils lake. This is equal to the proposition to establish pumping stations along the Missouri river to pump the water up on the "divide" forty to fifty miles away and make lakes and creeks innumerable.

Wahpeton Globe—W. E. Davis in the Minneapolis Journal questions the originality of the hifalutin' sentences in ex-Acting Governor Devine's Thanksgiving proclamation. It was a bird of a proclamation, just the same, and it is just possible that Private Secretary Poole unintentionally omitted to add as an enacting clause this old couplet: "We have gathered the posies from other men's flowers; nothing but the thread that binds them is ours." If Tom forgot that he ought to be spanked.

WALL STREET'S NEW TOY.

Fakirs in and about Wall street are very busy just now supplying Stock Exchange messengers, newsboys and office boys with a new toy. It is made of tin in the shape of a frog or cricket, and by a slight pressure on one end, very good imitation of the croak of the former or the chirp of the latter is produced. The noise is such that one is almost led to believe that one is in the country.

JUVENILE LOGIC.

Norman's mama was something of a stickler for propriety, and she was not a little annoyed that it seemed impossible to make the boy give his uncle's name the customary handle. One day after the little fellow had met with a severer reproof than usual for this shortcoming of his, he said: "I mean to be good, mama, but I don't see why I should say Uncle Harry; I don't say Uncle Papa, do I?"

# What the State Press Is Saying

Governor Van Sant is having more than his share of trouble over the question of appointments. The usual contingent of disappointed ones has been heard from and their plaint attracts no particular attention or sympathy. But a general protest has gone up from the republican press of the state against the governor's recognition of the St. Paul "gang" and the appointment of Schiffman as oil inspector. The free lances have had their say and, as usual, their remarks are quoted with great glee by the democratic papers. Sam Langum's letter from the capitol, is widely copied. Langum, although holding an office as secretary of the senate, is never disposed to mince matters editorially. He declined to use the weekly letter of the republican press bureau, and used the occasion to comment as follows:

With all due respect to the committee, we beg to decline. The chairman is a personal and esteemed friend, as are many of the members, but knowing the literary bureau as we do, presuming it is the same as during the last campaign, we must forego the pleasure(?) of drawing our political inspirations from that source. Then, to, election is over and we propose to give our readers a little rest along that line. Again, the letter referred to is of the rankly partizan kind and in the main intended to boom the political fortunes of Governor Van Sant. This the Times will flatly refuse to do. When the governor does anything in an official capacity worthy of commendation, we shall be pleased to say so in our own simple way; but up to date we have noted nothing remarkable, officially, while politically he has made more blunders than any governor since the days of Bill Merriam, who first gathered around him the influences which with slight variations have constantly brought the party to the verge of ruin in this state and will certainly precipitate it into the abyss in the near future if they be permitted to continue their management of affairs political. These may be unpleasant truths, but they are truths, nevertheless, and if the political strikers who now appear to have the confidence of the governor would save him and themselves from political annihilation they should heed the murmurs of discontent ere it is too late. The party was saved by the skin of its teeth last fall, but there will be neither skin nor teeth to save in 1902 if the present grab game be continued.

A. N. Dars, ex-speaker of the house, indorses Langum in the Elk River Star-News as follows:

Sam Langum, secretary of the state senate, writes some hot stuff home to his paper, the Preston Times, and talks right out in meeting regarding the political gang that have come so near wrecking the republican party of the state. It is not necessary to indorse everything a free lance like Sam says, but one can come pretty near doing so without going far astray. We like to see a man give expression to his real views regardless of where the chips fall, consequently we like to read the Preston Times.

Senator Milier follows suit in the Luverne Herald:

It is evident to all who have any comprehension of the political situation, present and prospective, that the republican party of this state must either rid itself of its present self-constituted leadership or prepare for certain and ignominious defeat at the next election. The republican elephant has borne some very heavy burdens but it is not strong enough to carry the load which the Schiffman crowd in St. Paul has placed upon it.

"Growler" Allen jumps on the administration with hob-nailed boots. He says in the Battle Lake Review:

In thirty-two years in politics in Minnesota we have asked a favor but once, and then for a friend, but we have noted a hundred instances where newspaper men have worked persistently to bring a man before the public and finally landed him in some valuable office, when the man rewarded was some pothouse politician and no notice was ever taken of the man who made it possible for the aspirant to be elected. The recent distribution of "fat takes" to a lot of bums and rowdies in St. Paul is a fair illustration. Men who wrote and spoke every night during the campaign were turned down and the positions they aspired to were given to some ward heeler and bum who could not control his own vote. Such work makes it possible to elect a democratic governor of this state. It has been the condition of affairs for as long as we can remember.

Editor Estes of the Madelia Messenger hands out this rather doubtful indorsement:

Well, after all, Governor Van Sant has made a pretty good lot of appointments, with one or two exceptions, except as to location. He has not made near as many mistakes as Lind did.

Uncle Pease writes from four to six epigrammatic gibes at the administration every week. This is his latest:

It's too bad that there are no more offices for Governor Van Sant to distribute to Ramsey county.

Remembering his promise to give credit where it is due, Langum said in his next issue:

I promised, in a former letter, to commend the actions of Governor Van Sant whenever he did anything worthy of commendation without the assistance of his literary bureau. I like his vigorous suppression of the Minneapolis prize fights, which were to have taken place last Monday night under the guise of sparring matches. True, he only enforced the laws as they appear on the statute books, but he enforced them, and for this he should have due credit.

Senator Johnson says in the St. Peter Herald:

John Lind has decided to locate in Minneapolis. Of course the gossips attach some political importance to his decision, but Mr. Lind informed me a few weeks ago that he had permanently retired from politics, and he meant it, I am sure. That he would profit politically by the location is certain, but I predict that he is out of politics for some time.

The republican papers, however, are disposed to scoff at the ex-governor's declaration. The Lake Benton News says:

John Lind has again announced that he will not under any consideration be a candidate for governor again. This means, if his past record means anything, that he is already getting in position for nomination. It is the old rallying cry that he has sounded for many campaigns.

The consensus of opinion among Minneapolis politicians is that Lind is sincere in his wish to withdraw from politics, but that he is likely to be Roosevelted for the congressional nomination next year.

The general opinion of men conversant with state affairs is that the present legislature has up to the present made an excellent record, and if it makes no serious breaks will have furnished excellent material for the next state campaign. State Auditor Dunn is well pleased with the way the legislature has treated his recommendations, and is in general satisfied with the progress made. He said recently:

So far, this legislature has made a record to be proud of and hard to be improved on. If they keep on as well as they are doing now, the session will close in a blaze of glory. There is a disposition in both branches to do the right thing, and I think they are doing it.

The Renville Star-Farmer gives the legislature an indorsement such as it seldom gets from the country press:

So far there seems to be a marked difference in the work of the legislature this year than formerly, and the difference is a credit to the present body. Heretofore the whole aim seemed to be to introduce bills initiating new legislation without regard to its practicability, thus piling up laws on the statutes that were really dead letters. This year the attention of the members seems to be drawn toward remedial legislation; in other words, correcting errors of the past. If it continue so to the end and adjourn in four or five weeks after having rounded up everything in good shape, they will receive the warm plaudits of the people.

The country papers do not take the proposition for early adjournment of the legislature seriously. The Brown County Journal says:

The movement is meeting with very little support. The purpose of the early adjournment was to give the legislature a chance to be called in extra session next year to consider matters which will not be prepared for action at this session. There is little likelihood that an early adjournment will be taken. It is given out on good authority that seventeen legislators swooned when the matter was first mentioned to them.

A general demand is voiced by the country press for the Minneapolis primary election law. The Lester Prairie Journal speaks its convictions in the following:

A primary election bill has been introduced in the house which should pass, but we doubt it, for it will probably be killed in the senate, the graveyard of all meritorious bills. It is about the same thing as was passed two years ago for the benefit of Minneapolis alone but it covers the whole state and takes in all of the offices except state offices. It is a good measure and ought to and would become a law if the people, who are interested, would demand it of their representatives and write to them. They would not dare to refuse then and the bill would go through and become a law without any trouble. Try it.

The Marshall News-Messenger is starting a Dowling boom. Its editor says:

Speaker M. J. Dowling is about the biggest success yet evolved from the present legislature. Dowling is making one of the best records as a speaker of the Minnesota house of representatives yet attained in that body, and no more popular presiding officer ever wielded a gavel. He is genial, courteous, eminently fair, ready for any and every emergency, seeks no advantage for himself, looks after the interests of all his associates, and, best of all, is brim full of good nature all the time. There are about 150 members and officers in the house, and when the legislature adjourns there will be that number of active politicans scattered all over the state who will convince their friends that there is nothing too good for M. J. Dowling.

Julius Schmahl, chief clerk of the house, analyzes the congressional situation in the new seventh district as follows, in the Redwood Falls Gazette:

This district, if finally made up, will be the scene of a big battleground between Frank M. Eddy, the present seventh district representative, who resides in Pope county and will be in the new district, and probably Hon. M. J. Dowling of Renville county, Senator Ed Young of Swift county, Lyndon A. Smith of Chippewa county and probably J. F. Jacobson of Lac-qui-Parle. All of the latter, it is said, have congressional aspirations, and they will put up a great fight for Mr. Eddy's place, notwithstanding the fact that Mr. Eddy is considered one of the ablest men on the Minnesota delegation in congress to-day. The strongest opponent that Mr. Eddy will have, it is conceded, is Mr. Dowling, who possesses a political tact and judgment that is responsible for his continued rise in politics.

The Wilkin County Gazette says of the new Globe deal:

After using the influence of the St. Paul Globe for the past four years to wreck the democratic party, Jim Hill is now ready to dispose of the plant for $100,000, of which $30,000 is to be paid in cash and the remainder on long time. From a democratic standpoint it will be impossible to create confidence in the paper while Hill holds an interest in it.

# ONE MILL LIBRARY TAX

**Wadena Likely to Vote One—What Has Been Done.**

Special to The Journal.

Wadena, Minn., March 6.—Wadena is so much pleased in its short trial of a subscription public library that it has determined to secure a permanent basis for this desirable institution at the earliest possible time. A petition has been circulated asking that the question of a 1-mill library tax to be submitted to the voters at the spring election, March 12. The interested citizens feel confident of securing consent to the tax, as women are entitled to vote and they are already aroused on the library question.

The great appreciation of the small library recently started has encouraged this movement to secure the tax permitted by the state law. The library association has been in existence just a year and will hold its annual meeting on Tuesday. It was organized first to secure a traveling library for the town, and as it was found that none would be available for several months, attention was turned to making some provision in the interim to keep up interest in the subject. A subscription was opened and this and a library party yielded about $300, which has been expended almost wholly in books. The library now has 300 in volumes with 100 more ordered. In addition to its own books it has a traveling library of fifty volumes. It now has 217 local cards in use and 63 for the traveling library.

The books are housed in a pleasant room in the new National Bank building, for which the rental of $60 was subscribed in addition to the $300 for books. The room is open Wednesday and Saturday afternoons and Saturday evenings and is managed by volunteer service, Miss Mabel Whitney being librarian, while others interested assist when needed. As no arrangements have yet been made for reading-room privileges, the funds have been expended almost wholly in books suited for circulars, although a special donation was invested in an encyclopedia, looking to future needs.

The present officers of the association are: President, Mrs. Frank C. Berry; vice president, C. C. Butturf; secretary, J. Flett; treasurer, Mrs. H. Gehr; executive committee, Mrs. George Whitney, Mrs. C. E. Miller, and Dr. J. J. McKinnon.

### WHY SUPERIOR FEELS GOOD

**Failure of the River and Harbor Bill Does Not Affect It.**

Special to The Journal.

West Superior, Wis., March 6.—Superior and Duluth are away ahead on the harbor proposition for the coming year. This harbor will be the only one on the great lakes where work can be done by the government. The local harbor will be worked under an appropriation made in the civil sundry appropriation bill. The head of the lakes congressmen, Morris and Jenkins, also Senator Spooner, saw the defeat of the river and harbor bill to be a foregone conclusion, and accordingly tacked on an appropriation to the sundry civil bill. This bill was passed at 5 o'clock Sunday morning. Other harbors on the great lakes can expect nothing until a year from next August, which will be the time for the next appropriation.

The Independent Scandinavian Workingmen's association is making great efforts to get things in shape for the meeting of the grand lodge of Wisconsin and Minnesota, to be held in this city on July 26, 27 and 28. Committees are even now hard at work.

**Ascribed to Impure Vaccine.**

Special to The Journal.

Tyndall, S. D., March 6.—The illness of several persons of this town who were recently vaccinated is ascribed to impure vaccine. None of the cases resulted fatally and all are now improving. The physicians had used every precaution in precuring vaccine and are now making an investigation of the present source of supply.

**Struck by a Stray Bullet.**

Special to The Journal.

Black River Falls, Wis., March 6.—While Evan Hanson of the town of Irving was coming to this city yestterday he heard a rifle crack and felt something hit him in the side. A 38-caliber ball had passed through two coats and his vest and lodged against his trousers. The bullet was flattened and Mr. Hanson thinks his escape remarkable. He thinks it was a stray shot and not intended for him.—The Hub Reading Circle gave its time here to inauguration ceremonies. The room was beautifully decorated with flags, bunting and flowers and everything savored of patriotism.

**Good Thing for South Dakota Men.**

Special to The Journal.

Centerville, S. D., March 6.—The Southern Oil company, lately organized in this city, has received a letter from its agents, J. E. Tomlinson and R. F. Canniff, who recently went to the new oil fields in Texas. They report another "gusher" not many miles from the first one; that a large lake of oil is being formed and in the distance looks like water; that ducks and geese light upon it and die by the hundreds, not being able to get out. The company has leased a tract of 100 acres and the outlook is very encouraging for large returns.

**To Fight With the Boers.**

Special to The Journal.

Lead, S. D., March 6.—The Boers, of South Africa, have captured a young man of this city named William McWinney. Through influential friends in the east, McWinney succeeded in being appointed first lieutenant of one of the companies of the Boer army, and left for Chicago, where he will receive his commission. He will get $125 per month and travel pay. His father served in the civil war and his grandfather in the revolutionary war, and he himself served with the United States troops in Cuba.

**Held Up on a Principal Street.**

Special to The Journal.

Avon, S. D., March 6.—Early in the evening and on the principal street of the town, John Lucie, alias Black Jack, held up and robbed Peter Frost. Lucie secured only 15 cents from his victim. Both men were under the influence of liquor at the time. So far Lucie has not been apprehended. Avon is one of the new towns on the Charles Mix county extension of the Milwaukee, and is unincorporated and without a marshal. As a result of many lawless and disorderly acts a movement is on foot to have the town incorporated.

**Good Year for Tax Payments.**

Special to The Journal.

Deadwood, S. D., March 6.—Tax payments have been the best this year of aly year in the history of the county. People have been ready with money and, up to the first of this month, about $175,000 had been paid in. Of this, the Homestake company paid $60,000 and the two railway companies $12,000.

**Perham to Have a Creamery.**

Special to The Journal.

Perham, Minn., March 6.—The business men of Perham have formed a co-partnership creamery company, with a capital of $3,000. The contract has been let for the erection of buildings, to be completed by April 15, the machinery to be placed and the plant in running order by May 1. The officers are: C. Pancratz, president; C. C. Hirks, vice-president; L. E. Dawson, secretary, and F. W. Webber, treasurer.

**Funeral of an Early Settler.**

Special to The Journal.

Galesville, Wis. March 6.—The funeral of John Hayter, an early settler of the town of Caledonia, was held to-day.—The debate between the Galesville and Arcadia high schools was won by the former.

**Father and Son Bound Over.**

Special to The Journal.

Hot Springs, S. D., March 6.—Isaac Tanner, an old-timer in the Hills, who is engaged in ranching and lumbering in Custer county, has been arrested and bound over to the circuit court upon the charge of criminal assault upon his 11-year-old daughter. His own wife was the complaining witness. Tanner was placed under $600 bonds. His son, John Tanner, was also arrested upon the same charge, his victim being his niece and but 11 years old. Tanner's sister entered the complaint.

**Divorce for Mrs. Westgren.**

Special to The Journal.

Buffalo, Minn., March 4.—Mrs. Mary Westgren has been granted a divorce from her husband, Daniel Westgren.—Judge Giddings has filed his decision sustaining the appeal taken by the taxpayers from the action of the county board in allowing the claim of J. H. Wendell for attorney's fees in the case of the state vs. Joseph Boxell, tried for murder.

THE WRONG LADDIE.

Liverpool Post.

A gentleman on a walk from one of the suburbs of Glasgow happened to call at a farm house, where he was readily supplied with a glass of milk. He offered the woman sixpence, but she declined all payment. "I couldna' tak' money for 't," she said in her own proud way. The gentleman expressed his acknowledgement and went on his way, but at the garden gate he detected a small boy playing. Surely, he thought, this is the lady's son. So he put his hand in his pocket and gave him the sixpence, when he heard a shrill voice. "That's na ma laddie, sir." Then there was a pause, and the voice afterward resounded, this time directed toward a small boy at the side door, "Gang oot, Wullie, an' speak til the nice gentleman at the gate."

COMPARISONS.

Chicago Tribune.

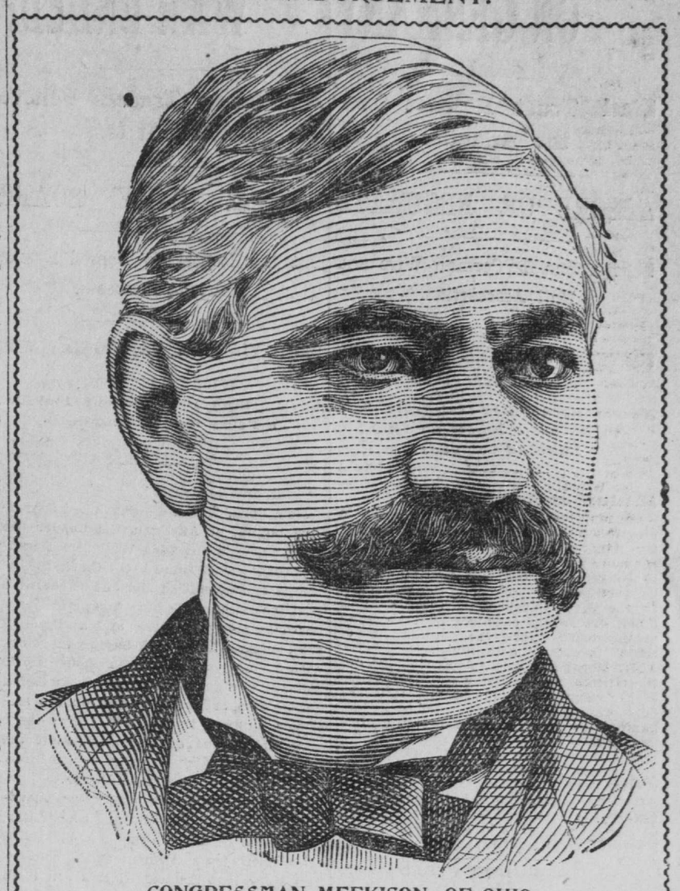
"Uncle 'Rastus, I am sorry to hear you say you like secret societies better than you do the church."

"Hit's so, boss. Yo' kin b'long to as many seekut 'cieties ez yo' got a mind to, but yo' k'yarnt jine mo' 'n one church."


# CATARRH THIRTY YEARS.

## A Remarkable Experience of a Prominent Statesman.

### CONGRESSMAN MEEKISON GIVES PE-RU-NA A HIGH ENDORSEMENT.



CONGRESSMAN MEEKISON, OF OHIO.

Hon. David Meekison is well known, not only in his own state, but throughout America. He began his political career by serving four consecutive terms as mayor of the town in which he lives, during which time he became widely known as the founder of the Meekison bank of Napoleon, Ohio. He was elected to the fifty-fifth congress by a very large majority, and is the acknowledged leader of his party in his section of the state.

Only one flaw marred the otherwise complete success of this rising statesman. Catarrh with its insidious approach and tenacious grasp, was his only unconquered foe. For thirty years he waged unsuccessful warfare against this personal enemy. At last Peruna came to the rescue, and he dictated the following letter to Dr. Hartman as the result:

***"I have used several bottles of Peruna and feel greatly benefited thereby from my catarrh of the head, I feel encouraged to believe that if I use it a short time longer I will be able to fully eradicate the disease of thirty years' standing."—David Meekison, Member of Congress.***

Many people can tolerate slight catarrhal affections. A little hoarseness, a slight cough, a cold in the head, or a trifling derangement of the digestive organs, do not much disturb the average person in his business.

But this is not true of the public speaker or stage artist. His voice must always be clear, lungs perfect, digestion undisturbed. Hence the popularity of Peruna among the leading actors and actresses of this country.

They have come to regard Peruna as indispensable to their success. Their profession is so exacting that it requires perfect health in every particular. They regard Peruna as their friend and safeguard.

Many letters are received from this class of people. Miss Carrie Thomas, a prominent actress of New York city, in speaking of Peruna, says: "I have used Peruna with splendid results. Would not be without it. No money would hire me to have a settled cold or chronic cough, or hoarseness. Catarrh is the most dreadful thing that could happen to one of my profession. Peruna is my shield and protector against this most undesirable disease."—Carrie Thomas.

The season of catching cold is upon us. The cough and the sneeze and the nasal twang is to be heard on every hand. The origin of chronic catarrh, the most common and dreadful of chronic diseases, is a cold.

This is the way the chronic catarrh generally begins. A person catches cold, which hangs on longer than usual. The cold generally starts in the head and throat. Then follows sensitiveness of the air passages which incline one to catch cold very easily. At last the person has a cold all the while, seemingly, more or less discharge from the nose, hawking, spitting, frequent clearing of the throat, nostrils stopped up, full feeling in the head, and sore, inflamed throat.

The best time to treat catarrh is at the very beginning. A bottle of Peruna properly used, never fails to cure a common cold, thus preventing chronic catarrh.

Mrs. A. Snedeker, Cartersville, Ga., writes:

"I saw that your catarrh remedy, Peruna, was doing others so much good that I thought I would try it and see what it would do for me. My case is an old one, and I have none of the acute symptoms now, because I have had the disease so long that I have none of the aches and pains, but a general run-down condition of the whole body—sore nose and throat and stomach. I had a good appetite, but my food did not nourish my system. I had come down from 140 to about 75 pounds in weight. I now feel that I am well of all my troubles."—Mrs. A. Snedeker.

Mrs. A. Snedeker.

While many people have been cured of chronic catarrh by a single bottle of Peruna, yet, as a rule when the catarrh becomes thoroughly fixed more than one bottle is necessary to complete a cure. Peruna has cured cases innumerable of catarrh of twenty years' standing. It is the best, if not the only internal remedy for chronic catarrh in existence.

But prevention is far better than cure. Every person subject to catching cold should take Peruna at once at the slightest symptom of cold or sore throat at this season of the year and thus prevent what is almost certain to end in chronic catarrh.

If you do not derive prompt and satisfactory results from the use of Peruna, write at once to Dr. Hartman, giving a full statement of your case and he will be pleased to give you his valuable advice gratis.

Address Dr. Hartman, President of The Hartman Sanitarium, Columbus, Ohio.



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