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THIS MORNING, OCTOBER 10 GREAT AUCTION SALE OF Household Furniture, Heating Stoves, Bed Linen, Platedware, Crockery, Glassware, Etc., Etc. Sale to continue until stock is disposed of.

MESSRS. W. DUFOUR & CO. Will sell by AUCTION at their large and spacious premises, CORNER OF SECOND AND UNION STREETS, This Morning, October 10, about \$4,000 Worth of General Household Goods without reserve or limit. Sale at 10 o'clock. W. DUFOUR & CO., Auctioneers.

RICH HOP LANDS, CHOICE FRUIT LANDS, FIR AND CEDAR TIMBER LANDS. ALL IN THE VICINITY OF THE COMING GREAT METROPOLIS GRAY'S HARBOR.

MORTON & CO. Home of Seattle Fire Insurance Co. PAID-UP CAPITAL, \$100,000 REMOVED To Room 16, Colonial Block, next to new Postoffice.

WASHINGTON TERRITORY INVESTMENT CO. PAID UP CAPITAL, \$50,000. ROBERT H. BOYLE, Pres.; WM. M. WOOD, Secy and Treas.; E. A. STROUT, Vice-Pres.

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TANNER'S EDICT VOID. The Corporal Usurped the Function of Congress. TWO DOLLAR PENSIONS REMAIN.

A Ruling Without the Color of Law or Authority of the President—Rescinded at Once. WASHINGTON, Oct. 9.—In the claim of a pensioner on appeal from the commissioner of pensions, Assistant Secretary Bussey today rendered a decision reviewing and rescinding the order issued by Commissioner Tamm on April 25, which abolished the rating of \$2 per month and established for the same a rating of \$4 per month in all cases dating from March 27, 1880.

STUDEBAKER MANSION BURNED. One of the Costliest Residences in the West. SOUTH BEND, Ind., Oct. 9.—The magnificent stone house of Clem Studebaker, which cost about \$300,000, was almost entirely destroyed by fire this morning. The residence was one of the largest and costliest in the world. The interior was finished in the costliest of native and foreign woods, while it was furnished in the richest style throughout, and the art gallery was filled with rare works of art, and these are all destroyed. Mr. Studebaker was absent as a member of the international congress, and was to have entertained last body in his home on the 10th inst. The rest of the family except Mrs. Studebaker and her grandchild were also away.

CHICAGO POSTOFFICE BUSINESS. Second Only in New York—Very Inadequate Facilities. WASHINGTON, Oct. 9.—The commission appointed by the postmaster-general three months ago to examine into the needs of the postal service at Chicago, has reported at great length. The commission is convinced that the postal service of Chicago in the past four years has been inadequate to meet the needs of the public, especially in the business section, and adds that the public forbearance, considering the circumstances, is a matter of surprise.

PHILADELPHIA, Oct. 9.—The official test of the pneumatic guns of the cruiser Vesuvius took place on the Delaware river today. It consisted of the firing of five shots from each of the three guns in ten minutes and throwing a shell weighing 480 pounds a distance of one mile. Nothing definite can be learned as to the result of the tests, but it is understood they were satisfactory.

WILKESBARRE MINE CAVES IN. WILKESBARRE, Pa., Oct. 9.—A big squeeze was discovered in the Franklin mine, just outside the city this morning. The miners were just going to work when they heard the rock cracking and beginning to fall, and narrow escapes were made by several workmen. Many tons of rock and coal have fallen, and the air-pumping arrangements have been interfered with.

NEW YORK PRESIDENT ORGANIZED. NEW YORK, Oct. 9.—The International Adams and C. L. Freeman's Union declared the work of organizing this afternoon. The step taken is one which the pressmen of the United States and Canada have contemplated for a long time, and gives an organization distinct from the typographical unions. The new union started off with 1,000 members.

DISCRIMINATING RAILROAD INDICTED. ST. PAUL, Oct. 9.—The Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul road has been indicted by the United States grand jury for violation of the interstate commerce law, and trial of the case will be of great importance, testing as it will the right of railroads to charge higher rates to interior towns than to St. Paul and Minneapolis.

REMEMBER WILL DIE BY ELECTRICITY. ALBANY, N. Y., Oct. 9.—Judge Day has decided that the electric execution law is constitutional, and remands Kemmler to the custody of the warden of Auburn prison. BUFFALO, Oct. 9.—Kemmler's counsel says his case will be appealed to a higher court.

NEITHER WIDDED THE WIDOW. PEQUA, O., Oct. 9.—Henry Huffman and Lawrence Huter, both about 45 years of age, had been courting a young widow. Huter became the favorite suitor, and this morning Huffman called on him and shot him fatally. Huffman then suicided.

KNIGHTS AND LADIES. A Brilliant Reception at the White House. THE GROUNDS GAY WITH LIGHT.

Iowa Grand Commandery Receives Full Pardon—Next Conclave Will Probably Be at Louisville. WASHINGTON, Oct. 9.—Today's spectacular feature of the grand encampment of Knights Templar was the parade of Nobles of the Mystic Shrine. The procession formed near the treasury building and marched thence by Fifteenth and Ninth streets and Pennsylvania avenue to the capitol, countermarching thence to the place of starting, Orman Temple, of St. Paul, Minnesota, caused much amusement among the spectators by carrying the "blanket," a strong canvas sheet with convenient handles for carrying, in the folds of the other prominent templars was Elbebe Temple, of Denver, and Medina temple of Illinois. The members of Denver temple at intervals during the march uttered a peculiar cry indicative of their purpose of having the next conclave held in that city.

Prosperity of Jay Gould. CHICAGO, Oct. 9.—At the annual meeting of the Western Union Telegraph Company today the old board of directors were re-elected. The statement for the fiscal year ending June 30 shows gross earnings of \$2,787,794, operating expenses, \$1,450,152, and net earnings, \$1,337,642. The total surplus June 30, \$8,611,461.

COMEDIAN C. B. BISHOP DEAD. NEW YORK, Oct. 9.—After the first scene of "Lord Chumley" in the Lyceum theater last evening, E. S. Porter appeared before the audience and announced that Charles B. Bishop, who, a few moments before, had been acting a prominent part, had suddenly died in a dressing room while changing his costume. The audience, who were in the midst of the play, were so shocked that they were prostrated by the shock.

RECEPTION BEGAN AT 8:30 O'CLOCK AND WAS TO HAVE LASTED UNTIL 10, BUT OWING TO THE GREAT THROG THAT DESIRED TO SHAKE THE president's hand it was considerably after that time before the last Knight passed through the line. Thousands of Knights and lady friends were received.

THE RECEPTION COMMITTEE THEN ENTERED, AND, FORMING IN THE CORRIDOR, WERE PRESENTED TO THE PRESIDENT BY ONE OF THE came down stairs promptly at 8:30, as the marine band played "Hail to the Chief." The president then took his stand at the entrance to the blue room and handshaking began. The president was assisted by all the members of the cabinet, except Secretaries Blaine and Proctor, and by Mrs. Harrison, Mrs. Miller, Mrs. Windom, Mrs. Rusk and Mrs. Noble. The presentations were made by Sir Knight Myron Parker of this city. The Knights, generally accompanied by one or more ladies, passed quickly through the blue room and after lingering here a short time descended by way of stairs from the green room into the garden below.

THE RECOMMENDATIONS OF THE COMMITTEE FOUND FAVOR WITH THE MEMBERS OF THE GRAND ENCAMPMENT. SPEECHES WERE MADE, AN EXPLANATORY LOVEFEAST PREVAILED ON ALL SIDES, AND AMID CONSIDERABLE ENTHUSIASM THE resolution of the committee was adopted and the grand commandery of Iowa cordially welcomed back into fellowship.

UNQUALIFIED OPPOSITION TO ESTABLISHMENT OF ANY MORE TRADING OFFICES. ST. LOUIS, Oct. 9.—The United Typothetae took up the international copyright question, and after a long debate adopted a resolution to appoint a delegate to the next convention of the International Copyright League in New York, and declaring approval of the principle of the international copyright law, and especially of the provision that all copyright books shall be printed in the United States.

FREE SCHOOLS IN ENGLAND. QUEEN VICTORIA ASHAMED OF THE ILLITERACY OF HER SUBJECTS. LONDON, Oct. 9.—One good is likely to result from the visit of Emperor William to England recently. Among the questions he asked, in his nervous, incisive way, was one as to the percentage of illiterate persons in England. An approximate estimate being given, he bluntly expressed his surprise at the existence of such a condition of popular ignorance in a country so wealthy and so high in the scale of civilization.

EPISCOPAL FORMS. LONG DEBATES OVER PROPOSED TRIAL AMENDMENTS. NEW YORK, Oct. 9.—In the Episcopal convention the question on admission of new dioceses begged to be discharged from further consideration of the memorials from Alaska and Michigan asking for the creation of a new diocese within the limits of each. The committee could not recom-