TOMORROW'S NEWS OF THE MEYER STORE

BATTENBERG LACE PIECES AT COST

A. T. Stewart, the most astute merchant of modern times, made a fortune in a few months one time by selling goods at cost, of course not his own cost, but the usual wholesale cost. This meant saving his customers the entire retail profits. The Meyer Store has been doing that sort of thing from its very opening, but has never had such a demonstration of it as can be found now on Floor C in the Art Department. Thousands of the finest Battenberg lace pieces of all sizes and shapes will be sold at the manufacturer's wholesale prices. You may be interested in the fact that the original price tags are on the goods still. As there are absolutely no two alike, the first comers will have the best and widest choice. All sorts of Battenberg Doylies, Scarfs, Tray Cloths, Centerpieces and Table Covers. Prices start 6 1-4c up to $5.98.

REAL RENAISSANCE BED SETS, $47.50

The mystery is explained. You see the response to the announcements of The Meyer Store has been so uniformly hearty that when something extraordinary in the way of real Renaissance Bed Sets was announced, we did not expect that a single one of the four sets would be left. But the printer made the price read $4,750 and the weather man brought on that long-deferred shower, so we still have them.

The European lace buyer of The Meyer Store discovered, quite by accident, two lots of two bed sets each of real Renaissance lace. These had not been made for sale on the market, but one lot had been made as heirlooms for two daughters, and the other lot (the two that are alike) had been made for a daughter's wedding. They were intended as masterpieces, and months of patient, loving toil had been expended on them. Who can say what sorrow or necessity compelled the sale of these at a sacrifice? A proper value of these would be ninety to a hundred and fifteen dollars a set. If all the time spent on it was paid for by the day the cost would be nearer three hundred dollars. The Meyer Store asks but $47.50.

HATS TRIMMED FREE. THE MEYER DRY GOODS STORE 100 BROADWAY & WASHINGTON AVE. MAIL ORDERS FILLED.

TOTAL ILLINOIS TAXATION.

Auditor's Statement of Assessments for All Counties Except Cook.

REPUBLIC SPECIAL.

Springfield, Ill., March 26.—The total sum raised by taxation in Illinois, exclusive of Cook County, for all purposes in 1901, according to a statement made public by the Auditor of Public Accounts to-day, was $23,-[illegible]2,254. The figures for Cook County are not yet obtainable. The following sums go to make up the aggregate:

State	$ 2,976,253.08
County	4,232,215.93
City	3,954,426.84
School	9,016,289.29
Road and bridge	3,604,470.11
Bond	858,759.24
All others	2,177,760.89
Total	$26,820,382.54

The following shows the total taxes levied in each county in the State, exclusive of Cook:

Adams	$ 823,628.17
Alexander	158,662.88
Bond	89,240.90
Boone	135,593.32
Brown	63,513.90
Bureau	387,977.07
Calhoun	31,187.08
Carroll	191,273.42
Cass	139,885.08
Champaign	616,447.91
Christian	396,386.13
Clark	131,759.17
Clay	87,132.81
Clinton	190,180.91
Coles	340,410.82
Crawford	113,548.94
Cumberland	84,664.15
DeKalb	651,415.49
Dewitt	305,810.21
Douglas	192,941.12
Dupage	590,279.35
Edgar	296,426.37
Edwards	47,841.10
Effingham	110,322.54
Fayette	145,271.59
Ford	137,584.42
Franklin	65,554.35
Fulton	358,497.58
Gallatin	92,765.41
Greene	177,019.02
Grundy	410,191.97
Hamilton	87,241.86
Hancock	290,607.63
Hardin	13,328.52
Henderson	102,617.48
Henry	884,558.73
Iroquois	380,814.43
Jackson	171,221.77
Jasper	88,893.82
Jefferson	121,009.22
Jersey	100,818.85
Jo Daviess	207,645.82
Johnson	59,576.96
Kane	839,380.14
Kankakee	339,916.17
Kendall	114,771.73
Knox	429,064.54
Lake	419,825.66
Lasalle	850,883.75
Lawrence	97,248.86
Lee	335,801.63
Livingston	463,968.04
Logan	362,338.77
Macon	466,677.39
Macoupin	356,357.67
Madison	452,080.93
Marion	151,078.66
Marshall	164,437.16
Mason	174,380.06
Massac	83,854.18
McDonough	237,254.33
McHenry	255,835.76
McLean	740,026.91
Menard	128,758.57
Mercer	192,190.58
Monroe	76,813.18
Montgomery	271,905.82
Morgan	230,136.14
Moultrie	135,678.61
Ogle	594,934.51
Peoria	1,154,135.94
Perry	122,060.96
Piatt	210,114.36
Pike	234,188.24
Pope	35,471.38
Pulaski	48,760.74
Putnam	43,536.46
Randolph	237,382.00
Richland	79,466.74
Rock Island	677,184.72
Saline	99,583.46
Sangamon	841,182.08
Schuyler	113,859.89
Scott	75,160.71
Shelby	243,710.40
Stark	127,452.44
St. Clair	908,702.89
Stephenson	334,269.45
Tazewell	577,376.31
Union	90,427.90
Vermilion	590,954.95
Wabash	70,017.90
Warren	262,553.84
Washington	194,458.81
Wayne	193,254.47
White	149,887.38
Whiteside	559,145.75
Will	718,699.77
Williamson	111,791.56
Winnebago	471,997.10
Woodford	199,885.23
Total	$26,820,382.54

Sixty-third Wedding Anniversary.

REPUBLIC SPECIAL.

Charleston, Ill., March 26.—Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Dowling celebrated the sixty-third anniversary of their wedding to-day. Mr. Dowling is 94 years and Mrs. Dowling 89. Both are in fair health.

MARCH THE MOST TRYING MONTH IN THE YEAR.

After the long, tedious strain of Winter, the severe March weather is very trying to the run-down system. Be particular to keep your blood rich, your circulation in perfect condition, and your entire system fortified against disease and the changeable climate. Duffy's Pure Malt Whiskey, the world's famous Spring medicine, is a gentle, invigorating stimulant and tonic, which builds new tissue, tones up the heart, aids digestion, stimulates and enriches the blood, invigorates the brain and kills disease germs. A tablespoonful in half a glass of milk or water three times a day will keep the body strong and vigorous and free from all disease. It prevents and cures coughs, colds, bronchitis, asthma, catarrh and consumption by stimulating the blood and keeping the entire constitution in a normal and healthy condition. Local treatment for any of these diseases is of no value. Build up the system and you will drive out disease.

WELL AND HEARTY AT 86.

Gentlemen: I have used considerable of your Malt Whiskey, and find that it braced me up in my old age and infirmities and keeps me well and hearty. (I am nearing my 86th year.) W. S. NEWMAN, Canton, Pa., Dec. 8, 1901.

INVALUABLE TONIC.

Gentlemen: I have used your Whiskey for four years as a tonic and find it invaluable. J. BELL, 3468 N. Second st., Philadelphia, Pa., Dec. 25, 1901.

TONIC AND FOOD.

Duffy Malt Whiskey Co.: We always have Duffy's Malt Whiskey in our house since the doctor's advice to use it as a medicine and tonic and food. WM. H. BLEW, 1210 Fidelity st., Reading, Pa., Dec. 19, 1901.

DUFFY'S PURE MALT WHISKEY.

Duffy's Pure Malt Whiskey is the only whiskey recognized by the Government as a medicine; this is a guarantee. See that "The Chemist's Head" is on the label, and that it is in our own patent bottle, with the name "Duffy's Malt Whiskey Co." blown in the bottle. This is the only way the genuine is sold. If offered in bulk or in flasks it is a fraud. The genuine is sold by druggists and grocers or direct at $1.00 a bottle.

FREE—Two game counters for whist, euchre, etc., on receipt of 4 cents in stamps to cover postage. DUFFY MALT WHISKEY CO., Rochester, N. Y. Valuable medical booklet free.

ABSOLUTELY PURE & UNADULTERATED TRADE MARK

THEORY IN HUDSON KIDNAPING.

Recently Discharged Miners May Have Been Responsible.

REPUBLIC SPECIAL.

Joplin, Mo., March 26.—William Hudson, the mining boss, who disappeared for thirty-six hours and claimed he was kidnaped by three masked men, passed a very restless day. He was attended by a physician most of the time and he was allowed to talk but little. He is recovering his powers of speech and mental faculties very slowly, and his condition shows his suffering must have been very severe.

The check which he stated was taken from him by the kidnapers turned up today in the hands of a Joplin saloonkeeper, who stated to-day that the man who brought it to him resembled Hudson very much, but his friends are confident Hudson is telling the exact truth about his confinement, as best he remembers it.

From the latest description of Hudson as to the way he returned to Joplin it is thought possible that Hudson was incarcerated in Galena, Kas., instead of Webb City, Mo. Both Galena and Webb City are about five miles distant from Joplin, and in his mental condition the mistake could have been made easily.

The theory is advanced that miners whom Hudson recently discharged might have had a hand in his imprisonment.

MANY BIG REPUBLICANS THERE.

Campaign Matters Discussed at Meeting of Merchants' League.

Speakers at the Merchants' League Club last night outlined the work that should be done by the Republican party in the coming campaign. The Nesbit law was discussed adversely, as usual, and Louis P. Aloe, the newly appointed Election Commissioner, explained his stand in the matter.

Congressmen Bartholdt and Joy were present and talked of Federal patronage in Missouri. State Chairman Akin said that it was too early to discuss the political issues. Charles Nagel spoke of the conditions that confront the party and advised the members to look to principles and not to men. Judge Selden P. Spencer made a short address.

Joseph Flory presided, and before introducing the speaker of the evening invited all Republicans, whether members of the club or not, to come into the assembly-room.

STATE LIBRARIAN RESIGNS.

Mrs. Jennie Edwards Will Take Up Her Residence in St. Louis.

REPUBLIC SPECIAL.

Jefferson City, Mo., March 26.—Mrs. Jennie Edwards, State Librarian, has announced that she will resign her position in order that she may take up her home with her son, John N. Edwards, in St. Louis. The resignation is to be effective in June.

Mrs. Edwards was appointed State Librarian by the Supreme Judges of Missouri in 1897, and was recently reappointed for a term of four years. She has managed the affairs of the important office with ability and tact, making many improvements.

The position pays $900 a year, and the place is filled by the Judges of the Supreme Court.

Rainstorm Damages Gardens.

REPUBLIC SPECIAL.

Jackson, Miss., March 26.—A terrific rainstorm visited the central section of Mississippi this afternoon, causing widespread damage to early vegetation, particularly fruits and vegetables, and it is feared that the yield in the truck farming will be greatly curtailed thereby. The rainfall amounted to nearly four inches. Railroad traffic has been greatly delayed.

Repairing of Fine Watches

And jewelry a specialty. F. W. Drosten, Seventh and Pine.

Contract for Tank Steamer.

REPUBLIC SPECIAL.

Beaumont, Tex., March 25.—The J. M. Guffey Petroleum Company has awarded a contract for the building of a steamer capable of transporting 60,000 barrels of oil. The contract was let to the New York Ship Building Company, and the vessel will be built at Camden, N. J.

LOOKING FOR MARY PRICE—Chief

of Police Kiely is in receipt of a letter from F. D. Curley of Manistique, Mich., asking him to locate Mary Price, and inform her of the death of her brother, Frank Price, who was buried there Sunday.

PEORIA CONVENTION FUNERAL FOR YATES.

Nominated by Overwhelming Majorities Two Anti-Yates Candidates for Legislature.

CONVENTION INDORSES GRAFF.

Governor Saved From Complete Humiliation by Isaac C. Edwards's Appeal to Members of Convention.

REPUBLIC SPECIAL.

Peoria, Ill., March 26.—The Peoria Republican Convention to-day was a funeral for Yates, and the principal mourners in attendance were Congressman Hopkins and Lieutenant Governor Northcott, who expected to receive congratulations, when the sequel developed that condolences were in order.

The convention, by overwhelming majorities, nominated two anti-Yates-Hopkins candidates for the Legislature, deplored the death of McKinley, indorsed Roosevelt, commended the two United States Senators for their devotion to the interests of the people, commended the efforts of Richard Yates to give the State institutions a good business adminisration, indorsed all his efforts in that behalf and approved the administration of the various departments of the State government.

Graff Enthusiastically Indorsed.

An indorsement and instruction for Congressman Graff was received with yells, which increased in volume when this thrust at Governor Yates was added:

"We view with disfavor any and all attempts to defeat his nomination and reelection."

The Governor did all in his power to defeat Graff. As if this was not sufficiently cruel, the following was added:

"We look with disfavor upon any and all attempts to disrupt the party by a departure from the time-honored customs of the party, and we pledge ourselves to resist in all reasonable and proper ways all such attempts."

Referring to the plan to nominate Hopkins, in State Convention, the resolutions were unanimously adopted. There was a warm fight in the committee over the three paragraphs presented by John S. Stevens, member of the State Committee, who is with the Cullom-Sherman faction. The first denied the right of the State Convention to nominate a candidate for United States Senator. Another condemned any and all politicians who advocated it and the third attacked machine politics in the party, and by innuendo, condemned Governor Yates.

Edwards Defends Yates.

Lorimer was a target for denunciation, and before Mr. Stevens concluded he blistered most of the Governor's leaders without naming them. Isaac C. Edwards took up the gage as champion of Yates and forced Stevens to withdraw the paragraphs, but Judus S. Starr brought up the last one and made a determined effort to force it through. Again Edwards defended Governor Yates.

"Peoria," said he, "has got one of the largest State institutions in the State, and it is destined to be the largest," referring to the asylum for the incurable insane. The pay roll amounts to $10,000 a month; is all distributed here. We expect to go to the next Legislature with a petition for $500,000 for extensions and improvements. Can we do this with one hand and with the other slap the Governor of the State in the face? It's an open insult."

"What has that to do with Republican principles?" savagely demanded Mr. Stevens, who complained bitterly of the methods of the State administration in the township and ward caucuses. But the Edwards argument was effective.

The Governor was saved, the proposition being laid on the table by 12 ayes to 11 nays, which was a hair-breadth escape for Mr. Yates.

Mr. Roosevelt's Hand Felt.

The mailed hand of Roosevelt was felt in Peoria with stinging emphasis. The strong Dawes and Mason sentiment was entirely smothered. P. G. Bennick, Internal Revenue Collector, who has been chairman of the County Committee for years, was forced to resign the chairmanship. The order was peremptory, and so direct from Washington that he did not dare disregard it. The committee refused to accept the resignation, but Bennick dropped out of active participation in the fight.

The nominees for the Legislature are Charles F. Black and William G. McRoberts. Lieutenant Governor Northcott notified the press that the latter was a friend of Yates and for Hopkins for Senator. Senator Putnam, who is said to have drawn a three-dollar-a-day job at the Charleston Exposition, and who was after manager for the Governor, also claimed McRoberts.

Yates and Anti-Yates Candidates.

That gentleman at once entered a positive denial, declaring he was pledged to nobody on any proposition. He acknowledged the Governor's agents had approached him some time ago, but he gave them no encouragement. As a matter of fact, Putnam tried to get all the candidates for the Legislature to promise to obey Governor Yates, on organization of the House, and also to vote for whoever the Governor selected for United States Senator.

Root, Black, Barret and McRoberts refused the proposition, while Mumar and Barnes are said to have accepted the Governor's assistance on the above basis.

Anhoy, Dumar and Barnes were recognized openly to-day as the only Yates candidates. The strongest Yates candidate was Dumar, from the country, and a test showed Black the favorite against him by a majority of 109.

This approximates the Yates and anti-Yates strength in the convention. In selecting the candidates from the city, Barnes, the Yates candidate, withdrew in favor of Barrett, and that sealed his fate, McRoberts winning by a majority of 213.

Congressman Hopkins and Mr. Northcott sat on the platform during the obsequies on the candidates, and their gloomy feelings were reflected in their faces. After the corpse was decently interred, they were called out, and made exceedingly brief speeches. The State delegation is divided, and is headed by John S. Stevens, who was ordered defeated at all hazards by Governor Yates. The delegation stands twelve for Yates to fifteen against him.

J. L. PICKERING.

SALINE COUNTY TICKETS.

Township Nominations Made by Democrats and Republicans.

REPUBLIC SPECIAL.

Harrisburg, Ill., March 26.—The following tickets have been nominated in the various townships in this (Saline) county, to be voted for on Tuesday, April 1:

Harrisburg Township: Republican—Supervisor, F. E. Bauder; Town Clerk, Elisha Hutchinson; Assessor, John F. Canover; Collector, George W. Dorris; Commissioner of Highways, J. D. Price; Poundmaster, Hy. Holland; School Trustee, R. L. Weaver; no opposition.

Eldorado Township: Democratic—Clerk, R. Stork; Assessor, H. G. Shannon; Collector, James W. Elder; Justice of the Peace, C. E. Osborn; Commissioner of Highways, R. Bramlet; Poundmaster, Herman Anthony; School Trustees, Berry Carnahan and W. J. Dodd. Republican—Clerk, C. L. Shaw; Assessor, George W. Karnes; Collector, Charles E. Hannah; Justice of the Peace, John J. Jones; Commissioner of Highways, George R. Simpson; Poundmaster, George W. Dunn; School Trustees, William Wise and E. V. Jones.

Independence Township: Republican—Clerk, Henry Harper; Assessor, Ewing Hutchinson; Collector, John M. Kneipp; Commissioner of Highways, Fleet Conoway; Poundmaster, Jeff Pierson; School Trustee, E. D. Gulley. Democratic—Clerk, R. T. McAlister; Assessor, Cressie Blackman; Collector, William Pinkstaff; Commissioner of Highways, Francis Brockman; School Trustee, William Adkins.

Cottage Township: Democratic—Clerk, Pete T. Baker; Assessor, James H. Mott; Collector, J. F. Olliver; Commissioner of Highways, G. F. Berry. Republican—Clerk, W. L. Evans; Assessor, Andrew Yates; Collector, Charley Clark; Commissioner of Highways, G. W. Morton.

Raleigh Township: Democratic—Clerk, J. R. Martin; Assessor, M. M. Rabourn; Collector, W. G. Johnson; Commissioner of Highways, E. E. Glascock; Constable, A. J. McClusky; Poundmaster, Nelson Bishop; School Trustee, C. O. Hall. Republican—Clerk, B. D. Gates; Assessor, T. Wills; Collector, John Cameron; Commissioner of Highways, Frank Knight; Poundmaster, Griggs Marken.

Mountain Township: Free Silver—Clerk, Ed Hull; Assessor, O. M. Moore; Collector, William Erwin; Commissioner of Highways, J. C. Mitchell.

Carrier Mills Township: Democratic—Supervisor, R. V. Groce; Clerk, G. H. Fife; Assessor, M. M. Ward; Collector, W. L. Miller; Commissioner of Highways, Frank Carney; Justice of the Peace, J. F. Monier; Poundmaster, Jesse Henderson. Republican—Supervisor, U. S. Spears; Clerk, W. L. Mossinger; Commissioner of Highways, Lon Beggs; Justice of the Peace, W. P. Hibbs; Poundmaster, Lewis Price.

Rector Township: Democratic—Supervisor, Thomas Mahoney; Clerk, W. B. Carter; Assessor, A. B. Mayberry; Collector, John Mace; Commissioner of Highways, A. W. Phelps; Poundmaster, W. T. Reasons; School Trustee, J. R. Gholson. Republican—Supervisor, F. E. Gaines; Clerk, C. O. Erdicott; Assessor, C. H. Francis; Collector, J. N. Young; Commissioner of Highways, W. E. Dillsworth; Poundmaster, Seth Nelson; School Trustee, B. A. Faulkner.

Long Branch Township: Democratic—Supervisor, James Lyon; Clerk, James Upchurch; Assessor, F. M. Tate; Collector, S. M. Braden; Commissioner of Highways, O. E. Hale; Poundmaster, James Hix and Henry Steele; School Trustee, H. T. Anderson. Republican—Supervisor, C. Cantrell; Clerk, W. Hammond; Assessor, W. L. Smith; Collector, W. N. Durham; Commissioner of Highways, William Cotter; Poundmasters, James Pemberton and Joseph Turner; School Trustee, G. W. Busler.

SENATOR MASON INDORSED.

Result of His Visit to Benton, Franklin County, Ill.

REPUBLIC SPECIAL.

Benton, Ill., March 26.—Senator William E. Mason was in Benton to-day in the interest of his candidacy for the Senate. The meeting was held in the Courthouse and the following resolution passed:

"Resolved, It is the sense of this meeting that we indorse the candidacy of Senator W. E. Mason as his own successor to the United States Senate, and will do all in our power to secure his election."

Fortieth District Convention.

REPUBLIC SPECIAL.

Pana, Ill., March 26.—The Democratic committee for the Fortieth Senatorial District decided to-day to hold their convention May 6 at Pana. The district is composed of Christian, Shelby, Fayette and Cumberlain counties, and there will be fifty-six delegates in the convention.

Pana Democratic Ticket.

REPUBLIC SPECIAL.

Pana, Ill., March 26.—At a caucus at the City Hall, the Democrats nominated the following city ticket: John Robb, City Judge; Harry Seiler, Alderman First Ward; Joe Kinsey, Alderman Third Ward; F. Burton, Jones Alderman, Third Ward; F. Burton Alderman Fourth Ward; Thomas Bagnel, Alderman, Fifth Ward.

THE WEATHER.

Official Forecasts Announced for To-Day and To-Morrow.

Washington, March 26.—Forecast for Thursday and Friday:

Illinois—Fair Thursday, preceded by showers in northeast portion; colder in north portion Thursday, fair; brisk to high south winds, shifting to westerly.

Kansas, Oklahoma, Indian Territory and Arkansas—Fair Thursday and Friday; variable winds.

Missouri—Fair, colder Thursday, Friday, fair; winds becoming northwest.

Eastern Texas and Western Texas—Fair Thursday and Friday; variable winds.

Local Report.

St. Louis, Wednesday, March 26, 1902.

	6:30 a. m.	6:30 p. m.
Thermometer, degrees	58	64
Humidity, degrees	95	82
Direction of wind	S	S
Velocity of wind	6	6
Rainfall	.85	.88

Weather at 6:30 a. m., light rain; at 6:30 p. m., clear. Maximum temperature, 64; minimum temperature, 58. River 7.9.

R. J. HYATT, Local Forecast Official.

Government Report.

Department of Agriculture, Weather Bureau.—Meteorological observations received at St. Louis March 26, 1902, at 6:50 p. m. local time and 8 p. m. seventy-fifth meridian time. Observations made at the same moment of time at all stations.

Station.	Dir.	Tp.	Mx.	Pre.	Weather.
New York	SE	44	54	....	Clear
Philadelphia	S	46	60	....	Clear
Washington	SE	52	60	....	Clear
Norfolk	SE	42	52	....	Clear
Charlotte	SE	56	62	....	Fair
Jacksonville	NE	62	68	.02	Fair
Atlanta	E	52	58	.06	Rain
Montgomery	E	58	66	.01	Cloudy
Vicksburg	SE	66	74	1.08	Rain
New Orleans	SE	70	72	*	Cloudy
Little Rock	SE	70	76	.02	Fair
Galveston	SE	66	68	*	Cloudy
Palestine	N	76	80	....	Clear
Memphis	SE	60	64	1.68	Cloudy
Nashville	S	60	64	.30	Cloudy
Chattanooga	S	52	60	.04	Cloudy
Louisville	S	63	68	*	Cloudy
Indianapolis	SE	60	64	*	Cloudy
Cincinnati	SW	64	70	....	Cloudy
Pittsburg	SE	60	64	....	Cloudy
Parkersburg	SE	66	72	....	Cloudy
Buffalo	E	54	62	....	Clear
Cleveland	SE	60	68	....	Cloudy
Grand Haven	SE	58	60	*	Cloudy
Marquette	SW	48	50	*	Cloudy
Chicago	S	60	62	.02	Cloudy
Duluth	NE	40	40	.10	Cloudy
Dubuque	SE	60	64	.40	Cloudy
Davenport	S	60	66	.38	Fair
St. Paul	S	58	62	.01	Fair
Columbus	SE	64	70	....	Cloudy
Shreveport	NE	50	54	....	Fair
Fort Smith	NW	68	70	....	Clear
Des Moines	W	56	66	....	Clear
Springfield, Ill.	SW	60	60	.50	Cloudy
St. Louis	S	64	64	.80	Clear
Cairo	S	60	64	.14	Clear
Springfield, Mo.	N	62	68	....	Clear
Kansas City	SW	62	66	....	Clear
Omaha	W	54	60	....	Clear
Huron	W	40	72	.62	Cloudy
Bismarck	NW	36	48	.06	Cloudy
Ft. Appelle	NW	34	38	.24	Rain
Calgary	W	44	48	....	Fair
Havre	NW	32	42	....	Fair
Helena	W	38	42	....	Cloudy
North Platte	NW	48	54	....	Clear
Lander	NW	44	44	*	Fair
Cheyenne	N	38	40	....	Clear
Denver	NE	48	52	....	Cloudy
Pueblo	SE	54	60	....	Fair
Dodge City	N	58	64	....	Clear
Oklahoma	N	44	66	....	Clear
Concordia	W	56	64	....	Clear
El Paso	SW	60	64	....	Clear
Abilene	S	70	74	....	Clear
Amarillo	SE	54	62	....	Clear
Grand Junction	NE	44	48	*	Clear
Santa Fe	S	40	44	....	Clear
Modena	SW	34	40	*	Fair
Wichita	W	62	66	....	Clear
Valentine	NW	46	48	.10	Clear
San Antonio	N	50	84	....	Clear

*Precipitation inappreciable.

R. J. HYATT, Local Forecast Official.

JUDGE MADE WITNESS UNVEIL.

Woman Admonished for Attempting to Conceal Face on Stand.

Della Allen of No. 814 South Fourteenth street was given a rebuke by Acting Judge Pollard in the First District Police Court yesterday morning because she came into court heavily veiled. She said she was not in mourning for any one, but wore the veil so that no one would see her face.

She was the prosecuting witness against Vincent Scollard, who was charged with disturbing her peace. She said that he came into her place Tuesday night and ordered a bottle of wine. After drinking it she said he refused to pay for it, and then created a disturbance. Judge Pollard compelled her to raise her veil while she was on the stand, and then warned her not to come before him again arrayed in any such a manner.

Scollard was discharged, and the Judge informed the prosecuting witness that the court could not be used to adjust differences of this kind.

FINGER RING CAUSED DEATH.

T. J. Dill, Whose Son Lives in St. Louis, Killed in St. Joseph.

REPUBLIC SPECIAL.

St. Joseph, Mo., March 26.—Louis Kempf, a bartender, is under arrest, charged with the murder of T. J. Hill, a night watchman. The men quarreled over a position in a saloon, and Dill was struck in the face by Kempf's fist. On one of his fingers was a heavy ring, which made a wound of such a character that death resulted this forenoon. Dill has one son in St. Louis and another in Oklahoma.

DALLAS REGISTRATION CLOSED.

Certificates Have Been Issued to 10,880 Voters.

REPUBLIC SPECIAL.

Dallas, Tex., March 26.—Registration of voters for the city election to be held on April 1 closed to-night. The total number of certificates issued was 10,880. This is fifty-two more than the largest previous registration. No persons living in the suburbs of Oak Cliff, West Dallas, Oak Lawn, Jewel, Fair Grounds or South Park were permitted to register. Fully one-half the business and professional men of Dallas live in the suburbs named.

BOY KILLED BY LIGHTNING.

Farmer's Son Stricken While Plowing in a Field.

REPUBLIC SPECIAL.

Vandalia, Ill., March 26.—John Torbeck, 19 years old, residing near Augsburg, this county, while plowing in a field this morning, was struck by lightning and killed instantly.

FARMER MURDERED BY ROBBER

Returning Home From Evansville, He Was Knocked in Head.

REPUBLIC SPECIAL.

Evansville, Ind., March 26.—Last night, while on his way home, Valentine Kramer, a farmer, was assaulted and robbed. He was knocked in the head and will die. A negro is under arrest charged with the crime.

WILLIAM B. TOWLES DEAD.

Son of Major T. O. Towles and Nephew of Senator Cockrell.

REPUBLIC SPECIAL.

Jefferson City, Mo., March 26.—William Beverly Towles, son of Major and Mrs. Thomas O. Towles, and nephew of Senator F. M. Cockrell, died at the home of his parents in this city last night.

Death was the result of scarlet fever.

The funeral will take place at Bellefontaine Cemetery, in St. Louis, Thursday morning, about 10 o'clock. The body will be taken to St. Louis on the early morning train that leaves here at 2:30 o'clock.

There will be a funeral service at the grave, which will be located near that of his grandparents, the late Ephrain B. Ewing and wife.

DROPPED DEAD ON THE STREET.

Second Secretary of Mexican Embassy Ill for Long Time.

Washington, March 26.—Enrique Santibanez, second secretary of the Mexican Embassy in this city, dropped dead on the street here this afternoon. He was a consumtive and his health had been very poor of late.

Senor Santibanez had been stationed at the embassy at Washington for about sixteen years, having come to this city with former Minister Senor Romero.

MRS. WILLIAM JAMES.

Litchfield, Ill., March 26.—Mrs. William James of Jacksonville, died suddenly of heart disease at St. Francis Hospital in this city this forenoon.

A. S. GRAY.

REPUBLIC SPECIAL.

Mattoon, Ill., March 26.—A. S. Gray, an inmate of the Odd Fellows' Old Folks' Home in this city, died this afternoon.

MRS. MARTHA E. HART.

REPUBLIC SPECIAL.

Maryville, Mo., March 26.—Mrs. Martha E. Hart, aged 86 years, died to-day. She came here in 1840 as an Indian missionary. For many years she was engaged in work in the schools in the Otoe, Omaha and Sioux agencies. The burial will be at Lincoln, Neb.

MRS. J. LARRY STEPHENS.

REPUBLIC SPECIAL.

Boonville, Mo., March 26.—Mrs. J. Larry Stephens died at her home in Bunceton today. She was a cousin of ex-Governor Lon V. Stephens.

MRS. RACHAEL RUDOLPH.

REPUBLIC SPECIAL.

Boonville, Mo., March 26.—Mrs. Rachael Rudolph, aged 87 years, living a few miles southeast of Boonville, died to-day. She leaves three children, Adam, John and George Rudolph.

LIEUT. COM. BRAINERD, U. S. N.

Los Angeles, Cal., March 26.—Lieutenant Commander Frederick R. Brainerd, U. S. N., is dead at California Hospital, after an illness of a few days. He was graduated from the Naval Academy at Annapolis in 1870, having been appointed from Illinois. His sea service as a naval officer covered a period of fourteen years. Commander Brainerd served with credit in the Spanish-American War, attached to Admiral Sampson's squadron.

CAPTAIN W. H. VAUGHAN.

REPUBLIC SPECIAL.

Marshall, Mo., March 26.—Captain William H. Vaughan, a Saline County pioneer, died at his home in this city, aged 88 years. He joined the Confederate army in 1862, and remained with it until he was badly wounded and taken prisoner by Federals. He was Captain of Company B, Third Kentucky Regiment.

LORENZ GRAF.

REPUBLIC SPECIAL.

St. Charles, Mo., March 26.—Lorenz Graf, an old and highly respected citizen of this city, died this morning at 6 o'clock at the age of 81 years. He was born in Grand Duchy of Baden, Germany, and came to this country fifty-six years ago. He had resided in this city since that time. He was united in marriage to Miss Genevard Hund in this city in 1849. His wife and six children survive him, besides ten grandchildren and one great-grandchild.

MARRIED IN CAPITOL DOME.

First Ceremony Ever Performed There Occurred Yesterday.

Washington, March 26.—To-day, a few minutes after 12 o'clock, the first couple ever married on the dome of the Capitol were united by Justice of the Peace Bundy of this city. The bridegroom is a young Cuban named Andreas Dias Pairo, and the bride Miss Catherine McConchle, a Canadian girl.

The ceremony was witnessed by only a few persons, as the dome was closed for the time being against the general public. After the ceremony Justice Bundy pointed out the places of interest from the 300-foot elevation, and when at last the party descended to terra firma, he expressed the wish, as the couple drove away in a cab, that they might "live long and prosper." Senor Pairo said that the honeymoon would be spent in Spain.

WEDS AN INDIANA GIRL.

Harvey Hutchinson Goes to Evansville for a Bride.

REPUBLIC SPECIAL.

Evansville, Ind., March 26.—Miss Elfreida Cintura of this city and Harvey Hutchinson of St. Louis were married at the bride's home here this evening.

PAJARES—STEPHENS.

REPUBLIC SPECIAL.

St. Charles Mo., March 26.—Miss Mary I. Stephens and Mr. George J. Pajares, both of St. Louis, were united in marriage by Justice Fred Knoop Wednesday afternoon at 2 o'clock.

TWO WEDDINGS AT PADUCAH.

REPUBLIC SPECIAL.

Paducah, Ky., March 26.—U. J. Fordan of this city and Miss Ruth Benner of the county were married here to-day. The bride is only 16 years old.

A. W. Randolph of Mayfield, Ky., and Miss Bessie Marley of Paducah were married here to-day.

CAPITO—MANION.

REPUBLIC SPECIAL.

Boonville, Mo., March 26.—Mr. John Capito, a prominent young farmer of Howard County, and Miss Lovena Manion were wedded at the bride's home here to-day.

ROOT—FEVERSTONE.

REPUBLIC SPECIAL.

Grayville, Ill., March 26.—Married—Clarence Root of Bone Gap and Miss Ada Feverstone of this city.

THOMAS—LOUD.

REPUBLIC SPECIAL.

Carlinville, Ill., March 26.—William Thomas and Miss Hattie Loud, two of Virdin's popular society leaders, were married at the Presbyterian Church at Virden this evening.

IMEL—CASTEEL.

REPUBLIC SPECIAL.

Carlinville, Ill., March 26.—Henry Imel of South Palmyra and Miss Gertrude Casteel were married at the residence of the bride's parents, the Reverend and Mrs. J. P. Casteel, in Bird Township, this evening.

CLAY—HALL.

REPUBLIC SPECIAL.

Golden City, Mo., March 26.—Miss Kate Hall and Doctor C. W. Clay were married to-night by the Reverend J. E. Johnston.

CAMPBELL—STUCKEY.

REPUBLIC SPECIAL.

Carthage, Mo., March 26.—L. Campbell and Miss Grace Stuckey of Carl Junction, Mo., were married to-day by Judge Brown, who has united in wedlock nearly 700 couples during his term as Probate Judge, the last two years.

Missourians in New York.

REPUBLIC SPECIAL.

New York, March 26.—Among the arrivals at the hotels here to-day were the following Missourians:

St. Louis—Miss H. Wood, Mrs. J. Wood, Manhattan; S. N. Sheldon, C. S. Crane, Murray Hill; J. D. Bascom and Mrs. Bascom, Mrs. W. C. Buchanan, Waldorf; F. J. Skillin, Neth H. C. Pierce, A. Bain, Netherland H. Leschen, Hoffman; I. T. Reese, Gilsey; T. B. Hoffman, Astor; J. H. Wellbrinck, Fifth Avenue.

Kansas City—S. H. Hopkins, S. Hopkins, Grand Union; G. H. Peck, A. L. Ruhl, J. F. Richards, Criterion; J. A. Wood, Manhattan; H. C. Flower and Mrs. Flower, Fifth Avenue; C. H. Maing, Union Square.

St. Joseph—Mrs. C. B. Edger, Miss H. Edger, Holland; Mrs. R. Thomas, Mrs. G. G. Parry, Miss L. E. Parry, Fifth Avenue.

Killed in Boiler Explosion.

REPUBLIC SPECIAL.

Centralia, Ill., March 26.—The boiler in F. D. McAdams's saw mill at Boulder exploded at 7:30 this morning, completely wrecking the mill and fatally injuring Engineer William Cossgrove. Mr. Cossgrove lived in Keyesport and died at 10 a. m.

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