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Notes and News: Kilpatrick has been in Washington laboring for a foreign mission. Ben Butler says Senator Jones is a convert to his green back theories.

Two million quarts of strawberries were shipped from Norfolk, Va., one day last week. Minnesota is pretty thoroughly overrun with grasshoppers, but the hopper does not seem to be at work.

Senator Boggs and sons have become bankrupt through the failure of the Commercial Insurance company. Next we know somebody will commence stealing the P. P.'s asterisk editorials.—[Dispatch.]

Oh, no. A man would be a \* his reputation for trifles.—[Workington (Miss.) Journal.] A. W. Dennett, of Madison, Wis., was last week arrested for the cowardly murder of an infant. It wasn't handy to have around so the worse than brute murdered it. He ought to live a million years and be imprisoned for life.

The Moorhead Advocate was sold at sheriff's sale last week and was purchased by Mr. F. J. Burnham, who, in connection with Mr. S. Patridge, will continue the publication of the paper. Mr. Way has gone to Winnipeg, and Mr. Knappen will continue in the insurance business.

### MILITARY MOVEMENTS.

General Sherman, Sheridan, Terry and other Army Officers to Hold a Conference in the Boreals of the Indian Country. Important military movements are afoot in contemplation, but their special nature cannot now be foretold. A dispatch was received by the Pioneer Press from Chicago yesterday announcing that General Sheridan, commanding the Division of the Missouri, would in a few days make a tour of inspection of the army in the two departments comprised in his division. It was also reported in Chicago that several important changes are likely to occur, but what disposition of officers and troops is to be made is of course not yet known. Gen. Sheridan will be joined by Gen. Sherman in the Yellowstone country, where an important conference is to be held.

The foregoing facts derived from a Chicago source can be supplemented by a little further information packed up in St. Paul. Gen. Sheridan will make a tour of inspection among the posts in the department of the Platte, going out on the Union Pacific railroad, and after taking in the forts and stations among the Wind river and Big Horn mountains, will reach the upper Yellowstone post about the 20th day of July, accompanied by Gen. Terry and a party of other distinguished officers, will leave for the upper post on the Yellowstone by way of the Northern Pacific railroad, and the Missouri Transportation Company's steamers, arriving at that post about the time Gen. Sheridan reaches it. When the union is effected a conference will be held, and the generals will tell each other what they have seen and what they think of the military situation as far as they have got. After that they will be able to make up their minds as to what's best to be done, and then they will go on and do it.—[Pioneer Press 16th.]

Deadwood Stages and Freight. The stage company now have fully three hundred teams on the road freighting between Bismarck and Deadwood and forty more will arrive to-day. A train of 25 outside teams employed by the stage company returned from the Hills yesterday having made the round trip in twenty-two days. A large train left for the Hills to-day. The stages are now running daily and as will be seen by reference to our personal column are nearly full both ways.

Bottled Beer. Phillip Best's Milwaukee bottled beer at the Minne-ha-ha.

Mr. O'Brien has recently removed his old house corner 4th and Meigs St's. and in its place is building a substantial two story hewn log-house that will be a credit to that locality. Mr. Joy's old house was also recently torn down.

A Strawberry Festival. Messrs. Stovell, Messerve & Dion have kindly donated the use of the Champion Hall to the ladies of the Mite Society for their strawberry and ice cream festival on Friday evening. Almost everybody is making preparations to go and a splendid time is anticipated.

The Men Who Drink. Phillip Best's Milwaukee Lager—to be had in any desired quantity at the Minne-ha-ha—always have something to live for.

## BY TELEGRAPH.

Special to the Bismarck Tribune.

TURKEY. St. Paul, June 19.—London reviews of the situation in Turkey confirm Turkish claims that the Russians are of late making no progress in Asia. Recent

ACTIVITY OF RUSSIANS indicate an early attempt to cross the Danube in the vicinity of Giurgevo. The news from Montenegro is conflicting, but the Turks appear to have succeeded in revictualing the beleaguered garrison of Nicaea.

SHIPWRECK. A party of 20 miners going to the Big Horn were fired on when 60 miles from Deadwood, and one miner was slightly wounded.

Senator Spencer's LARGE EXPLORING PARTY leaves for the Big Horn on Thursday. Six convicted MOLLY MAGUIRES are to be hanged at Pottsville, Pa., Thursday, 21st inst.

EX-SENATOR JOHN PETTIT, U. S. Judge in Kansas in the border ruffian times of 1854, died at Lafayette, Ind., yesterday, aged 70 years.

EX-SENATOR JOHN S. ARBON, the historian, died at Fairhaven, Ct., yesterday, aged 71 years.

THE STEAMER BIG HORN arrived at Omaha yesterday. There is 13 feet of water in the RIVER AT OMAHA, but it is falling gradually.

EX-PRES. GRANT was dined by the London Reform Club yesterday. Earl Granville occupied the Chair, and most of the company were prominent Liberals.

ANOTHER INDIAN MASSACRE. St. Paul, June 20th.—Friday morning last, word was received at Lewiston, Idaho, that the Salmon river Indians, in revenge for the murder of one of their number, had killed the murderer and three other whites on Salmon river, near the mouth of White Bird creek, and were assembling in great force on Comas Prairie, and had begun the indiscriminate slaughter of settlers. Friday evening one hundred soldiers, twenty friendly Indians, and several citizens, under the command of Col. David Perry, Captain in 1st cavalry, left Fort Lapwa, Idaho, for Mount Idaho, on Comas Prairie, which was threatened by the Indians. Arriving at Mount Idaho Saturday forenoon, Perry learned that 30 whites had been killed, while the whites had killed White Bird, an Indian chief, and his family. The Indians had retaken up Salmon river and Perry, reinforced by one hundred and fifty citizens from Mt. Idaho, at once started in pursuit. On Sunday they encountered the Indians at the head of White Bird canon. The whites dismounted and left a few soldiers and friendly Indians to guard the horses, and advanced on foot to attack. The battle was opened by the Indians and the fighting soon became desperate, and the soldiers and friendly Indians soon became alarmed; seeing that the whites were greatly outnumbered and wholly surrounded, and deserting those holding the horses, they fled. Some reached Mount Idaho, others Fort Lapwa, scarcely stopping between the battle field and the Fort. They reported that before they left Col. Perry, Sergeant Lytle, the Captain of citizens and half of all whites were already killed, and that the rest were fighting hand to hand against hopeless odds. The Indians engaged in the fight are mostly non-treaty Nezapances, who, with other disaffected tribes, number about two thousand warriors. There is a general uprising of savages, and the whole country is wild with alarm. Gen. Howard was at Lewiston, but lacked troops for immediate action. Rein-

forcements had been ordered from other posts in the department, three companies being expected at Lapwa on Monday. Col. Perry is commander of the garrison at Fort Lapwa. His command consisted of F Company of the 1st cavalry and C Company of the 21st infantry. Probably the whole garrison followed Col. Perry on this fatal expedition.

JOSEPH ZELIGMAN, of Zeligman Bros., bankers, has been refused admission to the Grand Hotel under the rules established by Judge Hilton, the successor of A. T. Stewart, excluding all Jews from the hotel. The affair occasions much feeling in Jewish and other circles in New York.

NATIONAL SECURITIES and railway bonds valued at over four hundred thousand dollars, were stolen from the mail car enroute from London to Paris June 1st. Efforts to find the thieves having failed a list of the stolen bonds has been advertised to warn the public against purchasing them.

THE BRITISH CLAIMS against the U. S. presented to Fishery Commission, amounts to twelve million and eight hundred thousand dollars.

FOUR HUNDRED TROOPS can be collected to fight the hostiles of Idaho. Military men on the Pacific coast consider the situation critical.

SECY SHERMAN, after yesterday's cabinet session, issued a circular letter practically pledging that the four per cent. bonds, for which gold is demanded, shall be paid in gold or coin of equal value.

TROOPS HAVE ARRIVED at Maunch Chunk to prevent disturbance at the execution to-morrow of six Molly Maguires.

THE PRINCE AND PRINCESS OF WALES gave a fete yesterday, in honor of Gen. Grant.

GEN. ORD. has been ordered to release the Mexican soldiers who fled to this side, so soon as they can return to their quarters without further collision with insurgents.

PERSONAL. Capt. E. H. Davis, of Fargo, was in Bismarck last evening.

Gen. McCage, of F. S. White & Co., St. Paul, is in the city, and as usual finds a good trade.

Col. Lee, Depot Q. M., at Bismarck, will be absent some time as he takes charge of Gen. Cards office during the latter's absence.

Jacob Hanauer, brother of Sig Hanauer, has arrived and will aid his brother in the management of his Mammoth Clothing establishment.

W. C. Snodgrass, Sioux City, Capt. O. L. Stevenson, Galena, Ill., Isaac Miller, St. Paul, A. J. Smith, Sauk Center, J. H. Johnson, James Fitzsimmons and Frank Leaton, of Deadwood, are in the city.

The following named persons arrived by the Deadwood stage last night: Mrs. Montgomery and daughter, H. Harrington, Jas. Fitzsimmons, B. Lofland, M. Toelstein, L. G. Fendergrat, P. Fisher. The following arrived the day before: John Looderson, Lee Brown, Don Stevenson and Fred Holleback. Those who left by to-day's stage were as follows: Chas. Hengstetter, M. Olson, John Harrington, Philip Adelshaw, I. Milner, A. A. Goodell and J. B. Goodell.

### THE FREEDOM OF LONDON.

The Box in which it was Presented Gen. Grant.

The gold casket contained the freedom of the city, and has on the obverse a central panel a view of the capital at Washington, and on the right and left are monograms, the arms of the lord mayor. On the reverse side is a view of the entrance to Guild Hall and an appropriate inscription. At the ends are two figures, also in gold, finely modeled and chased, representing the city of London and the United States, and bearing their respective shields and ribbons. At the corners are double-headed eagles, with wings spread, and on the cover a cornucopia emblematical of the fertility and prosperity of the United States. The rose, shamrock and thistle are also introduced. The cover is surmounted by the arms of the city of London. The casket is surmounted by American eagles, modeled and chased in gold, the whole standing on a velvet plinth, decorated with the stars and stripes.

Speak Kindly. Speak kindly in the morning. It lightens the cares of the day, and makes household and all other affairs move along smoothly.

Speak kindly at night, for it may be that before the dawn some loved one may finish his or her space of life for this world, and it will be too late to ask forgiveness.

Speak kindly at all times; it encourages the downcast, cheers the sorrowing, and very likely awakens the erring to earnest resolve to do better, with strength to keep them.

Kind words are a balm to the soul. They oil the entire machinery of life, and keep it in good order.

### THE RIVER.

The Katy P. Kountz and Peninah are due from Ft. Benton. The long looked for Sherman left Ft. Sully yesterday at 8 p. m.

The Fontanelle has just arrived after a long trip from Sioux City. The Key West is loaded and will leave for the Yellowstone to-morrow morning.

The Fontanelle leaves for Ft. Benton this afternoon and carries 375 tons of freight and 20 passengers.

The same is true of the Fanchon, which was erroneously reported as having departed in Monday's Tribune. Capt. D. W. Marratta, who has charge of the Coulson interests at Bismarck will return from St. Paul this evening.

Capt. O. L. Stephenson, of Galena, Ill., is looking after the condition of steamers on the upper Missouri, and is stopping at the Capitol for a few days.

Now the regular June rise, caused by the melting of mountain snows, seems to be upon us. During last night the rise amounted to six inches and of course will continue some days.

Yesterday morning, while the Victory and Weaver were fighting the current opposite Elk Point, the latter boat broke the wrist on the starboard side of her wheel, in consequence of which her engine was run back in her starboard engine until the cylinder head was knocked out. The injury will delay them.—[Press and Dakotian.]

The following special order has been issued from army headquarters, St. Paul: "A board of officers to consist of Major Geo. W. Candee, pay department; Major Wm. B. Hughes, quartermaster's department; Capt. Wm. A. Elderkin, subsistence department, is appointed to meet at Sioux City, Iowa, at 10 o'clock a. m., Saturday, the 26th inst., or as soon thereafter as practicable, to proceed to the wreck of the United States steamer J. Donald Cameron, to examine into the circumstances attending the sinking of that vessel, to ascertain and report the extent of the damage the vessel has sustained, and to determine whether any person or persons are responsible for such damage. The board will further ascertain and report what public property was lost or damaged by the sinking of the vessel, and will fix the responsibility for such loss or damage. The board will also make an inventory of such property as may have been saved from the wreck, and report its condition."

Wedding Fees. Many years ago a New York minister was sitting in the office of a lawyer, who was one of his members, chatting on various subjects, and as the pastor happened to speak of the hard times, and the dilatoriness of the church in paying his small salary, the lawyer remarked:

"Now, I hardly agree with you, pastor, in your assertion that ministers are paid less for their work than any other class of professional men. They have a great deal given to them in one way or another, donation parties, Christmas presents, etc. Then the item of wedding fees, which you seldom hear them speak about, but which must amount to quite a sum, several hundred dollars in the course of a year, brings them in good returns."

"Do you think so?" said the clergyman. "Now to come right down to facts, what do you suppose is the average fee that I receive?"

"I should say twenty dollars was a low estimate," said the lawyer. "Here in New York I have often known persons to give one hundred dollars, and a fifty dollar fee is quite common, but considering you marry a good many of the poor, or those that are moderately well off, as well as the rich, I should think, as I said, that twenty dollars is a pretty low average."

"That calculation is rather large," said the minister, "but still I cannot tell exactly, as I have not reckoned up what I received this year."

"No, I presume not," said the lawyer. "I notice that ministers don't generally know how much they have received, when the sum is pretty large, but I rather think they would if it was a small one. But I will tell you what I will do. I will give you ten dollars for half of your wedding fees, and I don't believe I shall lose anything by it, either. Do you accept that?"

The minister hesitated a moment, and then said, "Yes, well, yes; I'll accept that ten dollars for half of my next fee."

He soon bade him good morning and went home to his dinner. While he was at the table the bell rang and the servant came in, saying a man at the door wished to see him a moment. He found a rough looking farmer there, who accosted him thus:

"Good morning, Dr. A. I came in to see if you could tie me up this morning. Sal and I have been talking about it a good while, and we have come to the conclusion that 'tain't any use to wait any longer."

"Oh, yes," said the doctor, "walk in, walk in. Where did you want to get married?"

"Right here," said the farmer, "if you're willin'." Sal's in the wagon and I'll bring her in."

So he brought in a blooming country maid and the minister, who had doffed his gown and slipped on his best Sunday go-to-meeting coat, made them one in the most impressive style. After the ceremony and congratulations, the farmer said:

"About the fee, pastor, we hain't much money, but I thought your children might be fond of pups," saying which he tipped up a small box, and out rolled a little white pup on the piano.

The minister could scarcely retain his mirth, but thanked the bridegroom and told him the children would be glad of it, and bade him a pleasant good morning. He finished his dinner, then putting the pup carefully into the box, he started for the lawyer's office.

His friend was quite surprised to see him so soon again, but the pastor relieved him by saying:

"I had no idea when I accepted your offer this morning that I should have to come so soon to claim it, and I hardly think I should have accepted it so quickly had I known 't was to marry a couple to-day, and receive such an unusual and unexpected fee. Generally there is not so much difference in them, but this was a perfect surprise to me."

"No backing out now," said the lawyer, "that bargain was fair and square, and you must hold to it. Here's your ten dollars; hand over your fee."

The minister demurred a moment, and told him he should beware how he made such rash promises again; but finally unfastening the cover of the box, said: "All right, I'll stand by the bargain," tumbled out the pup upon the lawyer's desk, and with the blindest smile upon his face, waving his hand and bowing politely, he said: "Here is the fee—which half will you take?"

The blank look of amazement and disgust which overpread the countenance of the lawyer, as he looked at the roll of puppiness, was amusing to see.

mony and congratulations, the farmer said: "I will attend to it."

"And, Mr. Toombs, there is another matter. Mr. Bungay's life was insured for about twenty thousand dollars, and I want to get it as soon as possible, and when I get it I shall think of marrying again."

Indeed, madam! "Yes; and can you think of anybody who'll suit me?"

"I dunno, I might. Twenty thousand and you say he left?"

"Twenty thousand, yes. Now, Mr. Toombs, you'll think me bold, but I only tell the honest truth when I say that I prefer a widower, and a man, who is about middle age, and in some business connected with cemeteries."

"How would an undertaker suit you?"

"I think very well, if I could find one. I often told Bungay that I wished he was an undertaker."

"Well, Mrs. Bungay, it's a little kinder sudden; I hain't thought much about it; and old Bungay's hardy got fairly settled in the world of the hereafter; but business is business, and if you must have an undertaker to love you and look after that life insurance money, it appears to me that I am just about that kind of a man. Will you take me?"

"Oh, James! fold me to your bosom!"

James was just about to fold her, when Bungay, white with rage burst from the closet, and exclaimed:

"Unhand her, villain! Touch that woman and you die! Leave this house at once or I'll brain you with the poker! And as for you, Mrs. Bungay, you can pack up your duds and quit. I've done with you; I know now that you are a cold-hearted, faithless, abominable wretch! Go, and go at once! I did this to try you and my eyes are opened."

"I know you did, and I concluded to pay you in your own coin."

"That's too awful thin. It won't hold water."

"It's true anyhow. You told Mr. Magill you were going to do it, and he told me."

"He did, hey? I'll bust the head off of him."

"When you are dead I'll be a good deal more sorry, provided you don't make such a fool of yourself while you are alive."

"You will! You will really be sorry?"

"Of course!"

"And you won't marry Toombs? Where is that man Toombs? By George, I'll go for him now! He was always bungay for that life insurance money! I'll step around and kick him at once while I'm mad. We'll talk this matter over when I come back."

Then Bungay left to call upon Toombs, and when he returned he dropped the subject. He has drawn up his will, so that his wife is cut off with a shilling if she employs Toombs as the undertaker.

### Marriage Maximums.

The following marriage maximums are worthy of more than a hasty reading. Husbands need not pass them by, for they are designed for wives; and wives should not despise them, for they are addressed to husbands.

The very nearest approach to domestic happiness on earth is the cultivation on both sides of absolute unselfishness.

Never talk at one another either alone or in company.

Never both get angry at once.

Never speak loud to one another, unless the house is on fire.

Let each one strive to yield oftentimes to the wishes of the other.

Never find fault, unless it is perfectly certain that a fault has been committed, and always speak lovingly.

Never taunt with a past mistake.

Neglect the whole world besides, rather than one another.

Never make a remark at the expense of another; it is meaness.

Never part for a day without loving words to think of during absence.

Never meet without a loving welcome.

Never let the sun go down upon any anger or grievance.

Never let any fault you have committed go until you have frankly confessed it and asked forgiveness.

Never forget the happiness of early love.

Never sigh over what might have been, but make the best of what is.

Never forget that marriage is ordained of God, and that his blessing alone can make it what it should be.

Never let your hopes stop short of the eternal home.

### Woman's Worth.

A woman is either worth a great deal or nothing. If good for nothing, she is not worth getting jealous of; if she be a true woman, she will give no cause for jealousy. A man is a brute to be jealous of a good woman—a fool to be jealous of a worthless one; but is a double fool to cut his throat for either of them. And the rule applies as forcibly to men.

### Milwaukee Beer.

Five hundred cases of Milwaukee bottled beer at the Minne-ha-ha.