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TELEGRAPHIC.

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GENERAL.

Boecker Speaks to an Immense Audience in Brooklyn.

Railroad Managers Arrange Summer Rates.

The House Appropriation Committee Concludes to Dispose With Naval Improvements.

Discussion of the Indian Question in the Methodist Conference.

Bogardus Wins the Championship of the World as a Killer of Snakes.

It Now Transpires that the Custer Yarn was One of Those Canards.

The Tiltotic Mark.

NEW YORK, May 5.—The Brooklyn academy of music was crowded in every part last night by an enthusiastic audience gathered to hear Rev. Henry Ward Beecher lecture for the benefit of the proposed soldiers home for this state.

Railroad Rates.

SOUTHERN ARRANGEMENT.
St. Louis, April 6.—A number of freight agents representing southern roads, who have been in session here three days, agreed last evening to re-adopt the rates from St. Louis, Indianapolis, Chicago and Cincinnati, to points in Georgia, Alabama, South Carolina and other states, which were in effect December last.

NORTHERN RATES.

There are also representatives here of several eastern and northern roads for the purpose of fixing summer rates, but no conclusion is yet reached.

THE GRAND TRUNK.

The Grand Trunk R. R. proposes largely reducing rates on freights and passengers between Buffalo and Detroit in a few days. Eastern bound rates for freight are down to from 15 to 20 cents a day compared with 45 cents a day.

WASHINGTON.

NAVAL APPROPRIATION.

WASHINGTON, May 5.—The committee reported in favor of the increased naval appropriation bill \$270,000, making a total of \$12,800,000, over five million dollars less than last year. The bill provided for the reduction of enlistments from eighty-five to seventy-five hundred seamen and practically closes the navy yard work at Kittery, Penacook, New London, Charleston and Washington and calls upon the secretary of the navy to submit some plan for disposing of these yards.

THE TRUTH ABOUT CUSTER.

The statement that the president relieved General Custer from his command because he was a witness in the Belknap trial is officially denied. On the contrary it was the wish of the president that General Custer, having been subpoenaed as a witness, should remain until he had testified and that in the meantime the Indian expedition should be placed under command of some other officer. Neither the secretary of the war nor General Sherman protested against releasing Custer.

The Methodists.

BALTIMORE, May 5.—In the Methodist conference committee on correspondence, temperance, expenses, propriety of revising hymn book and other, were announced. Yesterday resolutions concerning the transfer of the Indian bureau to the war department were considered. The bill passed by the house relating to the subject was read. Judge Lawrence, member of congress from Ohio, and delegate in the conference, sketched the history of the Indian service and held that the present policy had put an end to Indian wars and elevated the condition of the Indians. Now it was proposed by the dominant party in the house of representatives to abandon this policy of peace, civilization and christianity. The dominant party in the house cared very little about their civilization and christianity.

Neither was it material to its success. If this general conference representing a million and a half of people shall send a committee of five to the senate, the bill would be heard and reported. The bill would not pass for some regard for other legislation at that time. The president's appeal to him in behalf of the peace policy, which he had inaugurated.

The report of the fraternal delegation to the conference of the Methodist church, south, of Louisville, May, 1874, was submitted. It detailed the events of their visit and reception by that body, which was of a most kind and christian character.

The report says there is reason to believe the presence among us at early day of distinguished representatives of the Methodist Episcopal church south, who have been appointed to respond to our greetings. It expresses the hope that all uncharitable strife shall be entirely cast out and that all energies lead to that end.

The report was accepted and the delegation received a vote of thanks.

Sporting.

BOGARDUS WINS.

INDIANAPOLIS, May 5.—The shooting match between B. H. Bogardus, of Illinois, and Price, of London, for the championship of the world and the English badge, one hundred birds, resulted in a victory for the former, who killed 72, while Price killed 72.

St. Louis Whisky Cases.

St. Louis, May 5.—In the U. S. district court this morning, District Attorney Dyer moved that sentence be passed on several gaugers and store keepers who pleaded guilty, but their attorneys desired the privilege of presenting statements of facts in mitigation of their offenses, and the court granted until to-morrow morning to prepare affidavits to that effect. The government counsel interposed no objection to this, but on the contrary expressed a desire that defendants should have every reasonable opportunity to present such matters as would place the court in possession of all the facts in these cases. It was announced that no action would be at present taken in the case of Fitzroy, Thorp and McFall as the government wished to use them as witnesses for the present before the grand jury and also in some civil cases now pending.

CRIME.

CONVICTED AND SENTENCED.

LONDON, May 5.—Four of the crew of the ship Lennie charged with mutiny and murder have been found guilty and sentenced to be hanged.

Pedro Returns.

CHICAGO, May 5.—Don Pedro arrived here this morning and left at 8 o'clock. He will stop at Pittsburg and Oil City and thence proceed directly to Philadelphia.

FIRE.

AT COLUMBUS.

COLUMBUS, Ohio, May 5.—The photographic establishment of Elliott & Armstead burned this morning. About 20,000 negatives were destroyed. The loss on building is \$5,000.

Adjourned.

HARRISBURG, May 5.—The legislature at noon adjourned sine die.

POLITICAL.

GEORGIA REPUBLICANS.

ATLANTA, May 5.—The republican state convention adjourned after two days session. The delegates at large to Cincinnati are H. H. Farrow, J. Atkins, H. M. Torrey, (colored), Geo. Wallace (colored). To delegation stand: Morton S. Britton, 6, Conkling 3, Blaine 3. There are 13 white and 9 colored delegates. The convention endorsed the administration of President Grant. No nomination was made for governor.

ELECTION OF DELEGATES.

COLUMBIA, S. C., May 5.—The democratic state convention elected Gen. John Britton, Hon. W. D. Porter, D. Wyatt, Alton and Gen. J. D. Kennedy as delegates at large to the national convention.

London Races.

LONDON, May 5.—The race at Newmarket for a thousand guineas, was won by Camden; Almetec second; La Seine third—all French horses.

West Point Cadets.

WASHINGTON, May 5.—The following named candidates for admission to West Point, having passed the required examination, will be appointed cadets: James R. Chapman, Elias Chandler, John H. Gardner, A. L. Weston, W. C. Coffery, all of Illinois; A. C. T. Call, Iowa; Geo. Bell, O. M. Custer, C. H. Hunter, John B. Roy, Harris Roberts, John D. Kuff, Geo. H. Scaud, A. D. Scott, Henry G. Shupe, John E. Somers Jr., and Geo. W. Upton, at large.

War in Texas.

GALVESTON, May 5.—The news special San Antonio says Col. Quinton with 500 federals occupy Nueva Laredo. Col. Folmer with 200 revolutionaries are outside preparing for an attack. Considerable excitement at Padre Nuevas. Revolutionaries with 400 men are waiting for reinforcements before attacking the place.

Quilting Freyalla.

CLEVELAND, O., May 5.—Everything continues quiet at Massillon and no present trouble is anticipated.

Good News.

SAN FRANCISCO, May 5.—A dispatch from Camp Lowell, Arizona, says no further trouble is anticipated from the Curirouh Indians. The late battles, was undoubtedly caused by outrage and dishonorable practices of whites upon Indians.

CONGRESSIONAL.

Mr. Carpenter Argues the Jurisdiction Point in the Belknap Case.

Nothing Else of Importance Transpires in Congress.

Knott Begins a Reply, but Not Feeling Well the Court Adjourns.

Nothing Else of Importance Transpires in Congress.

CONGRESSIONAL.

Senate.

The house resolution providing for the adjournment of Congress from the 9th to the 12th of May to attend the centennial was adopted.

Carpenter then began an argument for the respondent, Belknap, on the question of jurisdiction. After reviewing the pleadings in the case, he said he would endeavor to show how first, that articles of impeachment could not be entertained against any private citizen whatever, and whenever articles of impeachment were exhibited, they must set forth every essential to constitute a crime impeachable. He stated he would confine himself in his argument to legal questions, and would be as brief as possible, and as dry as a stick. Carpenter read from the debates of the constitutional convention, and argued that the men who framed the constitution never had the slightest idea that anybody but public officers could be impeached. The debates all showed that impeachment was introduced as a check upon those in power.

At two o'clock the senate took a recess.

Mr. Carpenter resumed after recess.

Mr. Knott followed for the manager. After speaking a few minutes, Mr. Knott said that he disliked extremely asking for favor at the hands of the senate, but he was suffering such physical pain that he must ask an adjournment. The senate as a court of impeachment adjourned till to-morrow.

The senate resumed consideration of legislative business and after referring several house bills, went into executive session and soon adjourned.

House.

The resolution appropriating \$4,600 for a better ventilation of the hall passed.

Mr. Blount reported the naval appropriation bill. It was made the special order for Monday next.

After disposing of a number of private bills, the house adjourned till Monday.

It Stopped the Cough and Saved the Child.

We have recently had occasion to try the virtue of Hale's Cough Cordial in our family. A little son, sick with the prevailing fever, was afflicted with the most distressing cough, which gave him no rest, night or day. We have little faith in "patent" medicines, and seldom much as try them; but something had to be done, as the constant cough prevented his recovery. We accordingly procured a bottle of the Cordial from the agents, and commenced its use according to directions. The effect was marked from the very first, and the child that night enjoyed a refreshing sleep; and by the next night there was scarce a vestige of the cough left. If this is a fair sample of what the medicine will do, its growth in popularity is not to be wondered at.—*Readers of Free Press.*
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DAKOTA NEWS.

UNION COUNTY.

St. Paul Courier, May 5.

A hook and ladder company is in the process of formation in our city, the council having resolved to purchase a truck, with ladders and buckets.

Frank, a young son of G. W. Kollogg, district attorney of this county, accidentally received a charge of shot in the head of his legs from a gun in the hands of an elder brother, on Tuesday of last week. Dr. Douglass of Sioux City was immediately called and dressed the wound, which is not considered dangerous, but is very painful.

James Ashley and his brother John Ashley, with Mr. Vail, left our city, on the evening train on Monday last, for the Black Hills, by way of Yankton. These gentlemen are among our most energetic citizens, and if there is anything to be made in the new Eldorado, they will obtain their share.

A meeting of our citizens was held on last Saturday evening to take into consideration the propriety of sinking two wells in the business portion of our city, that a full supply of water might be conveniently obtained, at any time, in case of fire. During Monday \$140 were subscribed, which amount was deemed sufficient, and a contract was entered into with certain parties to perform the work of digging and lining the same.

On Tuesday evening Hon. G. G. Bennett, of Vermillion, delivered a lecture in our city, on the subject of "Books and Reading," which was one of the finest displays of oratory to which we have ever listened. The lecturer discovered a wonderful and almost unlimited knowledge of books and an intimate and thorough acquaintance with authors. As a literary production the lecture is unsurpassed, showing the judge to be a close student, a scholar of rare attainments and a polished speaker.

TURNER COUNTY.

Canton Advocate, April 26.

Prairie fires have been raging in this vicinity for the last two or three weeks, but we have heard of no great damages being done. The rain of Sunday, however, has rather put a damper on the fires.

A letter from Geo. Keller, Esq., who left this place March 8th, in company with several others, for the Black Hills, writes to a person of this city under date of April 8th, that they had reached Custer City the night previous.

A railroad meeting was held at the court house last Saturday evening, to consider the propriety of aiding Beloit in securing the Sioux City & Pembina railroad to that place by the coming autumn. After the meeting closed, it was agreed by representatives of the two towns that they would work together in trying to get the road built to Canton via Beloit, by fall; with a depot at each town.

NORTHERN DAKOTA.

Bismarck Tribune, April 26th.

Lt. Garrity reports the death by suicide of Q. M. Bergt, Frank, of the 17th Infantry at Fort Abercrombie, a few days ago. He shot himself through the head.

A legal fraternity of Burleigh county held their regular annual meeting on Monday evening last. E. A. Williams, was re-elected president, and H. M. Davis, was re-elected secretary for the coming year.

X. S. Burke and Justin Emmeluth are in the city en route for the Black Hills with a printing office. They will probably locate at Rapid City. Burke was the owner of The Perham News, Emmeluth editor of The Audubon Journal.

Don Stevenson's teams, ten in number, moved into town Sunday evening and on Monday loaded for the Black Hills. They consist of eight ox teams, and two mules teams, and will be loaded with provisions.

Capt. Ames' company of the 6th Infantry arrived from Standing Rock Monday on the Key West en route for Ft. Buford. Lt. Walker in command. They operate from Buford under Col. Moore or Gen. Hazen in connection with Custer and others.

Capt. McCaskie's company of the 20th Infantry arrived from Ft. Ripley Monday for service in connection with Custer's expedition. Capt. McCaskie in command with Lieut. Manley and Crittenden present for duty. Capt. Bradley's company will arrive from Pembina about Thursday.

Capt. McArthur's company of the 20th Infantry arrived Friday from Fort Abercrombie and has taken post at Fort Lincoln. The three companies of the 7th Cavalry which have been stationed in Louisiana are en route for Fort A. Lincoln to take position in the Big Horn expedition.

Gen. Starke, vice president and manager of the North Pacific; W. S. Alexander, general freight agent and general business agent; H. A. Towne, superintendent; J. B. Power, agent of the land department; M. C. Kimberly, resident engineer, together with a son of Gen. Starke, E. G. McClay and Capt. Wall, of the Diamond R. Transportation line, arrived by special Sunday evening. The railroad people were feeling pretty poor, the expense of opening the road, and of rebuilding the Brainerd bridge having been great, but are hopeful for the future so far as business is concerned.

The very best baking powder, for 40 cts. per pound, in bulk, at True & Co.'s, Capitol street.

MARKETS BY TELEGRAPH.

New York.

New York, May 5.

Money—Easy at 90.
Gold—1.12 1/2 @ 1.13.
Government—Shade lower.
Stocks—Depressed and generally lower, closing feverish.

Chicago.

Chicago, May 5.

Flour—In good demand; price steady and unchanged.
Wheat—No. 1 spring, 1.17 1/2; mixed spring, 1.21; No. 1 Chicago, 1.15 1/2; No. 2 northwest, 1.20; No. 3 Minn., 1.18; winter red no grade 1.42.
Corn—Mixed no grade, 59; do. graded, 54 1/2 @ 55; new mixed, 54 1/2 @ 55.
Oats—Active; mixed western and state, 37 1/2; red—steady at 37 1/2.
Rye—Steady active; western 41 1/2; red 40.
Barley—Unchanged.
Hops—Steady and unchanged.
Butter—Unchanged.
Lard—13 lbs. in tin, for cash, 54 1/2 @ 55.
Whisky—1.11 @ 1.12 1/2.

St. Louis.

St. Louis, May 5.

Flour—Dull; common to choice shipping extra, 40 1/2.
Wheat—Moderately active, firm and higher; No. 2 strictly fresh, 87 1/2 @ 88 1/2; regular, 86 1/2 @ 87 1/2; closed at 87 1/2 for cash; 86 1/2 @ 87 for June; 1.00 1/2 @ 1.01 for July; closing at outside prices: No. 2, 88 1/2 @ 89 1/2; rejected, 79 1/2 @ 80.
Corn—Firm and higher; high mixed, 65 1/2 @ 66; new high mixed, 65; low mixed, 64; No. 2, 63 1/2 @ 64 1/2; closed at 64 1/2 for cash; 64 1/2 @ 65; closed at 64 1/2 for May; 64 1/2 @ 65; closed at 64 1/2 for June; 64 1/2 @ 65; closed at 64 1/2 for July.
Oats—Fairly active, firm and higher; No. 2, 30 1/2 @ 31; closed at 30 1/2 for cash; 31 1/2 for June; 30 1/2 @ 31; closed at 30 1/2 for July.
Rye—Easier; No. 2, 61 1/2 @ 62.
Barley—Fairly active and higher; No. 2, 41 1/2 for cash or May; 40 for June.
Pork—Dull; 20 lbs. @ 21 for cash; 21.05 @ 21.17 for June; 21.27 1/2 @ 21.30 for July; 21.50 @ 21.60 for August.
Lard—Higher; 22 lbs. @ 12.45 for cash; 12.50 @ 12.55 for June; 12.47 @ 12.49 for July.
Meats—Fairly active; shoulders, 7 1/2; short ribs, 11; short clear, 10 1/2.
Butter—Steady at 24 1/2 @ 25.
Eggs—Strictly fresh, 11 1/2 @ 12.
Whisky—Steady at 1.07.

Milwaukee.

Milwaukee, May 5.

Flour—Dull and unchanged.
Wheat—Firm; No. 2 Milwaukee, 1.05 1/2 for cash; 1.05 1/2 for June; 1.04 1/2 for July.
Corn—Steady and in fair demand; No. 2, 46.
Oats—Weak and a shade easier; No. 2, 31 1/2.
Rye—Higher; No. 2, 67.
Barley—Steady; No. 2, May, 45; No. 3, 42.

Liverpool.

Liverpool, May 5.

Flour 22 lbs. @ 24 1/2. Winter wheat, 64 @ 65 1/2. Spring wheat, 64. Club, 64 @ 65. Corn, 26 @ 26 1/2. Pork, 26 @ 27. Lard, 57 1/2.

YANKTON.

Yankton, May 5.

Flour—Dull and unchanged.
Wheat—Firm; No. 2 Yankton, 1.05 1/2 for cash; 1.05 1/2 for June; 1.04 1/2 for July.
Corn—Steady and in fair demand; No. 2, 46.
Oats—Weak and a shade easier; No. 2, 31 1/2.
Rye—Higher; No. 2, 67.
Barley—Steady; No. 2, May, 45; No. 3, 42.

SIoux FALLS.

Sioux Falls, May 5.

Flour—Dull and unchanged.
Wheat—Firm; No. 2 Sioux Falls, 1.05 1/2 for cash; 1.05 1/2 for June; 1.04 1/2 for July.
Corn—Steady and in fair demand; No. 2, 46.
Oats—Weak and a shade easier; No. 2, 31 1/2.
Rye—Higher; No. 2, 67.
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STAGE LINE.

The Yankton and Sioux Falls stage line will make regular trips with mail between YANKTON AND SIOUX FALLS.

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June 15th.

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