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For the Needy. The Intelligencer will receive and acknowledge publicly any subscriptions that may be sent in for the relief of the destitute of Wheeling and hand the same over to the citizens' relief committee. The following have already been received: Amount before reported..... \$637 White Cross League..... 5 F. H. Adams..... 5 Total to date..... \$647

Decline in Principal Exports.

The bulletin of the bureau of statistics giving the principal articles of domestic export for the twelve months ending December 31, 1893, is just received. These articles comprise more than half the value of our exports, and, with the exception of mineral oils, are the products of domestic husbandry. Excluding cotton, which appears in the returns for four months only, we condense the returns for comparison:

Table with 2 columns: 1892, 1893. Rows include Mineral oils, Breadstuffs, Provisions, and Total.

This is a large shrinkage in one year, and it will be noticed that with the exception of about a million in oils it is all in farm products. Nearly half the decrease is in wheat and wheat flour. There has been a falling off in bushels exported, but a greater proportionate decrease in the dollars received in return. It was not expected that the wheat exports for 1893 would keep up with those of 1892, a year of deficient European crops followed on that side by decided improvement.

The average export price of wheat in the great year 1892 was \$1.03 per bushel, and for the fiscal year 1893, ending June 30, eighty cents per bushel. The figures given in the table above are for the calendar years ending December 31, so that the exports for the second half of that year must be measured in view of the declining market, which closed the year with wheat at about fourteen cent per bushel under the eighty cent average up to June 30.

The statistical bulletin which brings the latest returns does not show the countries to which we have exported, but this information of sufficiently recent date is to be found in the annual report of the bureau of statistics for the fiscal year 1893. From this it appears that while continental Europe took less of our wheat in 1893 than in 1892 the United Kingdom took more, her imports being in 1892 44 per cent of all we sent over and 1893 65 per cent.

The United Kingdom is the country which resents more than any other the tariff policy by which we discriminate in favor of our own industries. All foreign countries are alleged to buy food products of us in proportion to our purchases of manufactures from them, an allegation which grows out of the free trade theory and is disproved by the facts of record. Every foreign country sells to us all it can and buys from us all it wants or is able to buy, never any more or any less. Our tariff has nothing to do with it.

If the President's supporters in the house wish to get rid of Mr. Boutelle let them vote fair on his Hawaiian resolution. Until they do that they may expect him to make life a burden to them.

A Funny Plot. The Register has a thought, not original but new to the Register—"The provision for free coal in the Wilson bill should be made conditional on the removal of the Canadian coal tariff." Is this the way the Democratic platform reads?

The Register is advocating reciprocity. There is no reciprocity in the Democratic platform, and reciprocity is not the delight of Prof. Wilson's heart.

Governor MacCorkle and ex-Senator Davis have insisted on the removal of the Canadian coal tariff as a condition of free coal in this country, and the Register has been opposing them and advocating the Wilson bill with special emphasis on its treatment of coal. It is a funny flop.

SOME excellent newspapers have become so many pages that it requires a person of leisure to read them.

This is from the New York World, a Democrat which has done very much for Mr. Cleveland: "The conclusion seems to be forced upon all reasonable men that Mr. Dole, president of the provisional government of Hawaii, un-

derstands how to deposit an American administration very neatly into a cavity." If Mr. Cleveland smokes a pipe he may put this in and try his flavor.

Egyptian Cotton in Our Home Market. Already there is a rumbling in the south over the imports of Egyptian cotton, which are not great but are growing. The first recorded importation of this cotton was in 1855, when we bought 101 bales, the Egyptian bale being 710 pounds net. In 1858 we took 732 bales and the next year 4,132. The imports increased to 14,000 bales in 1891, 23,000 in 1892 and reached 39,607 in 1893.

Southern planters have said that if this is to continue they would have to have a protective tariff on cotton. At the current rate of increase they will say this louder and with more determination. How are they to get a protective tariff from their party? That party denounces protection as unconstitutional and a fraud.

Perhaps it will whip the devil around the stump by doing for cotton what it has done for its neighbor, rice—under cover of a revenue duty put on it a whaling duty for protection, and to make sure of protection will make the duty specific, again as in the case of rice.

HAWAIIAN advices say that Lil is sick. Hardly much sicker than her friend the great restorer of thrones and invigorator of played-out monarchs.

Lopsided Taxation. Two men have \$50,000 each. One puts his in a manufacturing enterprise giving employment and helping to build up his country, and has the good fortune to realize eight per cent on the investment. This brings him an income of \$4,000, under the proposition of the ways and means committee taxable at two per cent in addition to all the other taxes he has paid.

The other man invests his \$50,000 in unimproved real estate, and quietly waits for it to grow in value. He has no income from this investment although the yearly increase in value may be very much more than eight per cent. The scheme of the ways and means committee will not reach this man. The scheme has a lopsided look.

If Congress doesn't give the secretary of the treasury authority to issue bonds he will go ahead under the authority he has. This is a most dramatic threat. Why doesn't he go ahead?

Knocked Out in One Round. The Register sailed into President M. E. Ingalls, of the Big Four system, for his assault on free coal, in his speech at the Jackson banquet in Columbus. For that speech the Register read Mr. Ingalls out of the Democratic party.

Now comes Mr. Owen S. McKinney, of the Fairmont Index, and in a strongly written article pours hot shot into the Register and Prof. Wilson.

Mr. McKinney, himself a rock-ribbed Democrat, tells the Register in substance that Mr. Ingalls "is not the only one, O, dear no," and that if all of them are to be read out it will be bad for the Democratic party. It must be said for Mr. McKinney that the Register and Prof. Wilson together cannot answer his article.

Mr. McKinney has placed both of them in a position of most painful embarrassment.

Mr. PENDLETON's tariff speech is announced to appear later in the Congressional Record. He was unable to deliver the whole speech in the time allowed him, and he will extend his remarks in the Record. Sometimes "the least said is the soonest mended," and this may be one of those times.

A Remarkable Scoundrel. The career of Chris Evans, the noted California bandit and train robber, of whose recent escape from the Fresno jail the press dispatches have had so much to say, has been one of the most romantic and remarkable in the history of outlawry in this country.

Mr. HU Maxwell, an old friend of the INTELLIGENCER's readers, and whose writings are especially enjoyed by the people of this, his native state, relates in another column the thrilling true story of the famous highwayman's life, as he learned it from the man himself.

A HEAVY fog, an express train behind time, slowed up and showing no signals. Along comes an accommodation running at twenty miles an hour and drives into the rear of the express. Great loss of life and many injured. This is the brief story of yesterday's disaster on the Delaware, Lackawanna & Western. It is a clear case of somebody to blame.

The Treasury Up to Date. Every American should read carefully the communication of the secretary of the treasury to the finance committee of the senate.

Are we approaching a condition such as confronted the country when the treasury had to borrow money at twelve per cent to pay the salary of the last Democratic President before Mr. Cleveland?

It should now be clear to everybody that the treasury must have money or it will indeed be bankrupt. If Congress will not come to the relief of the secretary of the treasury will be justified to use the authority he has to issue bonds.

GENERAL HASTINGS will have a walk-over for the Republican gubernatorial nomination in Pennsylvania, and he will walk over the Democrats just as easily. He is a man of exceptional ability, of the highest character and of great strength with the people. He will make one of Pennsylvania's very best executives.

To Check Duelling. MEXICO, Jan. 15.—The party of the Centre in the Diet has presented a motion urging the government to check duelling in the army as contrary to religion, morality and law.

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TARIFF SURGERY. Specimen Cuts in the Metal Schedule of the Wilson Tariff Bill. Table with columns: Articles, Tariff of 1893, Tariff of 1890, Wilson bill, Foreign Price, Equivalent Specific, Reduction on 1890 per ton.

BREAKFAST BUDGET. Mrs. Eliza F. Rount, wife of ex-Governor John L. Rount, was among the first women to register in Denver, Col., under the new equal suffrage law, and when asked her occupation gave it as "housewife."

THE HAWAIIAN MATTER. The People Already Knew It. Mr. Dole denounces as absolutely false every one of the assumptions upon which the President sought to sustain his treacherous proceedings, and then shows that if every one of them were true his course would still be left without a shadow of justification in law or in decency.

What He Feared. In plain English, Mr. Willis feared if the purpose of this vindictive creature to murder her opponents became known it might hinder the execution of the scheme of the President to put her back on the throne! A man of patriotic and humane instincts in Willis' position would have indignantly refused to be made a party to the Cleveland-Gresham plot for one hour longer.

A Pointer for Congress. There are several passages in Mr. Willis' communications which reveal that he finds a different state of affairs from what he was expecting, and that, in his judgment, the persons composing the provisional government are of a much better sort than those who support the queen.

Dole's Hope. Mr. Dole's letter shows that the hope of annexation is not abandoned, only postponed until Mr. Cleveland's steps down and out three years hence. In the meanwhile the present government will take up what in parliamentary parlance is called "the regular order of business."

ACCUSED OF EMBEZZLEMENT. George Bogue Charged With Misappropriating Hospital Funds. CHICAGO, Jan. 15.—George M. Bogue, one of the most prominent business men of Chicago, has been accused of the misappropriation of about \$75,000 of the funds of the Presbyterian hospital, of which institution he was president.

PERSONAL POINTS. Fred Burt, a Chicago pickpocket, was so successful in San Francisco that he excited the jealousy of the local talent. So three of them lay for him, stood him up for \$40, and the police drove him out of town. They will tolerate no interference with home industry out there.

Queen Christina, of Spain, is the only sovereign who has been up in a balloon, a feat she performed on the impulsive some years ago, when she happened to drive near a field in which ballooning experiments were made. No crowned head has equaled her highness.

Miss Ida Welt, who studied chemistry during her course at Vassar College, where she was graduated in 1891, has since taken the regular course for Doctor in Science at the Geneva University, Switzerland, and has passed a brilliant examination.

Louise Chandler Moulton said to a late interviewer: "How many books have I written altogether? I hardly know. The work nearest to my heart, however, is my verse. It is the inevitable part—that which expresses the real me."

Governor Waite has started a Populist paper in Denver, and Mrs. Lease has bought an interest in a Topeka journal. Now when ex-Senator Ingalls becomes an editor in Omaha there will be fun all along the western line.

Patrick Walsh, proprietor of the Auzeta (Ga.) Chronicle, has been named by his friends for mayor of his city, and also for governor of the state, but he assures them that he cannot be a candidate for any office.

Mr. Hoyle writes religious articles for a Houston, Texas, paper. It is not that we get our religion according to Hoyle. The wife of President Dole, of Hawaii, is a Maine woman. Mrs. Dole's maiden name was Anna Prentiss Cato.

Ignatius Donnelly has been elected president of the Minnesota State Grange. Frances E. Willard has been advised to discontinue all work until next season.

WISE AND OTHERWISE. Manager—The critics say that in the play "A Wronged Wife" you do not exhibit enough emotion when your husband leaves you never to return. Popular Actress—Oh, I don't, don't I? Well, I've had two or three husbands leave me, never to return, and I guess I know as much about how to act under the circumstances as anybody.—Puck.

He—Reggy Fitzjames has become recklessly engaged to any number of girls, but he always gets out of it. She—With decency? He—Oh, yes, he merely has to go and ask their fathers' consent, and it's all over. Dayton—I thought you gave up swearing at New Year's. Peterson—So I did. Dayton—What caused you to start again? Peterson—Writing '93 instead of '94 in my letters.

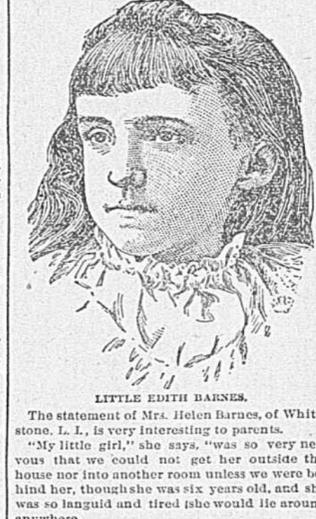
"Money talks," remarked the business man, who was ruefully contemplating a lot of idle capital; "but it doesn't talk in its sleep."—Washington Star.

Anybody can see through people who make spectacles of themselves.—Dallas News.

HIS PROPRIETARY ATTITUDE. Madame S. Bridges in the Providence Journal, "You know I love you," he observed; "His words were cut, his tone incisive; A sunny smile resolved his frowns; The while she tried to lose him, he said: 'But me no silly romance rules. And if you think to find me pleading, Down on my knees, like other fools, You'll find your hopes are quite misleading.' Said she, 'I wish you are so rude, I wish you were not so pleading; Whether you wish to be my friend, Or your kneeling down to tie my shoe, sir.' He knelt to knot the loosened bow; 'And are you sure you love me dearly?' She said, 'I wish you were not so pleading; With all my heart, I answered clearly: 'And wish you to become my wife.' He—'I wish you to become my wife, sir.' She said, 'I'll gladly share your life.' Now that, you've asked me on your knees, sir."

OUR LITTLE ONES. Do They Receive Necessary Attention? Those Who Love Them Will be Interested in This. And Those Who Do Not Love Them Are Not Worth Interesting.

"It affords me the greatest pleasure," said the noted scholar, Prof. J. M. Elwood, of 43 Cornelia street, Brooklyn, N. Y., "to state that my daughter, who was a sufferer from St. Vitus' dance, and who was treated for it by prominent physicians in Brooklyn without result, was completely cured by using two bottles of Dr. Greene's Nervura blood and nerve remedy."



LITTLE EDITH BARNES. The statement of Mrs. Helen Barnes, of White-stone, L. I., is very interesting to parents. "My little girl," she says, "was so very nervous that we could not get her outside the house nor into another room unless we were behind her, though she was six years old, and she was so languid and tired she would lie around anywhere."

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AMUSEMENTS. OPERA HOUSE. TUESDAY, JANUARY 16. JOSEPH ARTHUR'S Delightfully Realistic Comedy Drama of Backwoods Indiana. "BLUE JEANS."

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CHILDREN Cry for Pitcher's Castoria. READ THE INTELLIGENCER'S Special Art Portfolio offer on page three to-day. OMAHA, NEB., May 5, 1891. I have tried a great many remedies for headache, and KRAUSE'S HEADACHE CAPSULES knock it quicker than anything I ever tried.

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STOCKHOLDERS' MEETING. The annual meeting of the stockholders of the Fire and Marine Insurance Company, of Wheeling, W. Va., will be held at the office of the company on Tuesday morning, January 23, 1894, between the hours of 11 and 12 o'clock (for 1894, between the hours of 10 and 11 o'clock) for the election of a board of directors and for the transaction of any other business that may come before them.

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