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Concerning Local Investments.

The city of Wheeling is to have a tobacco factory, as announced in yesterday's Intelligencer. The promoters expect to invest considerable money in building it up, and to give employment to many men, if their plans succeed.

There is no better point than Wheeling in this section of the country, for investment in industrial enterprises of various kinds to supply ordinary trade in many lines of products—a class of enterprises that will pay better dividends and yield better profits than investments in securities and mortgages.

In connection with this subject, it may be appropriate to refer to an interesting pamphlet issued by the Equitable Life Assurance Society on the subject of interest rates in this country for the future, under the conditions which may prevail as a result of the tendency of the times.

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Pingree's New Party.

Governor Pingree has issued a call for a conference to organize a movement for a new political party. He calls it a "national, social and political conference." It is to be backed by silverite and other elements, and is to take "united and efficient action in certain directions."

We sincerely hope that Governor Pingree will be successful in organizing his new party. It will make just one more separate and distinct organization drawing its strength from the same source, each claiming to be the only friend of silver and calamity, but all going different routes.

Those who are opposed to the Republican party, which goes before the country on its merits and united on its principles, can take their choice among these three, and form a divided opposition to sweep the country against an

undivided force. Governor Pingree, Chairman Jones and Tom Watson, will each have a command to go in three different directions each looking for the same thing. Perhaps the forces will be a little unruly, but the three generals will have their honors without attaining much glory, while the country will not be the least bit disturbed.

Ambassador Choate.

The favorable impression made by Ambassador Choate on the occasion of his first public appearance in England, at a banquet given by the Associated Chambers of Commerce of Great Britain, was gratifying to this country, for he seems to have thoroughly established himself as a diplomat, judging from the reception of his speech.

The ambassador's allusions to the friendly relations between the United States and England, and the desire of this country to further the interests and prosperity of both nations, were happily made, and the good feeling of the representatives of the commercial interests of the United Kingdom was manifested by the warmth with which they received the expressions.

There is no doubt that when the President chose the successor to Ambassador Hay, he exhibited the same splendid judgment which has characterized his selections of our representatives abroad from the beginning of his administration.

The Palmetto Tragedy.

The massacre of nine colored prisoners confined in the Palmetto, Ga., jail, charged with arson, by a mob of whitecaps, is likely to bring about a race war in that section of the state, which may result in a greater amount of blood-shed.

It saved the state the expense of the trials, but what else was accomplished? What moral effect will the conduct of the mob have? The provocation of riot and perhaps more sacrifice of human life, greater than was conceived of. There may be no sympathy for those who were killed without due process of law, but what justice in Georgia gained?

Death of Joseph Medill.

In the death of Hon. Joseph Medill, editor of the Chicago Tribune, which occurred at San Antonio, Texas, yesterday, the country loses one of the most distinguished of its veteran journalists.

Not only was Mr. Medill known to the country as a famous editor and a leader of thought in journalistic circles, but his career has been closely identified with the history of the Republican party from its birth.

You Shall Dream Again.

Some little touch of sorrow—Some little thorn of pain; Goodnight, dear, and good morrow, And you shall dream again; Sweet, rosy dreams and vain; Goodnight, dear, and good morrow, For you shall dream again.

1,000,000 Sailors From One Ship.

The United States Receiving Ship Vermont, now over fifty years old, has been the school house for over 1,000,000 sailors in our navy. The age and the accomplishments of the Vermont are much the same as Hostetter's Stomach Bitters, which has been before the public for fifty years.

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A majority of the ills afflicting people to-day can be traced to kidney trouble. It pervades all classes of society, in all climates, regardless of age, sex or condition.

The sallow, colorless-looking people you often meet are afflicted with "kidney complexion." Their kidneys are turning to a parsnip color, so is their complexion. They may suffer from indigestion, bloating, sleeplessness, uric acid, gravel, dropsy, rheumatism, catarrh of the bladder, or irregular heart.

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POINTEDLY PENNED.

Locomotive firemen are practical hearners. Eternal vigilance may create a demand for spectacles.

An eccentric man is merely a fool with a bank balance. When trouble drives a man to drink, that is usually the trouble.

If the tongue could kill, but few people would ever die of old age. There is a vast difference between jewels that flash and flash jewels.

This is the season when he is most in fashion who has most to sigh for. Arctic icebergs often last more than that will not bear a qualifying phrase.

The gas meter practically confirms the old adage about silence being golden. We meet every day those whose only mission on earth seems to be to take up room.

It's better late than never, but the man who buys a summer suit in March is rather early than late. But few statements are ever made 200 years.

If a man lets his beard grow people say he is too stingy to patronize a barber, and if he shaves every day they say it's because he is getting gray.—Chicago Daily News.

Held Court in the Brush.

Kansas City, Mo., dispatch: The judges of St. Clair county, who are trying to keep out of the hands of federal court officers, introduced an innovation to-day by holding court in the brush, where the marshals could not find them.

The tangle is becoming decidedly complicated. Judges Nevitt, Lyons and Will, who served until January, and who spent the time in jail here for refusing to obey the federal court's order to make a tax levy to pay the disputed issue of St. Clair county bonds, were released when their term of office expired.

Yesterday United States Marshal Durham intended to qualify the new judges, but he was unable to do so because of the order of no avail. He went down to Osceola in disguise, succeeded in locating two of the new judges, and served the order on them.

They had not yet been sworn in, but Durham did not know it. Immediately afterward they qualified and then, before Durham could again serve the order, they mounted their horses and rode out of town. To-day they sent for the county clerk and held court in the brush, where the marshals were unable to locate them.

Attacking Japan's Friendship.

Philadelphia Inquirer: The Spanish papers are full of accounts of the support given the Filipinos by Japan, and La Reforma goes so far as to say that Japan intends ultimately to drive the Americans out of the islands. It is worthy of note that all of these stories emanate from Madrid and that all of them bear the impress of the Spanish fakir.

It is a curious thing that Japan's friendship toward the United States should be attacked in that quarter. It is a similar character to come to America or England from Hongkong or Manila. So the Spanish stories may be got down as they.

AN INNOVATION

In Sleeping Car Service Introduced by the Baltimore & Ohio Railroad. Commencing Monday, February 13, the Baltimore & Ohio railroad will introduce a new feature in its sleeping car service, between Baltimore and Newark, Ohio, inaugurating what will be known as the "Ordinary" sleeping cars, in addition to the regular standard sleeping cars.

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TAXATION OF THE FARMER.

Views of Aaron Jones, of Indiana, Grand Master of National Grange.

Washington Post: National Grange Grand Master Aaron Jones, of Indiana, was before the industrial commission yesterday. He expressed the opinion that transportation was the most important question with which the farmer had to deal, and believed rates should be made by an independent commission, and that the railroad companies should not be allowed to arbitrarily fix rates.

Another reform suggested was the lowering of the salaries of government officials. "I remember," he said, "when the salaries of congressmen were increased from \$3,000 to \$5,000. This increase was made on the plea that the purchasing power of the dollar had decreased. Now that there has been an increase in the purchasing power, we have no agitation for a reduction of salaries."

Mr. Jones asserted that the farmer is unfairly and inequitably taxed, one-fourth to one-third of the income of the average farm in Indiana being necessary to pay the taxes levied upon it. He suggested legislation looking to uniformity in taxation in the different states. He was favorable to a uniform income tax, but opposed to an inheritance tax.

On the question of immigration, he said the Poles were the most non-assimilable of all foreigners coming to this country. They insist upon maintaining their own schools for the preservation of their language and religion. He mentioned one community in Indiana where there were 1,500 Polish children, not one of whom attended the public schools.

Mr. N. J. Batchelder, of New Hampshire, for many years master of the state grange of that state, occupied the attention of the commission at its afternoon session. He explained the tendency of the wealthy to purchase abandoned farms in New England for summer residences, saying that the rural residents of the New England states were disposed to encourage this practice, as it gave them better local markets. He also said that the abandonment of farm lands in that section of the country had been checked, and that he attributed this change to the influence of the grange. Mr. Batchelder said farming was profitable in New England to-day, and that farm laborers generally received \$25 per month.

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