

THE KNIGHTS OF LABOR ADDRESS THE WORLD.

ST. LOUIS, Mo., April 6.—The joint executive board of assemblies 101, 93 and 17, K. of L., met here at 10 o'clock to-day for the purpose of discussing the work of the organization for the coming year.

FRIENDS AND SISTERS:—Hear us for we plead for our rights. Men of equity look upon us for we struggle against giants of wrong, men of the freckle of pride and of adulation, begotten as it is of the success of outrage and infamy. There stands before us a giant of aggregated and incorporated wealth, every dollar of which is built upon blood, injustice and outrage.

THE ORIGIN OF OUR BROTHERS, over the ruin of our homes, and the blight of our lives. Before him the world is smitten in beauty, but his wake is a graveyard of hopes, a cynic's path of devastation and death.

Brother workers, this monster feud has compelled some of us to toil in cold and rain for five and fifty cents a day. Others have been compelled to yield their title to him for seventeen and thirty-six weary hours for the pittance of nine hours' pay.

He goes to our grocers and persuades them not to give us credit, because we refuse to be ground in his human mill. He turns upon us as a herd of lawless thugs, who shoot against our wives and children with deadly intent, and then he bows for government help when he gets his pay in coin silver.

Workmen of the world, marshal yourselves upon the battle field. Workmen of every trade and clime, on to the fray. Go! and his money must go down or your children must be slaves. Think of the little olive plants around your hearthstones that will be trampled under his feet.

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was not the fault of General Crook. In the new assignment of commands Crook returns to his old post, THE CHIEF OF THE PLATTE, and Arizona.

THE WHEAT SUPPLY. From the Chicago Item.—On February 9th the Senate passed a resolution asking the Secretary of State to report to the Senate the information as to the wheat market in relation to commerce between the United States and foreign countries in cereals.

The area under wheat culture in European countries (Russia excepted) is stationary and while low prices prevail will probably retain its present limits, and may even decline.

Europe, Russia excepted, requires on an average 174,000,000 bushels of foreign wheat for the needs of its population, and these needs become greater each year.

Russia and India are active competitors of the United States only under favorable conditions, and even supposing them to be capable of greatly increasing their efforts, the situation is not calculated to develop further possibilities.

The South American countries promise, so far as the imperfect statistics at hand show, to become the most dangerous competitors that the United States will meet in the wheat markets of the world.

Hostile tariffs of wheat consuming countries have practically made Great Britain the one market for wheat, and have resulted in prices lower than have ruled for more than a century in a market which controls prices for the world.

The population of European countries is constantly increasing, while last year the whole crop fell off. Mr. Bayard concludes that the home supply of wheat in Europe is becoming less able to meet home demand, and that a continually increasing quantity of foreign wheat will be needed to feed its population.

There were some of your people, said an ex-Confederate, "who made a bugle talk. There was one bugler who had a cavalry regiment of Sherman's advance column that had way of making his bugle give a sort of an exultant whoop after he would give the regular call or order, and we of the rear guard on the other side heard almost as a cradle song. On one occasion in 1864 a lot of us entered a salaried Confederate neighborhood. We had been there before, and had found everybody enthusiastic in our support.

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The Pacific Mail Line has raised the passenger rates for Chinese from \$25 to \$50 per passage, and is stopping the exodus now in progress.

The monument reared to the memory of El Machi in the "Ferdinand," is a tower of birch, white-painted and bearing the inscription "The Ambassador of God."

The Catholic young men of Cambridge, Mass., have just opened a gymnasium which cost \$60,000. While under the control of Catholics the gymnasium is for all who will patronize it.

The official year book of the church of England shows that during the last twenty-five years the church has raised and spent for religious and educational purposes the sum of \$47,396,185.

For the past three months the waters of Lake Michigan have maintained a higher range at Chicago than for fifteen years previously. Through the St. Clair flats vessels have two feet more leeway in draught.

The London Lancet and other medical journals favor Professor Brison's treatment for hydrophobia in preference to M. Pasteur's. It is claimed that Brison's method of cure saves even after rabies has developed.

A gradual subsidence of the water in the Southern rivers is reported, but such damage is yet feared. At Cincinnati the Ohio river has reached a height of fifty-three feet one and one-half inches, the highest point since the great deluge of 1852.

Mr. David L. Davis, of Readville, Mass., who has been an employe of the Boston and Providence railroad for fifty years, has received from the corporation a check for \$200 in recognition of his half-century of faithful service.

Beriah Brown, who is a candidate for the governorship of Washington Territory, was editing a paper in San Francisco when Sumpter was fired upon. His Southern sympathies were so strong that his name was mobbed and the editor fled to Mexico.

Joseph Coffin, an Englishman who died in Cincinnati recently at the age of 94, was buried in a coffin which he constructed himself. It was painted in red, white, and blue and the lid was decorated with stars and stripes and a portrait of the old gentleman.

Fire broke out in the Planter's House, the oldest hotel in St. Louis. There were about 150 guests and fifty employes in the house at the time. All escaped save four persons, girls who perished from heat and suffocation. The main portion of the building was not damaged and the loss was only about \$50,000.

In the Capitol, Montgomery, Ala., is religiously preserved a large bible, printed by the American Bible Society in 1851, and bearing upon a fly-leaf his sentence: "The oath of office, as first President of the Provisional Government of the Confederate States of America, was administered to Jefferson Davis upon this bible by Howell Cobb, President of the Provisional Congress, at the front portico of the Capitol in Montgomery, on the 22d day of February, 1862." The book, it may be added, is still used in swearing in Governors of the State.

A general order has been issued by the War Department containing the following assignments: Major General J. M. Schofield, to the Division of the Atlantic; Major General A. H. Terry, to the Division of the Missouri; Major General Howard to the Division of the Pacific; Brigadier General Crook to the Department of the Missouri, formerly commanded by General Howard; Brigadier General N. A. Miles, now in command of the Department of the Missouri, has been assigned to the Department of Arizona.

The following is the programme of the Salina Literary Society for Friday evening, April 6th:

Quotations at roll call, "Fringing Poetry." Essay, Miss L. Deighan. Declaration, Chas. Mohler. Poem, Dr. J. W. Dally. Speech, E. L. Bishop. Recreations—Music. Paper, R. H. Main. Recitation, Mrs. Ada Sill. Address, Professor Fertig. Music.

The S. C. T. Reading Circle will meet at the home of Mrs. A. J. Carruthers on Saturday.

There will be an Exhibition at the Fisher school-house, Dist. 51, next Saturday evening, April 10. A good programme has been prepared. Admission free.

Gough memorial services will be held in the Christian church, Sunday, April 11th, at 2:30 P. M. Exercises under the auspices of the W. C. T. U. The public are respectfully invited to be present.

Joseph Cook, the famous lecturer, will deliver his celebrated lecture "Does Death End All?" in the Opera House, Wednesday evening, April 21st. Admission 50c. No extra charge for reserved seats. Tickets are now on sale at Whitehead's.

At the Presbyterian church next Sunday night April 14th the Sabbath School will give a very interesting Missionary concert exercises entitled "The Missionary Clock." Owing to the above the second sermon on "The Duration of Future Punishment" will be deferred until next week. Seats free. All are welcome.

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Dr. H. D. Fisher will lecture at Daily Hall on Tuesday and Wednesday evenings, April 13th and 14th, under the auspices of the Young Men's Christian Association and the Equal Suffrage Association. The Doctor has been lecturing extensively throughout the west and comes highly recommended. On Tuesday night he will deliver his popular lecture on "Thrilling Experiences in Early Kansas History," including an account of the "Quantrell Raid." On Wednesday evening he will lecture on "Mormonism." Admission, 25 cents.

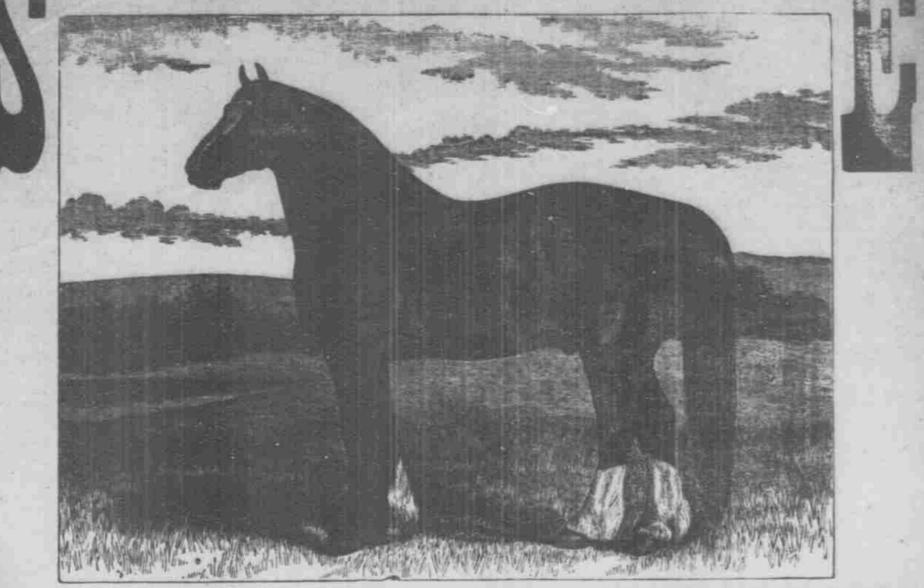
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Sunday School Convention. The Walnut Township Sunday School Association will meet at the Lutheran church in Walnut township on April 10th, 1886. All Sunday school workers are cordially invited to come and participate in the proceedings. An interesting programme will be prepared for the occasion. A basket dinner will be served at the church. Morning session will open at 10 A. M. A lecture will be delivered in the evening by Rev. W. S. Priest, of Salina. Friends of the Sunday school cause come and let us discuss some of the questions pertaining to this great work. Give us the benefit of your counsel, and take home with you possibly more enthusiasm for the work.

Mill For Sale. The "Gaylord Mills," located about 2 1/2 miles southeast of Gaylord, Smith Co., Kansas, on the north fork of the Solomon river, The property consists of 80 acres land, Merchant and Exchange Mill, 3 small houses, stable, hog yards, etc. The mill is equipped with four run of stone, a bolting sieve, Separator, Smelter, Brush Machine, Purifier, and all the other machinery necessary for use and convenience. The power is furnished by a 46-horse Laffin Turbine wheel under about 8 foot head of water and its ample power at all times. The property is offered for \$10,000 and is a bargain. Time will be given on a call. For further particulars, address or call on D. S. ROBERTS & SON, Gaylord, Kansas.

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