

### WEATHER FACTS.

Washington, July 26.—This is the last day of the month, and the weather is bright and clear in the north.

SPRINGFIELD, O., July 26, 1887.

## ECLIPSE!

There is going to be a total eclipse of the sun on August 18, and right here it may be remarked that no movement would be more popular than this if it could take place here and now. The shadow of the moon will strike the earth first at Berlin, early in the morning. It will pass eastwardly from this point, and, traversing the entire width of Russia and Siberia, will reach the sea of Japan a little south of Vladivostok. It will pass across Hondu, the main island of Niigata, upon the western coast, to Mito. The giant shadow will rise and disappear from the surface of the earth at a point nearly 1,000 miles east of Japan in the Pacific ocean.

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### E. D. STANDIFORD DEAD.

The Distinguished Kentuckian, a Candidate for the United States Senatorship, Dies, Suddenly, at Louisville.

Extraordinary and Noble Career in Spain, Next January, The Pope Declines Not to Miss in the K. of L. Business.

By the Associated Press.

LOUISVILLE, Ky., July 26.—Dr. E. D. Standiford died this morning at 4 o'clock at his home, 1027 Fourth avenue. He had been in poor health for about three months and was seriously ill for a week before his marriage to Miss Laura Scott, at Paducah, a little over two weeks ago. He would not have a physician, however, not thinking his condition serious enough, and it was not until last Friday that Drs. Andrews and Healy were called upon to attend him. He evidently had not the slightest idea of his approaching dissolution, however, and neither did his family, nearly all of whom were with him. About 10 o'clock he grew much weaker.

Dr. Standiford was an active candidate for the United States senate, to succeed Mr. Beck. He had been president of the Louisville & Nashville railroad, president of the Louisville & Nashville, Madison, & Indianapolis Bridge company, director of the Farmers' and Drivers bank, a farmer on an extensive scale and one of the wealthiest men in the state. He leaves a family of seven children: Mrs. James Caldwell, Mrs. Murray Keller, Mrs. George E. Danforth, Frank, Virginia, Nettie and E. D. Standiford Jr. He was 56 years old.

### Extensive Fire at Columbus.

COLUMBUS, July 26.—At 3 o'clock this morning an alarm of fire was turned in from the corner of Third avenue and John street, and the department had a long run to the scene of the flames, which were in the hour he had a good start, and when discovered the barn was nearly destroyed, and Mr. Gilroy's residence had caught. The department did good services after its arrival in preventing the further spread of the flames. A horse, buggy and harness were lost in the stable, but no accurate account of the damage is as yet known. Several other houses were on fire at times, and the news of a disastrous conflagration spread rapidly.

### A Curly Act of Intemperance.

DEVELOPED, N. Y., July 26.—Giles Smith lost three cows of bloody murrain. He had them buried near a running stream, which infected the water. Three cows belonging to William Bodling, Jr., a neighbor of the deceased, had been drinking from the stream, and they were found to be dead. The stream runs through several large farms of imported cattle.

### Mr. Coker at Last Given the Razzle-Dazzle.

YONK, July 26.—At a meeting of the board of trustees of the Ohio Soldiers and Sailors' Orphan Home, just organized all the members were present. It was moved that the resignation of Howard Gilkey, as financial officer of the institution, be accepted. The motion passed. Several names were presented, and after a lengthy debate a vote was taken, in which the resignation of George W. Harlan, of Zanesville, was not a matter of importance was transacted.

### The Grand Army United.

MILWAUKEE, July 26.—A special of the Evening Wisconsin from Madison, the headquarters of the Grand Army of the Republic, states that there is no anxiety there over the attempt of the Cleveland administration to disrupt the order by melting dissensions therein. The Grand Army was never more closely united, and statistics given during the past year were 25,000 members. Reports from the first quarter of the present year indicate even greater growth. The order now has a membership of 350,000.

### A Young Murderer.

ALBANY, Ga., July 26.—A special of the Chronicle from Granville, S. C., says: Virginia Hudson, aged 7 years, a negro child, was killed here yesterday for murder. She killed a child only 1 year old in Butler township on Saturday, and then threw the body with a board lid it was dead. This is the youngest murderer ever known in this section. Her imprisonment is merely a matter of form.

### AN ARISTOCRATIC AFFAIR.

Prize Fight to Come Off in Spain to January.

LONDON, July 26.—The articles for a prize fight between Jake Kilrain and Jim Smith were signed today. The fight will take place in Spain on the 31 day of January next, within one hundred miles of Madrid, if all city spectators will be allowed.

### Big Safe Robbers.

BEVERLY, Mich., July 26.—The City mine safe was robbed of \$4,000 Saturday night. The burglars gained admission by the office windows. Saturday was paid day and \$30,000 was distributed. There is generally about \$10,000 in the safe after payday, as some of the men don't get their wages until Monday. There is no clue to the robbers.

### Canadian Interest in Sherman.

WASHINGTON, July 26.—Secretary of state Chaplain, of Canada, who is in New York, speaks with much interest of the approaching visit to Canada of Senator Sherman, who will, he says, be warmly welcomed.

### THE CRIMES ACT.

To a More Irish Police Force Resigns.

DUBLIN, July 26.—Two more members of the Irish constabulary resigned yesterday evening, as a protest against the crimes act.

### Sentenced to be Hanged.

CLEVELAND, July 26.—At Youngstown, yesterday, Eleazer Starnard, convicted of the murder of Alice Hancock, his sweet heart, in March last, was sentenced to be hanged November 18, in the penitentiary at Columbus.

### Greaser and Frisco, N. A. P.

ST. PAUL, Minn., July 26.—Action has been taken toward appointing a committee to invite President and Mrs. Cleveland to visit St. Paul during their coming western trip.

### Assets Not Known.

CALHO, Ills., July 26.—Goldstein & Bunting, dry goods dealers, failed last night. Liabilities, \$25,000. Assets are not known.

### The Pope is Right.

ROME, July 26.—The pope has decided that there is no ground for papal interference with the Knights of Labor question.

### Recess Postponed.

SARATOGA, July 26.—The faces were postponed until tomorrow. All entries stand.

### IS IT MERE MOCKERY?

A Movement to Test the Sincerity of President Cleveland on His Civil Service Position.

WASHINGTON, July 26.—There is a movement on foot on the part of a number of gentlemen interested in the enforcement of the civil service law to test the sincerity of the president in the case of Higgins and the other federal officers who took part in the Baltimore primaries last week. The reports printed of the connection of Higgins et al. in those meetings show that these men had not the least particle of respect for the president's letter in which he prohibited federal office holders from meddling in politics. It is understood that the attention of the Civil Service Reform association has been directed to the part played by the federal contingent of the democracy of Baltimore. It is not doubtful for a moment that if it had been proved that a republican "hold-over" official had dared to violate the president's instructions his official record would have been ruined. Higgins and his co-laborers are a stripe of the democracy which will be needed next year, and their methods are those which will be very effective in lining up the delegates to the next national convention. For these reasons it is likely that no attention will be paid to their conduct at the present time. It is a fact that the primaries elected delegates, which may be depended upon to vote for the "normal" or administration ticket, are also the ones who will be in the line of the president to live up to his own orders. The result of the attempt will be watched with interest, not only by those who are in the line of the president, but by those who are under his administration as well. Higgins and his associates escape punishment if it will be certain indication of federal officials will run the next campaign.

### ALMOST PAST BELIEF.

A Prominent Citizen Arrested for a Bestial and Criminal Assault.

SHELBY, O., July 26.—The city of Shelby was all excitement this morning when it became known that Mr. James Kelly, of this city, had been arrested by Deputy Marshal Went on the charge of committing an assault on the fifteen-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Barb Stoner, a sister of Mr. Kelly's. The girl in question had been stopping with him and his wife for several months past, and the alleged crime was committed on the 28th day of this month. It is reported that the assault was made in a public place, and that Kelly, in the exercise of his duty, was at the time of the assault, and was seen by several persons. Kelly, who is a well-to-do citizen, was arrested on the 28th day of this month, and is now in the city jail. He is charged with the crime of committing an assault on the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Barb Stoner, a sister of Mr. Kelly's. The girl in question had been stopping with him and his wife for several months past, and the alleged crime was committed on the 28th day of this month. It is reported that the assault was made in a public place, and that Kelly, in the exercise of his duty, was at the time of the assault, and was seen by several persons.

### GOV. FORAKER'S THOUGHTFULNESS.

A Sick Child's Loss, Nothing by Being At School From a Sunday School Christmas.

Mr. Ben DeCamp, of Cincinnati, was in the city on Monday night as the guest of friends. Mr. DeCamp has resided in Cincinnati all his life, and is now practicing law with his father, years ago, when he was a lad of 11 years. He was in a Sunday school class taught by the Rev. Mr. Joseph B. Foraker, now the governor of Ohio. One Christmas an elaborate and costly party was given at the residence of the pupils of the Sunday school. At the conclusion of the entertainment each pupil received an appropriate and inexpensive gift. Being present at all the time, young DeCamp could not attend the entertainment and consequently received no gift. His father, now Governor Foraker, learned of this, and immediately sent him a gift of a pair of shoes, which he had bought for him on the street one day, and which he had taken to his office as soon as he received it. A few days afterward young DeCamp was called to the lawyer's office, to see what he wanted.

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### Death of Mr. Wm. Myers.

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### SPRINGFIELD TURNERS

Gave Recognition and Won Prizes at the Dayton Turn Fest.

The Northwestern turn fest at Dayton concluded yesterday with the award of prizes, and Springfield got a very fair showing in the "tat." The award occurred at the Casino Hall. Mr. Joel Steinberg, of Cincinnati, president of the district, presented the prizes, which consisted of diplomas, gold and silver medals and banners. In an introductory address he complimented the societies upon the successful workings of the fest, the splendid showing made by each in the contest, and the happy termination without accident or occurrence to mar the harmonies of the gathering. He complimented the teachers, too, for their labors as evidenced in classically-aided exhibitions and on behalf of the visiting societies thanked the Dayton turngerman societies and the citizens of Dayton for the entertainment and hospitable showing. The ceremonies of announcement and presentation then proceeded. As each successful contestant advanced to the stage and received his diploma he was greeted with warm shouts, the band joining in trumpet tones.

### THE SOCIETY PRIZES WERE AS FOLLOWS:

First Prize—For class turning Cincinnati turngerman, with 38.16 points, out of a possible 40.