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SERIOUS RIOT.

At the Nottingham Colliery at Plymouth, Pennsylvania.

Plymouth, Pa., July 24.—A strike and serious riot occurred last evening at 6 o'clock at the Nottingham Colliery of the Lehigh and Wilkes-barre coal company, wherein several persons were hurt. It is feared that it is but the prelude of trouble some times in the coal regions. On Monday last the coal company brought here a car load of foreign laborers, and Thursday two more car loads came in after night fall. The new men were all recent importations of the lowest type of the slave race. Last night as a gang of fifty men, who enter the mine every night to clear away the gangways and breasts of rocks, they were about to descend the shaft to begin their work, they were informed that the rate of wages would henceforth be reduced from \$1.85 to \$1.25 per day. Those employed in the gang are all Americans. The men held a consultation, and unanimously refused to accept the reduction. As soon as it was definitely known that the rockmen would not go into the mine, Foreman Conner dispatched a messenger to the barracks, where the company had installed their importations, and in a few minutes a body of the newly arrived "Huns" were entering the new colliery yards, every man in a new working outfit, which had been provided by the company. Their appearance was the signal for an outburst of hooting and groans from the men who were waiting to see the outcome of the affair. As the new men, under the leadership of Supt. Locke and foreman Conner, walked in the direction of the shaft, a volley of stones and pieces of coal fell upon them. The throwing of missiles continued until several of the "Huns" dropped. At this time a leader among the sympathizers suggested that the men be driven to their barracks, and a bold rush was made, sticks being freely used on the unfortunate Huns, who were routed. The Huns have barricaded themselves in their barracks, and as they were entirely friendless it is probable that the company will take them in the mines to-day under strong guard. Several of the men sustained serious cuts and contusions. Last night the streets were filled with miners wondering what the outcome of the affair would be. The sympathy of the best people in the region is with the miners. It is the general impression that the company's wish is to foment a general strike and fill the mines with cheap labor.

Chapter 1: Weak tired, no appetite.
Chapter 2: Take Hood's Sarsaparilla.
Chapter 3: Strong, cheerful, hungry.

No Third Party.

At a meeting of the Boone county farmers' and laborers' union, resolutions were passed instructing delegates to vote against any effort to endorse a partisan political party; oppose the sub treasury scheme; declare that the union is not committed to the action of the Cincinnati convention, and is a non-partisan body; and endorse in strong terms the course of President U. S. Hall.

New Florence, Mo., July 25.—The Montgomery county farmers' and laborers' union closed a two days' session at Big Springs this evening. Officers for the ensuing year were elected. The delegates to the state convention were instructed to vote against any third party move. A resolution condemning the course of U. S. Hall was tabled.

At the Cooper county farmers' and laborers' county meeting, Geo. Ormrod was elected delegate to the state meeting, and resolutions were introduced asking him to oppose any measure that advocated the sub-treasury plan. A resolution condemning the course of U. S. Hall was tabled.

At a regular meeting of the Pike county (Mo.) Farmers' and Laborers' Union at Clarkville, July 17, resolutions were adopted opposing all effort to engraft politics in the order by a third party movement, and denouncing the sub-treasury as wild and visionary and one of the worst forms of class legislation. One farmer remarked that a "majority of the last meeting was worse struck on the offices than on the wheel."

Patronize home institutions by sending your washing to the hand laundry. 30 tf

Swift Footed Sunot.

New York Sun.

It is satisfactory to learn through the Turf, Field and Farm that the amazing report of Sunot's trotting a quarter in 29 1/2 seconds, half a second better than the hitherto extreme performance of 30 seconds, has been fully confirmed. Sunot now has done what Maud S. never did. Passing the 30 second line for a mile. It lets out another link in the possibilities of the future. This should be Sunot's year. Since this young animal came before the public the record has been getting more and more rickety, until the present appearances are that it will be finally smashed before the fall election.

WASHER.—An experienced salesman, or business house to represent us as sales agent in Butler, Address, WASHMAKER & BROWN, Philadelphia, Pa.

The largest clothing and tailoring house in America. 30 tf

A BLACK FIEND'S AWFUL CRIMES.

Two Kentuckians Murdered and Two Fatally Wounded.

The Victims an Old Couple and Their Grown Up Sons.

Paris, Ky., July 26.—Five miles from here lived Nathan C. Conway, 61 years old, his wife, about the same age, their sons, Charley and William, 33 and 28 respectively, William's wife and three children and two nieces, Misses Florence and Lucy Leager.

As the family members were all sitting on the veranda this morning a negro named Craig, who has no fixed home, asked for a drink of water. It was given him. He thereupon lifted a rusty scythe blade and asked if it was not a good knife.

Charley Conway nodded assent and the negro, throwing down the cup of water, struck him with the knife, splitting his skull. The rest of the family ran into the house, while Craig continued to hack the young man till he thought him dead.

Then the blood thirsty wretch attacked the father, who had returned and killed him.

Then the mother coming up had her head split open and instantly died. The negro insanely hacked her body in a dozen places.

Then the fiend attacked William Conway, cutting him in the head and on the body as he ran.

The wretch had just struck him to the ground when G. W. Barlow, a neighbor attracted by the screams came up and shot Craig twice with buckshot. This seemed to have no effect, but other neighbors had come up, and a young man shot Craig with a pistol. Craig ran, and falling beside a haystack, died in a few minutes from the effects of the buckshot wounds. The pistol ball had glanced around his head.

The Conways were from Maryland originally, but came to Bourbon eighteen months ago from T. G. Meggibben's farm, near Cynthia. They were orderly citizens, and were held in the highest regard.

Craig said he had killed seven persons, and intended to kill that whole family. He is known to have killed his mother-in-law. He had always been known as a desperate fellow, and was a brother of Charley Craig, now under sentence of death in Cincinnati for murdering his master and hiding the body in a sewer.

What the Billion Means.

The \$1,008,000,000, the amount spent by the Reed Congress up to the last sitting and adjournment of Congress, is something stupendous indeed. How many are there who imagine how vast the sum is? Never has there been so large an amount spent by any previous Congress for the same length of time—two years. In fact, the amount wasted by any other Congress dwindles and fades into utter insignificance as compared with the above. "See the startling figures it shows up."

Nineteen dollars for every hour since the creation of the world up to the present time; \$60 per hour since the coming of our Savior on earth; \$1,000 per hour since the Declaration of Independence; \$3,830 for every hour since the inauguration of Abraham Lincoln, or the commencement of the Civil War; last, but not least by any means, \$5,753 for every hour since the Inauguration of Benjamin Harrison up to adjournment of the present Congress, or that amount in two years; \$959 for every minute; \$16 for every second, or nearly \$17 per head for every man, woman and child in the United States. The above is worth contemplating by the young.—The Republic

Satisfaction guaranteed by the Home Laundry. 30 tf

AN AMERICAN SENT TO SIBERIA.

Rough Treatment of S. Gerber of Omaha in Russia.

Omaha, Neb., July 24.—According to a letter received here by Abe Goldstein, S. Gerber, who has lived in Omaha for the past five years, has been exiled to Siberia by the Russian authorities. Gerber went last March to Myszyuca near the German frontier, his native town in Poland, for the purpose of returning with his family, who had remained in the old country. His appearance in the little town excited suspicion and his arrival soon reached the ears of the authorities. Fearing arrest by the minions of the autocrat of all the Russias, Gerber fled across the frontier into a neighboring German province. Events proved that his fears were well founded. A demand was made upon the authorities of the German town in which Gerber had taken refuge, and he was turned over to the emissaries of the Czar, who took him in chains to Myszyuca where he was tried on the charge of running away to America. Gerber claimed to be a citizen of the United States and showed papers proving that he was a naturalized citizen but in spite of this he was sentenced to imprisonment for one year in jail at Loozzy, the capital of the province, and afterward to be banished to Siberia for five years and his property confiscated. Gerber was reported to be well provided with this world's goods, and had intended to return to Omaha with his family and set up in business.

Nature was in a happy mood when she made this country, and her brightest smiles seem to rest upon it like a benediction. She did not make a dreary stretch of plain, with no break upon which to rest the weary eye; neither did she pile up a thousand useless and rockribbed hills, instead made of it the world's lawn beautifully planned and artistically laid out. Where twenty years ago only lazy cattle grazing knee-deep in luxuriant grasses, and nothing broke the silence save shouts of the cow boy, to-day the yellow corn spreads its waving fields for miles around. A little mound rises here and a veritable band of flowers, while between the picturesque hills lie the cool and shadowy vales, where crystal streams laugh and dance on their onward course to the southern sea. From a wilderness of grass and flowers the hand of industry and civilization has turned this magnificent country into a commonwealth of happy people; planted upon its hillside pretty towns and villages whose church spires are kissed by the mellow rays of a tropical sun and whose busy life and enterprise make music to the listening ear. Upon every hill top rest the pretentious houses of the happy husbandman and the smoke from flying trains, crawling serpent like across the horizon, tell us that the products of our labor are speeding towards the markets of the great commercial east. Ex.

Fired on by a Maniac.

Sedalia, Mo., July 26.—J. R. Hull a farmer who at one time lived on a well cultivated tract of land a few miles west of the city, was released only a few months ago from the insane asylum. During his incarceration his wife procured a divorce. After his release, however, he frequently visited his family, who continued to dwell upon the farm. To day he was paying a customary visit and appeared perfectly rational. He stepped out to the well and in a moment returned to the house with a revolver in his hand and the fire of insanity burning as fiercely as ever. He immediately opened fire upon his wife and children, who fled precipitately.

Help was summoned and the sheriff and a posse are now in pursuit of the armed maniac.

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We have just perfected arrangements with the J. H. Campbell Commission Company of Kansas City, to telegraph the cattle and hog market at noon each day, for the benefit of our friends. Also receive "Drovers' Telegram" and Kansas City dailies, giving full market reports. Call and investigate at your leisure.

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Virginia Items.

In my absence last week I was in Cass county. I found the corn in the northern part of Bates and southern Cass in a great deal worse condition. From Adrian south the corn is not too wet to plow. When I was up north I saw wheat not cut yet, too wet to get into the field with binders. I hear no complaint of the yield. Threshers are thick, but still not enough this year. Ira Roberts returned home Saturday, could not stay away any longer from his darling. O Niekirk and wife of Foster, were in town Saturday and Sunday, visiting the family of Mr. Carr Dudley. W T Cowan has finished having. G B Hickman and wife of Butler, spent Sunday in our burg. Mr. Fred Heckadon's 7 months old child died July 23d, and was buried in Virginia cemetery. Rev. Browning conducting the services. A J Berry has a very sick child. Come and see me, I have the poultry fever. A J Park's plows are on the last two rows. Sarah Oldham is back at her post again. Uncle Joel and Aunt Thersy Zinn, who have been quite sick for some time, are on the mend. Owen has taken pity on Andy and put a fine cover on his wagon. Andy says it is much better than riding in the hot sun. Miss Hattie Stephens has gone to Butler to attend the teachers' institute. Miss Hattie has applied for the Virginia school. H D Henderson has new harness and his cart painted. Some fear of grasshoppers from the west. James H Beckett got his cat all O. K. He puts his sugar and coffee in one end of the sack and his cat in the other. Chiggers are very bad this year in blackberry patches. Mr. H Miller is improving slowly. Some one picked Mr Miller's blackberries on the shares, but left him to pick his share. Mrs Josie Dudley was able to attend church Sunday. Thank you, Mr. "Sleepy Jim" for helping me out in my absence last week. If it had not been for you Virginia items would have been blank. Wake up and come again. Mrs John Hensley is able to be out again; she says she is improving slowly. The river is out all over the bottoms. The wind storm the other night unroofed Mr. Glover's house. L Bright of Hume, is visiting his father and helping him with his hay. Dr Mitchell is very busy now a days. Mr Ben Watkins reports his daughter much better. Mr Miller has a good work horse for sale. Girls look out, Virgil has broke his filly to drive single.

N. M. NESTLEROBE.

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"Why is it," asks a citizen, "that that newspapers make so many mis-statements?" "Well," said the reporter of "twenty years' experience," "the papers have to tell, as most of the news, the stories that men like you tell them, and it is a moral impossibility for nine out of ten men to tell a thing as it really was. Some may tell it as it seemed to them, but what one man will swear to as the truth the next man will characterize a lie."

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A Photographic Freak.

Salem, Ill., July 24.—A remarkable freak in photography occurred here to-day. A lady called at the photograph establishment of Mr. R. M. Edgeworth and sat for a negative for a cabinet sized photograph. When a proof was taken there appeared on the lap of the lady a little child. The lady says that the child is an exact image of her child who died thirteen years ago; that even the clothing is the same pattern the child was buried in. She is greatly worried over the strange occurrence, as no picture of the dead child had ever been taken. Mr. Edgeworth says he cannot account for the mystery.

Republican.—If you want to raise the price of American goods so as to equalize the better paid American labor with the foreign pauper labor, lay on a protective tariff.

Democrat.—Well, that seems logical.

Republican.—But if you want to make goods cheap lay on a high protective tariff, so that competition will be more sharp, and prices will be reduced by the cut throat process. See?

Democrat.—Well, yes, I have often heard that "it's a poor rule that won't work both ways," but I don't exactly catch the logic.—Dale Co. Advocate.

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Editor Iowa Plain Dealer Cured of Insufferable Itching and Pain by the Cuticura Remedies.

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