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KATE FIELD says that Edwin Booth cast a vote for Abraham Lincoln for president, but never voted before that occasion or after.

IF newspaper cuts are reliable there is a great and striking family resemblance between a planing mill afire and a full set of unbung bangs.

DR. GATLING's improved machine gun will send a bullet through a man's body at a distance of two miles. Gatling is one of those kill or cure doctors.

JA JATLJIT SNIGH RAJAI RAZAGAI, of Kapurthalia, has been taking in the sights of Coney Island. He wrapped his name around him the other day and took a swim.

BETWEEN 1 o'clock a. m. and 11:55 p. m. Charles Petticord, of Pittsburgh, pedaled a bicycle 238 miles over country roads. That is better time than some passenger trains make.

THE official figures show that the annual dairy product of this country exceeds in value that of the lumber, wheat and iron interests combined. The cows of this country are worth $700,000,000.

SOME idea of the slaughter of elephants can be secured from the fact that in Zanzibar alone some 500,000 pounds of ivory are marketed every season from the tusks of 10,000 elephants.

IT is a western editor, who, when a subscriber fails to respond to the second bill, publishes an obituary of the delinquent on the theory that he must be dead or he would pay up. That is a very reasonable conclusion.

THE Lunatic oil spring of Wheeler Canyon, Cal., at the time of a new moon begins to flow oil. When the moon is at its full the spring yields three barrels of oil a day. The quantity decreases with the waning of the moon, and ceases when the moon's last quarter is past.

THERE are 753 periodicals and newspapers in Russia, which contains a population of 100,000,000. According to the statistics of 1892 there were 19,573 in this country, and a population of say 65,000,000. The newspapers in Russia, however, are misnamed. They dare not print the news.

LEON LE PONTOIS, a Frenchman, has invented an apparatus which he calls a telectroscope. By means of it he claims to enable people to see over a wire as far as they can talk by the long-distance telephone. The rays of light are converted into electric currents by a combination of a camera and selenium battery cells.

PERSONS who visit the Russian exhibit at the world's fair should cultivate the acquaintance of Princess Marie Schaskovsky, who will introduce them to Mme. Korvinpogesky, who will show them through the exhibit. If they still desire to meet distinguished foreigners let them then hunt Mr. Robert Rachmuswarscoganhopp, of Stockholm, whose arrival was chronicled recently.

MISS CARRIE L. HODSDON, of Lawrence, Mass., and Miss Edith M. Kenniston, of Concord, N. H., are making a bicycle tour of England for a press syndicate, and are incidentally demonstrating that Saratoga trunks are an outgrown luxury. The entire amount of their luggage for the five months during which they will be away from home is confined to a bundle that may be strapped to their bicycles.

THERE appears to be no way of determining absolutely whether women should or should not wear corsets. At South Beach, near New York, a young woman was nearly drowned because she went into the surf tightly corseted, a fainting spell coming upon her in the water. On the other hand the attempt of a discarded lover to kill a young woman in Wisconsin was defeated by the bullet striking a corset steel and so being deflected.

EDISON hopes some day to make Niagara furnish enough electric power to run every railroad train and light every town in the state of New York. Whether Edison succeeds in this particular undertaking or not electricity is manifestly the motor of the future, and it is not a very distant future either. Some day all our swift streams and even the ocean tides will be making electricity for the uses of man, and the locomotive will be as great a curiosity as the stage coach.

THIS has not been a good year for the bee keepers, and there has not been half a crop of honey. There is a great difference in seasons, so far as honey making is concerned. Though flowers come in about the same profusion each year, they do not contain the same amount of honey. Some years they seem filled with sweet nectar, and the bees make frequent excursions, and always return heavily laden, and other years the busy little workers scour the country far and wide and gather little honey. It has been two or three years since there was a large crop of the product.

THE drop in silver has stirred up the western miners to a more vigorous search for gold, and it is probable that the production of that metal will be greatly increased within a year or two. Mines which have not paid will be reopened, and with new processes for the reduction of the ores, the work will doubtless be prosecuted with profit. Prospectors are now scattered over the mountains of Montana, and while their individual findings may be small the aggregate will make a large increase in the total of a year's production. Still it will be a long time before gold will be too plentiful.

"THE parents of to-day," says Mrs. Burton Harrison in her story, 'Out of Season,' "don't trouble themselves to train up wives for the rank and file of our honest gentlemen. They create fine ladies and look about for some one to take the expense of them off their hands." And then we wonder at results! Until women know their business the divorce mill is bound to be in active operation. There is a thought here which intelligent American women should be quick to "catch on." The proper training of daughters is a work that may well evoke the best effort of American mothers.

WHEN Benjamin Franklin proposed to start a newspaper his mother tried to dissuade him because there were already two newspapers in America. Ben is said to have replied: "Mamma, I can scoop the boots off of those hand bills." And he did.

Epitome of the Week.

INTERESTING NEWS COMPILATION.

FROM WASHINGTON.

THE statement of the public debt issued on the 1st showed that the debt increased $4,263,973 during the month of July. The cash in the treasury was $681,756,908. The total debt, less the cash balance in the treasury, amounts to $843,233,449.

GOVERNMENT receipts for the month of July were $30,905,776.19 and the expenditures $39,675,886.60. In June the receipts were $30,983,921.85 and the expenditures $29,266,451.30.

AT the United States mints the coinage executed during July was very light, being only 2,165,000 pieces, of the value of $391,900.

THE national bank notes outstanding on the 1st were $183,655,920, an increase of $5,041,385 during July.

IT was stated for the first time since April 20, 1893, when the gold reserve in the treasury fell below the $100,000,000 mark, the reserve has been made intact.

THE gold and silver coin and certificates, United States notes and national bank notes in circulation August 1 were $1,611,099,117, an increase during the month of July of $17,237,606. The increase during the last twelve months was in round figures $9,000,000.

IN the government treasury all the silver dollars which are accessible have been exhausted, owing to the demand for money of small denomination.

IN the United States there were 433 business failures during the seven days ended on the 4th. In the week preceding there were 386, and during the corresponding time in 1892 the number was 260.

THE exchanges at the leading clearing houses in the United States during the week ended on the 4th aggregated $973,880,753, against $887,988,509 the previous week. The decrease, compared with the corresponding week in 1892, was 9.7.

THE EAST.

THE temporary or indefinite shutdown of twelve New England mills throws more than 6,000 people out of employment.

EX-VICE PRESIDENT MORTON'S immense new barn at Rhinebeck, N. Y., and outbuildings, together with 100 head of Guernsey cattle and all the farm horses, were destroyed by fire. Loss over $100,000.

NANCY HANKS will be driven against time over the Mystic track in Boston on August 12 to see if she can beat her record of 2:04, which she made last September.

CHARLES H. JONES, for a long time editor of the St. Louis Republic, has been appointed editor in chief of the New York World.

IN fifty-seven trades in New York city there are 56,000 men out of work.

By the falling of the second balcony of the yacht club's house at Chelsea, Mass., four persons were killed and twenty-five others were seriously injured.

A FIRE which had burned for a week in Burlington county, N. J., exhausted itself. The damage to buildings was $150,000; to timber, $1,500,000, and to the crop of cranberries, $75,000.

HULDA went a mile in 2:08¼ at the races in Buffalo, N. Y., the fastest ever made by a 3-year-old, and Hal Pointer paced three heats in 2:07¼, 2:06¾ and 2:06.

EXTENSIVE frauds have been perpetrated on the railroad companies by the issue of bogus world's fair excursion tickets.

THE Bromley worsted goods mills at Philadelphia have closed, throwing 3,000 persons out of employment.

THE firm of N. L. Cort & Co., of New York, importers of tin, tin plate and other metals, failed for $550,000.

THE Pennsylvania iron millers have instructed their superintendents to employ none but Americans hereafter.

A SAWMILL, boarding-house and several tenements in a lumber camp at Keshuqua, Pa., were destroyed by fire. Loss, $100,000.

IN the lake at Lake George, N. Y., the steam yacht Rachel sank with twenty-nine passengers, nine of whom were drowned.

WEST AND SOUTH.

IN the northwest an advance of from 20 to 50 per cent. in insurance rates has gone into effect. Schedule risks are excepted.

A PLATFORM was adopted at the silver convention in Chicago which declares that there must be no compromise of the silver question, that all legislation in demonetizing silver and restricting the coinage thereof must be immediately repealed, protests against the financial policy of the United States being made dependent upon the policy of any foreign government and asserts that the only remedy for pure metallic financial troubles is to open the mints of the nation to gold and silver on equal terms.

ON the Chicago board of trade three more firms—D. Eggleston & Son Co., G. G. Parker & Co. and Thomas Craig—failed with total liabilities of over $1,000,000.

THE shipping and importing firm of W. Frese & Co. at San Francisco failed for $142,000.

MAURICE FLYNN was killed in a freight wreck at Kinsman, Ill., and eighteen cars and thirty head of cattle were burned.

MISS MARGUERITE M. WILSON, Miss Kate M. Fleeson and Miss Annie Ricketts, missionaries to Siam, sailed on the steamer Oceanic from San Francisco.

THE following bank failures were announced: El Paso national at El Paso, Tex.; First national at Birmingham, Ala.; Waupaca county national at Waupaca, Wis., and the Savings bank at Anthony, Kan.

IN districts in Kansas where hard times prevail the various religious denominations were combining in the interest of economy.

THE barn of James A. Ballard at St. Cloud, Minn., was burned and twenty-one horses perished.

The firm of Crocker, Fisk & Co., millers at Minneapolis, filed an assignment with liabilities of $200,000.

IN Chicago Adam Smith & Co., dealers in wines and liquors, failed for $425,000.

JUDGE STEIN fined officials as follows for contempt of court in closing the gates of the world's fair on Sunday: Lyman J. Gage, $1,000; Charles L. Hutchinson, $1,000; Charles Henrotin, $1,000; William D. Kerfoot, $1,000; Andrew McNally, $1,000; Victor F. Lawson, $100; Director General Davis, $250.

AT Columbus, O., Frank Van Loon was hanged for the murder of William Vandermark during an attempt to rob a bank at Columbus Grove August 8, 1891.

THE nomination of President Aylesworth, of Drake university, as the prohibition candidate for governor of Iowa, has been declined.

A MOB lynched Felix Poole, a notorious character, near Owensboro, Ky., for an assault on Miss York, aged 13.

IN Iowa insurance rates have been raised 10 per cent. and merchants have been notified that they must meet the increase.

DOUGLAS DAVIS fatally stabbed his wife in a jealous rage at Greenville, Ill., and cut his own throat, dying instantly.

VIRGINIA populists in convention at Lynchburg nominated Edmund R. Cooke, a farmer of Cumberland county, for governor; J. Brad Beverly, of Faquier, for lieutenant governor, and W. S. Gravely, of Henry, for attorney general.

IN Chicago the first general meeting of women lawyers ever held convened with delegates present from every section of the United States.

THE mines of California during the past three months have turned out $3,800,000 in fine gold.

FAILURES were reported of the Commercial bank at Stevens Point, Wis., the National German-American bank at St. Paul, Minn., and the banking house of Lazarus Silverman in Chicago.

ONE of Chicago's biggest dry goods concerns, the James H. Walker company, doing an immense wholesale and retail business, failed for $2,400,000.

AT Houston, Tex., Walter E. Shaw was hanged for the murder of his mother and aunt March 31, 1892.

A CLOUDBURST in the vicinity of Sharptown, Ind., did immense damage to crops and farm property.

FOURTEEN farms in Alpena county, Mich., were swept by forest fires, consuming houses, barns and grain and hay and damaging growing crops.

THE "Hoosier poetess," Sarah T. Bolton, died at her home in Indianapolis, aged 82 years. Among the most popular of her songs were "Paddle Your Own Canoe" and "Union Forever."

ROBERT DUNCAN, of Indianapolis, and Mrs. Annie Caulkins, of Lafayette, Ind., discovered that they were brother and sister after a separation of seventy years. Mrs. Caulkins is 85 years old and Mr. Duncan is 83.

AT Memphis, Tenn., sixty persons, including the sheriff and other officers, have been indicted for lynching and cremating the negro Lee Walker.

THE 13-year-old son of Edgar Burger, of South Kokomo, Ind., died from the direct effects of cigarette smoking.

THE execution of Joseph H. Howell, who murdered Mrs. Nancy Hall and seven children January 19, 1892, took place at Trenton, Mo.

IN a prize fight at Denver Bobby Taylor, fighting under the sobriquet of the "Sailor Kid," was killed by William Robinson.

THE following bank failures were announced: First national at Hammond, Ind., Citizens' national at Muncie, Ind., First national at Plattville, Wis., State bank of Providence, R. I., Exchange at Colby, Wis., Lebanon (Pa.) Trust and Safe deposit bank, and the First national, National citizens' and Mankato national at Mankato, Minn.

FOREIGN INTELLIGENCE.

IN ports of Russia the ravages of cholera where the disease is now epidemic show a marked increase.

ADVICES from Valparaiso say that the revolution in Argentina was spreading and that all the cities and towns along the coast of the province of Buenos Ayres, numbering over forty, were held by the rebels.

FLAMES destroyed 180 houses in the town of Birsk, in Russia, and seven persons were killed and a large number were injured.

ABOUT one-third of the town of Port Louis, the capital of the island of Mauritius, was destroyed by fire, the loss being over 1,000,000 rupees.

THERE have been 6,696 deaths from cholera in Mecca and 2,318 in Jedda, in Russia, since the epidemic broke out two months ago. There have been 601 deaths from the scourge in Marseilles, France, since the middle of May.

ON the German armor-clad steamer Baden at Kiel an explosion killed nine seamen and seventeen persons were wounded.

LATER NEWS.

JAMES L. WRIGHT, one of the founders of the Knights of Labor, died at his home in Philadelphia, on the 5th, aged 76 years.

THE imports, exclusive of specie, at the port of New York, for the week ended on the 5th, were $10,450,824, of which $2,836,673 were dry goods and $7,622,151 general merchandise.

HON. E. J. PHELPS, one of the American counsel before the Behring sea tribunal of arbitration, accompanied by Mrs. Phelps, sailed from Southampton for New York, on the 5th, on the American line steamer Paris.

THE surveyors who are at work on the Indian allotment in the Cherokee strip will complete their work on the 10th, which will allow the proclamation declaring the land open to be issued on the 14th or 15th.

THE rough treatment accorded Gov. Tillman's dispensary spies in Sumpter and Charleston, S. C., has made the governor angry. He announces that he will arm the constables and give them instructions to shoot anybody who interferes with them.

THE convention of county commissioners in San Francisco, on the 5th, urged the governor to call an extra session of the legislature to appropriate $600,000 to the proposed California Midwinter fair and to empower counties to make appropriations.

THE extraordinary session of congress, called by President Cleveland to take action on financial questions, met, on the 7th, with a full attendance of members. Many new faces and many familiar in former years, but missing from their places for one or more terms, were observed among the members present.

THE government has now on hand about 130,000,000 ounces of fine silver, costing $118,000,000. The coinage value of the bullion on hand is about $167,000,000. If this were coined the government would realize a profit of about $48,000,000, against which silver certificates could be issued; but it is estimated that this, with the present force, would consume five years.

THE weekly statement of the associated banks of New York city, issued on the 5th, shows the following changes: Reserve, decrease, $9,716,125; loans, increase, $2,231,300, specie, decrease, $6,702,100; legal tenders, decrease, $5,322,000; deposits, decrease, $9,231,900; circulation, increase, $166,700. The banks were shown to hold $14,017,800 below the requirements of the 25-per-cent. rule.

MISSOURI STATE NEWS.

New Postmasters.

The following new postmasters of the fourth class have been appointed for Missouri:

Cobb, St. Clair county, Mary S. Fletcher, vice J. H. Fletcher, resigned.

Japan, Franklin county, J. M. Renick, vice W. J. Renick, resigned.

Akron, Harrison county, D. M. Greenwood, vice F. Poland, resigned.

Coopershill, Osage county, J. F. Fleer, vice A. Langenberg, resigned.

Pilot Grove, Cooper county, Annie C. Goode, vice Wm. Roberts, resigned.

Toronto, Camden county, Lafayette Harrell, vice J. T. McClure, resigned.

Belgrade, Washington county, J. T. Terril, vice Linn Reffee, resigned.

NEW POST OFFICES.

Hoelscher, Lincoln county, Christian Hoelscher, postmaster.

Ristine, New Madrid county, Chas. P. Cook, postmaster.

Mr. Bland in Washington.

WASHINGTON, Aug. 5.—Representatives Bland and De Armond of Missouri, have arrived. Mr. Bland declines to make a statement as to the question whether he will accept the coinage committee chairmanship if it is tendered him. He simply declares he can not decline an honor that has not been tendered him. Mr. Crisp had not informed him what he intended to do, and he had not seen the speaker.

WILL CHAMPION FREE COINAGE.

Regarding silver, "I stand exactly where I have always stood," Mr. Bland said, for the free and unlimited coinage of the white metal. With such a law in force there would be an end of bills like the present.

He is in favor of the repeal of the Sherman law of 1893, and goes further than that. He will favor the repeal of both the Sherman acts, that of 1873 as well as that of 1893. The silverites will take care of what is to take the place of existing legislation, he says.

For one thing he favors the re-enactment of the coinage law of 1837, which gave to the country the "dollar of our daddies," but he will introduce a free-coinage bill at this session and champion it, whether he is chairman of the coinage committee or not.

Resumed Business.

The Missouri national bank of Kansas City has resumed business, having fully recovered from the effects of the senseless panic which caused its suspension.

The close of the first day's business there was a net gain in deposits over and above all disbursements of $61,329.98. It is evident the failure of the bank was caused solely by the run made upon it by its depositors. An inspector had previously reported the institution solvent.

PREPARING TO RESUME.

The comptroller of the currency has been notified that the bank which recently failed at Harrisonville, Mo., is taking steps to resume business.

Convicts Escape.

Four convicts, white men, escaped from the Missouri penitentiary the other day.

Frank Emerson, Jackson county, burglary, 20 years; sentenced in 1888.

Ed Burgess, Andrew county, burglary and larceny, 15 years; sentenced in 1890.

Jas. E. Hudson, Jackson county, burglary, 10 years; sentenced in 1891.

Wm. Taylor, Greene county, jail breaking, 2 years.

They worked in the hospital as cooks and waiters, and slept in the building. They gained the hospital yard, mounted the wall with a ladder and let themselves down with a rope. A guard was eating lunch near by.

What State Treasurer Stephens Says.

State Treasurer Lon V. Stephens spent a day at Sedalia recently.

During the past month he received anonymous letters criticising his action in accepting $210,000 worth of Equitable Investment Co. bonds from the Pettis County Investment Co. as security for the $100,000 deposit required by law, and his mission to Sedalia was to convince doubting Thomases that he did exactly what was right in the premises. "I endeavor to handle my department of the state business precisely the same as I would if it was my own individual affair," said Mr. Stephens, "and I am prepared to convince anyone that I have simply done my duty in the premises."

Pardoned Out of Prison.

Gov. Stone has pardoned John Hatfield, of Douglas county, sent to prison in 1892, for two years for grand larceny.

Hatfield's offense was nothing more than killing a stray calf which he had posted. After waiting the proper length of time he butchered and sold it, and soon thereafter the owner appeared and demanded ten dollars. Hatfield offered four dollars, the amount for which he had sold it. A quarrel ensued and Hatfield was arrested, indicted and convicted of larceny.

Missouri at the Silver Convention.

Gov. Stone appointed the following as delegates to the Chicago silver convention, regardless of politics:

E. T. Hines, Howell county; Ed W. Turner, H. J. Pawley, Clinton county; J. E. Lincoln, Clay; C. F. Cochran, John I. Bittenger, St. Joseph; Judge James Gibson, R. T. Van Horn, Kansas City; W. F. Switzler, Boonville; E. J. Conger, Linn county; John W. Knott, Hannibal; Judge Jere Craven, Springfield; Jasper N. Burks, Farmington; Henry W. Ewing, Jefferson City; ex-Gov. David R. Francis, Gen. M. O. Hawkins, St. Louis.

Collections by Secretary of State.

Secretary of State Lesueur reports collections of fees by his department during July as follows:

Notarial fees	$910 00
Miscellaneous fees	328 55
Land department fees	56 90
Foreign corporation tax	100 00
Domestic corporation tax	5,850 00
Total	$7,245 45

Insane Convicts Transferred to Asylums.

A number of insane convicts have been transferred from the penitentiary hospital to the various asylums for the insane.

The condition of the hospital has been bad for some time owing to the presence of these insane convicts, and their removal will be beneficial to the sick of the institution as well as to them.

Did Not Know the Gun Was Loaded.

Wm. Rhodes, a Sedalia clerk, was engaged in cleaning a shotgun and did not know it was loaded. The muzzle rested upon the toes of his right foot when the weapon was discharged, tearing away one toe and lacerating the foot.

Pension Examiners.

WASHINGTON, Aug. 6.—Following pension examiners have been appointed for Missouri: Moberly—Doctors C. B. Clapp, W. A. Rothwell, C. R. Hickerson.
Carrollton—Dr. J. C. Cooper.
Poplar Bluff—Dr. B. C. Jones.

Bank Officials Indicted.

The Green county grand jury has indicted T. E. Burlingame, president, and C. P. Newman, cashier, of the late bank of Commerce at Springfield.

Missouri State Fair Association.

W. J. Millby has been appointed, by the Pettis county circuit court, receiver for the Missouri State Fair association. He gave bond for $30,000.

Assigned.

The assignment of C. L. Weaver, of Springfield, was announced a few days ago. It is stated that his liabilities will prove large.

Burned Out.

The house of John L. Pittman, at Moberly, was destroyed by fire early the other morning. It was the work of an incendiary.

A Colored School-Teacher Killed.

Chas. Miller, a colored school-teacher, was killed by a Missouri Pacific train near Sedalia. He had been dissipating for years.

Death of an Old Resident.

Josh Strimple, a well-known contractor and builder and one of the oldest residents of Kansas City, is dead, aged 69.

STATE SCHOOL FUND.

The Annual Apportionment of the School Fund to the Various Counties in Missouri.

The forty-eighth annual apportionment of state school money, made by the superintendent of public schools, shows the following:

COUNTY.	Enumeration.	Apportionment.
Adair	*5,693	$ 4,942 09
Andrew	3,007	4,354 15
Atchison	4,898	4,250 06
Audrain	7,226	6,281 82
Barry	8,6 9	7,529 97
Barton	6,292	5,471 60
Bates	10,271	8,931 78
Benton	5,322	4,628 07
Bollinger	4,875	4,239 26
Boone	7,508	7,326 66
Buchanan	28,621	25,149 94
Butler	3,280	3,282 13
Caldwell	4,827	4,197 63
Callaway	7,886	6,857 76
Camden	3,847	3,345 40
Cape Girardeau	7,791	6,777 73
Carroll	8,23	7,164 73
Carter	1,546	1,344 42
Cass	7,452	6,480 35
Cedar	5,62	4,915 08
Chariton	9,519	8,277 84
Christian	5,773	5,020 27
Clark	4,744	4,125 44
Clay	5,4 6	4,744 65
Clinton	5,369	4,665 68
Cole	5,988	5,120 28
Cooper	6,924	6,021 19
Crawford	4,301	3,740 20
Dade	6,028	5,242 02
Dallas	4,692	4,080 27
Davies	6,688	5,815 96
DeKalb	4,711	4,096 74
Dent	4,192	3,567 15
Douglas	5,542	4,819 39
Dunklin	5,817	5,058 53
Franklin	9,770	8,496 11
Gasconade	4,263	3,707 16
Gentry	6,654	5,786 40
Greene	16,491	14,340 77
Grundy	5,882	5,115 06
Harrison	7,361	6,403 82
Henry	9,736	8,466 54
Hickory	3,399	2,955 81
Holt	5,298	4,529 94
Howard	5,666	4,927 22
Howell	7,212	6,271 64
Iron	2,977	2,588 89
Jackson	53,275	46,328 87
Jasper	17,299	15,034 22
Jefferson	7,976	6,936 02
Johnson	9,060	7,912 69
Knox	4,183	3,637 59
Laclede	5,455	4,743 13
Lafayette	10,236	8,877 60
Lawrence	9,633	8,376 97
Lewis	4,982	4,332 41
Lincoln	5,684	4,942 87
Linn	7,622	6,671 66
Livingston	6,645	5,778 57
McDonald	4,417	3,841 08
Macon	10,278	8,937 67
Madison	3,339	2,903 63
Maries	3,094	2,690 58
Marion	8,107	7,049 94
Mercer	4,710	4,095 87
Miller	5,259	4,573 29
Mississippi	3,114	2,707 97
Moniteau	5,018	4,399 80
Monroe	6,809	5,965 54
Montgomery	5,592	4,862 87
Morgan	4,232	3,680 30
New Madrid	2,894	2,516 66
Newton	8,535	7,422 14
Nodaway	9,900	8,609 16
Oregon	3,950	3,434 97
Osage	4,532	3,941 08
Ozark	3,967	3,449 75
Pemiscot	1,990	1,721 83
Perry	4,654	4,047 17
Pettis	9,436	8,2 5 68
Phelps	4,566	3,970 65
Pike	8,413	7,316 04
Platte	5,044	4,386 32
Polk	7,430	6,461 22
Pulaski	3,622	3,149 73
Putnam	3,611	4,879 39
Ralls	3,995	3,261 06
Randolph	9,532	8,289 14
Ray	7,965	6,926 46
Reynolds	2,512	2,184 45
Ripley	3,309	2,877 55
St. Charles	7,361	6,401 21
St. Clair	5,958	5,179 41
St. Francois	5,995	5,213 35
Ste. Genevieve	3,956	3,092 34
St. Louis	11,810	10,270 11
Saline	11,028	9,589 08
Schuyler	3,952	3,438 21
Scotland	4,114	3,577 58
Scott	3,904	3,394 96
Shannon	2,916	2,535 79
Shelby	5,361	4,664 03
Stoddard	6,873	5,976 84
Stone	2,113	2,707 10
Sullivan	6,748	5,868 14
Taney	3,089	2,686 23
Texas	7,780	6,765 58
Vernon	9,880	8,591 76
Warren	3,149	2,738 41
Washington	4,496	3,909 27
Wayne	4,338	3,772 37
Webster	5,638	4,901 13
Worth	3,139	2,729 77
Wright	6,010	5,226 67
City of St. Louis	153,000	133,041 00
Totals	916,565	$797,055 77

*Rate per pupil $0.869.

One-third of the ordinary receipts into the state revenue fund from July 1, 1892, to June 30, 1893, inclusive....$610,902 10
Interest on invested state school fund 186,060 00
Refunded by J. J. Jamison, county clerk of Reynolds county, refunded on account of error in enumeration 184 16

Total amount apportioned.....$797,176 26

From this amount is deducted the sum of $97.05 due Taney county on account of an error in the enumeration of 1892, and $12.74 due Harrison county, and $9.80 due Jasper county on account of errors in the enumeration of 1893. This deduction is provided for by section 8064a.

Net amount to be apportioned	$797,055 73
State school enumeration	9,165 65
Amount to each child enumerated	0.869611833

The apportionment in the various counties should be made in August, 1893, upon the enumeration returns made in May, 1893, to county clerks.

A Plucky Widow.

An attempt to rob and assault Mrs. Vance Smith, a prepossessing widow of Sedalia, was thwarted at an early hour the other morning by the lady's bravery. She lives alone, and a couple of days previous to the incident rented a furnished room to a man who gave the name of Harris. After the midnight hour a rap at the front door aroused the lady, and, on asking who was there, the reply was made: "I am the new roomer and want in." A few minutes later Mrs. Smith heard a strange noise in the roomer's apartment, and soon became convinced that he was rumaging the bureau drawers. About the same time a man on the outside was endeavoring to gain an entrance through a rear window. Seizing a revolver that was beneath her pillow, Mrs. Smith fired two shots at the prowler, which caused him to beat a hasty retreat. She then threw open the window shutters and jumped into the yard, taking her two children with her, and fired two more shots to attract the attention of her neighbors. By this time the man in Harris' room had succeeded in demolishing the door and fled down street. It has developed that it was a well-posted stranger whom Mrs. Smith had admitted, supposing him to be Harris.

Insane Asylum Managers Meet.

The managers of lunatic asylum No. 3 were in executive session at Nevada the other day. The regular monthly business was transacted. After dinner the board went into executive session. Dr. R. E. Young, who has been superintendent ever since the asylum was opened in 1887, tendered his resignation, to take effect August 5, and Dr. James Gordon, assistant physician, was elected to fill out the term, which expires in October. Gov. W. J. Stone was present at the session. The board will elect officers at its regular meeting September 3.

Mutilated While Plowing.

William Walker, a prosperous farmer 8 miles southeast of Golden City, Barton county, was horribly mutilated while plowing by a team running away with a sulky plow. The hired man found Mr. Walker's body fastened so firmly into the parts of the plow that it was with great difficulty removed. He had been dragged in this position 90 rods, and was almost lifeless. One ear was cut off, one eye gouged out and the other severely injured. The flesh was torn from one arm, leaving bare the bones. The body and head were covered with bruises. He may die.

A FRIGHTFUL WRECK.

Three Persons Killed and Many Injured by a Wreck on the Lake Shore Road at Lindsay, O.—Five Sleeping Cars Reduced to Kindling by Contact with a Freight—Narrow Escape of Chicago Baseballists.

CLEVELAND, Aug. 7.—Train No. 9 of the Lake Shore railroad left here Saturday night for Chicago on time. The train was composed of three coaches, three baggage cars and five sleepers. It left Fremont ten minutes late and was running at a high rate of speed for Toledo. When the train was about ten miles out of Fremont, at a small station called Lindsay, the sleeping cars left the track and crashed into a freight train that was waiting on a siding for the passenger train to pass. The first part of the train got by in safety but the sleeping cars rolled over the ties quite a distance, finally swerved from their course and hit the engine of the freight train with tremendous force.

The noise of the collision aroused the people of the little town, and they soon surrounded the wreck ready to aid the unfortunate passengers, whose groans could be heard amid the noise of the escaping steam and pandemonium that ensued by the destruction of the locomotive. The sleeping cars were practically reduced to kindling wood and that anyone escaped is a miracle. Three persons were killed outright and a number seriously injured.

Telegrams were at once sent to Fremont for medical aid, and a coach left that city within half an hour bearing physicians to the scene of the disaster. In the meantime the train crew, aided by the citizens of the little town, began to remove the debris and ruins that covered the track. Underneath the wreckage could be seen the victims of the accident and the groans of the more seriously hurt were pitiful. Here and there an arm or a leg protruded and little pools of blood that oozed from underneath the shattered timbers told the sad tale of suffering.

Many people were buried in the wreck who were not seriously injured, their hurts consisted mostly of bruises and scratches, and it was not a hard task to free them from the heavy beams that held them to the earth. They were taken care of by the town physicians and were ready to resume their journey by the time the train started again on its way to Toledo. Perhaps fifteen or twenty were more or less hurt in that way whose names were not given to the local authorities.

Deeper in the wreck were the dead and more seriously hurt. The three who were killed outright by the collision were not removed from the ruins until 6 o'clock. They were buried under the engine and it was impossible to do anything to aid them until a wrecking train had arrived.

Prof. B. H. Emerson, of Amherst college, Gloucester, Mass., and the colored porter, Pelmonn, were extricated after a long struggle with the heavy iron braces and the timbers of the sleeping car, and they were at once taken to houses in the village. Prof. Emerson's case was hopeless from the start, his chest being crushed beyond possibility of recovery, and Pelmonn was in the same condition, with no hope.

The members of the Chicago baseball club were in the Cleveland sleeper, which was the last one on the train, and to that fact they owe much of their immunity from more serious injury. As it was, Ryan, the center fielder of the club, and Kittridge, the best catcher, were cut badly and bled profusely. Other members of the team were bruised and cut, but not so as to interfere with the continuance of their journey.

A special train left Toledo soon after the report of the accident, with Lake Shore officials on board, to make a thorough examination of the track and ascertain what caused the wreck. The only theory given is that the rails spread and let the heavy sleeping cars through the switch.

A Sixty-Foot Plunge to Death.

TERRE HAUTE, Ind., Aug. 7.—A special to the Express from Danville, Ill., says: A wreck that will cost the Big Four over $100,000 occurred here Saturday night. An east-bound freight train broke in two and while it was being coupled together on the iron bridge over the South Fork river. Another east-bound freight train came around the sharp curve to the west of the bridge and a collision occurred. The shock knocked two spans of the bridge off the piers into the river sixty-three feet below. Engine 532 and twenty-eight cars composing the second train and four cars of the first train went down with the bridge.

All on the first train jumped before the trains came together. Engineer Daniel O'Connor of the second train jumped off his engine before the bridge was reached. He was unfortunate enough to land in a barb-wire fence and was severely scratched but received no serious injuries. His fireman, Frank Flannagan went down with the engine. In some miraculous way he cleared the wreck and was found wading around in the water in a nearly unconscious condition. He is not seriously hurt.

Conductor Grow has his limbs crushed and has severe internal injuries.

Head Brakeman Stone lies buried at the bottom of the wreck.

A tramp bricklayer named Charles Jackson was badly hurt. He claims several other tramps boarded the train at Urbana and were killed in the wreck.

A large force of men are at work clearing away the wreck, but no remains have been found.

Have You Hay to Sell?

CANAJOHARIE, N. Y., Aug. 6.—The Hay Trade Journal reviews the hay market in the United States as follows:

"The crop for this year is virtually harvested and in the main is of a good quality. Reports from every part of the country