MINNEAPOLIS.

OFFICE 29 SOUTH FOURTH STREET.

MINNEAPOLIS GLOBULES.

The funeral of Benjamin F. Savage, who was killed in the cyclone at St. Louis, occurred from the family residence, 19 West Twenty-sixth street, at 3 o'clock yesterday afternoon.

Charles Alf Williams, former well-known newspaper man of this city, and his brother, Thomas Williams, have bought the Hamilton, O., Daily Democrat and the Butler County Democrat for $50,000.

John Dean, the man accused of forgery in connection with the Munsell Publishing company, which published Judge Atwater's history of Hennepin county, was placed on trial yesterday morning in the criminal branch of the district court.

Benton Long, an old soldier and member of the G. A. R., was found dead in his bed yesterday morning, at the home of his sister, Mrs. Farnham, the principal of the summer school, 1424 Spruce street. Coroner Kistler was called and pronounced it apoplexy.

Judge Jamison yesterday set free the following from their matrimonial tethers: Jennie St. Cyr from John B. St. Cyr for desertion; Pirtie Smith from Mary Smith for adultery; Mary Zimmel from Frederick Zimmel for cruelty; Charles H. Tew from Mary Tew for desertion.

City Controller W. G. Nye is sending circulars to the financial concerns in the East, calling attention to the bond sale on July 1, when bids for $100,000 of school bonds will be opened. The bonds are in denominations of $1,000 each, bearing interest at the rate of 4 per cent, and will fall due in 1926.

Deputy Revenue Collector J. B. McArdle has been a busy man the past month. He reports that the receipts of his office for May amounted to $21,447.67. Last May the receipts were $15,714.94, an increase this year over last of $5,732.73. Receipts for last month were the largest in the history of the Minneapolis office.

The remains of C. H. Nee, the switchman killed at St. Louis, will be buried this morning at 9 o'clock from the residence of his mother, at 314½ Twentieth avenue south. The members of Lodge No. 30, switchmen's union, of which the deceased was a member, are expected to attend in a body.

One of the cases against Frank H. Anson, the Excelsior banker, charged with grand larceny in the first degree, was yesterday morning nolled by the county attorney. It was shown that the prosecuting witness was dead, and the facts presented to the county attorney did not warrant a prosecution. The second case, containing a similar charge, was continued over the term.

ALL BIDS REJECTED.

Guaranty Loan Assets Will Be Sold Piecemeal.

Judge Russell set aside and rejected all the bids for the assets of the Northwestern Guaranty Loan company and the Louis F. Menage collateral.

The matter came up at 9 o'clock in the morning, with all interested parties represented. The bids were shown, and by an examination it was apparent that the receiver could secure more money for the property by selling it out in parcels than to have the court accept the bids as they were handed in. As an example, A. J. Steele, of Helena, Mont., bid only $10,000 for the bonds and stock of the Helena Power and Light company, while T. C. Marlow, of the same city, bid $27,000 for the same parcel. Then again, Marlow bid $49,000 for all the assets except the Pullman bonds, while C. C. Chapman, R. A. Smith and T. King bid $62,000 for all the assets. R. K. Taber, of Chicago, bid $30,000 for the bonds of the New England association, Pullman, Helena Light and Power company and Kansas Investment company bonds.

It was very apparent that the receiver, by taking one piece at a time, which was badly wanted by several parties, could secure much more than the highest bid, which was $80,000. The action of Judge Russell has pleased the largest number of attorneys, although the ones who wanted the highest bid accepted represented a large amount of the debts. The court will pass upon each bid as it is received by the receiver, and will make the sales direct by order.

KENTUCKY BRIGADE COMING.

Even Ohio Pythians Are Inclined to Disobey Carnahan's Orders.

The Pythian Knights from the Blue Grass state have written to Col. Fred Wheaton, secretary of the citizens' executive committee, that the Kentucky brigade may be counted on for the Minneapolis demonstration next September. The brigade will mobilize on July 6, at Park's Hill, and will then decide the strength it will bring to Minneapolis. Letters were also received yesterday morning from a division in Ohio, saying that, notwithstanding it had direct orders to go to Cleveland, it preferred to come to Minneapolis, provided it could have a chance at winning some kind of a prize for drilling. The Kentucky brigade makes the sixth formation of that character to be scheduled for the encampment here, and Missouri is yet to be heard from, with the certain assurance that a number of its divisions will come to the Northwest if the brigade does not.

Lochren's ex-Private Secretary.

Charles Donnelly, who was up to a few weeks ago private secretary in Washington to Judge William Lochren, arrived in Minneapolis last Saturday morning, and, with his wife, has taken apartments in the Hennepin flats. Mr. Donnelly was a visitor this morning at the office of Pension Examiner Waite, in the federal building. He intends remaining in Minneapolis till about July 1, when he leaves for his new post of duty at Hudson, Wis., to act as a special agent of the pension department.

Aid for St. Louis.

Mayor Pratt and the Commercial club are in receipt of earnest appeals for assistance from the stricken city of East St. Louis. Flour and provisions of all kinds are needed, as well as ready money. The situation is described as being very serious, as thousands are homeless, without means or work. Many who escaped death are maimed and crippled, and months must elapse ere these helpless and hapless thousands will be able to house and support themselves again. A meeting of citizens is called for this evening at 8 o'clock at the Commercial club rooms.

For a Russian Cemetery.

The Russian-American residents of Minneapolis met at 1419 Washington avenue north yesterday, for the purpose of devising ways and means to secure a Russian cemetery for the burial of their dead. It is the desire of the Russian citizens to secure a plot of ground about ten acres in extent, for which they are willing to pay $1,600. There are 197 members of the association. A committee was appointed to look the matter up, the members of the committee being John Ohnick, Eller Super, John Millinor, Theodore Sevanich and Paul Podany.

Denies the Slander.

Albert H. Hall was very much disturbed yesterday, because the rumor had gained ground that he was not a candidate for the nomination on the Republican ticket for the office of county attorney. Mr. Hall states positively that there is no reason for the rumor, for he is and has always been actively seeking the nomination, and will make a fight for it until the day of the caucuses. He says that if necessary he will make this announcement over his own signature.

Globe Base Ball Schedule Free.

Do you want one? Cut out the coupon on the Sporting page and present it at Globe Counting room Tuesday, June 2d. You'll get what you want.

Officer York's Health Restored.

Officer George York, who was taken with a temporary fit of insanity about a month ago, has almost recovered from his illness and will be back on duty within a few days. Officer York's sickness was brought on by kidney trouble, for which he has been taking treatment for the last year or two.

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IDYLLIA A SUCCESS

LARGE AUDIENCES WITNESSED THE PRODUCTION OF THE UNIVERSITY SENIORS' PLAY.

BUSY WEEK IN SCHOOLS.

THE FOUR HIGH SCHOOLS ALL WILL HOLD GRADUATING EXERCISES.

BYRNES SELECTS HIS AIDES.

Bids for Guaranty Loan Assets Rejected—General News of Minneapolis.

"Idyllia" is the name of the senior class play, which was revealed yesterday afternoon for the first time. A large audience greeted the university seniors at the Lyceum theater, where the matinee production of the '96 class play was greeted with many rounds of applause. The play was attended by another full house in the evening.

The plot of "Idyllia" places a college student, Pillsbury Hall, in the midst of King Arthur's court of the Sixth century. The college yell given when he is about to be executed, frightens the king, and Hall is given his freedom. He then proceeds to teach his royal highness and the courtiers how to play poker and foot ball.

"The game was tried and many a doughty knight
Learned funny tricks of what it was to fight,
Sir Launcelot and King upon the ground
Merrily rolled each other round and round."

While the game is in progress, Prixy Northrop and the Minnesota faculty appear, looking for Hall, who has been skipping recitations and missed his quizzes. The impersonations of members of the faculty were especially good. Dr. Kiehle, the professor of pedagogy, was taken off by Charles Keyes in excellent manner. Prof. Gale finds a counterpart in A. M. Birch. A dozen other members of the faculty, proxy, the janitor and registrar, were also represented. The play ended by the king's decision to found a great university, and hire proxy to run it.

Many first-class specialties were introduced. A banjo club, consisting of Pillsbury Hall (A. N. Day) and the court ladies, Misses Tenant, Webb, Holtz and Robbins, rendered several excellent selections. A topical song, "I Wonder if Dreams Come True," was full of college hits. A special fancy dance, "Deuz pas Demoiselles," was given by the court ladies. The steps for this dance were arranged by Miss Bonnie McCullock. Prof. Kasten, of the Commercial club, drilled the students for a couple of athletic specialties. A vocophone concert band of eleven members created considerable amusement.

Among the St. Paul people who took part, Alfred Mayo had the most prominent place, as King Arthur. J. E. Gregory was ticket seller to the king. John Dalrymple and H. H. Chapman were knights of the round table. A. W. McCrea and F. W. Long played in the concert band.

The play was written by Herman Howard Matteson, assisted by Alice Elinor Walker. It is bright and witty throughout, and a very creditable production. One hundred and thirteen people were in the cast.

WILL HELP TIM BYRNES.

A Few of the Appointments for Minnesota.

Col. Timothy E. Byrnes, sergeant-at-arms of the Republican national convention, left for St. Louis last night, where he will remain until the convention is over. Before wending his way to the railroad he gave out the names of a number of Republican stalwarts who will assist him in caring for the hosts that will beslege the St. Louis wigwam during convention week.

Among the plums distributed to Minneapolis people was the position of assistant sergeant-at-arms to John Baston, and on his staff are ex-Sheriff James Ege, City Attorney Simpson, Frank Grygla, Nels Munson, J. Albert Hagstrom, Maj. H. A. Norton, J. W. Nash, J. A. Phillips, D. L. Smith, Deputy Sheriff Gordon Bright, S. L. Trussell, C. A. Pillsbury, John Pillsbury. In the same class he has scheduled State Treasurer August Koerner and Col. Soren Listoe, of St. Paul.

Mr. Byrnes' assistants throughout the state are C. E. McMillan, of Luverne; Dr. G. F. Merritt, St. Peter; E. H. McLeod, Hutchinson; Henry Nupson, Preston; E. E. Park, Jasper; E. A. Page, Carleton; E. E. Benn, St. Peter; H. G. Hays, Sleepy Eye; J. T. Hammar, Madison.

Among the Minnesota boys who will go as ushers are Ernest Hosmer, son of Librarian Hosmer, and George K. Belden, son of Judge Belden; Simon Michelet, George K. Shaw Jr., Alex Sinai and "Judge" Charles Dever. Bob Evans' boys, Stanley and Graham, and George Byrnes will go as errand boys.

FOUR IN A BUNCH.

High School Commencements Come All This Week.

Minneapolis will have its fill of graduating exercises this week, but, as they are occasions which are always enjoyed by both audience and actors, it is safe to say that there will not be too many. The four high schools of the city have each been assigned an evening, and, as the commencement exercises of the university will be Thursday morning, those of the high schools will interfere with no others.

The first on the list is the North side high school, which occurs Tuesday evening at 8 o'clock in the assembly hall of the school.

Wednesday evening the East side high school graduating exercises will be held in the First Congregational church.

The commencement programme of the South side high will be given Thursday evening in the Immanuel Baptist church.

The last class to hold its graduating exercises will be that of the Central high, which will be Friday evening, in the Metropolitan theater.

STILLWELL BACKS OUT.

Decides That He Will Stay With the Salvation Army.

Maj. Stillwell, after an interview which he had with Maj. Malan and Staff Capt. Winchell, has determined, together with Mrs. Stillwell, to reconsider the step taken, and decided to withhold their resignations pending final communication with Salvation Army leaders.

FARMERS IN TOWN.

Delegation From Lac qui Parle to Visit the Agricultural School.

Lac qui Parle county is at present minus 650 citizens, who go to make up the population of that enterprising county, and all of them are in Minneapolis. The farmers from this part of the state have for a long time been longing for an opportunity to visit the state agricultural school, and, as one of them said last evening, "Learn how to commence over again." This opportunity has now been given, owing to the courtesy shown them by the Minneapolis & St. Louis railroad, which has given them the lowest rate possible. The party arrived in the city at 4:15 yesterday afternoon and put up at the different hotels. Through the kindness of the Twin City Rapid Transit company the delegation will be given free transportation out to the farm tomorrow. Special cars leave Hennepin avenue at 9 o'clock in the forenoon. The professors and officers of the school are greatly pleased at the interest shown by the farmers, and everything will be done for their entertainment while there. An industry that is of special interest to the visitors is that of dairying. The practical appliance of the principals taught at the farm are new to the farmers from this section of the state, and the visitors will do everything to enrich their knowledge upon this subject while here. The tillers of the soil will remain in the city four days, leaving Thursday morning.

On Wednesday another excursion comes from Hazel Run, Hanley Falls, Wood Lake, Echo and Delhi; next Monday from Redwood Falls and towns this side.

MRS. VALESH RETURNS.

She Speaks Highly of Trades Union Movements in Europe.

Mrs. Eva McDonald-Valesh has just returned from a five months' stay in Europe. She has made a special study of industrial and sociological questions, and has gathered considerable original information. Of trade she says:

"I found a very active and flourishing trade union movement in France, Austria and Germany. The French, especially, are done with secret, revolutionary associations, and are organizing along trade union lines. They are very independent and self-respecting. The government recognizes their unions, and concedes them many privileges. In Germany and Austria, however, the government tries to forcibly suppress all attempts at labor organization. The result is that the unions seem to grow all the faster. What is called the socialist or political workingman's movement in these countries is simply an agitation for free speech, free assemblage, free suffrage and a consequent share in the government. The workmen are intensely practical and do not theorize much about a future social state.

"Altogether, I think, my study of European conditions has given me a greater liking for American institutions and renewed hope for the possibilities of our people."

AN APPEAL FOR AID.

Help Asked by the Council of St. Louis.

ST. LOUIS, Mo., June 1.—Both houses of the municipal assembly of St. Louis tonight adopted resolutions asking outside aid for the cyclone sufferers. At the next meeting an ordinance appropriating $100,000 from the city treasury for the benefit of the sufferers will be introduced.

The loss of life in East St. Louis, which has been generally excessively estimated, has assumed far less serious proportions as the days have passed. Instead of being nearly 200, as claimed by many, the list of dead numbers 100 identified, with two, a man and a woman, unknown. In addition to these, one man is missing, and eight are so seriously injured that they will probably die. The known list of dead today in St. Louis foots up 141 names. All of these bodies have been recovered.

ANACONDA SOLD.

Control of the Property Goes to an English Syndicate.

BUTTE, Mont., June 1.—Hamilton Smith, representing the English syndicate and the Rothschilds in the negotiations for another purchase of a large stock in the Anaconda company, has been in Butte for several days, and it is stated today that the deal has practically been made. The present purchase is on a basis of $45,000,000 for the whole property.

PHILLIPS COMMISSION.

Act Authorizing It Passed by the the House.

WASHINGTON, June 1.—This was "suspension" day in the house, and a number of minor bills were passed under suspension of the rules. The Johnson-Stokes election contest from the Seventh district of South Carolina was settled by the adoption of a substitute for the committee report offered by Mr. McCall, of Massachusetts, chairman of the elections committee, which declared that there had been no election, and that the seat was vacant. The bill for validating certain territorial bonds of New Mexico was passed with senate amendments, but will have to be again acted upon by the senate because of a parliamentary error. The Phillips bill for an industrial commission, and the bill for refunding all obligations of Arizona were also passed.

The Phillips bill creates an industrial commission of twelve members, three representatives each of labor, agriculture, manufacture and business, salaried at $5,000 each, each group to have a legal adviser at $5,000, the duties of the commission to be to investigate questions pertaining to immigration and the other subjects mentioned, and to recommend legislation to congress. The bill was debated by Mr. Bartlett (Dem., N. Y.); advocated by Messrs. Henderson (Rep., Io.), Stewart (Rep., N. J.), Belknap (Rep., Ill.), Howe (Rep., N. Y.), and passed without opposition.

NEW CANAL COMPANY.

Bill to Authorize It Reported by Nelson.

WASHINGTON, June 1.—Senator Nelson, from the committee on commerce, today favorably reported the bill providing for the organization of the Maritime Canal Company of North America. The object of the company is to construct a canal from the head of tidewater on the Hudson river to Lake Champlain and also other canals in the state.

BLAINE'S BODY

To Be Removed From Washington to Augusta.

AUGUSTA, Me., June 1.—The body of the late Hon. James G. Blaine will be taken from Oak Hill cemetery, Washington, and will be brought to this city. Mrs. Blaine has decided to have both the body of her husband and her son Walker buried on Burnt Hill here, and the removal will occur probably this month.

Any Old Thing.

Sauk Rapids Free Press.

The itch for office has spoiled many a good man. Two years ago William E. Lee would have been a candidate for state auditor if he had had the least encouragement. This year immediately after resigning as superintendent of the reformtory he announced himself a candidate as delegate at large to the national convention. Less than a week later he stated in an interview, published in the Pioneer Press, that he would accept the nomination for congress if tendered him. Less than thirty days from the date of this interview Mr. Lee has concluded that the governorship would just about suit his ability and satisfy his vaulting ambition. But alas! We fear his abilities are not appreciated and his ambitions are doomed to disappointment.

Griffo Given the Decision.

NEW YORK, June 1.—At the City Line park, Brooklyn, tonight there were three ten-round events on the card, the main attraction being the go between Young Griffo, of Australia, and Sam Tonkins, of Astoria. The latter surprised the crowd by his quick work. He kept Griffo busy all the time. Griffo was given the decision in the ninth round.

Globe Is Right.

Oshkosh Times.

The St. Paul Globe declares that "the eternal fitness of things points the way to a Republican ticket made up of McKinley and Quay. The former represents all that is bad in protection and the latter all that is bad in machine politics"—and Quay's visit to Canton would indicate that the Globe is right.

Doran's Ambitions.

Appleton Press.

Michael Doran still cherishes a desire to figure prominently in politics and wishes to go to Chicago as a delegate at large. He is, of course, opposed by the usual anti-Doran contingent and a merry war is in sight. If any Minnesota Democrat is entitled to preferment at the hands of his party it is Michael Doran.

MARCHED IN MUD

RAIN COULD NOT DAMPEN THE ENTHUSIASM OF THE SOUTHERN ARDOR.

TENNESSEE'S NATAL DAY

CELEBRATED WITH GREAT SUCCESS AT NASHVILLE IN SPITE OF WEATHER.

CENTENNIAL EXPOSITION OPEN.

Thousands Thronged the Streets and Took Part in the Elaborate Attendant Exercises.

NASHVILLE, Tenn., June 1.—Though rain storms had disfigured and bedraggled the ornate decorations with which the city had been adorned in honor of Tennessee's anniversary celebration; though flags and bunting had lost their colors, and though rain at intervals fell during the morning, forcing the postponement of the grand parade, thousands of people from all portions of the state held their places on the line of march waiting for the procession. Though set for 9 o'clock, it was 12 before the parade moved. By that time the rain had ceased, and what early in the morning bade fair to be a failure was soon an evident success.

Then started the immense procession, with the United States Marine band in the lead, which took two hours to pass. In the first division came Brig. Gen. Henry, commanding detachments of United States infantry and cavalry, whose soldiery bearing were greatly admired and applauded. Then came the state national guard, state and city officials, old Confederate veterans and the many civic associations. It was a popular parade, all avocations being represented, and the colored division was particularly noteworthy for its magnitude and demeanor.

About 2 o'clock the head of the parade reached Centennial park and the exercises at the park were begun. President J. W. Thomas proclaimed the official opening of the centennial. After the proclamation by President Thomas and the flag-raising, the anniversary exercises were held in the auditorium. After these exercises there were exercises in the woman's building, which was officially turned over to the woman's board, and then followed open air concerts by the various bands. Tonight there was a grand display of fireworks and a concert by the Marine band at the park, attended by large crowds. Fully 25,000 people were at the grounds today.

NOT FRIENDS OF CLOUGH.

In its attack on the methods and political schemes of William R. Merriam the Minneapolis Journal has undoubtedly struck a lead which will be of some avail in the campaign against Gov. Clough.—Glenwood Herald.

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In his campaign for the governorship Capt. Van Sant has won friends on every hand, and today he is, without question, the strongest opponent that Gov. Clough has.—Zumbrota News.

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We don't hear so much lately about the way Clough is sweeping the field. Some way that plan didn't work. A few made a lot of noise about it, but the friends of the other candidates sawed wood and saved their wind, and Clough kept losing just the same. Present appearances indicate that Lee has nearly all the Sixth congressional district, and stands a fair chance in the rest of the state.—Park Rapids Enterprise.

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Clough's friends are informed that the committee of the one hundred includes some of the best men in Minneapolis. This may be so, but we modestly rise to remark that it also includes an element of the most obnoxious political parasites that ever infested any party. Put this gang back in control of state and national patronage and you will be surprised how quickly they get on to the fact that Clough is all right. All this committee is after is to be permitted to distribute the loaves and fishes of party patronage among their friends.—St. Peter Free Press.

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Whenever we talk with politicians or men who dabble more or less in politics we find those who are for Clough or will be if they think he is likely to win. Whenever we talk with farmers we find them, to a man, against his re-election.—Hutchinson Leader.

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Gov. Clough and his friends exhibited great political skill in naming the Republican convention for an early date. His forces are thoroughly marshaled, and it gives the opposition very little time for organization. However, it seems to be the field against Clough.—St. Peter Herald.

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When Clough stepped into the governor's chair there were just lots of good Republicans who were anything but pleased with his methods of securing the office and the way a lot of other clever fellows secured political promotions by their scheme, who are now trying to make themselves believe that it is all right, and should receive the nomination.—Elmore Eye.

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With either Eustis or Clapp in the governor's chair, there would be a cleaning out of the state house and various departments that would wonderfully purify the political atmosphere. Knowledge of this fact is the cause of so much activity on the part of the heads of the different departments.—Wheaton Gazette Reporter.

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Several of Clough's supporters remain oppressively silent when asked why he should be nominated for governor. No, David is not wanted.—Big Stone County Journal.

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Opposition to Clough in Hennepin county will come to about the same ending as did the opposition to Fletcher. The machine is in it to win, and win it will.—Independent Press.

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Republican gubernatorial possibilities are numerous, but the choice of this section of the state would seem to be Moses C. Clapp.—McIntosh Times.

TO HATCH SIX MILLION LOBSTERS.

United States Fish Commission Expects That Many This Summer.

New York Journal.

The experts of the United States fish commission are getting ready the lobster hatchery at Wood's Holl for the season's work that is about to begin. They expect to produce at least 6,000,000 young lobsters this summer. The eggs will be obtained from roe-bearing females brought in by fishermen, and the hatching will be done by the simple process of placing the eggs in glass jars, through which a stream of water is kept running all the time.

The young lobsters must have just the right kind of food or else they will die. As a diet for them nothing has been found equal to the small animals caught by dragging a tow net of gauze from a boat along the surface water of the sea. The surface water of the ocean swarms with life, including vast numbers of crustaceans and tiny mollusks. It is, in fact, a broth. Most of the animals are composed almost wholly of water, having scarcely more than 1 per cent of animal tissue. A single small netful collected in the Baltic was counted and found to contain 80,000 curstaceans and 70,000 other animals.

If one dips up a small dish of sea water and places it in some bits of seaweed, scraped from an old pile or an old float, it will be found to contain a wonderful variety of organisms. On these organisms the crustaceans of the surface sea water feed. The crustaceans in turn furnish a regular diet to small fishes, which are fed on by big fishes. Thus the struggle for existence in the ocean goes on, and even more than on land the fate of living things in general is to eat each other and be eaten by one another.

GREASING THE MACHINE.

Ex-Gov. William R. Merriam, of Minnesota, is causing his political enemies considerable anxiety just now, to say the least. Mr. Merriam is in the habit of getting all that he goes after in a political way and little things like Democratic newspaper criticisms will not deter his purpose. One thing strongly in his favor is the fact that he is a good Republican and stands very close to the power that will be on the throne. A few thousand dollars cuts but little figure with Mr. Merriam if it is necessary to carry out a political point—and money talks.—Lisbon Free Press.

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Gov. Clough's chances for a renomination are growing brighter every day, and prospects are that Washington county will be in line for him when the proper time comes.—Washington County Journal.

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Ex-Gov. Merriam is tagged for a job in McKinley's cabinet. That accounts for the smooth sailing Billy McKinley had in this state. Whenever "Boodle Billy" has an interest in the result the machine is greased generously and works smoothly and to perfection. "Jones he pays the freight."

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The opponents of Clough give no valid reason why he should not have a second term. They do not attack his record, but say that because he succeeded Nelson he ought to be put out. The men that are talking this are those that feel sore because of Washburn's defeat and are making the campaign this year a continuation of the senatorial campaign of two years ago.—Slayton Gazette.

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The band plays merrily on. The recruits around the flag staff of boodle Bill Merriam and Usurper David Clough continue to shout for those two moneyed Republicans, and they will continue to shout for them as long as there is a dollar left in the barrel. The machine is kept well-oiled for them, but it is probable that the people will take a hand in politics and tear down the machine on July 1.—Redwood Gazette.

BICYCLES USEFUL IN WAR.

A secure foothold has been obtained by the bicycle in the army and in the national guard. Officers who by long service under old conditions are likely to be conservative to a degree admit that before long the wheel will be a valuable aid to military movements in time of war.

Some years ago Gen. Miles, who is an enthusiastic advocate of the wheel, said:

"The results obtained under the most adverse and discouraging conditions prove conclusively that the bicycle will in the future become a most valuable auxiliary in military operations, not only for courier service, but also for rapidly moving organized bodies of men over the country."

Gen. Miles said in a subsequent speech to wheelmen that the use of the bicycle for military purposes is one that would attract naturally the attention of every soldier.

"We all know," said Gen. Miles, "that in military matters one of the principal arts in war is rapidity of movements and the power to move troops and munitions of war rapidly from one part of the country to the other. Hannibal, the master of the military art, was finally overcome by the rapidity of movement of one of the corps of the enemy against a portion of his army. Alexander, Hannibal and Cicero used horses and Napoleon coaches in moving rapidly portions of their corps from one part of the country to another.

"Now, the question is whether the American forces mounted on wheels can do as much as if mounted on horses. It is true that a man mounted on a wheel can move over the ordinary roads with greater rapidity and make greater distances than he could possibly move on foot or mounted upon a horse. It is true that if you wish to send a dispatch and station race horses a short distance apart they might possibly make better time than the wheelmen could over the same road, but it is a question, with the improvements that you are making, whether wheelmen cannot in time pass even the race horse.

"It is estimated that there are in this country over a quarter of million of men who are accustomed to ride the bicycle. If out of that number 50,000 men were organized it would make one of the most effective army corps that was ever marshaled in any country or any time."

Not long ago Lieut. Hunt, of Sheridan, and a few enlisted men, with but little experience in riding, made a march of fifteen miles on wheels in one hour and twenty-five minutes. The men took one long rest and carried the full equipments of a soldier. At the end of the ride they were fresh enough to make the journey back a pleasure. The ordinary time of such a march for soldiers burdened with their rifles and belongings would be about five hours.

Some national guard officers of rank do not take as hopeful a view of the service of bicycles in time of war as does the ranking officer of the army. They point out that there are head winds, bad roads, and punctured tires to contend with, and that no ammunition or commissariat train could keep pace with a corps of wheelmen. The guardsmen say: "Cycle infantry in large bodies would fail to accomplish much, but in small independent detachments could accomplish a great deal.

"If each regiment were allowed to organize one of the additional companies provided for in the new drill regulations from the many bicycle clubs in the vicinity the guard would be much benefited. Such a company should drill as provided for in the present 'United States Infantry Drill Regulations,' but in single rank when mounted, and should consider the bicycle simply as a means of locomotion. In addition each man should be a good signal man and have some knowledge of telegraphy. His powers of observation should be trained to the highest degree and his ability to draw reconnaissance maps accurately developed. Such a company should be taught great independence of action and during the summer months compelled to furnish maps and information showing the smallest details of the surrounding country."

ANCIENT LONDON IS GOING FAST.

Old Dwellings and Business Houses Make Way for Modern Structures.

London Daily News.

Fleet street and the Strand, as Dr. Johnson knew those thoroughfares, will soon be reckoned among the things of the past. At the Ludgate Circus end of Fleet street the houses are in the course of rebuilding. The corner of Wellington street is also in the hands of the builders, to say nothing of the demolition occasioned and proposed in connection with the Hotel Cecil and the operations at the corner of Adam street. The two ancient dwellings and business premises opposite the law courts are now tenantless, and in a short time will be swept away.

The only buildings associated with the name of Dr. Johnson which are likely to survive the requirements of the age are St. Clement Danes' church and the entrances to the Temple. Temple Bar is almost forgotten, but Goldsmith's jeu d'esprit when near the bar will probably be remembered after the griffin, with "his hideous limbs and his jaws all agape," has been banished for aye. "I remember once," says Dr. Johnson, "being with Goldsmith in Westminster Abbey. While we stood at Poets' Corner I said to him:

'Forsitan et nostrum nomen miscebitur istis.'

When we got to Temple Bar he stopped me, and, pointing to the heads upon it, slyly whispered:

'Forsitan et nostrum nomen miscebitur istis.'"

Although of late years several corner houses have been rebuilt in Strand and Fleet street, there is not one of any real architectural beauty.

They Are Not Democrats.

To the Editor of the Globe.

I noticed an article in the Globe of the 25th ult., in which an account was given of the passing of a resolution by the Faribault county Democracy indorsing the free coinage of silver. Now, I would like to know who the Democracy of Faribault county are. At the pretended convention some ten or twelve Democrats met in the city hall without previously having had a caucus or giving notice of one, and coustituted themselves the representatives of Faribault county Democracy, without a representative from any of the outside towns excepting two from Winnebago City, the leading one of whom is hand-in-glove with the little handful of Populists that center about that place. The genuine Democrats of Faribault county do not indorse the action of the so-called convention, and indignantly repudiate it. As a party we are for sound money and honest, 100-cent dollars.

—A Democrat.

Blue Earth City, June 1.

When baby was sick, We gave her Castoria.
When she was a child, She cried for Castoria.
When she became Miss, She clung to Castoria.
When she had children, She gave them Castoria.

PEACE PATCHED UP

EVEN BOSS PLATT WILL TAKE A SEAT IN THE McKINLEY WAGON.

HE SAW SENATOR QUAY.

PLATT WILL ALLOW IT TO LEAK THAT HE HAS BEEN CONVERTED.

QUAY HAS ABANDONED THE FIGHT.

Admits That McKinley Will Be Nominated on the First Ballot at St. Louis.

WASHINGTON, June 1.—Quite a stir has been occasioned in political circles by the announcement of a visit of ex-Senator Platt, of New York, to Washington. The senator seems to have been especially anxious to avoid observation, having visited the Arlington hotel for a few moments only on his arrival, and then hurried to the residence of Senator Quay, where he had a conference with him. The visit of Mr. Platt to Senator Quay was not especially unexpected, as those gentlemen have been together since Mr. Quay's visit to Canton. There is reason to believe that there is a movement on foot looking to harmony and an acceptance of the situation by the Eastern Republicans. One significant development is a dispatch in the New York Advertiser, which has been extreme in its opposition to McKinley. The dispatch is from its correspondent at Cleveland, O., who quotes Maj. McKinley as saying, in answer to some remarks touching his failure to express himself on the financial question:

"That will right itself at St. Louis."

This remark is made a text for an elaborate discussion of the situation, and a declaration that it is an extremely hopeful indication; that, in fact, it may be practically accepted that the platform is to be made such as to be acceptable to the East, as well as to the West, and that McKinley and his friends are working hard for harmony in New York. This fact, taken with the understanding which has been had here, that Senator Quay's visit was made in the interest of harmony all around, adds greatly to the interest in the visit of Mr. Platt to Mr. Quay.

The prediction is made by many Republicans here that within a few days Mr. Platt will contrive in some way to allow it to become known that he no longer opposes the nomination of Maj. McKinley in a bitter spirit, and that he is, in fact, quite resigned to his fate. It is also declared with much positiveness that Mr. Quay was able to assure him that all he has to do in order to secure fair treatment at the hands of the McKinley administration is to submit gracefully to the inevitable and use his influence for the good of the party and not for the purpose of tearing it down or of traducing its leaders.

Senator Quay has conceded the nomination of McKinley on the first ballot at St. Louis, and given a table of figures to prove his assertion. Mr. Quay explained that he did not include in his estimate for Maj. McKinley any doubtful voter, nor any that could be taken from him through the contest cases, but only those which are fixed and certain. Two weeks ago Gen. Grosvenor issued his latest bulletin, having silenced the batteries of Messrs. Manley and Aldrich. Now Senator Quay comes to the front with a bulletin which will attract the attention of the whole country. No one will deny that the Pennsylvania senator knows what he he is talking about, or claim that his figures are doctored in Mr. McKinley's interest. It should be remembered that, so far as his friends and followers know, Mr. Quay is himself still a candidate for the presidency, but his devotion to the Quay boom does not blind his eyes to the facts concerning the great column of McKinley delegates.

Senator Quay was asked what sort of a platform would be adopted at Chicago. He replied: "I think the Pennsylvania platform is good enough." The Pennsylvania platform declares for maintenance of the existing gold standard until international action adopts a new standard.

Senator Quay's table of certain McKinley votes, in which the Pennsylvania candidate concedes the nomination of his Ohio rival, is as follows:

Alabama, 6; Arkansas, 16; California, 14; Connecticut, 6; Georgia, 9; Illinois, 36; Indiana, 30; Kansas, 20; Kentucky, 10; Louisiana, 8; Maryland, 10; Michigan, 28; Minnesota, 18; Mississippi, 9; Missouri, 34; Nebraska, 16; New Jersey, 16; New York, 4; North Carolina, 18; North Dakota, 6; Ohio, 46; Oregon, 8; Pennsylvania, 4; South Carolina, 3; South Dakota, 8; Tennessee, 18; Texas, 6; Vermont, 8; Virginia, 16; Washington, 8; West Virginia, 12; Wisconsin, 24; Wyoming, 6; New Mexico, 1; Indian Territory, 2; total, 479.

REED STAYS OUT.

Will Not Play Tail to the McKinley Kite.

BANGOR, Me., June 1.—"I have never written to Mr. Hanna or to any other person that Hon. Thomas B. Reed would accept the nomination for vice president. On the contrary, I know that Mr. Reed will not accept this nomination under any circumstances. We expect to nominate him for president. —"J. H. Manley."

PARIS GOWNS OF SACKCLOTH.

Post-Lenten Display Produces Penitential Cloth With White Satin.

Parisian women are striving hard to outdo one another in the post-Lenten display of gowns which is now being seen in the rapid succession of balls and receptions. The palm of novelty, however, must be awraded to the highly original dame who bethought herself to combine the garments of penitence with the special insignia of gayety. Sackcloth was the material chosen for the extraordinary toilette which this titled lady wore at a recent reception, and which is now being adopted by hundreds of her imitative sisters.

There is something harsh and repellent in the suggestion of sack cloth, but those who think of it as such have never seen it combined with white satin, as it was in the original costume. A party gown of sackcloth is altogether distinguished and inimitable when it is lined throughout with thick, lustrous satin, which gleams through the thick meshes of the dull-hued sackcloth.

The satin supplies the necessary stiffness and elegance and makes the sackcloth striking rather than commonplace, if, indeed, sackcloth ever could seem commonplace in a ballroom. Silks and satins seem but tame affairs in comparison.

The necessary modish touches are supplied to such a gown by a deep band of white satin about the bottom of the skirt, and a white satin sash and collar. The satin border is overlaid with old guipure lace, as is also the satin bodice. The collar should be made iridescent with tiny gems, usually in the form of tiny bugs and butterflies. One beauty of such a costume is that any sort of flowers may be worn with it, or any variety of jewels.

During the vogue which sack cloth promises to have, other striking combinations will doubtless be employed. Yellow satin would form a very effective foundation, and would cast the ordinary demure party gown entirely in the shade.

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STILLWATER NEWS.

Staples Retaliates on Editor Nelson—Commencement Exercises.

Early in May N. A. Nelson, the editor of the Washington County Journal, published in this city, brought suit against Otis Staples, claiming damages in the sum of $10,000 for an alleged assault, and the complaint was subsequently published in the Journal. Staples has now brought suit for $5,000 against Nelson & Neumeier, the publishers of the Journal, for libel, the complaint setting up the fact that the publication of the original complaint had damaged him in that amount. Both actions will be on the calendar for trial at the fall term of the district court.

The Lizzie Gardner left Sunday evening with a raft of logs for Sawyer & Austin, La Crosse. The Ravenna and Clyde left yesterday, the former taking a half raft of logs to Zimmerman & Ives, Guttenburg, and a half raft to the