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In the Doldrums.

We may hear it said of one who is in low spirits, "he is in the dumps," or "he is in the doldrums," but many who use the latter of these phrases have caught it up without any knowledge of its real significance. The region of doldrums is a belt which stretches across the Atlantic and Pacific almost on a line with the equator. Here meet the north and south trade winds, and squalls and heavy rains are frequent, but the characteristic of this region, which is known also as the doldrums, is an oppressive calm. The name nowadays loses much of the significance attached to it by sailors in the past, who, if their ships ran into that region, might whistle in vain for wind, as their sails hung heavily, and all seemed to be dead.

As life as a painted ship Upon a painted ocean.

The Little Giant.

Colonel Clark E. Carr met Senator Douglass during the time of the famous Lincoln and Douglass debates and thus describes him in his book, "The Hill": "I had never heard so impressive a voice, so deep and sympathetic. He had a sort of condescending way, as much as to say, 'I am going to tell you, as though you were the one person in whom he could confide. He was only five feet four and was well called 'the little giant.' I was astonished to find he had so good a figure."

Wants No Extra Session.

The map tiling the soil is not much interested in personal registration now, and don't want the state to go to a heavy expense at this time to satisfy the whims of a few reformers. Personal registration can easily wait until the legislature again meets in regular session.—Hazelton Sentinel.

Venus.

Venus is both a morning and evening star because she always accompanies the sun, never receding from him beyond certain limits, while the rest of the planets, with the exception of Mercury, are seen at all possible angular distances from the sun. When Venus is to the west of the sun she rises before him and is a morning star, but when she is to the east of the sun she rises after him and is an evening star.

Logical Reasoning.

The law imposing a tax on bachelors had gone into effect. One morning a little baldheaded man appeared before the tax commissioners. "I've just married my fourth wife," he said. "I'm entitled to a bounty, ain't I?"—Chicago Tribune.

Teaching Him to Mind.

Mr. Slack—Johnny, don't ever let me hear you talk that way again! I won't have slang used in this house! Johnny—But, pa, I—Mr. Slack—Cut it out or I'll hand you one! See?—Browning's Magazine.

Explained.

"Ma," said Mrs. Malaprop's little boy, "what is 'anthony'?" "Sh, that's not nice to talk about!" replied Mrs. Malaprop. "It's what a lady gets when she's divorced from her husband."—Exchange.

A Long Distance Train.

A railroad employee in Dublin was strutting consequentially before a train that was to run direct to Cork, while he repeatedly shouted, "This train doesn't stop anywhere!"

"A smart man," said Uncle Eben, "is a good deal like a razer. He knifes mightily useful in the right way, but he knifes up a powerful 'sturbance' if it goes wrong."—Washington Star.

ESCAPED BANK BURGLAR.

Located in German Prison and Will Be Brought Back to Dannemora.

Plattsburg, Sept. 12.—Warden George Deyo of Clinton prison will sail today from New York for Germany to bring back Henry F. Hardy, a bank burglar who escaped from Dannemora 14 years ago.

Hardy, who was known as a desperate criminal, was shot in the leg and captured in this city after his first escape in October, 1891, but two months later again escaped and succeeded in getting away.

A year or two ago he was located in a German prison, from which he will be discharged soon and will then be brought back to Dannemora to serve out his term there.

Hardy has known for some time that the prison officials here were coming for him and has written several letters begging to be allowed to remain in Germany. State Detective Jackson will accompany Warden Deyo to assist in bringing Hardy back.

Secretary Taft in Japan.

Washington, Sept. 12.—The bureau of insular affairs has received a telegram from Secretary of War Taft dated at Nagasaki, Japan, as follows: "All well. Leave tomorrow at noon for Kobe, where we will stop two days and then proceed to Yokohama, arriving there on the 17th. Will dine with the tea guilds. Expect to arrive in San Francisco on the 27th." The secretary in answer to invitations from persons who desire him to visit certain cities on the homeward journey has been obliged to inform them that he will take the shortest route from San Francisco to Washington.

Mistook Comrade For a Deer.

Victoria, B. C., Sept. 12.—William Dockering while hunting at Braden Mountain mistook his comrade, Buell Rombaugh, for a deer and fired a charge of buckshot into his throat. Dockering then carried the wounded man many miles on his back before he met aid. Rombaugh may recover.

MARKET REPORT.

New York Provision Market.

New York, Sept. 11.
WHEAT—No. 2 red, 89 1/4 c. f. o. b. admt; No. 1 northern Duluth 91 1/4 c. f. o. b. to arrive.
CORN—No. 2 corn, 60 1/4 c. f. o. b. admt; No. 2 yellow, 60 1/4 c.
OATS—Mixed oats, 25 to 32 lbs., 30@30 1/2 c.; clipped white, 36 to 40 lbs., 34@35 c.
HAY—Shipping, 50@60c; good to choice, 75@82 1/2 c.
PORK—Mess, \$15.50@16.50; family, per bbl., \$17.50@18.00.
BUTTER—Creamery, extra, 21@21 1/2 c.; common to extra, 17@21 c.; western factory, 15@17 1/2 c.
CHEESE—State, full cream, small choice, 12c.
EGGS—State and Pennsylvania 26@27c.
POTATOES—\$1.25@1.75 per bbl.

Buffalo Provision Market.

Buffalo, Sept. 11.
WHEAT—No. 1 northern, Sept shipment, 85 1/4 c.; No. 2 red, 84 1/4 c.
CORN—No. 2 corn, 58c f. o. b. admt; No. 2 yellow, 58c.
OATS—No. 2 white, 30 1/4 c. f. o. b. admt; No. 3 white, 29 1/4 c.
FLOUR—Fancy blended patent per bbl., \$5.50@6.25; winter family, patent, \$4.65@5.40.
BUTTER—Creamery western, extra, 21 1/2 c.; state and Pennsylvania creamery, 21 1/2 c.; dairy, choice to fancy, 20@20 1/2 c.
CHEESE—Fancy full cream, 12 1/2 @13c; good to choice, 11 1/2 @12c.
EGGS—Selected, fancy, 24c.
POTATOES—Western, fancy, per bbl., \$1.00@1.65; home grown, per bu., 40@60c.

East Buffalo Live Stock Market.

CATTLE—Best steers on sale, \$5.30 @5.75; fair to good butcher steers, \$4.00@4.65; medium half-fat steers, \$3.75@4.00; common to fair heifers, \$3.50@4.25; good to choice heifers, \$4.75@5.00; good butcher bulls, \$3.25 @3.60; choice to extra veals, \$8.50@8.75; medium to good, \$7.50@8.25.
SHEEP AND LAMBS—Choice spring lambs, \$7.00@7.35; yearlings choice, \$6.00@6.25; handy wethers \$5.00@5.50; mixed sheep, \$5.00@5.25.
HOGS—Mixed packers' grades \$6.00@6.10; medium hogs, \$6.00@6.10; pigs, light, \$5.60@5.85.

Buffalo Hay Market.

HAY—Choice, \$12.50; No. 1, \$12.00; No. 2, \$10.00@11.00; choice light mix ed, \$10.00.

Utica Dairy Market.

Utica, Sept. 11.
Sales of cheese on the Utica dairy market today were:
Large white, 2 lots of 127 boxes at 11c; large white 1 lot of 40 boxes at 11 1/2 c; large colored, 15 lots of 1,019 boxes at 11c; large colored, 2 lots of 170 boxes at 11 1/2 c; small white, 7 lots of 655 boxes at 11 1/2 c; small colored, 42 lots of 3,440 boxes at 11 1/2 c; small colored, 4 lots of 200 boxes at 11 1/2 c.
BUTTER—21 packages of creamery at 21 1/2 c; 33 packages at 23c and 33 crates of prints at 22 1/2 c.

Little Falls Cheese Market.

Utica, Sept. 11.
On the Little Falls dairy market today the sales of cheese were:
Large colored, 1 lot of 125 boxes at 11 1/2 c; small colored, 17 lots of 1,404 boxes at 11 1/2 c; small white, 17 lots of 956 boxes at 11 1/2 c; twins colored, 5 lots of 360 boxes at 11 1/2 c; twins white, 22 lots of 1,134 at 11 1/2 c.

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Pennsylvania Republicans to Show Their Loyalty to the President.

NOVEMBER'S VOTE TO BE A TEST Sympathies of the National Administration Are Strongly With the Party Organization in This State.

[Special Correspondence.]

Philadelphia, Sept. 12.

Every vote cast for the Republican ticket in Pennsylvania at the approaching election will not only be a vote of endorsement of Republican principles but a vote of confidence in Roosevelt as well as an additional guarantee to the national administration that the great Republican organization of the Keystone State stands firmly and loyally by the president.

The scandalous conduct of the new insurgent-Democratic combine in Pennsylvania make it essential that the honest Republicans of the state shall assert themselves at the next election. A member of the Union League has received from President Roosevelt a personal letter which absolutely disposes of the rumors circulated by assistant Democrats in this city and state to the effect that one or more members of the president's cabinet will figure in opposition to the regular Republican cause.

While such reports would ordinarily be regarded as too ridiculous to necessitate denial, the repeated announcements from insurgent and Democratic newspapers that Secretary Bonaparte will make a speech or write a letter to be used in the present campaign in the interest of the anti-Republican candidates prompted the correspondence which brought forth the letter from the president to one of his personal friends in the Union League.

Roosevelt's interest in Pennsylvania. Not only does President Roosevelt make it clear that Secretary Bonaparte will not figure in the Pennsylvania campaign, but Republicans who have been curious about the foundation for other stories indicating that the president's sympathies are not fully with the regular Republican organization in Pennsylvania are given no excuse to be longer in doubt as to the attitude of the federal administration on the question of loyalty to the Republican party in the Keystone State.

President Roosevelt fully realizes that the two Republican United States senators and the 31 Republican members of the national house of representatives from Pennsylvania have been heartily in accord with his administration, and they intend to stand by him in his future efforts for the development of the country's resources under Republican policies. He also knows that the present contest in Pennsylvania will have a far-reaching effect upon the great struggle for the election of congressmen next year.

Lines Must Not Be Broken. "Should the Republican lines be broken in Pennsylvania this fall disastrous results would surely follow in the congressional election next year," declared Chairman Andrews, of the Republican state committee. There are several close congressional districts in this state, and it may require the most strenuous work in the approaching congressional campaign to hold Pennsylvania's record of having the largest Republican delegation of any state in the union on the floor of the national house of representatives.

"The great manufacturing and industrial interests of Pennsylvania which are so dependent upon Republican supremacy," continued Chairman Andrews "will not allow factional bickerings or the work of a few aspiring and reckless individuals to imperil the election by a large majority of every one of the candidates on the Republican state ticket next November.

Insurgent and party wrecking organizations formed to advance the personal interests of a clique of wealthy and ambitious men cannot get a foothold in Republican Pennsylvania this fall to endanger Republican success in the great struggle of next year when the vital interests of the commonwealth will be so deeply concerned."

Gordon-Weaver Combine. In the Machiavellian game that is being played in this city to further the insurgent movement, former Judge Gordon's line has been disclosed from time to time.

In line with the circulation of reports that Secretary Bonaparte and possibly other cabinet officers would be heard from during the course of the campaign in favor of the so-called "reform" agitation was the attempt to have it appear that President Roosevelt sought a conference with Mayor Weaver on his return visit to Wilkes-Barre. It is known that this much advertised "conference" had no political significance. The fact is, there was no "conference" between the president and the mayor of Philadelphia upon any subject. Mayor Weaver met the president as thousands of other citizens greeted him during his visit to the coal regions. There was not a second during their meeting at which there were not several other persons present and in hearing distance.

It is now declared that Mayor Weaver's visit to the coal regions was deliberately planned for political purposes by the Gordon outfit, and that the speech which he delivered to the delegates to the convention of the Catholic Total Abstinence Beneficial Union was carefully prepared with a view to advancing the interests of the men back of the independent campaign in this city and state.

It has been boldly charged and not denied that Gordon wrote the speech —I can truthfully recommend Thompson's Barossa, Kidney and Liver Cure as a fine medicine and as a cure for all you claim for it. When I commenced taking it I weighed 114 pounds and after five months I weighed 136 pounds. I am almost entirely free from rheumatism and my general health is greatly improved. S. W. GROVE, Titusville, Pa.

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which Weaver made. It was a brilliant literary effort. Weaver is not a good scholar, as texts of his annual reports to councils have shown. No one who knows him can believe he wrote that Wilkes-Barre speech.

The people are beginning to understand the significance of the Gordon-Weaver combination and they are going to vote accordingly.

Gordon represents the old insurgent Democratic combination that has recently been rehabilitated and which is seeking to get control of the Republican organization in Pennsylvania. He is using the patronage of the Weaver administration to that end.

The Pomelo of China.

Probably the best all round fruit in China is the pomelo. It is grown in the south central and southern provinces and is said to be the original citrus fruit. It resembles the grape fruit of the United States in size, shape, color and somewhat in flavor, being sweeter than grape fruit, with less of the bitter quality, with flesh more perfectly separated in the sections and capable of being pulled apart and separated from all surrounding sacs or membranes. The natives cut through the peel about one-third of the way from the top, crimping the edge of the section all the way round the fruit, then remove the flesh, tear the section apart, replace them in the peel and serve thus divided and prepared. The fruit is attractive, refreshing, wholesome and comparatively cheap. Generally speaking, the pomelo seems to be a cross between a shaddock and a good orange, but it is more hardy than either. It has better keeping qualities than the orange.

Warding Off Old Age.

A famous French general when asked how it was that he had such an erect carriage replied that it was because he bent over and touched the floor with his fingers thirty times every day. If he had acquired rigidity of the spine so that he could not do that he would have had with it weak abdominal muscles, which result in portal congestion. This portal congestion interferes with stomach digestion and with the action of the liver. The poison destroying power of the liver is lessened, auto-intoxication results, and arteriosclerosis and old age come on at a much earlier day. But by keeping the spine flexible and the abdominal muscles strong and taut the portal circulation is kept free, and old age is held off.—Good Health.

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