

The Daily Bulletin.

No Idle Logs.

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ations, he believed that the story was a base fabrication, and suggested that the Sgt. be fined the usual amount—eight cents,—which was so ordered. The charge of Sgt. Hornblower against Sgt. Lily, for intimacy with members of an organization in antagonism to the N. I. L. was called. Sgt. H. being absent, Sgt. Lily asked permission to refute the charge; this being granted, he said that, while he did not deny the intimacy, he would offer in explanation, that in prosecuting such friendships he was acting as detective for the N. I. L. and was enabled thus to obtain anything of interest that might leak out from their conversation, collect the sediment, hermetically seal it, and present it to the club in such form as to be set upon. He further asked that he be given credit for this conduct, and be called the banner member of the N. I. L. This, after some debate, was allowed, and he was decorated with a large leather medal, which was cut from the president's boot leg. The secretary then read the request of Sgt. Blank concerning the right of the public to hire any conveyance. The president said he had carefully examined into the matter, and in view of the fact that so many members of the club owned private conveyances, thought it would be infringing on their rights to ask the City Fathers to pass any such ordinance. Sgt. Growler's complaint in reference to the refusal of a blue chip as car-fare was next taken up. The president remarked that he had given the subject consideration, and had determined that as these chips were issued with the express understanding that their face value would only be redeemed by five-cent cigars or two cents and a half in cash, it would be an infringement upon the rights of the car company to ask that they be accepted as fares, unless the directors of the company were engaged in the tobacco business, and had wooden Indians for car-drivers. The president then called the vice-president to the chair, and said he wished to make a few remarks to the club. He said that the N. I. L. had been established for given purposes; but as other organizations in town were making quite a stir in other ways, by eagle flights into the Empyrean, so to speak, this club was determined not to be outdone in any respect. He therefore called upon those members who thought they had dramatic talent (here a significant smile appeared upon most faces) to take part in a play. Several had been suggested to him, such as "Fun on the Baton Rouge," "The Bells of Cairo," "The Star of the East," etc. But he believed in undertaking what could assuredly be made a success, and was determined that anything given under the auspices of this club should be a success; and so he suggested "Tao." This, he said, had been played from time immemorial; afforded full scope for the talents of all, and gave considerable choice as to costumes. It might be objected that the club labored under some difficulty, inasmuch as there were no lady members; but he thought we had some gentlemen of sufficiently feminine appearance to present the play in good shape, when dressed in female attire. HE SPOKE AT SOME LENGTH OF THE DIFFICULTIES INVOLVED, THE NECESSITY THAT ONE PERSON SHOULD BE ABSOLUTE DIRECTOR, etc., and illustrated his meaning by referring to points that came under his own observation in Kentucky. He spoke of Atlanta, who did not succeed in his play, because she allowed her attention to be diverted by trivial objects; and of the favor in which the play had been held by the Ancients, when it always formed part of the Olympian Games. THIS SPEECH WAS EMINENTLY PRACTICAL AND FULL OF EXCELLENT SUGGESTIONS, AND MADE A STRONG IMPRESSION UPON THE LISTENERS. After some discussion, the whole matter was referred to a committee consisting of Sgts. Dasher, Howeman and Hannaman, who were ordered to report fully at the next meeting as to the feasibility and probable cost of hiring the Cotton Compress for an exhibition of this character. There being no further business, the president suggested that Sgt. Rattler offer some subject, literary or otherwise, for the consideration of the club. The gentleman said that a debate might prove interesting, and offered the following topic: "RESOLVED—that the presence of mud in our streets is of benefit to Cairo, and that our City Fathers be requested to take measures for its continuance."

The president accepted this, and appointed Sgts. Lily and Frizeout to argue in the affirmative and Sgts. Swell and Bluff in the negative. Sgt. Lily opened the debate with a brilliant and glowing description of Cairo mud, in its æsthetic and other forms; and his baritone voice and elegant gush made listening most delightful. Sgt. Swell followed for the negative, and said he feared to disgust the finer sensibilities of his hearers by dissecting too minutely the arguments of the gentleman who had preceded him, and showing up the slime which was the residuum of this æsthetic (!) mud. Continuing, he spoke of the difference in this respect between Cairo and eastern cities—notably Boston. He said that the presence of mud in our streets prevented that noty appearance of a gentleman's foot-gear which was so desirable; that here, one was compelled to wear cow-hide boots and British hoes, instead of silk stockings and low-cut shoes,

as in Boston; also that it interfered with the dress of a gentleman—that in wearing clothes of fine texture, mud from passing vehicles would destroy them, and so a man had to go about in coarse clothes, as though he never had been used to anything better; or else to be seated in his carriage continually. In closing he said, "Oh! Boston! can I ever forget thee!" This brought Sgt. Frizeout indignantly to his feet. He made the sensation of the evening, by his inimitable burlesque upon Sgt. Swell. He said that it would be best for the æsthetic gentleman who had just spoken to go round the city on stilts, or hire a balloon for his personal use; or that, money being no object to him, he might build on elevated railroad, in which case the mud would not trouble him at all. He said that if any gentleman wished to become a walking advertisement for his boot-maker or hosiery, he should build a little city on high ground, so as to be enabled to promenade in the costume that suited him. With all due deference to the hub of the universe, the humor kicked up by this gentleman over the mud of Cairo was anything but pleasant to those who were to the manor born. He argued from a scientific point of view, that mud was beneficial to Cairo; and sat down amid great applause, while Sgt. Swell audibly regretted the absence of Sgt. Hornblower, who might have rendered him efficient assistance from his wide knowledge of eastern cities and their cultured surroundings. Sgt. Bluff closed the debate, in his usual rollicking style. Holding up three odd shoes and an odd boot that had been collected, he said that he wished to call the attention of the members to the beautiful colors of the mud, as seen on the soles, the heels, and the uppers; that the same mud did not cling to each part, for instance, on the uppers was a blue-mud, showing that the man had been on 4th st.; on the heels, reddish mud showing that it came from Commercial ave., and thus we could see that the man had come along 4th st., and up Commercial ave. This was a valuable aid in the detection of crime, and Chief Myers had thus been able to trace in other cities those who had committed crimes in Cairo, by the tell-tale mud on their shoes. Thus it identified the citizens with the city. A noted chemist in town had made an analysis, (having made the subject a study in consequence of throwing much mud at his friends) and said it contained more Bromides, Iodides, Cyanides, Chlorides, Sulphites, Oxalates, TARTRATES, Citrates, Phosphates and Borates than any other alluvial deposit that had ever come under his chemical observation. The gentleman had been allowed to proceed thus far, in the supposition that he was merely joking, and would soon advance some arguments for his own side; but at this point, Sgt. Swell sprang excitedly to his feet, and called upon the chair to stop the gentleman, and convey to his benighted understanding the fact that he had been directed to argue AGAINST the presence of mud. Sgt. Bluff turned pale, reeled once or twice, and fell over into his chair; the president, and, in fact, the whole club felt so dizzy, that unanimous consent was easily obtained for an adjournment.

On Sunday a pilot boat off Galveston picked up a man 65 years old who had been blown into the Gulf of Mexico in a skiff by Saturday's night's gale. The old man was nearly exhausted and could not have held out much longer. Why suffer with Malaria? Emory's Standard Cure Pills are infallible, never fail to cure the most obstinate cases; purely vegetable.—25 cents. (3)

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RIVER NEWS.



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RIVER ITEMS.

The Silver Cloud from Paducah will report here at 3 p. m. connecting with I. C. R. R. and leave on her return trip at 4:30 p. m.

The river marked by the gauge here last evening 30 feet and rising.

The W. H. Cherry arrived here yesterday morning at 5:30. She had a profitable trip, laid over until noon and left with the Golden Crown. She gave the Crown 100 tons of pig iron for Cincinnati.

The Golden Crown from New Orleans arrived here 8 1/2 days days out. She had a fine freight trip and a large number of passenger's and departed at 1 p. m.

The W. H. Cherry will continue in the trade from Nashville to Cairo, until closed out by low water. She will have fully another month more before she retires.

The Hudson from St. Louis passed up for Shawneetown last night. She had the best trip of the season.

The City of Baton Rouge from New Orleans arrived here quite light yesterday morning and left for St. Louis at 10 a. m.

The Jas. W. Gaff from Memphis passed up for Cincinnati last night with a fair trip.

Remember the Ella Kimbrough leaves this morning at 10 o'clock for New Madrid. Capt Tom Kimbrough master and Lem Hill is the affable gentlemen of the bookkeeping department.

The City of Cairo from St. Louis is due here to-morrow night for Vicksburg.

The R. R. Springer from Cincinnati follows the Mary Houston and is due here to-morrow night but possibly may not reach here before Sunday morning.

Capt. Joseph Swager of Louisville, Ky., aged 91 years, died last Monday at Louisville where he had resided for nearly 70 years. He was the oldest steamboatman living of western rivers.

The Andy Baum leaves Memphis this evening for Cincinnati and will arrive here Sunday morning.

The Cons Millar from Cincinnati is due for Memphis to-morrow night.

The Ella Kimbrough will make an excursion from here to Paducah Sunday, leaving at 8 a. m. If the weather proves favorable a large crowd will go from here.

The Mary Houston from Cincinnati arrived here last evening at 6 o'clock. She had a good trip and filled out flat here. She leaves this morning for New Orleans.

The Steamer Dexter on her down trip from Evansville to Paducah early yesterday morning, broke her shaft just as she was landing at Bayou mills, about 30 miles above Paducah. She floated to Paducah where she will remain until the damage is repaired.

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