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## GROVER'S PRAISES.

They Are Heard on Every Side at Chicago.

His Managers Believe His Nomination Is Assured—Trouble Over the Temporary Chairmanship.

**LOOKS LIKE CLEVELAND.**  
CHICAGO, June 20.—Senator Bruce said during the morning: "I do not think Mr. Cleveland's nomination advisable, but as matters now stand it seems inevitable." That is the feeling which permeates the air everywhere except in the Iowa and New York headquarters. Gen. Palmer's arrival in the city with his mouth full of Cleveland, Gov. Campbell's open declaration for the ex-president, Senator Gorman's deliberate self-effacement and the outspoken Clevelandism of Senator Voorhees have destroyed almost the last vestiges of the "favorite son" movement that was to disintegrate the Cleveland forces.

**Michigan's One Aspirant.**  
Michigan delegates are coming in on every train to help whoop up the boom for Cleveland which Don M. Dickinson brought over from Detroit early in the week. The Michigan delegation has a candidate for vice president in Judge Allen B. Morse, of the state supreme court. He will be placed in nomination on the floor and given the complimentary vote of the delegation on the first ballot.

**Peek for Vice President.**  
The Wisconsin delegation to the democratic convention came down from the Badger state Sunday afternoon and brought a vice presidential candidate along with it in the person of Gov. George W. Peek. That Gov. Peek's name will be presented for the second place on the ticket there is little doubt, silver and tariff.

In canvassing the state delegations on the silver and tariff questions it was ascertained that every delegate is for tariff reform. Some are for free silver, but an overwhelming majority are against that proposition. There are three delegates in favor of restricted coinage to one in favor of free silver. The figures are: For tariff, 898 delegates; for free silver, 305; for restricted silver, 693.

**TRAGEDY ON A TRAIN.**  
One Lawyer Murders Another—Judge Morgan, of Mississippi, Shot in the Back by H. F. Foster.

**MEMPHIS, Tenn., June 20.**—Judge Bright Morgan, of Hernando, Miss., was shot dead Saturday morning on an Illinois Central train while on his way to Memphis by Lawyer Henry Foster. Judge Morgan was a delegate to the Chicago convention. Morgan and Foster had quarreled over a law suit in which they were opposing lawyers. Two weeks ago Foster had a difficulty with Morgan's son, hearing of which Morgan gave Foster a sound caning. They had not met since until Saturday morning. Foster boarded the train at Alden and shot Morgan twice without uttering a word. He surrendered to an officer at the next station. Morgan was en route to Chicago.

**DEFEATED THE GERMANS.**  
Europeans Routed by a Native Force in Africa—A Hundred Killed.

**ZANZIBAR, June 20.**—A report has been received here that a German force commanded by Baron Bulow and consisting of five Europeans and 150 Soudanese natives, with one gun, was severely defeated June 10 in the Moshi territory near Kilimanjaro. It is said that one European and 109 of the Soudanese were killed and the gun belonging to the force was captured, and that Baron Bulow and another European were among the wounded. The remnant of the force retreated to Fort Marengo, which has since been evacuated. The British East Africa Company has sent stores and necessities to Taveta.

**TRAIN WRECKED.**  
Engineer Robison, of Burlington, and Two Italians Killed.

**BURLINGTON, Ia., June 20.**—The construction train on the Keithsburg branch of the Burlington which left Gladstone at 7 o'clock Sunday morning collided with a drove of cattle at a field crossing 3 miles out of that town and was derailed. Engineer Robison was scalded to death. Two others who were killed were members of the train crew, consisting of thirty-two Italians. Seven others were more or less seriously injured, some escaping with broken legs, arms and other injuries. A few were fortunate in escaping without bruises.

**Killed by a Cow.**  
**CHAMPAIGN, Ill., June 20.**—Mrs. Margaret Ringer died at her home near St. Joseph, from internal injuries received several days ago. She attempted to "stake out" a cow to pasture when the animal became frightened and began to run. The rope attached to the cow tangled itself around the ankle of Mrs. Ringer. She was thrown to the ground and dragged about 100 yards before the animal stopped.

**Miss Lent Gets a Verdict of \$14,000.**  
**BLUE EARTH CITY, Minn., June 18.**—In the Faribault county district court the jury rendered a verdict of \$14,000 in favor of Miss Lent, the school-teacher who was so brutally maltreated and maimed for life by the parents of one of her pupils named Crasen. There was intense excitement during the trial here.

and Carlisle, declares that the delegates chosen by the February convention must be seated. "They were regularly chosen," said he, "and there will be no contest. This is the general expression of opinion at the Cleveland headquarters."

The significance of the decision not to allow New York to make a contest goes deep. The opinion that the Cleveland men are so sure of their success

that the assistance of the seventy-two votes from New York is not necessary to bring about the desired result is sure to become general. That this is precisely what is intended is admitted. The anti-Cleveland men who are already crying "bluff" admit the shrewdness of this strategical move.

**Silver Men Demand Recognition.**  
The free silver men have made a definite stand. They are objecting to a straddle and will insist on a plank which comes pretty close to free coinage. Their plan was developed at a conference to unite about 200 delegates from the west and south who will fight any half-way declaration on the subject. By the time the committee on resolutions is appointed they expect to have a complete organization which will compel their demands to be respected.

**A FATAL FLASH.**  
CHICAGO, June 18.—Lightning displayed its terrific, unexplainable power in a shocking manner Thursday night. During the thunderstorm which passed over the city shortly after 6 o'clock a bolt struck the bronze horse of the Grant monument in Lincoln park. At the time no less than forty people were crowded in the open corridor just beneath the pedestal on which the bronze work rests. There was a blinding flash, a loud report, and all who were under the shelter were thrown off their feet. Three people, two men and a woman, were instantly killed. All received a terrible shock, but only four were so badly injured that they required immediate attention.

The following is a list of the killed:  
Lewis Mayer, 22 years old, single, lived at No. 33 Nutt street; body removed to the county morgue.  
Mrs. Schiele, 70 years old, lived with her son-in-law, William Hummel, agent for the Wacker-Birk Brewing Company, No. 27 Austin avenue; body removed to the county morgue.  
Carl Horst, about 19 years old, lived at No. 18 East Ontario street.

Seven persons were badly hurt and a score or more slightly shocked. The great monument escaped without almost no injury at all, notwithstanding the loss of life that took place directly under it. The bolt made a slight depression in the left leg of the horse, near the hoof, and it chipped a piece of granite the size of a man's hand from the coping. Its course across the arch could be detected by a faint line, and in one place it cut about a pound of mortar out from two of the granite slabs. Five dollars will repair all the damage that the big monument suffered.

Lightning has seldom wrought worse havoc at a single stroke. When the storm came up hundreds of people were seeking shelter from the burning rays of the sun under the trees and about the artificial lake at the south end of the park. Suddenly and almost without warning dense masses of clouds rolled up from the west. Faint flashes of lightning played over the rising clouds, and with the cool west wind a light shower began to fall. The people who were scattered about the south end of the park ran for shelter, and about forty collected in the massive granite corridor beneath the Grant monument. Then the rain, until this time only a slight shower, began to fall in torrents. Flashes of lightning came in quick succession, but the thunder rolled low and distant and none of the group under the monument seemed frightened. Suddenly at 6:25 o'clock there came a blinding flash from the east. The yellow-forked bolt struck the left hind leg of the bronze horse upon which the statue of Gen. Grant rests, then bounded to the northwest corner of the granite coping and glanced into the corridor. Following the seam between two granite blocks it traveled along the top of the third archway, from east to west, and then glanced to the ground, passing along the floor and down the east side of the base. To people who were huddled together in the path of the bolt there was a vivid flash but no report. The next instant thirty-eight or thirty-nine people were lying prone upon the stone floor, some dead, some seriously injured, and all terribly shocked. For the moment none realized what had occurred or where they were. Then the ones least injured aroused sufficiently to look about themselves. They saw the result of the bolt and those who were able hastened to the assistance of the less fortunate. It was a trying moment. Women were screaming, children were crying and some were frightened into a speechless, meaningless silence.

**HANGED BY A MOB.**  
Lynch Law Executed in Mississippi by a Mixed Assemblage.

**MCCOMB CITY, Miss., June 20.**—John Johnson, one of the negroes implicated in the murder of Merchant Colquhoun on Thursday night last, was hanged here Saturday evening by a mob of 2,000 citizens, both white and black. Johnson made a confession implicating two other negroes, "Joe" Gray and John Williams, who are now in the county jail at Magnolia. Immediately after the hanging of Johnson the mob seized an engine and started for Magnolia for the avowed purpose of storming the jail at that place, securing the two negroes. If the purpose of the mob are carried out the two negroes will be brought back to the scene of the murder and hanged.

**Will Resign His Mission.**  
New York, June 20.—Gen. Edward B. Grubb, United States minister to Spain, arrived at Hoboken Saturday on the Hamburg American steamer Columbia. Asked if he proposed to resign his portfolio as minister to Spain, the general said he had accomplished all that he set out to do, and therefore considered his mission ended. He had succeeded in getting the reciprocity treaty ratified with Spain, lifted the embargo off American pork, and got a treaty for copyright reciprocity. He will go to Washington at once and hand his resignation to President Harrison.

**Columbus' Birthplace Determined.**  
MADRID, June 20.—Three documents have been found in the military archives which go to prove that Columbus was born at a place called Sagona, near Genoa. These documents confer a title of nobility on Columbus and his son.

## LIGHTNING'S FURY.

The Terrible Work of a Thunderbolt in Chicago.

The Grant Monument in Lincoln Park Struck—Many Persons Seeking Refuge from the Storm Injured and Three Are Killed.

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## DEATH'S HEAVY HAND.

It Is Felt Once More in the Family of James G. Blaine.

CHICAGO, June 20.—Emmons Blaine, the second son of James G. Blaine, is dead. He passed away at 11:16 Saturday morning at the residence of his wife's mother, Mrs. Cyrus McCormick, No. 135 Rush street. His death was caused by septicaemia, or blood-poisoning, which set in after two days' illness from a bowel complaint. It came in the midst of a seemingly peaceful sleep, and so sudden and unexpected was it that Mrs. Emmons Blaine and the attending physician were the only ones in the room at the time.

For an hour members of the family plied the wires in the attempt to break the news to ex-Secretary Blaine. But for some time Mr. Blaine could not be found. Late in the afternoon he was reached by telegraph at Bar Harbor, and with Mrs. Blaine and Miss Harriett Blaine started at once for Chicago. Sorrow has borne heavily upon the Blaine family. Two years and a half ago there were six adult children, and now there are only left James G. Blaine Jr., Mrs. Walter Damrosch and Miss Harriett Blaine. In January, 1890, Mr. Walker Blaine died in Washington of pneumonia. Mrs. Coppinger died three weeks later, and on Saturday death robbed the illustrious parents of another son.

(The deceased was 38 years old. He was educated at Harvard and also took a post-graduate course in law. He was formerly assistant general freight agent of the Northwestern road. This position he resigned in December, 1887, to accept that of general freight and passenger agent of the Chicago, Santa Fe & California road, which was then being built between Chicago and Kansas City. In the spring of 1889 this road was reincorporated by the Atchison, Topeka & Santa Fe and Mr. Blaine was called to the vice presidency of the West Virginia Central & Pittsburgh road, which was controlled by Mr. Atkins and in which his father, the secretary of state, had a financial interest. This road was operated for the purpose of shipping coal from the Cumberland and other valleys and Mr. Blaine's headquarters were at Baltimore. While there Mr. Blaine married Miss Anita McCormick, daughter of the late Cyrus McCormick. The wedding took place at Richmond Springs, N. Y., September 23, 1889. It was celebrated at the family home of Mrs. McCormick. After the birth of their son, Mr. McCormick, Mr. and Mrs. Blaine returned to Chicago, and have since occupied the McCormick residence, No. 135 Rush street. With the change in residence came a change in position and Mr. Blaine was made general western manager of the Baltimore & Ohio road system. Six weeks ago he was elected president of the Chicago Shipbuilding Company, which was organized by the Illinois Steel Company, and he has scarcely entered upon the duties of his new office.)

## THE NATIONAL GAME.

Standing of the Leading Organizations for the Week Ended June 18.

The following tables show the number of games won and lost by the clubs of the leading baseball organizations:

NATIONAL LEAGUE	Won.	Lost.	Per cent.
Boston	35	16	.682
Brooklyn	32	19	.627
Cincinnati	29	22	.569
Philadelphia	30	22	.577
Cleveland	30	23	.566
Chicago	25	28	.476
New York	25	26	.490
Washington	24	27	.471
Pittsburgh	23	28	.450
Louisville	21	31	.404
St. Louis	18	33	.353
Baltimore	15	36	.294

WESTERN LEAGUE	Won.	Lost.	Per cent.
Columbus	35	12	.745
Milwaukee	22	15	.596
Toledo	19	18	.514
Kansas City	21	20	.512
Omaha	20	21	.488
Minneapolis	14	19	.424
St. Paul	13	23	.361
Indianapolis	8	24	.250

ILLINOIS-INDIANA LEAGUE	Won.	Lost.	Per cent.
Jacksonville	2	1	.667
Joliet	2	1	.667
Rock Island-Moline	1	1	.500
Terre Haute	1	1	.500
Evansville	1	2	.333
Aurora	0	1	.000
Rockford	0	0	.000
Quincy	0	0	.000

WISCONSIN-MICHIGAN LEAGUE	Won.	Lost.	Per cent.
Marquette	10	4	.709
Oakland	8	2	.800
Menominee	7	7	.500
Ishpeming-Negaunee	8	9	.471
Marinette	6	8	.432
Green Bay	3	11	.214

## PLACES TO GIVE OUT.

Many Important Vacancies Are to Be Filled.

WASHINGTON, June 17.—Within the next few weeks, in addition to the routine business of his office, the president will be called upon to make a number of important appointments. Chief of these is a secretary of state. Another equally important office to be filled is that of a justice of the supreme court, vice Justice Bradley, dead. A first-class mission has also been placed at the president's disposal by reason of the resignation of Charles Emery Smith as minister to Russia. Other prominent vacancies to be filled are: The comptroller of the currency, vacated by Mr. Lacy; fifth auditor of the treasury, vacated by Mr. Habereom; civil service commissioner, vacated by Gov. Thompson.

It is understood to be the president's purpose to fill all the above mentioned vacancies within the next four weeks so as to enable him to leave for Cape May unincumbered by business as soon as possible after the adjournment of congress.

## CINCINNATI CONVENTION.

Much Interest Manifested in the Coming Prohibition Meeting.

CINCINNATI, June 17.—The national prohibition convention, which meets here in Music hall June 29, begins to attract public attention. The number of delegates is astonishingly large, being 1,191. The local committee is quite busy in arranging for the comfort of delegates and for the accommodation of the representatives of the press. The discussion of candidates has brought out the names of Gideon Stewart, of Ohio; Amos Briggs and James Black, of Pennsylvania; Rev. D. C. Kelly, of Tennessee; John St. John, of Kansas; Rev. W. P. Leonard, W. Jennings Demorest and H. Clay Bascom, of New

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York, and others. Among the things possible to be considered is a change of the party by broadening of the platform to include other reform ideas besides that of the liquor traffic.

## CONGRESSIONAL NOMINEES.

Candidates Who Will Strive to Secure Seats in the Lower House.

LOGANSPORT, Ind., June 17.—The republicans of the Tenth congressional district met here yesterday and nominated Judge William Johnson, of Valparaiso, for congress.

BURLINGTON, Ia., June 17.—The republicans of the First district met here yesterday. There being no opposition, ex-Gov. Geag was nominated for congress by acclamation.

RALEIGH, N. C., June 17.—The democrats of the Ninth congressional district met here yesterday and renominated W. T. Crawford for congress.

FREEMONT, Ill., June 18.—The prohibitionists of the Sixth congressional district held a convention here yesterday and nominated R. J. Hazelett, of Rockford, for congress.

CLINTON, Ill., June 20.—The democrats of the Fourteenth congressional district held their convention here Saturday. Congressman Scott was renominated.

## FIVE CHILDREN DROWNED.

An Unfortunate Affair at Neville Island.

PITTSBURGH, Pa., June 18.—Five children, ranging from 12 to 15 years of age, were drowned in the Ohio river at Neville island, 12 miles below this city, at 4 o'clock Friday afternoon. Their names were Paul, Rudolph, Edith and Maggie Pittcock and Edith Richardson. It appears that the children drove a buggy into the river to wash. In some manner the vehicle was overturned and the children were thrown into the river. The two boys made heroic efforts to save their companions, but they were unequal to the task, and before assistance reached them they had all sunk beneath the waves.

## Bunker Hill Day in Boston.

BOSTON, June 18.—Friday was Bunker Hill day and was duly observed. Banks and exchanges closed, and business generally was suspended. Even some of the daily papers omitted their regular editions. Salutes were fired and a great procession wound its way in the morning to Charlestown, the scene of the battle. An immense military parade took place in the afternoon, and in the evening fireworks illumined the sky. Regattas and ball games were numerous.

## Three Men Killed.

BURLINGTON, Ia., June 20.—A work train on the Keithsburg branch of the Burlington road ran into a drove of cattle three miles north of Gladstone and the engine and cars were derailed. Engineer Robinson and three laborers were killed. It is reported that over twenty laborers were more or less injured.

## Lightning Strikes a Schoolhouse.

NEWARK, O., June 18.—The Burnside schoolhouse, west of Alexandria, was struck by lightning, killing Alice McKinney, a 14-year-old girl, and seriously injuring five other scholars, some fatally. The building was badly shattered. The storm was severe, doing considerable damage.

## National Banks.

WASHINGTON, June 17.—The report of the condition of national banks in the United States at the close of business to-day shows the resources to be \$8,479,035,128. The liabilities include \$682,332,158 of paid-in capital stock and individual deposits of \$1,743,787,545.

## West Virginia's Third Party.

PARKERSBURG, W. Va., June 17.—The people's party in convention in this city yesterday nominated S. A. Houston for governor. James Bashall was nominated for congress in the First district and N. W. Fitzgerald in the Second.

## October 21 a Columbian Holiday.

WASHINGTON, June 20.—In the house Saturday the joint resolution making October 21, 1892, a holiday, as the anniversary of the discovery of America, was passed. It was agreed to adjourn until Wednesday. The bill reducing the duty on tin plate was taken up and Mr. Bowers, of California, spoke against it. Not more than twenty-five members were in his audience.

## Renominated.

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## CAPSIZE OF A YACHT.

Twenty-seven Persons Thrown into the Water. Several of Whom Drown.

DETROIT, Mich., June 20.—About 5:30 o'clock Sunday afternoon the yacht Caprice, with twenty-seven young people on board, was capsized near Peche island, several miles above this city, near the Canadian shore. All of the party were thrown into the water and Carrie Bieber, aged 19, and Minnie Mogic, aged 17, were drowned. The yacht Duke, in going to their assistance, attempted to turn and Henry Pathow, Jr., was knocked overboard by a boom and also drowned. All of the bodies have been recovered. Of the party on the Caprice fifteen were women.

## Killed by an Angry Husband.

WILKESBARRE, Pa., June 20.—George Fisher, of Ashley, found his wife and a man named John Washington in his room at 1 o'clock a. m. Before Washington had a chance to escape Fisher shot him, the bullet going through his heart, killing him instantly. Fisher then turned on his wife and struck her on the head with an ax. She fell unconscious, and it is believed will not recover. The murderer, while attempting to escape, was arrested and sent to prison.

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Wednesday, June 22, 1892.

STATE NEWSLETS

A Williamson young lady went to church Sunday, and a tag on her bonnet told the congregation that it had been "reduced to \$2.75."

Two little Saml. Beach girls were splitting their toes. One had hit on, the other the block. The girl who held the block has one finger less now.

Alpena mineral water is in great demand in that city. A crowd is gathered at the stream at all times, day and night, waiting for their turn. "See nothing to do that the water is free, not only for another month."

While receiving a partition in the post-office at Flint a letter was found that had been there nine years. The girl to whom the letter was addressed, is now the mother of eight children and the writer is her husband.

As plumbers were repairing a leak in a pipe at the Mr. Chusens jail last week two prisoners caught past them in the door they had opened, jumped through a plate glass window and a wire screen, swam a river and escaped.

The other day a Grand Lodge girl was explaining to her companion the meaning of the word "mutual," "why" said she "says got out of our five insurance company three years ago, and they're sending him assessments ever since—that's mutual."—Grand Lodge Independent.

An Adnan attorney, just admitted to the bar, took himself famous much earlier in his career than he anticipated. It came about through the Tecumseh Herald announcing that he never goes to a bar; in the opinion of the Herald, the only lawyer in Lenawee County who is a social abstainer.

A Charlotte man got mad because the rats in his home barn ate the meal intended for his horse, so he prepared a pan of it, with Paris green on the side and all through it, for the rats; but that night the horse got loose and ate the meal intended for the rats. Dead horse, no happy man, happy rats.

A light-fingered child of Sparta was converted at a revival meeting. His intentions are good, but his memory is unreliable, so his attempts at restitution have not been altogether successful from his point of view. An antique ring, receiving a basket of baby clothes and a preacher a chair barrel.

Miss Fattie Lovell, of Flint, goes as a missionary to Turkey in the fall, having been appointed by the American board of foreign missions of the Congregational church. She will assist in the school at Marash, Turkey, at present conducted by Mrs. Shattuck, who is supported by the Congregational church of Saginaw.

A. J. Barber, living three and a half miles south of Greenville, was driving out of town last Saturday evening, and in passing a covered delivery wagon his horse became scared, shied to the side of the road, jumped over a fence and rolled down a steep embankment, taking buggy and occupant with it. The occupant turned completely over twice and when Mr. Barber was picked up he was found to be seriously injured. He will doubtless die.

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There is a Grand Haven angler who is a benefactor to the amateur fisherman of that city, and he is becoming popular. Young men who are "on" try him the week when they go a fishing and arrange to meet him at some designated place on their way home, but he is alert and when he sees an inexperienced youth starting out with a brand new rod and reel, he manages to come along about the time the disgusted and fishless young man is packing up his tackle and getting ready to go home and be laughed at. The old has always a nice string of fish, and right there and in the time that the fish command a great big price. The joyful young man goes home with a half dozen nice bass, and the old one clicks a couple of silver dollars together as he walks off whistling "Old Zip Coo."

GREAT LOSS OF LIFE.

Southwestern Minnesota Swept by a Disastrous Cyclone.

Portions of Seven Counties in Kansas and Many Persons are Killed—The "Dancing" Minister in Spain, arrived in New York—Storms Elsewhere.

MINNEAPOLIS, Minn., June 17.—With a roar equal to the din of twenty railway trains running over a score of iron bridges a great cyclone swept over the southern Minnesota counties of Jackson, Martin, Faribault, Freeborn, Blue Earth, Mower and Fillmore Wednesday afternoon. The storm began about 7 miles west of the village of Jackson, moved eastward over the villages of Sherburne and Wells in Martin county, passed lightly over Faribault county, caused great havoc in Freeborn and spent itself in the two counties farther east.

The loss of life in this county will probably reach thirty; that in Freeborn will bring the total up to nearly seventy, if not more. Besides this the loss to buildings, crops and other property in the half dozen counties will reach \$300,000. The Root, Zumbro and other rivers of southern Minnesota are raging torrents.

Scores of people received wounds, and as most of them were in the country they suffered untold tortures through exposure to cold wind and rain and lack of surgical attendance.

St. Paul, Minn., June 17.—The great storm did its most destructive work along the Iowa border around Minnesota lake and south of the villages of Wells and Sherburne. Reports brought in by trainmen say a district school-house 4 miles east of Sherburne was blown into kindling wood in a twinkling, killing six of the eight young pupils and the teacher. In the farming district south of Minnesota lake many residences, barns, warehouses and other buildings were blown away and four people were killed. John Brown, a prosperous farmer, one of the victims, was killed by falling buildings, and they fear later reports will increase rather than diminish the loss of life. Near Bowen Mills the house of a Bohemian family was blown away and four people were killed. John Brown, a prosperous farmer, one of the victims, was killed by falling buildings, and they fear later reports will increase rather than diminish the loss of life. Near Bowen Mills the house of a Bohemian family was blown away and four people were killed. John Brown, a prosperous farmer, one of the victims, was killed by falling buildings, and they fear later reports will increase rather than diminish the loss of life.

As plumbers were repairing a leak in a pipe at the Mr. Chusens jail last week two prisoners caught past them in the door they had opened, jumped through a plate glass window and a wire screen, swam a river and escaped.

The other day a Grand Lodge girl was explaining to her companion the meaning of the word "mutual," "why" said she "says got out of our five insurance company three years ago, and they're sending him assessments ever since—that's mutual."—Grand Lodge Independent.

An Adnan attorney, just admitted to the bar, took himself famous much earlier in his career than he anticipated. It came about through the Tecumseh Herald announcing that he never goes to a bar; in the opinion of the Herald, the only lawyer in Lenawee County who is a social abstainer.

A Charlotte man got mad because the rats in his home barn ate the meal intended for his horse, so he prepared a pan of it, with Paris green on the side and all through it, for the rats; but that night the horse got loose and ate the meal intended for the rats. Dead horse, no happy man, happy rats.

A light-fingered child of Sparta was converted at a revival meeting. His intentions are good, but his memory is unreliable, so his attempts at restitution have not been altogether successful from his point of view. An antique ring, receiving a basket of baby clothes and a preacher a chair barrel.

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MINOR NEWS ITEMS.

For the Week Ending June 20.

E. S. Lacey, comptroller of the currency, has resigned. Grasshoppers were destroying many cotton fields in Mississippi. Gen. Edward H. Grubb, United States minister to Spain, arrived in New York.

Louis Cordero has been elected president of Ecuador by the national congress. J. Marsh & Co., private bankers and merchants at Vermont, N.H., failed for \$100,000.

M. M. Spangler's mail-house at Cleveland, O., was wiped out by fire, the loss being \$100,000.

The 80th birthday of Harriet Beecher Stowe was celebrated at her home in Hartford, Conn.

Mrs. Sarah Rothschild, who on May 23 celebrated in Chicago her 104th birthday, is dead.

William Henry Patton, the murderer of Mrs. Michael Stroninger, was hanged at York, Pa.

Mrs. Elizabeth Stilleghauer died at the home of her son near Philadelphia, Pa., aged 104 years.

A part of the Kentucky Matting Company's plant at Louisville was burned, the loss being \$155,000.

Four Italians were lynched near Selma, Wash., for murdering John A. Nelson, a mine foreman.

Two women have been elected to fellowships at Yale university, and they are the first to receive this distinction.

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FARMERS AT THE FAIR.

An Agricultural Exhibit of Vast Dimensions.

It Will Far Exceed Anything of the Kind Ever Seen and Will Test Lessons of Invaluable Value to Farming Classes.

The agricultural exhibit at the world's fair, it is believed, will be studied with greater interest and by more people than will almost any other division of the great exposition. Millions are engaged in raising or dealing in agricultural products, and every one is a consumer of them.

Recognizing this, the exposition management has provided accommodations and facilities for this exhibit which dwarf anything that has ever been seen at a previous world's fair.

The agricultural building, an imposing and beautiful structure, situated upon the main lawn, southward from the great manufacturers' building, is rapidly approaching completion, and will be ready to receive the exhibits of ornamentals, before October 1. It measures 500 by 800 feet, and has an area of 400,000 square feet. No one will take it to be a mere show place. It is a really a masterpiece of architecture, and is already assured, will be extensive. Great Britain, Germany, France, Mexico, Denmark, Sweden, Japan, Paraguay, Canada and a number of other countries have already been assigned space, ranging from one thousand to fifteen thousand square feet each. It is expected that the agricultural exhibits by these countries will be of the highest quality.

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COLORADO HOLIDAYS.

Watermelon, Peach, Potato and Grape and Cherry Days.

Colorado has some holidays that other states have not thought of according to an informant of the St. Louis Globe-Democrat. Among these are watermelon day, peach day, potato day and grape and cherry day. Watermelon day is celebrated Sept. 1, each year, and memorable occasions thousands of excursionists from all parts of the state flock to the delightful scenes near watermelons. Car loads of melons are shipped in from the district, and they are as free to all as water and air. The melons are carried to the city in special cars, and are sold at night. Peach day is celebrated at Grand Junction with great zest. It falls September 17, and all the survivors of the Rockyford watermelon detatch go there to again gorge themselves with the fruit.

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The newspaper supplies the broad, swift channel of publicity which enters the port of prosperity, and when you float your boats upon it you are sure of quick returns.

Advertising in dull times is an anchor cast to windward.

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### LOCAL HAPPENINGS.

Empress Sewing Machine at R. D. Stocking's.

Lowell is going to celebrate. Remember it.

Herbert Graham returned to Chicago last Friday.

S. F. Edmunds visited Chicago friends the first of the week.

Mrs. Mount of Hubbardston, is visiting her son, A. S. Mount.

During the change the Orchestra rendered the "Mandolin Serenade Waltz."

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The Strange Revelation Made by  
a Floating Corpse.

Tattooed Human Skin in Great Demand  
as a Curio—Good Prices Paid for  
It by Merchants in  
the Orient.

The finding of an unknown man floating in the Delaware river at Philadelphia finally led to the discovery of a most grewsome trade practiced by one of the discoverers of the body. The dead man, says an exchange of that city, bore upon his arm some perfect specimens of the tattooer's art, and Jacob Zirachi, a Syrian, who assisted in the recovery of the body, applied for that portion of the cuticle of the left arm which bore an admirable representation of the crucifixion. In the representation of this piece of work the artist showed a master hand. Every detail was perfect.

This was what most attracted the attention of Zirachi, and he begged and pleaded with the keeper of the morgue to give him the strip of cuticle covered by the picture. He even offered ten dollars for it, and when told that he could not have it without an order from the coroner he stormed and raved, declaring it to be rightfully his, anyway, because he had assisted in the recovery of the body. The keeper finally told him to call at the morgue again, and that he would in the meantime speak to the coroner in regard to the matter.

He being plied with questions as to what he intended to do with the strip of tattooed cuticle after he got it, Zirachi said that in Morocco, where he had passed the greater part of his life, there were many dealers in curios who would give him from ten to one hundred dollars for such things, according to the artistic finish of the picture. He had made hundreds of dollars by trading with these merchants, and had learned the secret of properly preparing the skin for framing.

The cuticle is first carefully dried and tanned and is then treated with a peculiar solution of poisonous drugs, which has the effect of bringing into bold relief the pigment used in the tattooing. It is afterward pressed between two plates of glass and is allowed to stand for a month or so, after which it is framed and placed on sale. Many prominent citizens of the larger cities of the orient, the Syrian stated, had the walls of their houses decorated with these objects.

In some parts of Arabia, according to his statement, the sheiks of certain tribes always had their own portraits tattooed upon their backs. After the death of one of them the cuticle bearing the portrait was carefully cut away and prepared according to the usual process and reverently carried from place to place by the bereaved tribe. Zirachi said that the picture on the arm of the drowned man at the morgue would be worth fifty to sixty dollars to him.

### THROUGH A FUNNEL

A Man's Queer Method of Taking Refreshment.

The other day a young man scattered into a saloon, says the Savannah (Ga.) News, and asked for a glass of beer. The barkeeper, a German, recognizing in the stranger a fellow-countryman, set out a glass of the required beverage for his reception. Taking the glass in his hand, the stranger walked to the end of the bar, opened his coat and proceeded to pour the beer into a funnel. "What do you wish to do with that beer?" shouted the barkeeper. "I am drinking it," replied the stranger, calmly emptying the last drop into the funnel and placing the glass on the counter. The barkeeper was paralyzed, and nothing short of a full explanation fully reassured him. It developed that the stranger had some time ago swallowed some carbolic acid by mistake, which had caused stricture of the throat. He is unable to swallow even liquids, and his only means of taking food or drink is through a tube which runs into his stomach. Through this he drinks and eats, first chewing his food and then passing it through the tube into his stomach. His case was such a rare one that the barkeeper took him to see some of the doctors of the city. He is in good health, and does not seem to suffer much from his strange affliction, conversing readily, though unable to swallow anything at all. The tube through which he takes his food is removed when not in use, and when he is hungry he places it in position, and through it eats whatever he wants.

### FROM ALL AROUND US.

#### Bowne Center.

The order of the day—sheep-shearing. Wilder McDiarmid now sports out in a new carriage.

George Headworth, of Lowell, is visiting his brother, Ed.

Hiram Frazier, of Vergennes, Sundayed with his brother, George Frazier.

Charlie and Jennie Livingston are home from Ypsilanti, for the summer vacation.

A good many from this place attended the Children's Day exercises at East Caledonia church on Sunday last.

#### Morse Lake Ripples.

Austin VanDusen is building a fine new house.

Albert Clark is hauling together material for a new house.

Miss Ida Merriman is spending her summer vacation at home.

Wesley Johnson caught a nice string of fish in Morse lake Monday.

The high wind last Thursday evening blew down a number of fruit and shade trees.

Wheat is lodging badly on heavy land and apples have blasted and fallen badly on account of rain.

There were no services at Morse Lake except Sunday school last Sunday, on account of stormy weather, in the forenoon.

Born, Sunday, June 19th, to Mr and Mrs Earl Curtiss, a bouncing baby boy and now you couldn't touch Earl with fish pole.

It rained very very hard Sunday forenoon, resulting in lots of water in low places and a great deal in high places and some in all sorts of places and hilly roads are washed out past all recognition.

#### Elmdale.

Chas. Clahn is occupying his new house.

The wind and rain has lodged grass and grain.

Planting corn has been the work of several farmers last week.

Mrs Smith, of Wisconsin, is visiting her daughter and family, Mrs J. Luk.

Mr Schelton, of Woodbury, was here last Saturday to look at C. S. English's farm.

Wm. Bernard, wife and two children, of G'd Rapids, visited friends here last week.

Mrs A. Keller had a slight stroke of paralysis on Sunday, is better at this writing.

Mr Warner, of Alto, has moved C. S. English's shop on to his father's farm, and intends to sell his farm.

Mrs Elizabeth Kent, of Ann Arbor, and E. H. Hunt, of Saranac, were guests of J. C. English and family, on the 18th.

Agent Grant has obtained a vacation and a marriage license for himself and Lyda Richardson and they are looking after friends and recreation, all up and down this wide creation. Here is hoping that his voyage of life may be smoothed by a fond and loving wife, and may no collisions ever occur that shall mar the joys of him or her. And while trimming his lamps clean and bright be sure and set his switches all right, and of this last we have no doubt she will always keep a sharp look out.

#### Alto.

Mrs Flanigan's daughter, of Indiana, has returned to her home.

Mrs Perry Purdy is much better. She is able to be around the house.

Geo. W. White, of Milwaukee, visited his parents the first of the week.

Will Delaney was over the roads looking after the wash outs, Monday.

Mr and Mrs Frank Moon, of Otisco, visited her brother, Elmer Richmond.

Mrs Riley Jones, of Grattan, visited at Perry Purdy's, Thursday of last week.

C. E. Francisco went to Lowell Saturday, to meet four of his Grand Rapids friends, who have come prepared to hunt and fish. Two of the party are S. Worden and Mr Pollock.

John Elsay, of Oakfield, was shaking hands with his many friends in Alton, last week.

Oscar Scofield went to Fremont Center, on business last Wednesday. He returned Sunday.

Mrs Carver, who has been very sick for the past three months, has partly regained her strength.

D. A. Blodgett, of Grand Rapids, and S. B. Parker, of Vergennes, visited with Jas. Andrews, Sunday.

The recent rains here made several big wash outs in other parts of the town besides the one near here.

Will Andrews and wife, of Alto, visited with Dorus Church and J. D. Frost's families, over Sunday.

There is to be a Swiss wedding at the church, next Saturday evening, June 25. The Grange Hall is engaged for supper.

The heavy rain of Sunday morning, added to the rain through the week, will again stop all from cultivation, also lodge wheat badly.

Elder Fairchilds, of Ashley church, made a very pleasant call here, Thursday, on his way home from the southern part of the state.

Jas. H. Andrews, the Vergennes member of the county committee, went to Grand Rapids Thursday, to attend a meeting of that body.

The wind of last week, blew down a large oak tree, across from Wm. Brown's and lightning struck a tree near by, giving them a very bad fright.

Mrs Maurice Trumbull returned from Grand Rapids, Thursday, where she was called to see her sister, Mrs Mangold, whom it was reported as dead, but it was a mistake. She is very seriously ill.

The recent rains have again washed out the tile in the big hollow, east of Day Cotts, cutting a hole 25 feet wide and about 15 feet deep. It has the appearance of being undermined by the rush of water at the lower side. It will cost about \$100 to fix it.

#### Alto.

McKee sells five pounds of "4x coffee" for one dollar.

Mrs Warner visited her son Grant in S. Boston, last week.

Dr. Hunter's mother-in-law and her two sons are visiting at the Dr's.

There was quite a washout west of Whitneyville Saturday afternoon.

McKee has a splendid line of fireworks which he sells as low as the lowest.

Wild Burnett, of Lowell, has accepted a position as salesman in John Scott's new store at Alto.

Last Friday evening there was a dance at Mr Higbee's new house. It is said there was rather a scarcity of the gentler sex present.

Children's Day exercises at the Baptist Church last Sunday evening were interesting. The children recited and sang nicely and the program was very well arranged by their able and efficient Superintendent, Mrs Wm. B. Graham.

The excursion train that went through Alto at about ten o'clock A. M. Sunday had to stand on the track at McCords until 2 P. M. on account of the washout beyond Whitneyville. Seven coaches full of passengers found it not quite so interesting a way of spending Sunday as they had anticipated.

#### Will Meet in Washington June 27.

DES MOINES, Ia., June 20.—As there seems to be a misunderstanding as to the time and place of the meeting of the republican national committee to effect a permanent organization the Associated Press is authorized by Mr. Clarkson, temporary chairman, to say that the meeting will be held at Washington, D. C., at the Arlington hotel, Monday, June 27, beginning at 11 o'clock a. m.

#### Nancy Hanks Goes East.

TERRE HAUTE, Ind., June 20.—Nancy Hanks, after a couple of warming up jogs, trotted a half mile Saturday in 1:03½, a quarter in 30½ or 31, according to different watches, Doble's being under 31. When she came out again and was under good headway a smart shower gave her and Mr. Doble a ducking, but she finished the mile in 2:15.

### STATE NEWSLETS

Bi-chloride of gold graduates will meet in Ypsilanti next Wednesday to form a state organization.

The corner store of Dodge hall, Kalamazoo, was laid Wednesday by the graduates of the Kalamazoo Female seminary.

Last Tuesday, at Dowagiac, Minnie Steeles, colored, delivered the valedictory at the graduating exercises of the high school.

A number of Otsego business men have formed a stock company for the purpose of manufacturing a newly patented bicycle.

Adrian is booming in more than one way, three of her daughters having successfully captured and married as many young men from other towns Wednesday evening.

Crowell will have a Fourth of July celebration. It will commence at daybreak, remain open all day, and not close until the doctor pronounces his last patient out of danger.

A tramp arrived in Flint, Thursday, with a fractured arm nicely bandaged. After getting it dressed he thanked the surgeon, said he must catch a freight for Port Huron, and wandered forth into the night.

Mrs Martin, of Jackson, discovered a thief stealing her flowers. When ordered to desist, the man remarked that there wasn't any blanked use in kicking, he loved flowers, and he would own 'em—and he did.

A well known Grand Haven minister wanted to try the handcuffs. The Sheriff accommodated him. The pair then walked a mile and a half to where the Sheriff had left the keys, much to the horror of good citizens.

At Coldwater five persons were made seriously ill by drinking buttermilk. It is said the cows had been chased and were very warm when milked. The milk, after standing a day, was found covered with a thick green scum.

The home of the late Mrs Avery, near Three Oaks, is being fitted up by her daughter, Mrs Lowe, of California as a summerhouse for poor city children. Arrangements are being made to accommodate eighteen children at a time.

It is rumored that four of Saginaw's lady teachers will resign in order to wed. The exodus has been so great from the ranks there, that the board is thinking of putting applicants under bonds not to enter the matrimonial market for three years.

Mabel Speirs, of Bay City, stood on a board looking into the windows of the First Congregational Church clutching the sill. As she jumped down a band ring on the third finger of her right hand caught in the latch of the window. The flesh on her finger was torn off and dropped into the church.

Lansing printers defeated the tailors in a matched game of base ball. But if they had played foot ball the fractional men wouldn't have been in it at all. No other craftsmen can kick so hard, continuously, religiously and effectively as the stick and rule artist, who is always kicking about something.

### THE LARGEST SHIP AFLOAT.

A Five-Masted Bark Now Trading Between Burma and Bremen.

The sailing ship Maria Rickmers, recently launched at the Russell yards, at Port Glasgow, Scotland, is claimed to be the largest sailing ship in the world. She is 375 feet long with a breadth of beam of 48 feet, draws 25 feet of water and has over 30 feet of hold. Her net tonnage is 3,822, and over double that of carrying capacity. She is built of steel, with a double bottom all fore and aft, with a deep midship tank for carrying ballast. She is rigged as a five-masted bark, carrying double top-gallant sails and single royals on four of her masts and skysails on three, and carrying altogether about 57,000 square feet of canvas. An unusual feature in her construction is that she is fitted with auxiliary triple expansion engines, and machinery of sufficient power to give her a speed of about seven knots during calm and very light winds. She is provided with a double-bladed feathering propeller wheel, which does not interfere with her steering qualities when moving under sail alone. The Maria Rickmers was built for the firm of Rickmers & Co., rice millers of Bremen, Germany, and will be used in the rice-carrying trade between Burma and Bremen. She is now at sea on her maiden voyage from Glasgow to Singapore.

As compared with the big American ship Shenandoah, the Maria Rickmers is 50 feet longer, one foot less beam, and has the same draught as the Shenandoah. At the same time she carries nearly 4,000 more yards of canvas and has a much larger tonnage. The Shenandoah is now the largest sailing vessel in the world, although undoubtedly the largest wooden vessel afloat. The nearest competitor to the Maria Rickmers is the huge five-masted sailing ship La France, which is the same length, 375 feet, is one foot wider, but has less draught, and is in net tonnage 222 tons less. It is claimed for the Maria Rickmers that she can make from fourteen to fifteen knots an hour, with sail power alone. Her steam power is purely auxiliary and is only to be used in case of calms. Her speed yet remains to be determined, however, and her ability to make what she claims is doubted by sailors on this side of the globe. American shipmasters say she lacks that grace of line and ease of movement for which American ships are noted, and that she is too clumsy to develop any great degree of speed.

#### Lansing an Eagle.

Antone Nelson, a Colorado cowboy, lassoed an eagle a few days ago. Nelson was riding over the prairie on his little cow pony with his lasso tied to his saddle, when he saw the eagle flying ahead of him quite close to the ground. He started his pony on a run toward the bird, and when a short distance away threw his rope, which settled over the eagle's neck and under one wing, and he succeeded in getting the bird to the ranch house alive. The eagle measured eight feet from tip to tip of its wings.

#### An Anti-Rolling Ship.

"Hodgett's safety ship," which has just been patented in England, is intended, in its construction, to counteract the tendency of ships to roll. The idea of the bottom of the vessel is taken from the wings of the albatross, whose graceful and easy motion while poised in the air is so much admired. Instead of adopting the ordinary form of bottom it is proposed to build the ship with two concave curves springing from a central keel.

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