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Hew to the Line, Let the Chips Fall Where They May.

VOLUME V.

COTTONWOOD FALLS, KANSAS, FRIDAY, AUG. 8, 1879.

MINOR MENTION.

CETEWAYO is thinking of changing his name to Getawayo.

FLIES are very pious. They never fail to attend church on Sunday morning.

MEMPHIS papers admit that it is the ack of sewerage that causes the pestilence.

THE poets are engaged on the late Prince Imperial. Truly death has its ter-

THE conviction of Buford in Kentucky contrasts favorably with the escape of Stokes in New York.

THE English are great missionaries. They have just shipped three hundred barrels of gunpowder to Zulu Land.

THE number of hogs slaughtered and salted by Chicago packers from March to date is 1,225,000, against 1,265,000 for the corresponding period last year.

Some men are captivated by a woman's laugh, just as some men predict a pleasant day because the sun shines out clear for a moment. They forget the chance for squalls.

Every time a ship sinks we have a flood of fruitless suggestions of impossible precautions against accidents. People who desire to be safe should summer in Kansas instead of Europe.

A RECENT authority on swimming says that a good swimmer can go two miles an hour without the aid of the current. He adds that no man becomes a good swinmer after he has grown to manhood.

A FARMER in Marion county, Iowa, last Spring, offered his farm for sale at \$20 per acre. Failing to sell, he put in a crop of wheat, the value of which, on twentyeight acres, now averages \$31.45 per

It is one of the best proofs of a genuine revival of business, when, in the last six months \$13,524,000 have been invest-

can go over Niagara Falls in his rubber suit. No doubt of it: Anybody could. But can he get back again is the question, If it can be satisfactorily shown that he can't, hundreds of persons will subscribe money to induce him to make the experiment.

THEY were bathing. She held firmly and fifty dollars and robbed the post to the ropes and gaily warbled, "Oh, George, isn't this just nice? Now, really, I think this is just too exquisite for anything with the cool breezes blowing silvery foam around in little fairy goblets, and——."

think this is just too exquisite for anything of the desperadoes is supposed to be the Arbuckle Mountains. They left about half-past eight o'clock, in the direction of Bartletsville, Indian Territory. The dash denotes the moment she swallowed the billow.

THE number of applicants for positions in the army as Second Lieutenants is now nearly 1,000. Of these the President has selected twenty-five for official examination as to their qualifications. The Southern States have not been overlooked in this selection. The other 900 and odd can now seek some other employment.

No one who reads the average watering-place correspondence will believe that Americans are degenerating physically. According to these veracious chroniclers all the men are "handsome and noble" and all the women are "beautiful and accomplished." In our more doubtful moments we are sometimes half inclined to believe that watering-place correspondents lie.

THE returns from the wheat and corn districts of the Northwest continue to be, almost without exception, of an exceedingly favorable character. The wheat harvest in Michigan, Indiana, Illinois, wisconsin, Iowa and Southern Minnesota is nearly completed, and in Northern Irwin with whom he had been living, and af-Minnesota and in Dakota it is in active progress. The quantity and quality of He was pursued by two officers and being hard the crop is good, except in a few limited pressed took refuge in an out house and opended fire on the police who returned the fire, killing Weiss instantly.

WHAT do the English do with their Zulu prisoners? No reports are given to the public of captives sent to the rear. Can it be that Lord Chelmsford's men have been waging this war with the same cruelty that has characterized the course Cetewayo's braves? If so, and if this is really what it is claimed to be, a contest of civilization against barbarism, it is difficult to see wherein the one method is more humane than the other.

NEXT year should be a very prosperous one for clergymen. Besides leap year, seven eclipses are announced. Eclipses of the moon are welcomed by lovers, but nothing encourages courtship more than a comet with a tail 9,000,000,000,000,500-,97 miles in length sweeping across the heavens during the summer nights. Notwithstanding its enormous size, a young lady cannot catch a glimpse of the celestial wonder without leaning her head on her young man's shoulder, and have him point it out to her.

NEWS OF THE WEEK.

WASHINGTON NOTES.

DEBT STATEMENT FOR JULY. DEBT STATEMENT FOR JULY.

The debt statement shows the increase of debt for July to be \$6,086,344; cash in treasury, \$282,905,273; gold certificates, \$15,-240,700; silver certificates, \$2,785,850; certificates of deposit outstanding, \$403,305; refunding certificates, \$6,058,350; legal tenders outstanding, \$346,686,016; fractional currency outstanding, \$15,814,823. The increase of the debt is due to the payments on account of arrears of pensions from United States notes held for the redemption of fractional currency, as provided by the act of June 21, 1879.

The coinage for standard silver dollars

The coinage for standard silver dollars for July will fall between \$500,090 to \$700,000 short of the minimum amount fixed by law, \$12,000,000. The monthly deficiency will be due to the fact that on the 1st of July the stock of silver bullion at the San Francisco and Carson City mints had been so much reduced that there was nothing to commen work upon.

The amount of national bank notes re deemed at the treasury during the fiscal year just closed, on account of failures, going into liquidation and reducing circulation, is \$7,366,457.

In recognition of the labors of Prof. Gmeist, President Hayes has transmitted him a collection of volumes on the history of iu-

National bank notes to the amount of \$7,366,457 were redeemed at the Treasury last fiscal year, on account of failure and liquida-

It is believed in official circles that Wayne MacVeagh, of Pennsylvania, will be given the English mission.

CRIMINALITIES.

A DESPERATE HORSE THIEF.

Sheriff Hodgson, of Allen county, Kansas, and Sheriff Smith, of Woodson county accompanied by ten men started from Humboldt Sunday to arrest D. O. Tuse a horse thief, at Rainbow creek, three miles from Fredonia. In Wilson county, they overtook Tuse in the road. When, within fifty yards of him, Tuse was informed that they had a warrant for his arrest, and was ordered to surrender, and that he need fear no harm. Tuse replied to this he need fear no harm. Tuse replied to this summons with a bullet. Then the firing be-gan in earnest on both sides. No one in the sheriff's posse was much injured, but one merely having his leg grazed by a bullet. Tuse fired five shots before he gave up. In the fight, it is said, he received eight wounds—one in the mouth, the ball coming out near the ear, one in the right hand, another in the groin and the halpene in his legs. groin and the balance in his legs.

At Little Rock, Ark., Thursday, twenty-At Little Rock, Ark., Thursday, twenty-three criminal cases pending in Chicot countreed in railroad building, most of it in a few Western states. The roads in question have consumed nearly \$8,000,000 of steel and iron rails.

CAPTAIN PAUL BOYTON says that he can go over Niagara. Falls in his rubber.

At Little Rock, Ark., Thursday, twenty-three criminal cases pending in Chicot country for several years, growing out of the murder of one Saunders by a negro mob, have been nolle prossed by the State's attorney. Judge Downs and two other white men, indicated as accessories before the facts, were presented and demanded a trial, and protested against a dismissal, but the judge dismissed all the cases upon the assurance of the State's attorney that owing to the state of the public. attorney that owing to the state of the public mind in Chicot, the majority of the popu-lation of which is negro, conviction is impos-

COFFEYVILLE SACKED.

Four desperadoes entered Coffeyville at eight o'clock on the morning of the 2nd. They killed a man named Kirkpatrick, a stock man

At Atlanta, Ga., Monday, the officers returned from a blood hound hunt after one of the murderers of DeFoor and wife. On Friday night they captured him and he confessed to the murder being done by himself, a white man and another negro, Asa Morgan. The captured man says he held the lamp while says a large amount was obtained by the mur-

STABBED TO THE HEART. On last Saturday Charles Timpke and On last Saturday Charles Timpke and James Ord, son of General Ord, department commander, while riding from the town of Pleasanton, Tex., were hailed by Thomas F. Dewees, between whom and Tempke a feud had existed. Tempke asked what was wanted. Dewees knocked him from his horse with his fist. Tempke retracted, followed by Dewces, who continued striking him. Finally Tempke drew a knife and plunged it into Dewces heart, causing instant death.

THE WIFE'S DEFENCE.

Thomas H. Benner who occupies the Thomas H. Benner who occupies the lodge at Antietem cemetery, Mo., on Monday, was instantly killed by his wife. He charged her with intimacy with Havenfeld, superintendent of the cemetery, and made an assault upon her, when she seized a carbine and shot him through the heart. The wife was lodged in jail at Hagershorn. She alleges the shoot-ing was done to protect her own life.

A BLOODY ENCOUNTER. At Pittsburg, Pa., on the 1st, John D.

OUT ON BAIL. At St. Louis on the 2nd, Mayor Goldsoll, At St. Louis on the 2nd, Mayor Goldsoll, who has obtained considerable notoriety in connection with the affairs and failure of the Broadway savings bank, and who was indicted about two weeks ago for receiving money known to have been embezzled, appeared before the court of criminal correction and gave bonds in \$17,000 to answer the charge against

A DUELIST ARRESTED.

At Richmond, Va., Monday, Judge Onld, a prominent lawyer and well known as a confederate commissioner for the exchange of prisoners during the war, and Dr. A. Speer George, were arrested charged with being engaged in a duel. The trouble between the carties grow out of a lawspit known as the parties grew out of a lawsuit known as the George case which was recently settled by com-

U. S. Government detectives on the 2nd arrested James W. Walsh, for seven years a letter carrier in Detroit, Mich., for robbing the mails. Walsh made a full confession in writing, acknowleding he made a practice of ripping open registered letters for the last two

A MILLION MELTED.

At Hamilton, Ont., on the 1st, a destructive fire burned McInnes block, doing much damage to the bank of Hamilton, Tuarner, Livingston & Co., McInnes & Co., and the

Hamilton and Provident loan association, also the Merchants' bank.

BULLETS FOR BREAKFAST.

A shooting affray occurred at the farm residence of Lucas Covert, near Columbus, Ind., at the breakfast table Wednesday morning, between his sons Henry and Aleck, in which Henry was instantly killed and Aleck mortally wounded.

WILL FIGHT IT OUT BEYOND. Robert Taylor, one of the Aullville victims, shot in the affray a few days ago, died last Tuesday night at 7 o'clock. His brother, Dick Taylor, was killed at the same time. Wren, who shot both, was also shot five times,

PICKLED POISON. At Newark, N. J., on the 1st Katie Moore died from eating pickles. The family of James Darke, of that city, where the young oman was visiting, are seriously sick from ANOTHER HEMPS-DEAD VICTIM.

but is recovering.

ex-county attorney, was shot and instantly killed by R. T. Springfield. The murderer is at large and two sheriffs' posses pursuing. A LARGE STEAL. Edward P. Paige, formerly chief clerk in the Vermont Central railroad office, has been arrested, charged with embezzling \$17,-000.

At Hempstead, Thursday, K. R. Booth

CASUALTIES.

CARVED BY THE CARS.

The body of a man was found near the The body of a man was found hear the Pacific track at Knob Noster, Mo., Tuesday. From appearances he had been dead two days. The right foot was cut to pieces and the side of the head caved in. He was recognized as Jim Collins, a miner at Montserratt. He was last seen Saturday, very drunk. It is supposed he was struck by a train and knocked from the track, when he crawled off and died. He was struck before while drunk by a train, about a month ago. bout a month ago.

THE GREEN APPLE PLAGUE IN IOWA. A disease akin to cholera is ravaging A disease akin to cholera is ravaging Center Point, Linn county, Iowa. Fully 20 persons died from the effects during 13 days and an equal number were prostrated by it. It is raging also in Walker, a little town seven miles from Center Point, several deaths having occurred there. An order for forty coffins was received from Center Point by a Dubuque undertaker. The physiciars of Center Point are worn out and residents are fleeing from the place.

On the 2nd, Mrs. John Howe, wife of a prominent business man of Cincinnati, and her servant girl named Anna Brown, fell through the floor of a vault at their residence

HORRIBLE DEATH.

in Covington, and before they could be rescued both were suffocated. Mr. Howe, hearing cries, ran out and jumped down to their relief. He was taken out insensible, but was resuscitated by vigorous means. ACCIDENTALLY POISONED.

At Livingston, Ky., two young sons of Dr. A. H. S. Boyd being ill, their father deter-mined to give them santonine, but through mistake gave them poison. In half an hour they took spasms and one died in a half and the other in three-quarters of an hour. Dr. Boyd is one of the most respectable citizens of Livingston, and the boys were promising

THE BURNING ELEMENT.

Monday a fire at Wells' station on the Mackinac division of the Michigan Central railroad, destroyed a store, saw and shingle mill, the sheds containing 250,000 shingles and about 150,000 feet of lumber, all owned killed a man named Kirkpatrica, a score and living on Little Coney river, a few miles from the village, robbed Mr. Peters of two hundred by Thos. Nestor, of East Saginaw. Three the village, robbed the postoffice of Michigan Central cars were also burned. The total loss is about \$17,000; insurance, \$10,000.

A WHOLESALE DROWNING.

John Krause, of East Farmington, Polk county, Minn., drove into the lake with six children in his wagon to water his horses. The

On the 2nd, Ed. Whipple, a nine year old son of Mr. Frank Whipple, residing in North Lawrence, was run over by a Kansas Pacific switch engine and horribly mangled. It was necessary to amputate his right arm. His recovery is very doubtful.

DEATH DOWN BELOW. At New York Wednesday, John Jenkins, a diver, was suffocated while endeavoring to recover an anchor off the Battery. The air tube having burst.

TWO SISTERS DROWNED

At Brockville, N. Y., Wednesday, Miss Hugel, aged 18, and sister, aged 5 years, were drowned in the St. Lawrence while bathing.

THE SOUTH.

LATEST REPORTS FROM THE FEVER DISTRICT. In Memphis on the 29th the weather remained sultry and six new cases were reported to the board of health. A camp has been established and the refugees left the city in large crowds. The policy of the authorities to furnish rations only to those who are in camp, will be strictly observed. All mail matter leaving this city is thoroughly disinfected under the personal supervision of the inspectnained sultry and six new cases were report ing officers of the national board of health.

The Howard Association assigned ten additional nurses to duty. The executive commit-tee of the national board of health has issued a circular on disinfection. It advises a thorough scrubbing and moist cleaning to be fol-lowed by fumes of burning sulphur at the rate of 18 ounces per 1000 cubic feet of space o be disinfected.

No new cases reported in New Orleans.

Montgomery, Ala., and Vicksburg, Miss.,
have established quarantine against New Orleans. In consequence of a possible interference from local quarantine the executive coun cil have decided to hold a convention at the National Cotton Exchange, in New Orleans, the 13th of August instead of at St. Louis.

Instructions were issued to the managers and conductors of railroads, as also to all own-ers and officers of steamboats arriving are de-parting from the city of Louisville, to allow no baggage to pass into or out of the city un til the same shall have been inspected and In Cincinnati, A. M. Nash, a broker was re

loved to the hospital sick with yellow fever. At Memphis on the 30th the fever was At Memphis on the 30th the fever was on the decline, there being only one death and four new cases. There are fifty-six sick with forty-five nurses on duty. W. W. Corcoran, banker at Washington, D. C., sent a check for \$2,000, to be used for the removal of the poor and destitute from the city. The weather has settled. John B. Easton, eldest son of Dr. Thos. B. Easton, was stricken with the fever. This case, together with the wife and two daughters, includes the entire family, who are now prostrated with the disease. now prostrated with the disease.

In St. Louis a colored servant of Captain
Lee of the steamer Coahoma, known by the
name of Henry, died at No. 712 Wash street

of yellow fever.

Prof. Chandler, of the board of health says Scarlet fever caused more deaths in New York State last year than yellow fever did in the South, and yet failed to excite public appre-hension, or to make people ordinarily careful

to prevent infection. A. F. Reith, a barber on the steamer Saratoga, while in a delirium at quarantine, sprung up in his bed, and seizing the long side whiskers of Williams, the hospi-

the long side whiskers of Williams, the hospital steward and nurse, tore out a great handfull by the roots. Williams was recently left a fortune of \$20,000 in England, but he refused to abandon the work of nursing yellow fever patients in the quarantine hospital, which he has taken upon himself.

In New Orleans two suspicious cases were reported to the board of health Wednesday, making a total of five now under observation.

There had been one hundred and seventeen deaths from yellow fever during the week ending July 26. in Havana

At Memphis on the 31st, five new cases

At Memphis on the 31st, five new cases were reported to the board of health. A large meeting of colored people was held at noon at Cochrane hall. Resolutions opposing the removal of the blacks to the camp and their determination to appeal to absent merchants for assistance, were adopted. A sentiment is growing strongly opposed to the camp scheme. In New York Thursday, Bartholomew Mc-Keon, a fireman on the steamer Merida, from Havana, died of yellow fever at quarantine. Havana, died of yellow fever at quarantine. A. F. Reith, a barber on the steamer Saratoga. died. One more patient is still in the hospi At St. Louis two deaths from yellow fever

and several suspicious cases were reported.

At Little Rock, Ark., Health Officer Colbur At Little Rock, Ark., Health Officer Colburn sent to Grand Glaizo by the board of health to explain to the people that the quarantine building proposed there is for the detention of suspected people, the transfer of freight, etc., and not for a pest house, returned and reported the Grand Glaizo people unreasonable and willing to fight rather than allow the erection of the building. Colburn says it was with difficulty intelligent people could prevent a riot and the destruction of railroad property. A man came down from Charleston, Mo., to Popular Bluff without permission of Dr. Jones Popular Bluff without permission of Dr. Jones and got on again at Popular Bluff with permission of Dr. Waters. At Walnut Ridge the people threatened hanging him if he didn't get out. It was determined to send him back on a freight train, but he took to the woods.

At New Orleans Thursday, the board of At New Orleans Thursday, the board of health adopted resolutions deprecating the enactment of severe quarantine regulations against that city, expressing the opinion there is no reason of an alarm and hoping that soon the places of cities that have through great prudence put up quarantine bars, will feel it in their power to take them down and allow the business of the country to proceed where it can do so without any real danger to the public health.

public health.

At Memphis on the first thirteen new cases were reported to the board of health. Among the contributions received was \$200 from John B. Draker, of the Grand Pacific

hotel, Chicago.
At a meeting of the committee of safety a declaration was adopted for the rights and declaration was adopted for the rights and safety of the colored people. It was resolved that only by means of camps it is possible for us to guard against the evil of people intruding into the city to draw rations. We are to guard so large an area as that covered by the town, and when the people thus come into an afflicted locality they will carry the seeds of the disease with them all over the land. That in forming, as in carrying into effect these the disease with them all over the land. That in forming, as in carrying into effect these plans, we make no discriminations against colored men. Of our regular police now on night duty, one-third are colored. All of the detail made from volunteer companies of daylight service are colored men. All the militia as yet placed by the governor under command of Col. Cameron are colored men, and the same supplies are given by our committee of charity to the sick in colored families as in white families, the books of our committee bearing evidence of the facts. Two representatives of the colored men, Capts. Glass and Brown, have seats in this committee. The following offerseats in this committee. The following offer-ed by Capt. James Glass, colored, was adopt-

Resolved, That the colored people be incamp, under regulations already prescribed, outside the infected localities, they will be supplied in Col. Cameron's requisition just as they are at Camp Mark, provided they be within reach of the commission depot of Camp

Marks. The ship Templar arrived in San Fran-The ship Templar arrived in San Francisco on the first of August, 161 days from Rio Janeiro, where she put in for repairs, on har voyage out from New York. While in Rio Janeiro the captain took the yellow fever but recovered. Nine of the seamen died in that port from that disease. The first day after leaving Rio Janeiro the fever reappeared. The wife of Capt. Armstrong, and Henry Cave and Michael Walsh, seamen, died, and Capt. Armstrong's daughter, the ship carpenter and several sailors were taken down. Capt. Armstrong the superstate of the sailors were taken down. Capt. Armstrong's daughter, the ship carpenter and several sailors were taken down. several sailors were taken down. Capt. Armstrong is still ill and several of the crew, not having fully recovered. Quarantine officers took charge of the vessel, destroyed the bed-ding and carpets and took her in quarantine. There has not been a new case of fever en

board for three months.

At New York Charles Otto, of the steam City of New York, and Wm. Kennedy, of the steamer Moro Castle, have been sent to the quarantine hospital, sick with the yellow fe-

At Memphis on the 2nd fourteen new cases were reported to the board of health and its was thought advisable to declare the fever epidemic. Col. Cameron has quietly collected all the arms and ammunition from the gun stores and placed the same in the arsenal at the station house. Total deaths according to official count for the week ending 6 p. m. from yellow fever, 26, other cases 48. Last week the number of deaths was 71, yellow fever 36. Physicians are sanguine that the maximum leath rate has been reached, and a decrease in the number of deaths may reasonably be ex-

At Louisville there were 44 deaths during the week, one being an imported case of yellow fever from Memphis.

At Memphis fifteen new cases were re ported on the 4th. According to the report of J. H. Edmonson, superintendent of nurses of the Howard association, they have sixty-five on duty, attending seventy-three sick people fifty-six of whom are white and seventeen colored. The death rate to date has been 33%

At St. Louis, Health Commissioner Francis ssued special orders to the quarantine officers to hereafter stop at that station every steamer from ports below Cairo, report each arrival to him and to release no vessel except upon his

At Boston the brig Bishop, from Sogua La grand, is detained at quarantine with yellow fever on board. When four days out the mate died and subsequently the disease broke out nong the crew.

among the crew.

One case is reported in Chicago.

At Havana, deaths from fever last week were 137, an increase of 20 over previous week.

Total number of deaths from yellow fever during July, 537—last year, 504. Since the beginning of the year 857 deaths occurred against 813 same time last year. beginning of the year 857 de against 813 same time last year.

POLITICAL MATTERS. A CHALLENGE ACCEPTED.

The Republican State executive com mittee have received a challenge from the Greenback State committee of Ohio asking that Chas. Foster engage in a series of joint discussions with either Ex-Gov. Charles An-derson, W. W. Corry or Don Piatt. The challenge has been accepted and meetings whereafter be arranged at prominent points.

At Bangor, Maine, Thursday, the Democratic convention nominated a straight Dem-ocratic ticket, refusing, by almost a unanimous

vote, to await the Greenback convention be fore presenting a ticket.

AN IOWA NOMINATION. At Iowa City Thursday the Democratic Congressional convention of the Fifth district nominated H. E. J. Bardman, of Marshalltown,

NEBRASKA REPUBLICANS. The Nebraska Republican convention will be held at Omaha October 2nd.

FOREIGN NEWS.

THE SYDNEY EXHIBITION. The following commission has been organized for the Sydney exhibition: Commissioner—Oliver M. Spencer, consul-general of the United States at Melbourne, Vict. Honorary commissioners—Augustus Morris, of Sydney, N. S. W., and Samuel C. Lord, of Melbourne, Vict. Dr. C. C. Cox, of Washington, has been appointed secretary of the commission, and will sail from San Francisco the 4th of Avenue.

In view of the success of the socialists in Berlin the government is considering the practicability of making the anti-socialist law more rigorous. The leaders of the liberals are discussing a programme to unite the various

A dispatch states that no complete extinction of slavery in Cuba is expected until the Coolie immigration under the recent treaty between Spain and China is sufficiently numerous to provide laborers for the planta

A dispatch from Valparaiso says: The Pacific steam navigation company's steamer Illimani, of 4,000 tons, has been wrecked. All hands were saved.

There was a violent hurrican at Trieste Sunday, in this part of the Adriatic. Several lives were lost; twenty vessels damaged, and ne sunk.

Warwickshire miners declare that the award of the umpire in the dispute between themselves and masters means starvation. The police of Rome have discovered a

great quantity of revolutionary documents tended for distribution throughout Italy. The Turkish Cabinet Council will carry out the principle of ministerial responsibility insisted on by the late Grand Vizier.

A dispatch from South Africa states that Lord Chelmsford contemplates immediately tendering his resignation. A measure for the substitution of bien-

nial for annual budgets in Prussia and Gernany is being prepared. The Duke of Connaught presented the Wimbleton prizes to Farrow, American, and

was greatly cheered.

According to Russian assurance the last Russian soldier will have quit Turkey by the 4th of August. The walls of the East India Import

Docks fell at Blackwell, England. Estima damage \$500,000. The new Khedive of Egypt will be com-belled to submit all treaties he may conclude

o the Porte. The harvest in southeast France is nearterminated, and in the southwest is about

England and France have come to an greement upon the course to be pursued to-

Germany is seriously agitating the subect of purchasing some islands in the South-Gen. Lazareff will not make a general

The Spanish Government has signed a reaty of commerce with the Republic of Col-

Aleko Pasha will return to Constantino ple on account of serious riots at Phiipple Lorillard's Pappoose is mentioned favorably for the Savant stakes at Goodwood. Disastrous floods are reported in Bel

ium and along the valley of the Rhine. The town of Orto Keni on the Bosphoru almost destroyed by fire.

GENERALITIES.

THE LIGHTNING WAR. In Chicago Justice Harlan, of the United States circuit court, and Judge Drummond, have been engaged in hearing the case of the Western Union Telegraph Company vs. the Wabash railroad and American Central Telegraph Company on a motion for a temporary injunction to restrain defendant from constructing a line of telegraph upon the right of way of the Wabash railroad in Ohio, Indiana and Illinois, on the ground that a contract between the railroad and Western Union Telegraph Company graph Company and the later company graph Company granted to the later company the exclusive right of construction and main-tenance of the telegraph line. The motion was fully and ably argued by eminent counsel on either side, the Western Union Telegraph Company being represented by its solicitors, Norman Williams and Judge Congdon Beck-with, of Chicago, and by W. H. P. Miller and Geo. C. Butler, of Indianapolis. The defendants were represented by Ex-Gov. Hendricks and Major Hendricks, of Indianapolis, Gen. Wager Swayne, of Toledo, and Mr. Green, of

Springfield. JUDGE BALLARD'S DEATH.

Hon. Bland Ballard Judge of U. S. Court died suddenly at his home in Louis-ville, Ky., Thursday. After attending to some business in the morning he felt so unwell that instead of going on to the court room, he went back to the street for a car to take him home. Arriving home, Judge Ballard told his wife that he was very ill, that he was about to die. She tried to cheer him up but he pro-ceeded to state his wishes in regard to his property, in case he died. Suddenly Mrs. Bal-lard noticed a violent twitching of his fea-tures his face heaves livid and in a form in tures, his face became livid and in a few min ates he was dead. Heart disease or apoplexy was the supposed cause.

INJUNCTION DENIED. On the 1st Judge Krekel, of the United States circuit court filed his decision in the mat-ter of the Western Union Telegraph company, for an injunction to restrain the American Union Telegraph company along the line of the St. Louis, Kansas City & Northern railway The petition for an injunction was denied. It is thought by the attorneys for the Western Union, that this will settle the matter, though the general solicitors for the company may not be content to leave the matter in its present

GEN. MILES CONFIDENT.

Gen. Terry, commanding the military department of Dakota, received a dispatch from Gen. Miles, dated at Rock creek, eighteen miles south of the boundary, saying Sitting Bull's band of Sioux fled northward to Wood Bull's band of Sioux fled northward to Wood mountain leaving their property scattered along the line of their route for fifty miles. The Sioux'are estimated to number 5,000, with 2,000 fighting men. Gen. Miles says he believes his force is strong enough to deal with all the Indians Sitting Bull can muster.

CHICAGO LABORERS. The trade and labor councils of Chicago

earnings weekly to be \$8.68 per person, actual earnings per year, \$374; reduction in wages since 1872, per person, 39 7-10 per cent; average cost of living, \$445.58. This would allow each person per day, 13 cents for food; clothing, 3-5; fuel, 1 4-5; rent, 4; recreation, 1-10; education, 3-5; total, 23 cents. Other workingmen gave their views.

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ANOTHER ST. LOUIS BANK EXPLODES. The directors of the Exchange bank Tuesday deposited with the Commercial bank \$395,000 in currency, bonds and eastern exchange, which will pay all current and time deposits and leave a surplus of several thousand dollars. The other assets of the bank will be taken charge of by Dwight Durkee, presi-dent, who will realize on them as speedily as possible and it is thought, pay the stockholders about seventy per cent.

MORMON MONEY IN COURT.

In the case of Cannon, Carrington and In the case of Cannon, Carrington and Young, executors of Brigham Young's estate, and John Taylor, president of the Mormon church, before Judge Boreman Monday for contempt in not turning property over to the receiver. An order was issued that the executors pay into the court \$142,000 cash, and that John Taylor pay \$290,000 cash and stocks illegally received by him, and to be imprisoned until paid.

until paid.

SAVINGS BANK INVESTIGATION. In St. Louis Monday, the grand jury reported to the criminal court that the Broadwood savings bank and the United States savings bank which suspended a short time since, and whose affairs they were charged to investigate, while in the hands of a highly respectively. able gentleman, were managed in a very loose and unbusiness like manner, hence their failure and consequent loss to depositors.

ANTHONY WAYNE'S MONUMENT. The corner stone of the monument to General Anthony Wayne was laid at Erie, Pa., Thursday, with imposing ceremonies. General Wayne's remains were exhumed in 1809. The flesh was boiled from the bones and reinterred, the bones being taken to Chester county, Pa. The monument here is to be on the site of the original interment, and where a portion of the remains now lay.

THE MARKETS

GRAIN REVIEW. Messrs. Lynde, Wright & Co., of Kan-

sas City, furnish us the following reliable review of the grain trade for the past week: Wheat—A change to more favorable wheather in the British Islands and on the Continent has improved the prospect of growing wheat, and foreign markets are quoted dull and low-er. In the southern and eastern parts of France wheat harvesting has been commenced, and the out turn is more favorable than at first anticipated. In the spring wheat sections of our own country, cutting commenced last week, and with another week's fair weath-er, we will be certain of a large yield of ex-

cellent quality.

These influences have had a depressing effect on values in our markets, and we note for the week a decline of 4@5c in winter and 5@ the week a decline of 4@5c in winter and 5@ 6c in spring wheat. Exports have increased for the week, amounting to 2,160,366 bus., and receipts at all interior points show similar gains. Much of the decline at seaboard as well as interior points is due to an advance of three pence per bushel in ocean freights, and the reported advance of rail freights to take place from Chicago and St. Louis next week to eastern points will have its effect. The continued large deliveries from this time forward will necessarily prevent any material advance, as foreign buyers are shrewd enough to pay no more than our sellers are content to to pay no more than our sellers are content to

Within the next two weeks the outcome from spring wheat sections will have been de-termined, and the disposition of our producers to market their wheat will also, in a

measure, be confirmed.

Corn—Advancing freights have told on corn Corn—Advancing freights have told on corn, and notwithstanding the enormous foreign demand that took out the past week 2½ million bushels, prices have declined fully one cent per bushel. Large stocks in Iowa and Illinois are yet to be marketed, and the brilliant promise of an extraoidinary crop now maturing tends strongly to reduced prices. One redeeming feature io the late attention that has been attracted to corn is foreign markets as a cheap substitute for wheat bread for poorer classes. Some writers place the intrinsic poorer classes. Some writers place the intrinsic value of corn as a nutrityie at one half that of wheat and should this cereal become as com-mon an article of food on the tables of the mon an article of rood on the tables of the poorer classes in foreign countries as in our own we may expect corn to take a higher range of value than has yet been established Oats—No improvement in values and offer ings of new crop liberal.

Rye—This cereal is in good demand and last week's prices fully sustained.

Freights—An advance from Chicago and St. Louis of 5 cents per cental to Eastern points has been arranged.

KANSAS CITY MARKETS. Grain.—No. 2, winter wheat, 97c. No. 3, do 86½c; No. 4, do, 83c. Spring wheat. No. 2, 80c; No. 3, do, 75c. Rye, No. 2, 40c. Oats, No. 2, 20c. Cern, No. 2, mixed, 20½c.

Propage—Butter, good to choice, 12@14c.

No. 2, 20c. Cern, No. 2, mixed, 29½c.
PRODUCE.—Butter, good to choice, 12@14c.
Eggs, 6@7c per doz. Chickens. per dozen,
\$1.25@2.25. Cheese, 5@6c for prime Kansas.
Hides, 4@5½c forgreen. Potatoes, per bus.
30c. Sweet potatoes, \$2.25@\$2.50. Peaches,
\$1.00@\$1.50 per box. Broom corn, 1½@3c
per b. according to quality. Hay \$7.50. \$1.00@\$1.50 per box. Broom corn, 15,03c per bo, according to quality. Hay, \$7.50@ 8.50 per ton, baled.

LIVE STOCK.—Choice native steers, 1.400 bs, and upward, \$4.35@4.50; good do, 1,200 to 1,-400 bs average, \$3.90@4.15; butchers' steers, 900 to 1,200 bs, \$3.25@3.75; feeders, \$3.00@4.00; accord patitive cover \$2.50@3.75; reders, \$3.00@4.00; accord patitive cover \$2.50@3.00; accord patitive cover \$2.50@3.0

400 lbs average, \$3.90@4.15; butchers' steers, 900 to 1,200 lbs, \$3.25@3.75; feeders, \$3.00@3.40; good, native cows, \$2.50@2.75; medium to common, do. \$2.00@2.40; bulls and stags, \$1.50@2.50; milch cows, \$20@35; calves, \$5.C3@12.00. Hogs, choice light \$3.30@3.50; medium to heavy, grades, \$2.95@3.25; jstockers, \$2.25@2.75. Sheep, extra natives, \$2.75@3.00; medium to common, \$2.00@2.50. New York—Wheat, steady; No. 2 Chicago, \$1.05@1.06; No. 2 Milwaukee, \$1.05@1.06; red winter, \$1.05@1.06; No. 2 miber, \$1.05@1.06; red winter, \$1.05@1.06; No. 2 amber, \$1.00.2.00; \$

35¼. Oats—dull, 26¼c. Rye—steady, 53c. Barley—steady, 62c.
Baltimore—No quotations received.
Liverpool—Breadstuffs, dull; winter wheat, 9s, 2d @ 9s 8d; spring, 7s 10d@9s. Corn—common, 4s 6d. Oats—5s 6d.

Ladies, Delicate and Feeble.

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Mr. H. D. Morgan, of the Florence Herald has sold that paper to Mr. W. F. File.

The Wilson Echo, a new and well edited newspaper, S. A. Coover editor, has reached this office.

erop of Kansas, this year, will be a little the biggest ever known, Talk about big crops! The corn even in this State of big crops.

The opening of the Marion and McPherson railroad will be celebrated at Marion Center, August 12, by a jollification and barbecue.

We have received a treatise on the horse and his diseases, published by B. J. Kendall, M. D., at Enosburg Falls, Vermont, at 25 cents a copy.

The Wichita Beacon, one of the best Democratic popers published in the West, will begin the publication of a daily evening paper, on the first of September.

The Iowa Supreme Court has rendered a decision that notes obtained by swindlers and confidence men going about in the guise of peddlers, swindling gullible citizens, though they may get into the hands of so-called innocent purchasers, can not be collected.

Kansas is bloated in her rapid growth. Sixty-one counties out of 73 have reported the increase in population for the year ending on the first of March of this year. The population of the 61 counties is 703,518, an increase of 107,741 in twelve months. The counties that have not yet reported are the ones that were filled up in much greater ratio than the others, being the new or unorganized ones.

The Hon. Bland Ballard, Judge from your own merchants and of the United States Court, died manufacturers, even at the same suddenly at his home in Louisville. prices or less. Ky., July 29. He was born in Shelby county, Ky., Sept. 4, 1819; ish to your work by working was educated at Hanover College, against your local paper. Bemean Ind.; studied law under the Hon. everybody connected with it; refuse James T. Morehead; graduated at to subscribe to or advertise in it, so Transylvania; began the practice that persons living at a distance of his profession at Shelbyville; will not know that any business is moved to Louisville in 1840, and being done in your town, or they was appointed Judge of that Dismay want to come and settle trict by Lincoln in 1861. Judge among you, or buy something Ballard had held many positions from you, and that would give you of trust and responsibility in Louisville, such as member of the City Council, School Trustee, etc. This notice should have appeared in last week's paper, but we depended on our outside editor, and he failed to do his duty.

#### AN ADDRESS.

It appears that there is an association, with headquarters at Ripon, Labette county, which calls WEBSTER'S UNABRIDGED. itself the "Citizens' Protective Association of Kansas." This fact has not been generally known, but the association has leaped into notoriety at one jump. It held a meeting and whereased and resolved as follows. This whereas and resolve the "Citizens' Protective Association of Kansas" designates as "An Address to the People of Kansas:"

WHEREAS, The law of both God and man probibits usury, and brands it as a crime; therefore be

Resolved, By the Citizens' Pro-

2. That we demand of the Governor of Kansas that he assemble the Legislature at an early day for the purpose of enacting a law for the reduction of the legal rate of interest to six (6) per cent., with a penalty of forfeiture for exacting a higher rate, and a law fixing the time in which parties may redeem after a foreclosure at five (5) years.

3. That we will support no man for any office of kansa the forest to six (6) per cent., with a penalty of forfeiture for exacting a higher rate, and a law fixing the time in which parties may redeem after a foreclosure at five (5) years.

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Floating around among the mass of good things, now-a-days to be found in the Sunday supplements of the great, Eastern papers, are the following recipes, the one for making a live town, the other for killing a town. This is the one for making a live town;

1. Sell your building lots at reasonable prices.

2. If you can afford to do so, donate a building lot for some large business enterprise, and thereby

in your town.

4. Patronize the business men of your town.

5. Sum up your expenses when you visit places outside of your own town to buy goods. 6. Speak well of worthy public

enterprises. 7. It anything should be undertaken that may be of benefit to the town, do not speak ill of it to oth-

ers because you happen to be prejudiced against it. 8. Speak well to strangers of

your town and its people. 9. If you have a surplus of money do not invest it in far off speculations, but give yourself and your town the benefit of it by establishing some profitable factory.

10. Encourage your local newspaper by subscribing for, advertising in, and paying for it.

If the foregoing recipe should be adhered to strictly, the town is sure to be lively and prosperous. to The following is how to kill a

1. Put up no more buildings than you can occupy yourself. 2. If you should have an empty

building to rent, demand three times its value. 3. Look sorrowful; be little, and insult every new comer; give the cold shoulder to, and underrate ev-

ery mechanic and professional man who desires to come among 4. Go abroad for your goods and wares. By no means purchase

5. Finally, give a thorough fintrouble.

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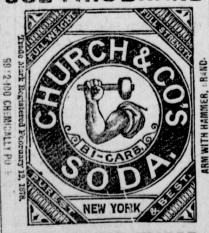
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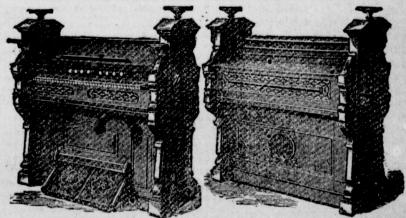
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and St. Joe railroad will hereafter be on our streets, Wednesday. run magnificent day coaches, furnished with the Horton reclining the parlor of the Hinckley House, chairs, between this city and Chi by Judge C. C. Whitson, Mt. John cago, without change, by way of D. Robertson and Miss Sarah E. Chicago, Burlington and Quincy Johnson, both of Chase county. railway. This is one of the most direct and safe routes to the East, ice cream, soda water and ice-cold and this step places it in the very lemonade, but go to M. M. Young's first rank in point of elegance and confectionary, these warm days, perfection of accommodations. and get refreshed with these cool-Without doubt it will early become ing articles. the most popular line in the West with the traveling public. The Horton reclining chair is immeas urably superior in point of comfort and ease of management to all others now in use, and those placed ot land on Peyton creek in favor of ultimo, in reference to a certain in the Hannibal and St. Joe cars are of the finest workmanship and cellence of these chairs. They have proved so entirely successful, and so fully meet the wants of the traveling community, that they have become a necessity. Mr. H.

D. Price, the efficient presence. materials; but to the traveling pub D. Price, the efficient passenger Caldwell & Co. have moved into anything of a personal nature; but their new store building, where when it is perverted from its legitroad, in this city, furnishes the in- they will be pleased to have their imate channels, when an editor formation that these day coaches customers call and see what an imthose going east, who wish to se. keep bargains for the people.

Martin & Co.'s.

#### LOCAL SHORT STOPS.

Tea at Tuttle's. It rained, Monday night. Prairie chickens are now ripe. Pickle's in vinegar at Tuttle's. Canned and dried fruit at Tut-

Fly paper at J. W. Ferry's drug

Chew Jackson's best sweet Navy obacco. s in town.

repainted. Fresh goods of all kinds at J.

W. Ferry's. A stand of bees for sale. Apply

at this office. Dry goods at the cash store of .. Martin & Co.

Toilet and fancy goods at J. W. Ferry's drug store. Mr. Asa Gillett has put a porch

to the front of his house. J. W. Ferry has no specialty, but

sells everything at low figures. 110° in the shade, is what the thermometer indicated, Monday. Remember that J. W. Ferry has

a large supply of furniture on hand. Messrs. L. Martin & Co. are having a sign painted for their

painted on one of his show win-

load of hogs to Kansas City, last about the same date she did. Wednesday.

new well-cap on the well at the

There was quite an enjoyable dance at Mr. Adolph Noyes', on

and of the postoffice repainted.

Mr. J. P. Kuhl has had a sign

While hauling stone, last Friday, on his father's place on Fox that, on a valuation of \$1,670,229.

Mr. Sam. Denn, from Chase county, is building a house on Spring branch.-Medicine Lodge

The new boots just received at The new boots just received at Was reduceded to 5½ mills on the Tuttle's are just what the people dollar. The levy for the State,

furnishes the nutritive principle last week, for an assault on Mar-

The Chase County Normal In-

Harmon Doolittle's team ran away with his buggy, Thursday of last week, doing some little damage to the vehicle, and injuring one of the horses very badly.

Last Sunday, Mr. S. T. Bennett, of Toledo township, was run over by a cow on his farm, and was The "Old Reliable" Hannibal very badly hurt. He was able to

Married, on August 6, 1879, in

Don't wait until winter to get

Judge S. P. Young has received notice that the Secretary of the Interior has decided the contest case

Mr. Charlie Jones, of Emporia, tional Era, whom the Leader, by

will be placed on the road, this provement they have made on the personal batred and malice, and

cure comfort, safety and expedi- Monday afternoon we went to gratify his malignity, the public of Aremedy used thirty five years in a private practice, and tever failing to radio tion. - ansas City Journal, Feb. 9 Dr. W. H. Carter's farm, east of ought to place its seal of condemnathis city, and took a look at some tion on such pretended journalism, Any quantity of dry goods, gro-ceries, etc., at J. W. Ferry's.

of his blooded cattle. The Doctor by withdrawing its support from bas several cows out of Alexander's such a paper. Any quantity of dry goods, gro. of the blooded cattle. The Botton ceries, etc., at J. W. Ferry's.

I Dress goods, prints, cottonades, notions, boots, shoes, etc., at L. Martin & Co.'s.

Dropsy, Eryspelas, Scrotika, Secondary such a paper.

As to the merits of the difference between W. A. Morgan and S. N. Morgan

Judge D. K. Cartter and wife, parents of Dr. W. H. Cartter, who had been visiting the Doctor and his family, left, last Monday, for their home in Washington City,

taking their grandchildren, David and Nannie Cartter, with them. Miss Hannah Paul, the governess of the children, accompanied them.

The County Board met, Monday, and levied the following taxes: For county general revenue, 5 mills; for interest on court-house Mr. Frank Ollinger, of Newton, bonds, 3 mills; for court-house in town. bond sinking fund, 2 mills; to pay The court-house roof is being judgment of F. A.Osborne vs. Chase county, 1½ mills; total, 11½ mills.

This does not include the town- MONUMENTS ship, school district nor State lev-

Thursday afternoon of last week, while some parties were cutting hay on the high prairie, the hat of a Mr. Birley blew off and frightened the team, causing them to run away; and before they could be stopped the sycle bar struk Mr. Jas. Murphy, knocking him down, and cutting both of his heels very badly. Dr. R. Walsh was called in, and he dressed the wounds.

Died, in Stillman Valley, Ogle county, Illinois, July 29, 1879, at the residence of her brother, Mr. L. C. Baker, of consumption, Miss Mary C. Baker, sister of Messrs. Samuel, Calvin and E. T. Baker.

place, the other one being John Wilson, awaiting trial for murder.

County Clerk Breese received a statement, the other day, from State Auditor Bonebrake, saying raise a tax of \$10,856.52, which is a tax of  $6\frac{1}{2}$  mills to the dollar, al though the Leader man has been claiming that, by an act of the need—a good article for a little last year, was \$8,829 07. just \$2, same purpose, this year. How is that for a reduction in taxes brought about by retrenchment

### ATTENTION, SCHOOL DIS-

and low salary howlers?

In view of the fact that the several school districts will meet at 2 o'clock, p. m., next Thursday, Au-L. Martin & Co. the cash mer- publish the value of taxable prop-



#### THAT CONTROVERCY. MORGAN, CHASE Co., KAS, )

Aug. 3, 1879.
To the Editor of the Courant:

It seems to me that an editor i flinging a direct insult in the face of the community where his paper is published, when such a vulgar, correspondent of the Emporia Nabawdy houses upon the public to

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claiming that, by an act of the Legislature, last winter, of which he was a member, the State tax was reduceded to 5½ mills on the dellar. The levy for the State, last year, was \$8,829 o7. just \$2, 027.45 less than the levy for the same purpose, this year. How is

SUBSCRIPTION RATES. THE TIMES, Kansas City, Mo. Address all orders to

cluded that these two men, who, until recently, were boon cronies, so much so that one could stoop to nothing so low and vile that the other would not endorse in full, and who are now busily engaged in throwing mud and telling ugly stories about one another, are a August 4, 1879.

Administra pair that honest men ought to

shun. Yours, in the interest of decency

#### Notice by Publication.

STATE OF KANSAS, SS. Chase County, In the District Court of the Ninth Judicial District, in and for Chase county,

dicial District, in and for Chase county, Kansas.

N. J. Roth, plaintiff, vs. Thadeus Walker, Elizabeth A. Gammill, William Gammill and Robert Ives Gammill, defendants.

Thadeus Walker, Elizabeth A. Gammill, William Gammill and Robert Ives Gammill are hereby notified that they have been sued in the District Court of Chase county, Kansas; in which sait the names of the parties thereto are N. J. Roth, plaintiff, and the said Thadeus Walker, Elizabeth A. Gammill, William Gammill and Robert Ives Gammill, defendants.

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RHEUMATISM

### ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE.

crattors and all others interested will take notifies that, on the 4th day of August, A. D. 1878, the Hoorable Probate Court in and for thase county, Kansas, appointed talchard Cultibert administrator of the estate of Henry Wilson, deceased. You will, therefore, gov-

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Still let us love, my darling, while we may,— And make each jostling moment rich with

And make each josting
bliss.
Too soon, O, God, too soon will come the day
When one of us will hunger for the kiss
That seemed just now to be so cheap a boon—
Will cry and cry for one poor little hour
Like—yes, like this—beneath the mellow
moon.

Amid the drift of dew and scent of flower.

These hours that now we pass so lightly by,
Will seem lost words of joy that bitter day,
When one of us beneath the hollow sky,
Clasps nothing but the daisies and the clay
Then, blind with tears, the aching eyes will

To pierce the mystery where the lost one is;
And the starving soul will gladly roam among
And cling to all these tender memories.

Then let us load the hurrying hours with love,
For each bright-glowing span may be the
last;
And when we hear the appalling voice above,—
When to one of us the blissful dream has

passed,—
The other quivering heart may know some

While wandering through memory's fragrant Where every lingering footstep shall be blest,
With living o'er again what this hour yields.
—Syracuse Times.

#### A BIT OF FUN.

Willie Minton stood on the back steps waiting for breakfast to be ready. Glaneing through the open window of the kitchen to see how Bridget was getting along the mischevious thought came into his head that it would be fun to shoot her with his popgun-which he had in his hands-to see her jump,

"Mother told me not to tease her," he

thought; "but its only for fun, and it won't de any harm."

He turned the small weapon towards the window, and taking careful aim, sent

it off.

It hit Bridget on the side of the face; she started, spilt the hot lard in her hands, partly over the range, where it instantly blazed up, and the rest on the floor, whose whiteness was the delight of her life.

Willie had his fun; he saw her jump, and he thought that was the last of it, but

spread, as circles spread around a stone thrown into stillwater.

His laugh told Bridget who she had to thank for the mischief. 'Ah, you bad boy, she exclaimed in

rage, "you're always in some trick, bothering the life out of me, and making more

gone muttering to herself:—
"I'll have no peace till he gets off to school, and I'll hurry up them rolls, to be sure." She upcovered a row of her to be

oven with a bang.

"Mary, these rolls are heavy again!"
greeted Mrs. Minton, as her invalid husband sat down to his breakfast. "How often have I repeated that I can not eat such heavy bread! It does seem as if your cooks took pleasure in imposing up-

on you."
The taint color faded out of Mrs. Min ton's already pale face, and a troubled look spread over it, but she replied

was the answer from Mr. Minton, who generally a pleasant, well-bred gentleman—was now out of health, and like many others in similar condition, thought it right to vent his bad feelings in cross lan-

Breakfast was spoiled for Mrs. Minton, and the usual cheerful meal was taken in silence and constraint by the whole fam-

This was the second result of Willie's

After the breakfast was over, Mr. Minton went into the library to read the pa-pers before going to his office, and there Josie found him, a half hour later, when starting for school.
"O, father!" she said. "have you de

"O, father!" she said. "have you decided about me joining the sketch class?—I have to tell Miss Barlow to-day."

Now Josie's greatest delight was in drawing, and she had hailed with joy the announcement that a sketch class would be formed in school, if enough could be found to join, and had hurried home to ask her father if she might put down her name. The night before he had talked it over with mother, and it was about de-

me! It's all fol-de-rol, you learning to sketch," and he turned again to his paper.

The eager light went out of Josie's bright eyes, and the smile died on her lips. She had not dreamed of such a reply, but she knew her father too well to attempt to change him. Slowly, and like one stunned by a heavy misfortune, she left the room, and the house, tears rapidly chasing each other over her cheeks, and deep pain in her heart.

Third result of Willie's "fun."

"Mother, said Willie himself, about the time that Josie received her blow, "I may go to Brandon to-day, mayn't but them double quick!"

"I am very sorry Willie," said Mrs. Minton, "but they haven't come. To be sure of them I even sent John around, and learned that Mrs. Brown's little girl, has had a relapse, and Mrs. Brown doesn't know when she can finish them. It's too bad dear!"

What Willie said—the mingled grief and rage which brought a violent fit of crying, and obliged his mother to send him to his room, while she sent away the man and horse I will not describe.

It was the seventh result of his "fun."

Unfortunately, he did not know it.

But that was not the last; there was

"Mother, said Willie himself, about the time that Josie received her blow, "I may go to Brandon to-day, mayn't

Nine o'clock arrived, and Mr. Minton went to business with the morning's cloud still upon his face. Everything was clean and bright in the office, and George—the office boy, who had taken unusual pains to have everything in grand order—stood smiling at the door.

"I wonder what's the matter with Mr. Minton," he said to himself, as that gentleman entered. "I wouldn't ask him for a holiday to-day, only that he's half promised already, and I've engaged Jim Brown to take my place, and I know he's counting on it.—he has so few chances to earn anything—and then Nell,

asked for his usual holiday, and said that Jim Brown was there to take his place. (Alas! those rolls!)
"You can't go to-day, 'George.' said Mr. Minton. "On second thought, I don't think I can spare you this week."
"Yes, sir," said George respectfully, but his young blood boiled. He was sure there was no reason, and that he could as well be spared this week as next. He

well be spared this week as next. He wouldn't have cared so much for himself, but he would disappoint Jim Brown, and there was his own sister— Fourth result of Willie's "fun."

all dressed, with a hat on, waiting for had never turned his popgun toward the him She was learning the dressmaker's cook.

trade, and worked hard from morning to night, and was pale and tired from close confinement. But by some fortunate cir-cumstance she had a holiday to-day. The

baking and fixing their treat, and there it was, all nicely packed in a basket ready to go. Nellie wore a new bright print dress, that she had cut and made herself, and kept a secret, intending

when he came back after her.

"Will you stay and tell Nell?" George had said to Jim, when he told him of the disappointment of all these plans. "She's expecting me." So it was Jim's unwelcome news that greeted Nellie, instead of George's merry face, when she ran to an-

swer a knock.
"Oh, Mother!" she said, falling wearily

into a chair, with a burst of tears. "He can't go—that cross old—"
"Hush, dear!" interrupted the mother, it instantly blazed up, and the rest on the floor, whose whiteness was the delight of her life.

Willie had his fun; he saw her jump, and he thought that was the last of it, but he did not know how one little act will spread, as circles spread around a stone

"Hush, dear!" Interrupted the mother, bending closely over her sewing. "Don't say hard words—though I'm really sorry for you, dear, and I wonder why he refused, when he as good as promised last night."

"O, dear!" Nellie went on between her

sobs. "We were going to have such a nice time! and I haven't been out for six months, and that beautiful lunch!-and -and-everything. I think it too mean" -and throwing off her hat, she gave herself up to her bitter disappointment, Fifth result of Willie's "fun."

ering the life out of me, and making more work for me. Look at my white floor, will you?—that I spent two hours over, last night!"

Willie did not hear; he had gone into the house to tell Josie the joke he had played upon Bridget.

To the quick-tempered cook, however, it was no joke. She went on after he had gone muttering to herself:—

"I'll have no peace till he gets off to "I'll have no peace till he gets off to the sould be to be treasures they would buy, and after dis-

treasures they would buy, and after dis-cussing all that they knew of the big city's attractions, had settled upon a bunch of sure." She uncovered a pan of breakfast rolls which stood before the fire to rise.

"They're not light yet," she said crossly, "but I don't care. I won't wait for em," and she thrust them into the hot lightly lightly longer food, and her feverish lightly longer food, and her feverish lightly longer food, and her feverish lightly longer food, and her feverish

lips fairly longed for the cool fruit.

She was very weak, though recovering now, and of course she is childish. She had thought and planned, and longed for these delights, as you who have the comforts of life cannot imagine, for seven long weary days. So it is no wonder that when Jim burst indignantly into the room, and thoughtlessly told his bad news in the bluntest way, she first burst into tears,

was done on her sewing. At night the kind doctor said she was in a relapse, which, in her present weak state might end her short life.

"What caused this great change? She was doing so well," said the Doctor. "It was a little disappointment about something she had set her heart on," said Mrs. Brown. "Not enough to care for when she was well," she added apologetic-

ally, telling the story.
"A smaller thing than this is sometimes

"A smaller thing than this is sometimes fatal to one in her state," said the plainspeaking doctor; and then, turning to Jim, who sat cowering in a corner, half frightened out of his wits. "Learn a lesson by this, young man. If she dies, the fault will be yours." (The Doctor didn't know about the rolls.)

It needed only this dark cloud to complete the misery of the poor home. Mrs. Brown folded away the work, for which she had hoped to receive the pay that day, and give all her attention to Katie. Jimmy crept out into a sort of a shed, and cried himself to sleep, and the sick girl raved in her delirium. sick girl raved in her delirium.
"Sixth result of Willie's "fun."

over with mother, and it was about decided to allow her to do so, But, unfortunately, the heavy rolls still troubled him and darkened all his world.

"No," he said shortly, "don't bother me! It's all fol-de-rol, you learning to sketch," and he turned again to his paper.

"Sixth result of Willie's "fun."

"Mother, have my clothes come home?" shouted Willie, bursting into the house after school. "Here's Tom and old Bill, and even Boxer—all ready! Let me jump into them double quick!"

"I am very sorry Willie," said Mrs. Minton. "but they haven't come. To be

the time that Josie received her blow, "I may go to Brandon to-day, mayn't I?"

"Yos," said Mrs. Minton, "if your new clothes come home, as I told you yesterday."

"They will, won't they?" he asked anxieusly, for this was a long-wished for treat.

"I hope so. Mrs. Brown promised, and if Katie is no worse to-day I have no doubt she will do so," was the reply, as Willie seized his books and started to school.

Nine o'clock arrived, and Mr. Minton went to business with the morning's cloud to the last; there was other trouble in the household. After breakfast Mrs. Minton had gone into the kitchen to remonstrate with Bridget about the remonstrate with Bridget about the remonstrate with scrubbing her greasy floor and blacking over ner soiled range—fired up at once, and declared she wouldn't stay another day in the house where the "boys was a torment and the missus found fault with her cooking."

So she went away and Mrs. Minton was obliged to finish the baking, and stand over the hot fire all day before another cook could be procured.

Since the composition of one of the most broken was popular proprietary medicines—we speak of Dr. F. Wilhoft's Anti-Periodic or Fever and Ague Tonic—has been published and accompanies every bottle, the sales of this greatest specific for the cure of Chills and Fever, Dumb Chills, and hypertrophied spleen have been doubled, and the leading physicians prescribe in the household. After breading the road and accompanies every bottle, the sales of this greatest specific for the cure of Chills and Fever, Dumb Chills, and hypertrophied spleen have been doubled, and the leading physicians prescribe in the household. After breading the popular proprietary medicines—we speak of Dr. F. Wilhoft's Anti-Periodic or Fever and Ague Tonic—has been published and accompanies every bottle, the sales of this greatest specific for the cure of Chills and Fever, Dumb Chills, and hypertrophied spleen have been doubled, and the leading physicians prescribe in the household. After Dr. F. Wilhoft's Anti-Periodic

chances to earn anything—and then Nell, too! Besides," he went on more slowly, "he promised me a holiday once a month, and he never refused me.

When the letters were brought in, and everything prepared for the day, George they had built upon the result of that

asked for his usual holiday, and said that class in Miss Barlow's fashionable school. So another family was plunged into grief because of that bit of "fun"

Which was the tenth result. The trouble did not end in these four families either. It traveled far and wide. Every one touched by it passed it on to

It is really fearful to think of the pain, and grief, and disappointments, and mis-erythat Willie's one moment's mischievous 'fun" brought into the world; and which took the place of the bappiness, the com-fort and the innocent pleasures which At this very moment George's sister sat would doubtless have been enjoyed if he

#### A Fish Story.

Cor. Charleston News and Courier. Reedy river is a poor stream for fish. cumstance she had a holiday to-day. The happy brother and sister had spent the evening before planing great things for this rare treat. After discussing all possible excursions, they decided to have a picnic and a day in the country. The weather was perfect, and they were going to take a Staten Island ferry boat, and after a pleasant sail on beautiful New weather was perfect, and they were going to take a Staten Island ferry boat, and after a pleasant sail on beautiful New York Bay, to get off and eat their lunch and spend the day in the woods and of the beach of that island, gathering flowers and shells and many pretty things to ers and shells, and many pretty things to bring back a little color to Nellie's face, and take a little pain out of her back.

Their mother had been up before light, baking and fixing their treat, and bringing up the cats; sometimes he would come up with one in each hand, and occasionally with three fish, one in his mouth and one in each hand. After fishing the shoal he tried his hand on suckers and redhorse in the deeper water diving down under the back. about twenty fine suckers, weighing two and three pounds each. Vaughn has been known to catch as high as six suckers at one time in his hands. He says, when under the water, he can rub a sucker on to surprise George with her pretty suit under the water, he can rub a sucker or the side and it will lie as still as a pig when he came back after her. when you are scratching its side. I think we had better ship him down to the city, and let you make him a submarine diver. If he was on the sea coast, where fish are so plentiful, he would show something extraordnary in the fishing line.

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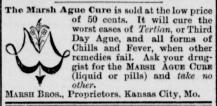
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