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### WASHINGTON LETTER.

(From Our Regular Correspondent.)

WASHINGTON, August 26 1901. Capt. Lamy, Judge Advocate of the Schley court of inquiry, has returned from his vacation and began to prepare in earnest for the inquiry. His first work was on the list of witnesses to appear for the Navy Department before the court. As soon as completed a copy of this list will be furnished Admiral Schley. Although Acting Secretary Hackett followed precedent in referring the request of Admiral Schley that Rear Admiral Howison be questioned about the accuracy of a decidedly anti-Schley newspaper interview to the Court of Inquiry, most persons think he made a decided mistake in doing so. Because his refusal to grant Schley's request, which was considered reasonable, has increased the number of those who believe that the navy department is strongly antagonistic towards Schley. Mr Hackett has also shown bad judgment in other ways, notably in his attitude toward the newspaper men, who as a rule have no other interest in this matter than to get the news about it for their papers. Secretary Long has been asked to return and it is understood that he will do so, probably this week. Admiral Schley's protest against the construction placed upon his request to have that newspaper interview referred to Admiral Howison was a dignified document, which has made him new friends and will make him more.

Uncle Sam has a hard time getting a straight man to fill the office of Collector of Customs at Nogales, Ariz. The present Collector has just been arrested for smuggling Chinese into the United States from Mexico and he had only been in office about a year and a half, having succeeded a man who was removed for irregularities connected with his assistants.

The opening of bids by the Navy department for the construction of a coaling station at Portsmouth, New Hampshire, brought several gentlemen interested in such construction to Washington. Among them was Mr. W. A. Stadellman, of New York, who said in the course of an interesting conversation about this little known but highly important subject: "This government in a short time will be better equipped with coaling stations than any power on earth. Coaling stations have already been built at New London, Key West, and Mare Island. One was also authorized for Dry Tortugas, but the government did not furnish correct information about the character of the foundation and the contractors were never able to complete it. The machinery was made and is now stored in Cleveland. I don't know whether it will ever be used. The coaling station at New London is the finest anywhere, but there is one peculiar thing about it. Having been located above the railroad bridge, only ships drawing less than 20 feet can get up there, so that it is useless for our heavy battleships. They are proposing to dredge a channel up to it. Even naval experts from Europe go there to inspect the station, with its steel buildings and splendid machinery. The government proposes to build coaling stations at Manila, Naragansett Pier, and several other places yet to be designated, including one on the coast of Washington. Steel is so cheap now that it costs only about 25 per cent more to construct buildings of that material than of wood. If steel buildings are kept well painted there is no telling how long they will last, perhaps for a thousand years."

Here is a busy sketch of the career of Charles Fletcher Lummis, a young author who is rapidly becoming popular, drawn by his uncle Sir G. S. Foster, of Ind., who is now in Washington, where he expects to be joined by Mr. Lummis. "He is a very interesting character, an odd



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The Library Association Meets, and Elects Officers.

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It was ordered that the Library be open to the public on the afternoons and evenings of Tuesday and Saturday of each week at the store of J. D. Vaughan, subject to the rules and regulations provided by the State Public Library Association.

A communication was received from the Supt. of Public Documents at Washington stating that at the request of the Hon. Page Morris he had sent to the library 135 volumes of miscellaneous documents. It was ordered that the thanks of the association be expressed to Mr. Morris for his kindness in this matter.

It was found that during the past six months the 59 books constituting the Free Traveling Library had been taken out 457 times, and it is to be hoped that the books just received will have a still larger patronage, and that soon a permanent Free Library will be established in our village as further donations of books has already been promised.

A new Traveling Library has been received from the State Commission and will be open to all free of charge, on the afternoons and evenings of Tuesday and Saturday each week at Mr. Vaughan's store. The books in this library are especially interesting, the general subject being China and Japan. In connection with this there is a set of volumes of miscellaneous public reports, the gift of Hon. Page Morris, which will be of interest to many in way of reference.

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## A WEEK'S RECORD

### All the News of the Past Seven Days Condensed.

### HOME AND FOREIGN ITEMS

News of the Industrial Field, Personal and Political Items, Happenings at Home and Abroad.

### THE NEWS FROM ALL THE WORLD

#### DOMESTIC.

Jack Winters, who robbed the Selby smelting works at Valpojo, Cal., was sentenced to 15 years in prison.

A mob at Wadesboro, N. C., lynched Luke Hoag, a negro, who tried to kill Miss Lena Smith.

One hundred persons were injured by the fall of a burning oil tank at the Atlantic Refining company at Philadelphia.

Secretary of State Hay announces that the United States will not intervene between any of the countries at variance in South America.

Elders and followers of Dowie attempted to hold a street meeting at South Chicago, but a mob broke up the exercises and drove away the speakers.

Five men working in the water works tunnel under the lake at Cleveland were killed by an explosion.

The census bureau issued a preliminary mortality report, showing a decrease in deaths in the United States of nearly ten per cent. in 1900, as compared with 1890.

A tornado wrecked the town of Anokio, Ohio, and killed two persons.

Charges are made that immigration inspectors in New York have accepted bribes and admitted thousands of alien fraudulents.

W. A. Larned won the national lawn tennis championship at Newport, R. I. Sir Thomas Lipton arrived in New York on the Ticonderoga and expressed confidence that the new cup challenger was a winner.

The Mutual Mercantile agency which was founded by Ernest Vignani, failed in New York with liabilities of \$250,000.

President Shaffer, of the Amalgamated association, said that he had well defined plans for the great steel strike to a close.

President McKinley has invited the nations of the world to participate in the exposition to be held at St. Louis in 1903.

Lightning struck a hospital at Elgin, Ill., and shocked five doctors and a nurse engaged in performing an operation on a patient.

John J. Gilliland, former member of the Nebraska legislature, was killed by footpads at Lincoln, Neb.

R. T. Ross, a music teacher, and his wife, 26 years old and penniless, were asphyxiated in San Francisco.

Crosses again defeated Lord Derby and Charles Herr at Bendville, Mass., trotting a final quarter in 29 3/4 seconds.

Capt. Parker, of Admiral Schley's command, discovered the records of the signal corps covering the Spanish war were missing from the war department files.

Three oxmen from St. Joseph, Mich., in a 16-foot boat, drifted helplessly ashore near Michigan City, Ind., after a hard fight with the waves.

President Ban Johnson has started a crusade against rowdy baseball that promises a crisis in American league affairs.

A conspiracy was discovered to murder Bishop Kozowski, head of the Independent Catholic church in Chicago.

The transport Ingalls sailed from San Francisco for Manila with new teachers.

A census bulletin shows that New Hampshire has more women than men.

Shamrock II was given his first bath in New York waters with Designer Watson and Sir Thomas Lipton on board.

Teachers in the steel strike began a discussion of arbitration to settle the trouble.

Sam Strong, a millionaire mine owner, was shot dead in a gambling house in Colorado Springs by Grant Crumley.

Sheriff North thwarted the attempt of a mob to lynch a negro at Asheville, Ala., killing two men and wounding three of the mob.

The ex-slaves at the leading drug houses in the United States during the seven days ended on the 24th aggregated 1,176 dollars, against 1,932,522,252 the previous week.

The success compared with the corresponding week of last year was 247.

John Butler, a colored wife murderer, was hanged at Wallingford, Md.

J. M. Mercer, convicted of assassinating a little girl, was hanged at Tampa, Fla.

U. M. Rose, of Little Rock, Ark., was elected president of the American Bar association at the annual meeting in Denver.

Charles W. Nordstrom was hanged at Seattle, Wash., for the murder of William Mason after a legal fight for freedom that lasted nine years.

The attorney general of the United States says a trial newspaper passing contracts requiring study and calculation do not fall under the law prohibiting the advertising of lotteries.

President Shafer denies that propositions for the trial of the strike have been made or are in contemplation, but it develops that powerful agencies, including the Civic Federation, are working for peace.

Dun's Review of Trade says the volume of trade is well sustained despite labor troubles and other drawbacks.

Mont Cartright, aged 18, shot his wife, aged 32, at Palmyra, Wis., and then shot himself. Dementia was the cause. A coroner saved the life of Mrs. Cartright.

In a railway wreck near Atlanta, Ga., one man was killed and 13 persons injured, three probably fatally.

The plano factory of Story & Clark has been removed to Grand Haven, Mich., because of a strike in Chicago.

Sam Farrow, a negro, shot and killed his wife, his father-in-law and mother-in-law near Dawkins, S. C.

Justice Kohlsaat issued an order enjoining strikers from placing pickets at the Allis-Chalmers plant in Chicago, or from interfering with the business operation of the company in any manner.

Blake Logan and his two sons and two Wilson brothers were killed by West Mays and George Golden near Williams, Ky., in a trouble over a woman was the cause.

The battleship Illinois will be ready to go into commission on September 10.

For the first time in the history of Alabama a grand jury at Montgomery indicted ten white men for lynching a negro.

South Chicago steel workers failed to attend a meeting of labor unions arranged in a last effort to induce them to quit work.

United States District Attorney Evans dropped dead at his home in Minneapolis from heart disease.

The Home Savings & Trust company, with head office in Des Moines, Ia., has succeeded.

The Sandy Valley Banking company at Malvern, O., has made an assignment.

A special train on the Pennsylvania railroad covered the distance of 355 miles from Pittsburgh to Philadelphia in seven hours and five minutes.

Talk of a settlement of the steel strike continues in spite of the denials by the officials of the United States Steel corporation and the Amalgamated association.

Henry Niles, a negro who assaulted and murdered Mrs. Charles Williams, wife of a prominent farmer at Chester, Tenn., was burned at the stake by a mob.

A bridge collapsed at Mauch Chunk, Pa., and Jesse Strubler, a prominent citizen of Mauch Chunk, and three boys were drowned.

Burglars broke into a bank at Petersburg, Ind., of \$30, but overlooked \$17,000 in the safe.

Schlatter, the "divine healer," was taken to the workhouse in New York for three months for drunkenness.

A railway engine plunged into a canning factory at Jansville, Wis., causing a loss of \$100,000.

Government officials at Nogales, Ariz., were arrested for smuggling Chinese from Mexico into the United States.

A tornado at Jersey City, N. J., wrecked a theater and two churches and damaged 200 houses.

#### PERSONAL AND POLITICAL.

Virginia republicans in convention at Roanoke nominated J. Hampton Hoge, of Roanoke, for governor.

Iowa democrats in state convention at Des Moines reaffirmed the National City platform and nominated T. J. Phillips, of Ottumwa, for governor.

Pennsylvania republicans in state convention at Harrisburg nominated William P. Potter, of Pittsburgh, for supreme court judge and denounced Ulysses Johnson.

Lease W. Van Shaick died at Baltimore, Md., aged 84 years. He represented the Milwaukee (Wis.) district in the Forty-ninth and Fifty-first congresses.

John P. Lyon, who claimed to have been the youngest soldier in the union army during the civil war, died in St. Paul, aged 50 years.

Mr. H. Aplin has been nominated by the Republican party for the Twenty-third district to fill the vacancy caused by the death of Congressman H. O. Crump.

Iowa middle-of-the-road populists have nominated the Drake hotel owned by T. H. Weller, of Nashua, for governor.

Mary Rank died in Fort Wayne, Ind. She would have been 101 years old in three days.

John Humphrey, a veteran of the Crimean War, one of the "Noble 600" of Balaklava, died at Santa Rosa, Cal., aged 73 years.

**FOREIGN.**

The celebrated Finnish poet and composer, Gunnar Wennerberg, died in Stockholm, aged 84 years.

British Consul Wigham, in a report to his government, declared the United States would soon produce all the best sugar it needed.

British troops captured a Boer camp, securing 18 prisoners and a large quantity of ammunition.

French soldiers captured an ultimatum to the Sultan that he would leave Constantinople unless satisfaction was given for French grievances.

Hollen, who tried to swim across the English channel, collapsed after being in the water 12 hours, and nearly drowned.

A report on schools in the Philippines shows that the natives are eager to learn and make encouraging progress.

Forest fires partially destroyed 187 towns in Russia, the loss being estimated at \$1,000,000.

It is estimated that the Puget Sound salmon pack for the present season will be 1,200,000 cases, valued at \$5,400,000.

More soldiers are to be assigned to duty at Manila, which is now garrisoned by less than 1,000 troops. Guard duty is too heavy for the small force.

Lord Kitchener reported that the Boers are showing great activity in Cape Colony.

Renewed efforts are to be made in London to include Mrs. Maybrick among the subjects for royal clemency after the coronation of King Edward.

Turkey has yielded to the French demands for recognition of rights claimed by the Quays company at Constantinople.

It is said that the Danish West Indies will be disposed of to the United States during this year.

**LATER.**

A temporary bridge collapsed at South St. Mary, Md., and killed the Rev. and Kenneth Meloy went down with the structure and were fatally injured.

At the police court in Winnipeg, R. P. Roblin, premier of Manitoba, charged his partner in crime, John D. W. Mills, with the theft of \$16,000. During Roblin's absence Mills commenced selling off the stock at any price he could get. Mills was arrested in his way to the United States, and had \$2,500 in his pocket.

At Birch Switch, near Garnett, Kan., a passenger train collided with a side-tracked freight. The brakeman, a somnambulist, had got up in his sleep and tumbled the switch.

A cyclonic wind and cloudburst did considerable damage at Centerville, Ill. The colored Baptist church was wrecked and many peach orchards destroyed.

Louis Busse, in jail at Allison, Iowa, charged with wife murder, has made a written confession of the crime.

There is actual danger that the north branch of the Chicago river will catch fire and spread destruction through warehouses and lumber yards. The branch is not drained, and is covered with residue from the gas plants.

The twenty-eighth triennial convocation of the Grand Encampment of Knights Templars began at Louisville, Ky., the 26th, with a large attendance.

The U. S. gunboat Machias was ordered at Colon, where she was ordered in view of the probable injury to American interests.

The Corrier house near Chipewa Falls, Wis., was destroyed by fire. A 1-year-old boy was suffocated by the smoke.

At the Chenoa coal mine at Bloomington, Ill., the caving of the hoisting car broke through four miners to the bottom of the shaft, 217 feet. All of them were instantly killed.

An accident at the new bridge which the Southern Railway is constructing across the Congaree river near Columbia, S. C., caused the death of 4 men. The accident was caused by the falling of two steel girders weighing fourteen tons each.

Nicholas Krang, a farmer, was robbed of \$5,000 in money and notes on a Chicago street car.

Janaschick, the Hungarian actress, is dangerously ill in New York.

**MINOR NEWS ITEMS.**

Oil has been discovered near Evans-ton, Wyo., in the Rocky mountains.

The Austro-Hungarian bank is to replace its paper circulation with gold.

New experiments are to be made at Havana with mosquitoes to test the efficacy of yellow fever eues.

A college of heraldry in America has been incorporated at Albany, N. Y., to make genealogical researches.

Coal exportations of the United States have doubled since 1897 and nearly tripled during the last decade.

The quota of teachers for service in the Philippines has been completed, but the applications for the places cannot be made until a success.

George Kemnan, who was expelled from Russia, returned to Boston. He scores Russia's treatment of the Finns.

Handling of iron ore from the mine to the mill has been made almost automatic in a new plant at Port Gran, N. I.

Myron Waters, the man who drilled the first oil well after the discovery of petroleum by the Michigan Territory, died in Warren, Pa., aged 84 years.

Workers in the cause of temperance say it is yielding a powerful impetus to the habit of drinking.

Rev. Joseph K. Dixon, formerly one of the most prominent Baptist preachers in Boston, is now engaged in extolling the merits of a nerve tonic.

A monument to commemorate the fifty-fifth anniversary of the peaceful annexation of New Mexico to the United States was unveiled at Santa Fe.

The government has ordered the deportation of the Eskimo village at the Buffalo exposition because of attempts of one of the natives to kill explorers.

Hon. D. H. Morley, famous as the writer of the Ohio constitution of 1852, died in McConnellsville, O. This is now but one member of that convention living.

An old house has been uncovered in Tisbury which dates from the great earthquake of 1755. It is thought that a whole street of buried houses lies in a line with the one discovered.

The grandmother of a Polish patriot who fought for the nation during the civil war claims nearly \$2,000,000 from the government, being \$400,000 deposited in the treasury by her grandnephew, with accumulated interest.

**RUSH OF TEMPLARS.**

Knights Throng City of Louisville for Triennial Conclave.

Streets Filled with Strangers.

Day Made Interesting by Receptions and Marching Delegations—Fully 50,000 Visitors Already on the Scene.

Louisville, Ky., Aug. 27.—The rush of visitors to the triennial convocation of Knights Templars in this city began in earnest Monday, and by eight o'clock the streets were thronged with hundreds of the invaders, who were generally behind their schedules. The streets were filled with marching detachments and the air fairly trembled with music of numberless brass bands which escorted the various commanderies to their headquarters.

Scarcely a building was without its streamers or a gorgeous dress of hunting. Even shop windows were trimmed in masonic emblems and street facias, not to be outdone, painted Maltese crosses on the toy balloons which they hawked about. At headquarters the opinion was expressed that the convolve, which began Tuesday, will prove the most notable ever held.

**PROFUSE DECORATIONS.**

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## BOERS NOT TO YIELD

Burgher Leaders Write Kitchener Concerning Proclamation.

SAY THE FIGHTING WILL CONTINUE.

British Officers and Men Captured Near Lydenburg—American Consul Gives His View on the Situation.

London, Aug. 27.—A dispatch from Lord Kitchener, dated from Pretoria, Monday, says:

"Three officers and 61 men who were sent north on the Orange River Colony were captured on the right of Elliot's column, were surrounded on unfavorable ground and surrendered on the 24th inst. The superior force August 22 was to the same effect.

"The Boers have received a long letter from Kitchener containing an argumentative statement of the Boer case, and saying he will meet it to the same effect.

"The Boers acknowledge the receipt of my proclamation and protesting indignantly, and stating that the Boers intend to go on fighting. On the other hand the Boers have increased considerably.

**Killed and Surrendered.**

London, Aug. 27.—Another dispatch from Lord Kitchener says:

"Since August 19 22 Boers have been killed, 130 have been prisoners and 136 have surrendered, including Kruger, a nephew of the ex-president."

**Consul Speaks.**

London, Aug. 27.—American Consul Stone, who has arrived here from Cape Town, said in an interview:

"I find myself marooned in London. Apparently the British will not be able to take me to any other place. I am anxious to get home, where I can do away with official cars and talk at a private office. You know more in London about the military operations of South Africa than I do. It is possible for anyone to know that at Cape Town."

"While I have resigned from the consular service, my resignation does not take effect until I reach Washington, hence it is impossible for me to do anything. You can learn much more from returning officers than I can. I have learned from reports coming from the Cape."

"The South African problem is undoubtedly difficult to solve. The topography of the country and the mobility of the Boers when the English columns are unable to pursue individually, render operations most difficult. The British are feeding many prisoners and providing for thousands of Boer families, all of which is very costly on the part of England. But in the meanwhile, the war drags on. There is a great future for South Africa which is secure. The Boer cause is a mineral wealth is scarcely scratched. Doubtless England will be required to solve the problem of reunification, but when that will occur certainly no person at the Cape is able to say."

**Wrecked by Broken Axle.**

Topeka, Kan., Aug. 27.—A west-bound Santa Fe extra freight was wrecked by a broken axle at Cedar Point, midway between Emporia and Newton, at an early hour Monday morning. Eight cars were derailed and the train blocked. Brakeman L. E. Ziegler, of Emporia, was caught under the wreckage and killed.

**Swept by Flames.**

Memphis, Tenn., Aug. 27.—Tiptonville, the county seat of Lake county, has been almost entirely destroyed by fire for the second time this year. Nearly the entire town of Tiptonville was destroyed by fire on March 19, and all the buildings burned were new ones erected in the burned district and were all frame buildings.

**Gives Up Attempt.**

Lorain, O., Aug. 27.—J. C. Williams, agent of the Amalgamated association, has given up the attempt to organize a lodge among the local steel workers and is now directing his attention to procuring financial aid for the strikers. He says he has put the question to convince the men here at the present time.

**Storm Does Damage.**

Marion, Ill., Aug. 27.—During a severe storm, the city of Marion was struck by lightning and did much damage to the M. E. church. Fruit and corn crops in the city are greatly damaged, the latter being blown down and covered with mud. Streams overflowed and much damage is reported elsewhere.

**To Be Inaugured.**

Washington, Aug. 27.—The torpedo boat Wilkes will be launched at the yard of the Gas Engine & Power company at Morris Heights, N. Y., September 22. Miss Elizabeth Wilkes, daughter of Rear Admiral Wilkes, after whom the craft is named, will christen her.

**Poisoned in Precipitous Injar.**

Buassy, Aug. 27.—Mr. G. G. Godfrey, a farmer aged 60 years, died Sunday from the effect of carbolic acid poisoning. While under the influence of liquor he had broken into a neighbor's pocket and the liquid became mixed with the liquor.

**Arrives at Colon.**

Washington, Aug. 27.—The navy department has been advised that the gunboat Machias had arrived at Colon, where she was ordered in view of the threatened injury to the canal, owing to the revolutionary outbreak there that port.

**Home Again.**

San Francisco, Aug. 27.—Among the passengers arriving here from Hong-Kong Muen from the Orient was Rear Admiral L. A. Beardslee, United States navy, retired. He was absent the past year in Japan and the Philippine islands.

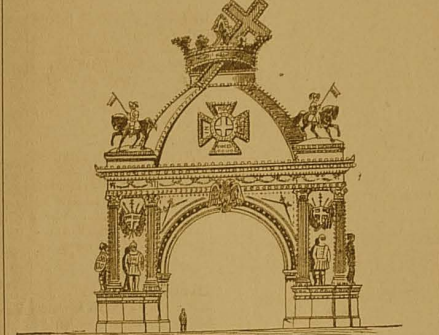
**Shot His Wife.**

Dallas, Tex., Aug. 27.—Owen Bradley, a farmer at Dallas, shot his wife because she mistook his wife for a burglar and shot her to death.

**William Wilkes' Death.**

St. Paul, Aug. 27.—William Wilkes, U. S. Navy, who was killed at the battle of Manila, died at his home in this city Monday.

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**Making Butter on the Farm—Care of the Cream.**

The greater portion of North-east Minnesota is not represented by creameries at present, and until the time comes when conditions will warrant their establishment in each locality, the making of butter on the farm will be an important industry. As the margin of profit in a sale of butter is small, a few cents more on the selling prices means much to the farmer. First-class butter commands better prices than poor butter, when once customers are found who know they can depend on a good article. In many cases the farmer can deal directly with the consumer, and in any case, a reputation for producing good butter once established, is easily maintained, and will usually add several cents to the price received. The reason that creamery butter brings uniformly better prices than dairy butter, is that the product of the creameries can be depended upon as uniformly good, while that of the farmer cannot. Home-made butter can be and often is as good, but not always, and this uncertainty lowers the general price. Hence the importance of establishing an individual reputation for a good grade of butter. Good butter is not the result of chance, but of method. Cleanliness is the first consideration. If the barn cannot be kept free from vile odors, the milk should at least be removed from it as soon as possible, and strained. In a herd of ten or more cows, a cream separator if one can afford the original cost, which will be rather high, is a great advantage. The cream is at once removed from the milk, which is warm and sweet to feed the calves. There is almost no loss of cream in the skim milk by this method, and the cream will keep sweet longer. Where the cream is raised in cans, the cooler the milk can be kept, the more rapid and complete will be the separation of the cream. In the summer, deep cans that may be set into a tank of water will be found the most generally useful method. The tank should be as large as may be possible, so that the milk of cooling water may be many times greater than that of the milk to be cooled. Patent double cans to be stuffed with cracked ice, ingenious devices for watering milk and other short cuts for raising cream, may usually be condemned without trial. If the cream is kept cool and in a place free from odors, especially if it is obtained from the fresh milk by a separator, five to seven days may elapse between churning. The warm cream from the separator should be added to the rest until it has been cooled to the same temperature. If the cream has been kept perfectly sweet, it should be soured sufficiently before cleansing to impart an acid or nutty flavor. This improves the flavor of the butter and renders the separation of the butter fat more complete, lessening the time of churning. To sour the cream, it should be heated to a temperature of 70 deg., for 24 hours. It may sometimes be necessary, in cool weather to add a small quantity of sour milk at the time of heating. This starter should be from milk freshly soured and free from bad odors.

**HEBRAN H. CHAPMAN.**

**Not Encouraged G. A. E. Cleveland, O.**

Sept. 10th to 14th, 1901.

For the above occasion we will sell tickets to Cleveland, Ohio and return as follows. Rate \$14.82 for the round trip. Rates Sale, Sept. 7, 8, and 9.

Limited, leaves Cleveland not later than Sept. 16.

Extension Limits for including Oct 8 may be had by attaching ticket and fee fifty cents will give good, Cleveland not later than Sept. 16, 1901.

**G. H. WARR, Act.**

Special Agent in Charge.

**LEGAL NOTICES.**

**Notice to Repair Sewer.**

**STATE OF MINNESOTA,**

**County of Pine.**

**Village of Pine City.**

To All Whom These Presents Shall Come, I, the undersigned, do hereby give notice that the sewer in the block of lots 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15, 16, 17, 18, 19, 20, 21, 22, 23, 24, 25, 26, 27, 28, 29, 30, 31, 32, 33, 34, 35, 36, 37, 38, 39, 40, 41, 42, 43, 44, 45, 46, 47, 48, 49, 50, 51, 52, 53, 54, 55, 56, 57, 58, 59, 60, 61, 62, 63, 64, 65, 66, 67, 68, 69, 70, 71, 72, 73, 74, 75, 76, 77, 78, 79, 80, 81, 82, 83, 84, 85, 86, 87, 88, 89, 90, 91, 92, 93, 94, 95, 96, 97, 98, 99, 100, 101, 102, 103, 104, 105, 106, 107, 108, 109, 110, 111, 112, 113, 114, 115, 116, 117, 118, 119, 120, 121, 122, 123, 124, 125, 126, 127, 128, 129, 130, 131, 132, 133, 134, 135, 136, 137, 138, 139, 140, 141, 142, 143, 144, 145, 146, 147, 148, 149, 150, 151, 152, 153, 154, 155, 156, 157, 158, 159, 160, 161, 162, 163, 164, 165, 166, 167, 168, 169, 170, 171, 172, 173, 174, 175, 176, 177, 178, 179, 180, 181, 182, 183, 184, 185, 186, 187, 188, 189, 190, 191, 192, 193, 194, 195, 196, 197, 198, 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News of the Week.

Chips Picked up Around Town and Vicinity.

NOTICE.

Hereafter all matter for publication and copy for advertisements must reach this office by Thursday morning.

The merry go-round departed for Duluth on Wednesday. An army of satisfied customers, resoundingly commended Golden Link flour.

We pay spot cash for all the wheat, corn, oats and all kinds of grain we can get.

Pine City Mill & El. Co.

Mrs. Mary Boyle, of St. Paul, is visiting with her sister, Mrs. Wm. Conroy.

Have you seen that show-case in the Drug Store, your pick for 10c. Lots of 15 and 25 cent articles in it that are Bargains.

Sewing Machine needles for all kinds and makes of sewing machines at Smith's, The Hardware Man.

Mrs. Myrtle Baletine, of Minneapolis, who has been visiting with relatives and friends at this place, returned to Branswick yesterday.

Buy your Trunks and Traveling Bags at the Big Store.

Buy your Drugs and Medicines at the Big Store.

Mrs. Geo. Sherwood and children are visiting relatives and friends in Ellsworth, Wis.

Sheriff Smith, of Washington Co., spent Tuesday and Wednesday in this village on business connected with his office.

Mrs. Geo. Russell, of Duluth, who has been visiting her sister, Mrs. A. Rice, for the past week, returned to her home on Monday.

The Woman's Reading Club of Pine City, will meet with Mrs. G. J. Allen on Wednesday evening, Sept. 14th, "Presidents Day."

Next week is the State Fair at Hamper, most of our citizens will take advantage of the cheap rates on the N. P. R. R. and visit the Twin Cities during next week.

Smoke Sapharosa ice, cigar.

Will Poole, our popular photographer, is a happy boy as his parents and sister arrived the first of last week and are keeping house in the Kowalek house recently occupied by Supt. Blankenship.

SUSAN SHERMER, SWEET.

W. Edgar Proctor, a buyer for one of the large shoe houses of Duluth, took in the picnic at Paldoga lake last Sunday. Mr. Proctor is a great friend of Fred Brooks, an old Pine City boy.

Fresh car of Barrel Salt at the Big Store.

A fine 120 acre improved farm near Strong Lake in Sec. 25-45-11, 27 acres cleared, black soil, house, rail barn, fine location, write Louis Erickson, Arnold Minn. 13

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Florence Hanson, who has been visiting with her aunt, Mrs. A. G. Burger, in this place, returned to her home in Minneapolis on Thursday, she was accompanied by her cousin, Frank Dickson, who will take in the State Fair next week.

For farmers who have not got a granary. We will store grain, three months free of charge.

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Furniture, Carpets and Rugs at the Big Store.

Remember that E. L. Irving, the dentist, of St. Paul, will be at the Pioneer House, Sept. 7, 8 and 9, when those having work in his line should see him. The doctor comes here regularly once a month at least and those wishing work done can be assured that it will be satisfactory.

The wholesale boot and shoe man of St. Paul and Minneapolis, held their annual picnic at Bergman's, commencing Sunday and closing on Tuesday. The Boot and Shoe men certainly know how to have a picnic and enjoy themselves. They are all in love with Lake Park and think Mr. Bergman is the right man in the right place.

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Dentist, will be at Pioneer House, Sept. 7, 8 and 9. Give admittance for the extraction of teeth.

One of the best assortment of cigars can be found at Woodchips.

Now as you choose to get hairpins at the Pioneer Clothing Co. for all of our spring and summer goods must move before we receive one Full Run. We cannot our elegant selections of Fall goods about Sept. 1st, 1901. Remember we are one price to all and all goods marked in plain figures.

10 and 12c packages only at the Big Store.

All our ladies shirt waists at half price at the Big Store.

Beautiful line of Fall Clothing for boys and men at the Big Store.

The place to buy your Shoes is at the Big Store.

We are sorry to take that Mrs. Poole, Mother of Photographer Poole, is quite ill.

Smoke Sapharosa ice, cigar.

Mrs. Agnes Chappelle, of Hurler, was a visitor at the Pioneer office yesterday morning. She is in town in that she has secured the Hurler school.

Go head of Barn Wires just received at Smith's.

Business, remember! we want your best work, and will guarantee the Best four and a satisfactory deal.

Pine City Mill & Elev. Co.

Remember that Cargrove's orchestra will be at Bath's ball on Sept. 16, when they will give a first class concert and dance. The Cargrove company are the best featured the finest entertainments of any town that visited this place. Do not fail to hear them this time. Get your dancing places ready for the concert and dance to be given by Cargrove orchestra on the 16th of September.

Smoke Sapharosa ice, cigar.

Vice President Dreyer will deliver an address on the State Fair Grounds at Hamper, Minn., at eleven o'clock in on Monday, Sept. 2nd. The Northern Pacific will sell tickets at specially reduced rates. See the State Fair and hear "Tudor" this year. For particulars call on G. H. Winter.

Only the best and most fruit trees for your ice cream sodas, healthy and cooling this warm weather. You know the place, the Drug Store.

Sold! Sold! will be received by Henry Stahl, Clerk of School, at 11:30 A. M., for the school property at the Greely school. The school building is 20 feet from the surface of the ground and situated on the balance of the way it can be broken the building will be for the school property. All bids will be opened two weeks from tomorrow. The right is reserved to reject any and all bids. For further information, inquire in the farm of Henry Stahl, one mile west of the Greely school.

James Younger, travelling salesman for N. P. Railroad, has returned and gray-haired man, of St. Paul, was in our village this part of this week. Mr. Younger says that he is meeting with great success as a salesman, and that he is here for the first time in many years of the work, and the younger boys that it will be interesting to see him. Mr. Younger says he will be here to go and come as long as they can, and that they can be sure of it. He will and his agents here. When he is here he will be the Pioneer's very pleasant call.

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A telegram stating that John Lambert, who is a large part of Duluth, residing in Duluth, was very much worried, being notified to his bed with head aches, and was very much surprised. He had just received a letter from his son, who is attending school in Duluth, and he said "Daddy" was getting along nicely and would be home to come home in two weeks, and the report that he was worse, could hardly be credited. Mr. Lambert, of Duluth, passed through here on Wednesday afternoon to accompany Robt. home.

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**Pet Animals.**

It has sometimes been argued that the keeping of pet animals is one way to develop the humane instincts of people in general. Like other practices, however, this one is good only when it is not abused, as it frequently is. When one considers the number of miserable little beasts yearly trapped, captured and bred in cages for the amusement of mankind, it seems as if some better method of amusement might be devised.

Of course, there are people who make friends and companions of their pets, and although nobody can be absolutely certain about animal psychology, it may be that the dog, horse or bird derive an amount of pleasure from contact with the superior mind which more than repays the loss of freedom. In the case of a highly bred dog or a saddle-horse, it is almost certain that this is so. But these are in the minority when the whole number of domesticated animals is considered.

In the first place, it is certainly cruelty to take a wild creature out of its natural environment and place it in a cage where it can have little exercise, no natural companionship, and often no suitable food. It is certainly possible for people living in a country town or small village to tame squirrels, birds and other wild things without in the least interfering with their freedom, if they choose to use a little patience. Most wild animals will come where they are not afraid of being hurt. The red squirrel can be coaxed to come from his hole and eat corn from the hand of a human being, and birds of all kinds are easily tamed in the same way. One who has once enjoyed the delight of winning the confidence of the wood-fowl will never again wish to keep any of them in a cage.

The animal which is bred for the purpose of domestication, like the lap-dog, the Persian cat, the white mouse, or the canary, is usually inferior in intelligence to the wild animal, for the very good reason that it does not need as much brains to be fed, petted and put to sleep as to get one's living in the midst of a throng of enemies. There are two ways, however, in which the keeping of these animals can be made really beneficial to children and adults; one is by making companions of them, developing all the intelligence they have, and the other is by choosing pets of a sort whose intelligence is already considerable. Children should be encouraged to be kind to their pets and to make friends with them, and this cannot be done unless there is intelligence on the other side. If the comfort and well-being of the animal is general works in that way, but candor will compel most people to admit that nothing of the kind is usually done.

The following letter explains itself.  
LAKE CITY, MINN., July 18, 1901.  
Mrs. Kate G. Marsh,

Dear Madam:—  
The members of the State Fair Committee are again asking for the assistance of the Club members throughout the State. Through you we hope to reach every one and to induce all to attend the meetings, if possible. Also to impress upon the mind of each member that she should use all her power to influence all women that come to the Fair, to visit the Federation Headquarters. The last season's work was very successful. The attendance was more than doubled, and the interest manifested greatly exceeded the aspirations of the Committee, and serve as an incentive for enthusiastic work for the coming Fair, next September.

It is our aim to make the Headquarters a center for Federation Committee meetings. Making it pleasant for non-members also, we know it will be the means of increasing the number of Clubs. It will be a glorious opportunity for the exchange of ideas and information. Urge upon all the fact that the building is large and roomy, and altogether, a lovely place to visit. There are plenty of chairs to sit in, the rooms are cool and well ventilated. Each afternoon there will be a short literary program, interspersed with music. In the afternoon, there will be a musical program, varied with select readings. The very best talent of the State is called upon for these programs, and each one will be worth the admission fee to the grounds.

We appreciate the efforts made by your Club last year, and we hope

for the assurance that you will do all in your power to advertise the object of the Headquarters in your local papers.

If you have any suggestions to offer, the Committee will be greatly pleased to entertain the same.

Cordially yours,  
Anna B. Underwood, Lake City, Minn., Mrs. W. M. Liggitt, St. Anthony Park, Minn., Mrs. Thomas Montgomery, Hamline, Minn., Com. Mites.

**(ADDITIONAL LOCAL)**

Sunday is the anniversary of the great Hinkley fire, Sept. 1st, 1894. Senator Moses E. Clapp will deliver a memorial address. Quite a number from this place will go up to attend the services.

If the party that put the five pieces of candy on Ed Madden's gate just last Tuesday evening wants to make a good fellow of himself, he will have that many pounds next time.

The latter part of last week Mrs. G. J. Albrecht received word from Minneapolis to come at once as her sister Miss Jessie Westcott was quite low with typhoid fever. Mrs. Albrecht went at once, returning on Sunday. Tuesday morning she received word that her sister Alice, who lives at Rock Creek was also down with the fever.

Dieu—Thursday at 11 o'clock a m. of blood poisoning, Mrs. Matt. Erhart, Mrs. Erhart stepped on a nail about three weeks ago. Every thing known to science was done for her, but death came to her relief at the above mentioned time. Particulars next week.

Schuyler Kilgour has commenced the erection of an addition to his residence at the foot of Cross lake, the foundation is completed and the carpenters are at work on the wood work.

Mrs. Fred A. Hodge and Mrs. J. Y. Breckenridge, departed on the morning train Thursday for the Pan-American Exposition, via the Great Lakes. They will visit other cities in the east on the return trip.

**STATE FAIR OF 1901**

This Year's Fair to be a Record Breaker. Vice-President Roosevelt Will Open It.

A Livestock Show of Gigantic Proportion—Beautiful New Agricultural Building.

It seemed as if the Minnesota State Fair of 1900 would be "hard to beat" but the plans for the 1901 fair quite set the plans for the 1900 fair.

Not content with last year's cattle show—the largest yet held in the world—the fair managers have secured for this year the national exhibitions of both the American Short-Horn Breeders' Association and the American Hereford Breeders' Association. These are the two great cattle breeding organizations of the world and they will each aim to have the finest display of their kind. They will offer large premiums which will be supplemented by offers of the fair association. Auction sales of prize animals will be an attractive feature of these exhibits.

Naturally the other classes of stock will be much in evidence as none of the breeders will like to be left entirely out of sight. President Cooper assures us that the stock display will excel that of Chicago last winter. This will make it still the greatest live stock show in the world.

Vice President Roosevelt will open the fair on Monday, Sept. 11, making an address from the grand stand and afterwards attending a luncheon and reception.

Premiums have been increased and a total of \$10,000 in prizes is offered for distribution during fair week. Much of this money will go to agricultural exhibits. The new Agricultural Hall for which the legislature appropriated \$25,000 last winter, will be occupied and will give the displays of fruit and agricultural products ample space for the first time in years. This building is a beautiful one and will be worth seeing in itself.

Each evening during fair week there will be a variety of entertainment and a program of amusements ending with a magnificent spectacular pyrotechnic drama put on by the Prins of Chicago. The afternoon races will also be supplemented by specialities of the highest class.

Also here the fair management is keeping up its reputation for making the best fair in the world.

Half-fare railroad rates have been secured from all points within 200 miles of Minneapolis and St. Paul for the week of Sept. 2 to 7.

Jennie—To have a round beautiful neck, wiggle your head from side to side every night take Rocky Mountain Tea. It's short cut to a graceful form. J. Y. Breckenridge.

Beaming, sunburned, letter, chafing, itchy, poisonous and all skin troubles are quickly cured by DeWitt's Witch Hazel Salve. The certain cure. J. Y. Breckenridge.

A surgical operation is not necessary to cure piles. DeWitt's Witch Hazel Salve saves all that, expense and no more fails. Beware of counterfeits. J. Y. Breckenridge.

Go to Madden's for barrel salt, rock salt and dairy salt. Imitators have been many. Thoughtful people have learned to get their salt only with the genuine Rocky Mountain Tea made by Madison Medicine Co. 35c. J. Y. Breckenridge.

The Golden Link flour is the best on earth, for sale only at Madden's. Mr. James Brown, of Southmouth, Va., over 30 years of age, suffered for years with a bad sore on his face. Dr. Physicians could not help him. DeWitt's Witch Hazel Salve cured him permanently. J. Y. Breckenridge.

The greatest breakfast food on earth—Wheat Grits, at Madden's. The bilious, tired, nervous man cannot successfully compete with this healthy rival. DeWitt's Little Early Biscuits, the famous pills for constipation, will remove the cause of your troubles. J. Y. Breckenridge.

If you don't think our flour is best try it, we guarantee it and our guarantee is good. Pine City Mill & Elevator Co.

List of Letters, Remaining uncalled for in the post office at Pine City, Minn., for week ending Aug. 24, 1901.  
Ladies List.  
Miss Ella A. Lovell, Mrs. Kate G. Leonard, Gentleman's List, Mrs. John Sjoberg.  
Persons calling for the above, will please say "Advertised" and give the date of this list.  
J. Y. BRECKENRIDGE, Postmaster.

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A Railroad Ticket Reading via Wisconsin Central Ry. will carry you on convenient trains from St. Paul and Minneapolis daily for Manitowish, Milwaukee and Chicago, where connections are made for the east and south. Nearest ticket agent can give you complete information.  
Jas. C. Posh, G. P. A., Milwaukee, Wis.

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PINE CITY, MINN.

I have opened up a gallery for the taking of Photos in the gallery recently occupied by Will D. Rowe, and am prepared to do all work in the Photo line. Baby pictures a specialty. All enlarging done right here at home, no pictures sent out of town to be enlarged. All work guaranteed to be the best that can be produced.  
W. E. Poole.

**MINNESOTA STATE FAIR.**

Theodore Roosevelt, Vice President of the U. S., will be present opening day. Special Rates via the N. P. Ry. The Fair will be held at Hamline, Minn., week of Sept. 2nd. FOLLOWING ARE SOME OF THE ATTRACTIONS.

Theodore Roosevelt, Vice President of the United States will be present on Monday morning and deliver an address, followed by a reception and military demonstration.

Both the American Hereford Breeders Association, and American Short-horn Breeders Association will hold their next National Exhibition and Sale.

The Live Stock exhibit will be particularly good and instructive.

New Agricultural Hall large and attractive, Horse races, afternoon and evening, for which \$18,000 in purses has been offered. Hippodrom races band concerts, Spiral globe exhibition, aerialistic exhibitions, balloon ascensions. Racing, special amusements features, martial music and Pain's spectacular exhibition, "Last days of Pompeii" in the evening.

The North Pacific Railroad will sell round trip tickets, To The MINNESOTA STATE FAIR, At one fare plus 50 cents which includes admission to the Fair. Call on any N. P. agt. for information. Chas. S. Fee, G. P. T. O.

Presbyterian Church. Rev. George Clements Edson, of Princeton Theological Seminary, will hold services next Sunday at 11 o'clock, Sunday school at 10. All are cordially invited.  
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