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WEST LEAVES: No. 39, 12:50 P. M.; No. 1, 8:55 P. M.  
Eastbound trains on Central Time, and westbound trains on Mountain Time. Freight trains do not carry passengers.  
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**CATHOLIC**—Divine services will be held as follows:  
October... 10 November... 7 December... 25  
November... 1 December... 5  
THOS. CULLEN, Pastor.

**A. O. U. W.**—McCook Lodge No. 61, will meet the first and third Mondays of each month in the Masonic Hall. Visiting brethren cordially invited.  
Dr. B. B. DAVIS, M. W.  
W. H. DAVIS, Recorder.

**McCOOK LEGION NO. 7, SELECT KNIGHTS, A. O. U. W.**—Meets every second and fourth Tuesday evenings of each month in Masonic Hall. All visiting comrades cordially invited to assemble with us.  
S. D. HUNT, Commander.  
A. H. DAVIS, Recorder.

**McCOOK LODGE A. F. & A. M.**—Regular meetings on the first and third Thursdays of each month, at 7 o'clock, in Masonic Hall. Visiting brethren cordially invited.  
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W. S. WEBSTER, Secretary.

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**CONSTANTINE COMMANDERY, U. D.**—Meets every second and fourth Thursday nights in each month. Visiting Sir Knights cordially invited.  
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**B. OF L. E.**—Brotherhood of Locomotive Engineers. Meet first and fourth Saturdays of each month.  
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ROSCOE CONKLING has pertinently characterized the result of democratic effort as "snivel service reform."

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GENERAL KAULBARS still remains in Bulgaria inciting opposition to the government and fomenting insurrection. General Kaulbars' programme is somewhat similar to that of Baron Mentehikoff at Constantinople in 1853 when he tried to bully the sultan into conceding the czar's claims and succeeded in drawing on the war for which Russia was thirsting.—Omaha Bee.

WHILE Geronimo is a captive, members of his family are still in the field and are keeping the ball rolling more or less rapidly in the hair lifting and mule stealing line. Mangus, Geronimo's half brother, and a dozen other Apaches have just been chased out of Mexico. They are now supposed to be looking for a few unprotected white settlers in Arizona or New Mexico. Mangus is a very wicked and very tricky Indian, but his capture should not be entrusted to Gen. Miles until that distinguished soldier has learned exactly what is meant by an unconditional surrender.—Topics.

A GERMAN political journal publishes a curious portrait of Prince Bismark. "Bismark," says the writer, "was an enigma when a child, and he is an enigma still. He never knows one day what he will do the next day, and for past years he has simply taken advantage of present circumstances in directing affairs in Europe. The great source of his strength is the facility with which he changes his opinions, abandons his friends, coddles his enemies and profits by the malice of one, the hatred of another, the pride of a third, while he makes fools of them all. His conscience knows no scruple and he professes an equally passionate fondness for the Bible and the latest bad French novel."

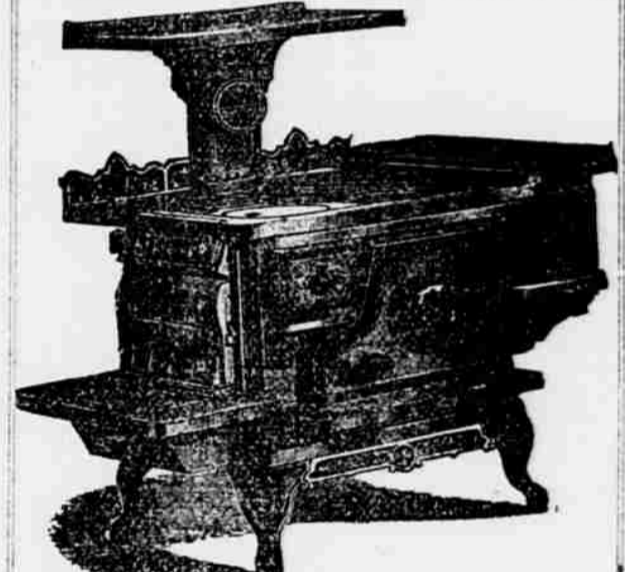
THE report comes that Secretary Endicott is anxious to hand in his resignation as Secretary of War, the reason assigned being his disgust with the interminable jealousies and wire pullings in the service and the quarrels and backbitings among officers of high rank. There is doubtless much truth in the complaints of the secretary. In these piping times of peace promotion is slow and rivalry runs riot. Washington, however, is the worst place to observe the operation of the army. The "soft service brigade" with which Mr. Endicott is thrown most in contact exaggerates all the faults and shows fewer of the virtues of the army officers than in any other station in the country.—Bee.

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