#### AMERICAN. THE

#### OUTRAGEOUS ARREST.

(Continued from First Page.) Peace. The charge is disturbing the peace.

We want the friends throughout the we are having considerable trouble in getting THE AMERICAN into the hands of the American element of this town, owing to the cowardly attitude of some business men, and the over-zealous action of the papists on and off the police force.

It is here where you see the fine works systematically to retard and break down the spirit of Americanism and we are wondering how long the 40,000 A. P. As. and their sympathizerare going to stand the treatment they have been receiving at the hands of their Rome ruled police for years and more especially during the last six months.

How long are they going to stand idle and quietly by, while the millionaire business men of this city use such mean, cowardly, despicable means to drive from the street corners, newsboys selling A. P. A. papers? It seems to us from the way the business men act. they they are not afraid of losing the A. P. A. trade. They should not think A. P. A's money is as good as that of the pope's own.

It is understood that this case against as his friends intend to push the case and make the Roman element show their hand. Besides it has had the effect of solidifying the elements that are opposed to the damnable methods of Rome.

The A. P. A.! Long live the A.P.A.

# THE PLATFORM

#### Of the Independent American Citizens Party of Chicago and Cook County, Illinois.

We believe the time has come when all who love our nation and its institutions and are true to its flag, in order to be faithful to their obligations as of power which openly avows its purcitizens, must take concerted action as pose to be the overthrow of our libera free and independent voting phalanx ties, and hence have ceased to be vir- the vatican and the quirinal. in the arena of politics, with a view to meet and defeat at the ballot box those who, by the aid of partisan combinations, have corrupted our municipal. state and national governments.

We believe that a crisis is upon us for the aggrandizement of un-American power in whose interests legislation has institutions and to compel the recogni- taken place, to the neglect and damage tion of the right of a foreign power to of the true citizen. dictate our municipal, state and national politics.

Our flag, too, is dishonored at home tacked, our legislative bodies are cor

subsist are no longer known quantities from generation to generation is being turned into an engine for their destruc-Nor is the condition less alarming when

these men are backed by the criminal, work of Rome. It is here where she vicious and illiterate elements of soclety, mostly under foreign influence, ciently strong to demand and receive for its passage. recognition.

HOODWINKED BY BAD PROMISES. We believe that honest citizens, men

people, have been grossly deceived and hoodwinked from time to time by cunnuningly designed platforms and fair forgotten when they were no longer

needed as a vote-catching bait. We believe that the time has come when, in justice to ourselves as true because the Irish Roman Catholics in and independent American citizens and this country hold all the political jobs out of regard to the fathers of our inthat nobody has money but them. An stitutions and with respect to the graves of the heroes who laid down their lives to protect them and preserve

us a nation and an unsullied flag, we Mr. Tracey will be beneficial in the end should arise in our might as one man, and rebuke and punish the political democratic and republican parties for

> that the parties which they have corrupted and demoralized should be reletuous and moral channels through which

medizeval ages, supported by the im- ministrations and leaders who have beperialism of dishonestly acquired trayed the sacred trusts bestowed upon ness of the pope, wealth, has gained control of our politi- them, and who have catered to a dancal machinery and that it is being used gerous and unconstitutional controlling

EITHER PROTEST OR BECOME CRIMINAL

We believe that to longer suffer without organized protest political sycopand abroad and our institutions are at hants to reward themselves for their treason to our institutions by the dishonest spoils of office would be to entimidated and used to clear the guilty danger our self-respect and destroy our American manhood. Our knowledge of partisan machine political maladministration compels us to either opdermined and might, not right, has be- pose and stand on guard or become partakers with the political criminals whose business is treason against the people's rights and liberties. We believe the present to be the right time and Cook county the right place in which to raise a standard representing faith in American institutions, purity in municipal, state and national government and protection to the magna charta of American inde-We believe the time has come when pendence among the people, that they in order to meet the danger that may gather about American principles threatens our institutions America and help to bring success to honest issues by exercising their voting franchises for the election of honest representative men, whose love of country is greater than their partisanship, men who are pledged to stand by our instlinvolve, such men as would rat er sufan awakening abroad among honest pense of liberty and by conniving at birth or honest adoption and whose franchise can neither be bought nor sold, representatives who will represent the American people and not a foreign prince. We believe no standard will be more acceptable to the great mass of true American citizens who have in response to the call of patriotism thrown off par-American citizen's party.

Then Elihu Root came to the rescue her way home. Nine years ago she be- City (Kan) diocese of the Roman Cathamong party leaders. This, the very and moved that the vote on the Cassidy came a nun at the Maysville convent olie church, has refused to sanction the foundation of American liberty, is dis- amendment be re-considered, and in and for two years has been trying to plan proposed by Rev. Kusel, of St. appearing and the great governmental support of Root came the most brilliant escape. A young lady pupil from Mary's parish in Kansas City, Kan., to machine destined by the patriot fathers and fearless man in the convention, and Georgetown supplied her with secular abolish all the parochial schools in that as a means by which our free and hu- the acknowledged leader of the New clothing, and yesterday the nundonned city and send the Roman Catholic childcountry to know and understand that mane institutions should be perpetuated York bar, the man who at the St. Pat- this apparel and further disguising her ren to the public schools. rick Society banquet in 1892, roasted self with false curls escaped from the the red-necks in the most delightfully convent. Her brother was waiting with tion and final overthrow under the con- sarcastic speech that was ever de- a carriage. They hurriedly drove to For Congressman Linton's Speech on the trol of unprincipled men whose ambi- livered under like circumstances! the depot, just catching a Chesapeake tion is greater than their patriotism. Joseph H. Choate, president of the and Ohio train. The Roman Catholic convention. Upon the vote that fol- authorities as usual claim no restraint we take into consideration the fact that lowed we won by three votes, and then was placed on her, and that the means gan, has suddenly achieved fame as an the amendment as originally drawn, adopted by her in leaving were quite author. He has only produced one which is pure A. P. A. doctrine, passed unnecessary.

to third reading. The final vote will which form a voting contingent suffi- be taken on Tuesday next and I look

The Society for the Preservation of American Institutions have had that matter in charge at Albany, and too who desire to perpetuate a government much credit cannot be allotted to them of the people, by the people and for the for the manner in which they have done their work.

Agitate your people in those western states who have no provision of this promises made by party leaders and nature in their constitutions. This is manipulators, which platforms and the goal we all ought to be after, promises have alike been ignored and namely-no appropriations for sectarian purposes.

Take off your hat to New York!!! Yours in F. P. and P. AMERICUS.

CRISPI AND LEO FRIENDLY.

**Reconciliation Between Vatican and Oui**rinal Nearing Completion.

LONDON, Sept. 11 .- Under the caption of "Pons Pontificis," the Pall Mall Gazette prints an article with the object meets uext week, to the effect that Ar of showing that Premier Crispi is rap- nold's chief opponent is a member of casting off the chains of partisanship, idly approaching a reconciliation be- the order, his name appearing on the tween the king and the pope. Last list, and this, it is expected, will influwire-pullers, the treacherous ring Thursday, the article says, Signor ence the Roman Catholic delegates bosses and professional boodlers who Crispi's private secretary had a long Terre Haute is considerably stirred up run the partisan machines of both the interview with Cardinal Rampolla, the tonight over the making public of the former being the first Italian official list. their criminal dishonesty, in the con- who has visited the vatican since 1870. ducting of public affairs. And, further, The visit, the Gazette says, began a series of negotiations, the results of which are shown in the pope's prompt gated back into that oblivion from establishment of an apostolic prefecture which they have sprung at the people's in Massowah, immediately following command. They have become the tools which King Humbert gave his assent of a foreign and un-American balance to the office of patriarch of Venice, concerning which appointment there has been a prolonged disagreement between

The most significant incident of all, however, is the act of Signor Crispi the true citizen can exercise his fran-however, is the act of Signor Crispi Protestant," has lectured here at the chise without the moral taint of treason. going out of his way in his speech at opera house with a great deal of success. Furthermore, they have become instru-Naples yesterday to compliment Car-His subject was a most interesting one. "Why did I leave the Romish Priestments by which their respective bosses dinal Sanfelice, the archbishop of have by corrupt means perpetuated Naples, and to summon the church and which threatens the overthrow of popu- their power for official aggrandizement the state to join their forces against new rest in excellent standlar government; that a military ec- and dishonest gain. In them the peo- the common enemy. The presence of fourteen other years a heretic and a clesiasticism such as marked the ple have been blindly led to indorse ad- Cardinal Sanfelice on the platform, says the Gazette, betokened the willing-

# CORRIGAN MAY GO TO ROME. **Reports That Charges Have Been Pre-**

# ferred Reiterated, Despite Denial.

NEW YORK, Sept. 8.-There is reason to believe, despite the obstinate denial one month in Chicago. Indeed he has within the past few months grave charges, accompanied by documentary scarlet beast and they are keeniy feit by the prelates of the Romish corpora-among Episcopalian high churchmen. of an American newspaper on that cor-ner. The above-named firm last week of Dr. Burtsell on the subject, t at struck effectual blows on the head of the charges, accompanied by documentary tion in this country." vidence, have been brought against

# AN UNPRECEDENTED DEMAND

# Indian Appropriation Bill.

WASHINGTON, D C., September 4, 1894,-Congressman Linton, of Michlpublication of note, and that was a congressional speech. But this one speech will secure a wider distribution than any one literary production ever had in Membership of the A. P. A. Lodges in the same length of time. Mr Linton has remained here a week to superin-TERRE HAUTE, Ind., Sept, 9.-An oftend the distribution of his speech. He ficer of the local A, P. A. loage, the goes home today somewhat proud of the secretary and treasurer, who is a memfact that he had more applications for ber of one of the oldest families here, has given away the alleged local mem- copies of his "few remarks" than were bership, furnishing the records to a lawyer, who has had the list copied. The list has about 450 names, including number ordered approximated 5,000, 000 copies. This unprecedented dethose of many well-known residents and mand is due to several causes. In the business men. The A. P. A. official referred to has been at outs recently with first place the speech was on a subject your own ground. Am I not right? upon which congressional orators have the other officers over the funds. The not cared to say a great deal. He opobject of the lawyer in getting the list is to show that the man who is an opponent to the re-election of Grand Secretary Frank W. Arnold, of the fire- churches, the Catholic in particular, this city? Because Protestants do not men, is an A. P. A. The friends of Ar- they have never been attacked because attend to the primaries, pay hardly any nold have sent affidavits to the Harrisburg convention of the firemen, which politics. But. Mr. Linton had no such less of their vote to a great extent. I this congress. Then, too, a Wisconsin votes early and often. postmaster declined to receive 1,000 franked copies for distribution, because they bore the imprint of the typographical union and the imprint of a local printing house. The postmaster was directed to receive them after it was

found that a score of congressmen of

both parties were sending out similarly

paper and two carloads of maniila en-

velopes are now required to fill the or-

ders now in for this phenomenally pop-

ular production. The orders run from

a single thousand wanted by a New

York representative to a full million

subscribed for by one of the New Hamp-

THE RESULT OF RITUALISM.

Convert to Roman Catholicism,

NEW YORK, Sept. 8.- Walter Clayton

The Good Work Goes on.

WORK OF A TRAITOR.

Terre Haute Made Public.

Ex-Priest P. A. Seguin has just returned to Chicago from lecturing on Romanism at Abingdon, Macomb, and Augusta, Illinois, at every place he received a hearty welcome and lectured with immense success. At Macomb and Augusta he organized two W. A. P. A. councils. The Augusta Courier had the following to say of him when in that town:

shire senators, and they will be sent to "P. A. Seguin, editor of "The True States. Thus it will be seen that the patriotic sentiment is not confined to the A. P. nood and its degrading dogmas-Four-A., but that it is universal. It is estiteen years a priest in excellent standmated that at least 10,000,000 will be called for before the campaign opens.

Mr. Seguin is the sixteenth priest out of the forty brought out of Rome by the An Episcopalian Clergyman Recomes well-known and distinguished old Father Confs. Chiniquy of St. Ann, Illinois. Ex-Priest Seguin has already accomplished a most valuable work for God Clapp, until recently a clergy man of the and his adopted country-America-in the past fourteen years. He baptized Protestant Espiscopal church, is a conas many as forty French Romish men vert to Roman Catholicism. He was and women into the Protestant faith in received into the church Friday by

Mr. Seguin reports that every ele Archbishop Corrigan in Rome. The ment is ripe for the cause of American-New York Archbishop has been accused ism. Little Benjamin Franklin Seguin. of insidious and perfidious opposition to son of the ex-priest sang "The Little ST. LOUIS ITEMS.

By F. X. Des Rivieres. No. 6 is a live, wide-awake council. Good morning, Father Phelan; have you read THE AMERICAN?

Father Phelan is trying to do his own people as well as the A. P. A.'s. We notice that he prints this week on the front page the same list of alleged A. P. A.'s he had there last week.

Newsboys who have been selling 100 and 120 copies of the "Western Watchman" a day, now tell us that they are on the "bum." They can sell only 15 to 20 copies of that sheet a day now.

We noticed, the other morning, that the farmers at their wagons along North Broadway, refused to contribute to those professional beggars, the nuns. Wonder if our article in a previous issue has had its effect?

How it does bring the blush of shame to our American faces to see the way a ever received by a congressional orator great many friends have in going to before. Up to date the aggregated buy THE AMERICAN! Please do not assume that timorous way any more, friends. Be men. Come right up like men. Do not hang back. You are on

Why is it that 23 per cent. of St. Louis' population being Irish Roman posed the contract Indian schools and Catholic, hold 85 per cent. of the offices as these contracts are held by various in the gift of the American people of of the fear of running religion with attention to registration and are carefear, and he finds himself as a conse- give Pat credit. He is the greatest and quence the most famous "literator" of best politician in the world and he

Father Phelan is doing good work for the A. P. A.'s A few days ago Friend No. 1 met Friend No. 2 and asked him where he was going. "I am looking for a job," said Friend No. 2. "Well," said Friend No. I, "I saw my name in the "Western Watchman" this morning and I have one of the holy marked copies. Five carloads of white father's followers working for me; you come down and take his place, and Fill send him back to Phelan.'

Council No. 34 used to meet at 922 Manchester Road; but they do not meet there now. The Continental League is pretty strong in that neighborhood. Martin, the druggist, who has the rentalmost every postoffice in the United ing of the hall, and who belongs body and soul to the above organization of red-necks, refused to rent the hall to Council No. 34 on the ground that they are A. P. A.'s. Our friends had no business to rent of Roman Catholics They have secured a new hall elsewhere.

Scruggs, Vandevoort & Barnes, S. W. cor. Locust and Broadway, have shown some more of the St. Louis bu inessmen's intolerance. Is it possible that all St. Louis business men are Roman Catholics, or have proclivities that way? Or did some bigoted Roman Catholic make a kick to Scruggs, Van-Rev. Father Elliott, of the Paulist devoort & Barnes to suppress the sale had a newsboy, who was selling THE AMERICAN, ordered away from their corner. The boy would not go at the command of Police Officer No. 78, but continued to shout the name of the said to the boy: "If the people in that house order you away, you will have to arrested and given a chance to settle it in court." He said the boy's shouting was a nuisance, and that the business effect. Several Americans surrounded the boy after the police went away and said that they were through patronizing Barnes. All A. P. A's please take

rupted, our courts of justice are inand condemn the rightdoers, our senators are made afraid, our representatives are coerced, our constitution uncome the predominating principle of the old political parties while that dangerous trinity foreign to true American citizenship, the arch enemy of freedom and good government-plunder, hypocrisy and sham-hold high carnival with public trusts and divert from constitutional channels an impoverished people's money.

ONLY TRUE AMERICANS WANTED. should be ruled by those who by birth or honest adoption have become citizens and that none but those whose allegiance and devotion to our institutions, constitution and flag are paramount to all other human claims upon them should be trusted on guard.

We recognize the fact that there is citizens born of the spirit of patriotism which demands attention. Protection for American institutions, for the nation's flag and honor and for its educational system has become a living issue during the last few years, and as a consequence a loud and significant call is being made throughout the nation by people who have heretofore affiliated with the various political parties for a purification of political methods, for honest and wise legislation and for the faithful execution of the same when It has become law.

We believe the time has come when the American citizen who is true to the vital principles which underlie our system of government must break away from the political bossism and corruptand municipal seats of government.

We believe that partisan politics is whom they had intimidated and otherundermining our institutions to such an wise won, that upon the question of which only popular government can amendment, they won by three votes. Maysville, Ky., with her brother, on

Good News From the Empire State. NEW YORK, Sept. 7, 1894 .- To the Editor of THE AMERICAN-Dear Sir and Friend: A memorable battle was ing intrigue which control the two old fought last Saturday and Monday in departure from the faith. A man or a parties in national, state and municipal the Constitutional convention at Alpolitics. These parties, which in the bany, a body that meets only once in the Roman Catholic church may Acting Mayor McClellan of that city to beginning of their careers served to a every twenty-five years to revise the certain extent the great mass of the state constitution. The question under gue and yet remain a communicant of American people, because they were consideration was the proposed amend- that church. As is shown in the case controlled by honest and loyal men, ment to prohibit the appropriation of of the saloon keepers it is not morals have today become the dens in which public money for sectarian schools. The congregate the political thieves and Romanists had their plans so well laid, uan Advocate. robbers who infest our national, state that with their own members, and a number of Protestants and a few Jews

the apostolic delegate. The documents Red School House" not only at the varon which the charges are based are jous meetings, but also on the streets, understood to cover a period extending in the cars, at the hotels, in fact everyfrom 1892 till some time after the dec- where, with a telling effect. Mrs. Selaration of deference to the Pope, which guin also sang at the several meetings Archbishop Corrigan read last year in the song "Uncle Sam" creating a favor-St. Patrick's Cathedral. The evidence able and marked impression on her auis alleged to be partly direct and partly diences.

inferential. It is said that much of it has been supplied by the Archbishop's own letters. Nothing positive appears to have been settled in Rome as to the course which will be adopted in dealing with the question of the Archbishop It is highly probable, however, that in October or November next he will have to pay Rome a visit.

### **Creeds Not Morals That Count.**

In our issue of August 4, on "Rome and the liquor dealers" we ventured tutions and the principles which they the prediction that for a long time to come few Roman Catholic bishops would fer defeat than gain victory at the ex- have the courage to follow the example of Bishop Watterson, in ruling saloon treason, men who are Americans by keepers out of office in that church. It is quite evident now that Mgr. Satolli, and even the whole Roman Catholic hierarchy are at the mercy of the liquor dealers, a large majority of whom

are members in good standing in the

Roman Catholic church. When the issue was joined the liquor dealers surprised the bishops by their pugilistic tendencies and Mgr. Satolli made haste day. Mayor Woodward returned this tisan shackles and hoodwinks than that to have it known that he did not mean which bears a name which expresses all he seemed to say. It is evident that by Robert L. Belknap, capitalist and the independence of the American the saloonists have the best of the game voter, and that is the independent thus far and intend to hold their ad-

vantage. This need not surprise any one, since the Roman Catholic church the action of Governor Peck in issuing does not pretend to excommunicate her members on account of any moral delinquency but only for disobedience or woman once admitted to the communion New York Herald, and had interviewed violate every command of the decalobut creeds that count .-- Omaha Christ-

### Escaped From a Convent.

CINCINNATI, Ohio, Sept. 11 .- Sister Josephine, who before she took the vell was Miss Josephine Buchman of New extent that the virtue and morality by the adoption of a truly Jesuitical York City, arrived here today from

#### Fifteenth Street Theater.

The company that will present Mrs. Musgrave's exquisite comedy, "Our Flat," at the Fifteenth street theater for four nights and Wednesday matinee, comencing Sunday matinee Sept. 16, is composed of excellent material; indeed. it is doubtful if a stronger or better company exists in America. Miss whom, Father Hewitt, is himself a grad-Emily Bancker has won renown uate of Amherst college and a convert. throughout the United States as a beautiful woman and an accomplished and finished actress. For three years she For Roman Catholic Parents to Send played leading female roles with the

late Rosina Vokes, during which time she established herself as strong a favorite as the captivating Rosina heras the charming Margery Sylvester in "Our Flat," a role for which she is eminently suited.

#### To Help the Sufferers.

WEST SUPERIOR, Wis., Sept. 9 .- A special meeting of the general relief committee for fire sufferers was held tomorning from New York, accompanied prominent promoter of charitable institutions, of this city. Mayor Woodward was feeling rather discomfited at a general notice in the East that no assistance was required outside of the state for fire sufferers, as he had just the same purpose.

### Will Touch Rome's Pocket,

The Moniteur de Rome says the congregation of the Propaganda will lose 40,000 lire annually by the new tax on government bonds which is being enforced in Italy. This shows what vast wealth the pope controls.

Will Not Abolish Parochial Schools. KANSAS CITY, Mo., Sept. 9.-Rt. Rev. L. M. Fink, bishop of the Kansas in store for all who attend.

and his conversion will cause considerable talk. He was graduated from Amherst college in the class of 1883. After ordination he became assistant minister of Mount Calvary. an ultra-ritualistic church in Batlimore. This church paper. With an oath, the policeman has recently been a source of disturb- started for the sergeant to call into ance in the Episcopal church. Bishop play the latter's help. The sergeant Paret, of Maryland, censured its clorgy for ritualistic practices and forbade the use of incense and other things. Two go. And if you do not go you will be years ago Mr. Clapp was appointed professor of exegesia in Nashotah Theological Seminary, Wisconsin, an institution highly regarded by a large body of house could make a complaint to that high churchman. He resigned his appointment Aug. 1. He has recently returned from Europe, where he visited Rome, but has only just reached the the firm of Scruggs, Vandevoort & determination to join the Roman Catholic church. He is now studying with the Paulist fathers, the superior of notice.

# "IS A MORTAL SIN."

# Their Children to the Public Schools.

BROOKLYN, Sept. 5, 1894,-The Rev. John Cammer, pastor of St. Peter's Roself. Miss Bahcker now comes forward man Catholic church in Brooklyn, preached a notable sermon on Sunday on the subject of public and parochial education. He took very strong grounds against the practice of Roman Catholics sending their children to public schools while good parochial schools were within their reach.

"In matters of this kind," he said, "truth is intolerant and can make no compromis with error."

He declared it a grievous and very probably a mortal sin for Roman Catholic parents to give preference to public over parochial schools.

Other Roman Catholic priests in Brooklyn made similar references on Sunday to the public schools, which are to be reopened today. It is believed that the views propounded meet with arranged for a call for funds with the Bishop McDonnell's hearty approval.

#### Their Usual Argument.

ST. LOUIS, Sept., 6.-Two men hurled bricks through the window of Elbert Wright, jeweler, 1613 Franklin, this morning

Mr. Wright told the police he thought it was because he is supposed to be an A. P. A.

Success Council No. 3, W. A. P. A. will give a ball at G. A. R. hall, 118; North Fifteenth street, Wednesday evening, September 26th. Tickets admitting two, 25 cents. A good time is

#### Gladstone And Romanism.

The Churchman, of London, England, is worked up over a religious article. recently written by Mr. Gladstone. "Space," it says, "forbids our dealing more particularly with the clever but dangerous teaching of this article, which leaves us in doubt as to whether this marvelous man will die a Roman Catholic or a Baptist. Neither would much surprise us."

#### **Kiss The Pope's Toe**

ROME, Sept. 2 -Sixty Canadian pllgrims attended mass this morning in the hall of the Consistory. The pope acted as celebrant. After the services his holiness permitted the pilgrims to kiss his toe and spoke a few pleasant words to each of them.

#### Notice of Dissolution of Partnership.

Notice of Dissolution of Farinership. The partnership heretofore existing be-tween John A. Kraumer and David Snyder, and doing business at Forty-second street and Redmond avenue. In the city of Omaha, Dougias county. Neoraska, is this day dis-solved by mutual consent. JOHN A. KRAMER, DAVID SNYDER, A. Bevins, attorney. 9-14-4

#### Notice to Non-Resident Defendant.

In the District Court of Douglas county,

In the District Court of Douglas county, Nebraska. Marion Cunningham vs. John Cunningham. To John Cunningham, non-resident de-fendant: You are hereby notified that on the likh day of September, 1894, Marion Cun-ningham, the plaintiff, filed her petition in the District court of Douglas county. Nebraska, against you, praying for a divorce from you on the ground that you have wilfully aban-doned her, the plaintiff, without a good cause for the term of two years last past. You are required to answer this petition on or before Monday, the 2nd day of October, 1884.

Dated at Omaha, Nebraska, September 3rd

#### MAILION CUNNINGHAM. Plaintiff By J. T. Patch, attorney for plaintiff. 9-1 9-14-4