

THE AMERICAN

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There are thirty senators whose terms expire on the 4th of March next and whose successors are to be chosen by legislatures elected this year...

THE FIRE AND POLICE COMMISSIONERS. We refrained in our last issue from making any comment on the action of the board of fire and police commissioners...

A MODERN HELL. We publish below a clipping from the Daily Republic, of Joliet, issue of June 15, 1894. Think of sending your children to a school where devils are employed as teachers...

McNAMARA ACQUITTED. The Bishop Not Guilty of Slandering Priest Lillis. Bishop J. V. McNamara, who has been subjected to a continued series of persecutions by the Roman Catholic church...

DISPUTE OVER THE GRAVE. Caused by the Late Senator Vance Being a Protestant and His Wife a Roman. ASHVILLE, N. C., June 11.—The widow of Senator Vance had the body of the senator removed from the Vance family plot in the cemetery...

Patronize AMERICAN advertisers. Buy your goods of those who advertise as Americans. BISHOP McNAMARA defeated the Romans in the trial at Liberty, Mo.

A ROMAN Catholic paper comments on an article in the Scientific American, and says: "The horrible effects of whiskey and modern wines are too well known to mention."

A Republican reporter, in interviewing the parents today was given a unanimous expression that under ordinary circumstances would bode ill to those who conceived such punishment.

THREATENED WITH DEATH. Ex Priest Seguin, of Chicago, Faces an Angry Mob at Assumption. ASSUMPTION, Ill., June 16.—Ex-Priest P. A. Seguin, editor of the True Protestant, of Chicago, lectured here last night on Catholicism.

ROME SCORES AGAIN. Indian Appropriation Bill Passed by the House. WASHINGTON, D. C., June 17.—The Indian appropriation bill was passed by the house yesterday substantially as reported from the committee.

In Accord With the Constitution. Within a few days past a great hue and cry has been raised against an organization styled "A. P. A." From what has been published on this subject the Republican had been led to regard it as "A monster of such frightful mien that to be hated needs but to be seen."

MEMBERS of the American Protective Association in Keokuk, Iowa, are making arrangements for a big patriotic celebration on the Fourth of July. Gate City Council No. 50 of that city is a hummer.

How does that sound? Interested, eh? But they are coming from every section of the country—from Nashville and Knoxville, Tenn., from Kentucky, from Maryland, New York, and every other state in the union.

WHAT WE NEED. If there were a few more men like Mr. Linton, of Michigan, in Congress, the Roman Catholic church would not be able to have it all her own way.

WOULD BE INCORPORATED. Application Made by the State Council of Illinois for Papers at Springfield. SPRINGFIELD, Ill., June 18.—Among the applications for incorporation filed in the office of the secretary of state today was the following:

Genl. T. J. Morgan Speaks on Rome. At the regular weekly meeting of the Baptist ministers in Chicago, General Thomas J. Morgan, who was Indian commissioner under President Harrison, spoke on the attitude to be taken by the Baptists in reference to the Roman Catholics in the country.

LOCAL BREVITIES. \$15.00 to Colorado Springs and return via the Union Pacific, June 11th, 12th, 23rd and 24th. City office, 1302 Farnam street.

LET it be understood once and for all, that the American Protective Association does not belong to any old line party, but is one of the greatest political purifiers on earth, and must be respected as such.

THE BEST CHANNEL. A great many friends have asked us for an opinion regarding the several candidates who aspired to positions on the republican ticket, but we have believed it would have been bad policy, would have been impolitic, to have endorsed candidates before they were nominated.

THE POLITICAL SIDE OF ROME. The American Journal of Politics, referring to the way in which the church of Rome is obtaining complete sway in American politics, says: "In New York the following are Roman Catholics: The mayor, the sheriff, the comptroller, the counsel of the corporation, the whole Board of assessment, the commissioner of public works, the superintendent of the street cleaning department, the clerk to the board of aldermen, the majority of that board, every member of the board of tax commissioners, several justices of the supreme, superior and common pleas courts, the controllers of the board of estimate and apportionment, the majority in many of the ward boards of trustees, a large portion of the board of education, the controllers of the department of charities and correction, the majority of the police force, the controllers of the fire department, of the board of street openings, the whole of the armory board, the registrar of deeds, the commissioner of jurors, one-

AN Energetic Worker. BROOKLYN, N. Y., June 5.—Editor THE AMERICAN: Please send to my address as many sample copies of your valuable paper as the enclosed amount will warrant, and favor one of your subscribers who is an A. P. A. for over twenty-five years. One who dared to advance his sentiment at that time for which he was brought into court at the cost of time and money. I am over 70 years old and an out door preacher, if you please. G. G.

Will Appeal. MILWAUKEE, Wis., June 9.—Archbishop Katzer will test in the courts the right of the city to levy taxes on his residence property. City Attorney Hamilton rendered a decision the other day to the effect that the residence is not exempt under the law, because it is held in the archbishop's name.

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THE Acquittal of Bishop J. V. McNamara on the charge of slandering Priest Lillis must be recognized as a grand victory for the right of "Free Speech," and as a sweeping rebuke to Rome, who has left no stone unturned to try and secure the conviction and punishment of the bishop.

EDITOR TUPPER, of the Loyal American, will have the sympathy of all the friends in the last affliction which has befallen him—the death of his sister at Evansville, Wis., notice of which he received Monday morning by telegraph.

THE American Protective Association candidate was a democrat, his opponent a republican.

IN the city of Chicago there are over 3,500 policemen, and of this number 100 are Americans. Think of it? No wonder A. P. A. newboys risk their lives while selling patriotic papers. Rome is rampant in Chicago. But there will be a reckoning.—Wisconsin Patriot.

THE Sentinel-Examiner, of Westport, Mo., comments on the populist move against the A. P. A. as follows: "The Kansas populists have condemned the A. P. A. in their platform, and it is now good-bye Mary E. and L. D., you will sail up the blue Salt Sea."

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WE have received a letter from Marysville, Ala., requesting information as to how to proceed to organize a council of the A. P. A., and asking for literature to circulate. We sent both, and ere many weeks expect to read of the A. P. A. cutting a figure in the elections in that state. Let the interest spread. Get your friends in line. Have them subscribe for a patriotic paper, but whatever else you do, have them pay for it, for a man is not much of a patriot who reads a paper two or three years and never contributes a cent to its support—especially if he is working.

IF you desire to assist the cause subscribe for THE AMERICAN.

INSTRUCTIONS were given by the council to forward a copy of these resolutions to Mr. Linton to be used as he may see fit and appropriate.

J. S. FERGUSON, Chairman of Committee.

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