

DUBOIS MAY BOLT.

The Idaho Senator Threatens to Follow Teller on the Silver Question.

BOISE, Ida., May 11.—The Evening Mail printed parts of a long letter written by United States Senator Dubois to F. A. Fenn, of Boise, one of the leading republicans of the state, in which he stated: "In the event the St. Louis convention adopts a gold-bug or straddle platform, or nominates a gold-bug or straddle candidate, I shall bolt the convention. I believe that I have sufficient personal following in Idaho added to the following which I will get from other parties on the silver movement to defeat the republican party in Idaho."

Dubois' friends here are much exercised over the declaration. Straight up republicans who are expected to go to the Pocatiello convention next Saturday say that under such a declaration they will bolt the convention there if Dubois' friends succeed in securing the adoption of a resolution endorsing the action of the senator in the senate. The bolters will elect a set of delegates and send them to St. Louis as a straight republican delegation for McKinley.

FRANK JAMES IN A NEW ROLE. Express Officials Want to Employ Him to Guard Their Gold. ST. LOUIS, May 11.—Frank James as a guard on express trains carrying large amounts of money or valuables is one of the novelties the express people are now arranging. Negotiations have been in progress for several weeks, and the probabilities are the contract will be closed within a few days. The effect of James' name, in view of his former prowess in robbing trains himself, is what the express companies are aiming after. They do not know, they say, that he could stop a determined robber any more than one of their own messengers, but they think the ordinary train robber would hesitate to tackle him. James is willing to accept the position and guarantees that no train in his charge will be robbed except over his dead body, with one single provision, and that is that the express people put up a bond of \$20,000, this amount to go to his widow in case of his death.

EXECUTIONS DELAYED. American Prisoners in Cuba Will Probably Be Given a Fair Trial.

LONDON, May 11.—The Madrid correspondent of the Standard says: "Senor Canovas del Castillo has publicly stated that America has not protested against Spain's right to punish filibusters, but only against the summary trial. American citizens are entitled to be tried in the civil courts under the treaties of 1795 and 1877. The Spanish government is willing to consider the demand and has cabled to Capt.-Gen. Weyler to delay the executions pending the result of negotiations, which are actively proceeding between Washington and Madrid to define the interpretation of the aforesaid treaties."

SATURDAY'S SENATE.

A New Bond Resolution Introduced—Many Minor Bills Disposed Of.

WASHINGTON, May 11.—In the senate Saturday Mr. Dubois introduced a resolution providing that no more bonds shall be issued until the president shall have communicated to congress the facts showing the necessity for the issue. The resolution was laid on the table. The senate succeeded in disposing of a large number of minor bills on the calendar and then took up the river and harbor bill, Mr. White (Cal.) finishing his speech in opposition to the item for a deep water harbor at Santa Monica bay, Cal.

A City Wiped Out by Fire.

BARAGA, Mich., May 11.—The city of L'Anse, at the head of Kenawa bay, has been practically wiped out by fire. The L'Anse Lumber Co.'s mill and nearly all the business houses in the place were burned. Two hundred persons are homeless. The total loss is placed at \$250,000; small insurance. The mill has been idle for several days owing to a strike. At Nunising, Alger county, the entire population is fighting flames in an effort to save the town. Forest fires are raging in several other counties.

Drought in Iowa.

WANSAW, Ill., May 11.—Northeastern Missouri, southeastern Iowa and western Illinois are suffering from a drought which has reached a critical period. Wheat is heading out short, blue grass is ripening and grass generally is taking on the yellow hue of summer. There is a shortage of stock water, and farmers who are late in breaking cannot plow for corn. This condition is general over a considerable stretch of country.

Midnight Fire at St. Louis.

ST. LOUIS, May 11.—Shortly after midnight this morning fire started in the kitchen of the Metropolitan restaurant at 324 Olive street. In a short time the flames enveloped the entire building, a three-story structure, and it was soon destroyed. The two floors above were used as a lodging house. The Rialto, a ten-story building adjoining, was threatened by the flames, which broke through the windows.

NOT VERY GOOD PAY.

Methodist Theological Students Borrow Lavishly and Pay Stintedly.

CLEVELAND, O., May 11.—Since 1873 the board of education of the Methodist church has been loaning to indigent, deserving students money with which to complete their studies necessary to make Methodist ministers or missionaries. The loans were for long times and on easy payments. Rev. Dr. Charles H. Payne, of New York city, the corresponding secretary of the board, presented in pamphlet form a report upon these loans, embracing the entire 22 years during which they have been given. This report showed that \$603,000 had been paid to students and that only the sum of \$50,600 had been returned. At the meeting of the conference committee on education this matter came up in the form of a motion for a sub-committee to look into this apparently extraordinary state of affairs. Gen. James L. Rusling, of New Jersey, declared that the loan system was evidently turning Methodist divinity students into paupers and that it impaired their usefulness and was a bad thing in all ways. Rev. J. H. Clendenning, of Fort Smith, Ark., said that he could scarcely believe his senses when the figures were placed before him. The effect of the system on the students could not, he said, be other than disastrous. Men who would not pay their debts, he declared, were not fit to be Methodist ministers.

HALF A MILLION LOSS.

Big Fire in Ashland, Wis.—Three or Four Men Burned to Death.

ASHLAND, Wis., May 11.—This city experienced a great fire yesterday. Half a million dollars worth of milling property and lumber went up in flames. The Shore Lumber Co.'s mills the largest on Chaquamegon bay, is a smoldering ruin, together with several thousand feet of lumber dock, upon which was piled 19,000,000 feet of lumber. The fire started in W. R. Darfee's lumber dock. The mill was surrounded by water, with wooden tramways leading to the shore. When the flames burst out in great volume and enveloped the mill and dock all the men but four succeeded in reaching the tramways. The origin of the fire is still a mystery, but it is presumed that a spark from some employe's pipe started the fire. Figured approximately, the loss on milling property and docks will reach \$275,000; on lumber, \$228,000. The bodies of three men have already been recovered and another man is missing.

BUTCHERED BY CANNIBALS.

Wholesale Massacre of Missionaries in the South Sea Islands.

SAN FRANCISCO, May 11.—The steamer Monowal brings news of the wholesale massacre of traders and missionaries by natives of the islands of Manning straits and the Solomons. Malayta savages butchered an entire boat's crew of men from the brig Rio Loge at Rubiana, one American and two French traders being slaughtered. The murders on the island of Manning straits were followed by acts of cannibalism. A small trading schooner owned by a French trader was attacked and the owner and his American assistant and eight peaceful natives were lured ashore and beaten to death and the trading station was sacked. Two English missionaries are missing, and it is supposed they were also murdered.

NOW AN ARCHBISHOP.

John J. Kain, of St. Louis, Receives the Insignia of His Office.

ST. LOUIS, May 11.—Amid the most solemn, impressive and resplendent ceremonies within the walls of the old cathedral, Rt. Rev. John J. Kain, archbishop of the diocese of St. Louis, was yesterday invested with the order of the pallium, the sacred insignia of his archiepiscopal office. This is the first time in the history of the archdiocese of St. Louis that the investiture of the pallium upon the archbishop has been solemnized. A large number of most distinguished dignitaries from all over the country graced the occasion by their presence, and assisted in the ceremonies. The conferring of the pallium was performed by Cardinal Gibbons, of Baltimore, who was assisted by 25 archbishops and bishops and 100 or more priests.

UNNATURAL FATHER'S CRIME.

He Assaulted His Daughter and Neighbors Waited Not for the Law.

BIRMINGHAM, Ala., May 11.—Near Eastman's Mills, Redden H. Williams, a prominent white farmer residing near Maanitou, Green county, was lynched by a mob of 40 masked white men. Williams was arrested on the charge of making an assault upon his 16-year-old daughter. At the preliminary trial the evidence indicated his guilt and he was held to the grand jury and ordered committed to jail. While Deputy McCracken was taking Williams to jail at Eutaw he was met by a mob near Eastman's Mill's and the prisoner taken from him and hanged to the nearest tree.

Foraker Denies a Story.

CINCINNATI, May 11.—Senator-Elect J. B. Foraker vehemently denies statements printed here yesterday morning which charges that he (Foraker) was backing the A. P. A. movement against McKinley. Senator Foraker denounces the statements of the dispatch as false and says, moreover: "I am going to the convention for McKinley solely for the first place to such a degree that I have as yet no choice for second place."

FOR COUNTRY'S SAKE.

An Indian Fighter Suffers Agonies from Disease.

He Was in the Battle with the Apaches When Geronimo Was Captured.

From the Press, New York City.

Worn with the exposure of army life on the frontier, and poisoned by the continual drinking of alkali water, Joseph Flegauf returned to Philadelphia eight years ago, broken down in health and unable to do any work.

He had served five years with the Ninth United States Infantry in many a desperate fight with the Indians in Arizona and other frontier States and had won an enviable record. In the fierce conflict with Geronimo, the famous chief of the Apaches, was captured, Mr. Flegauf was among the brave soldiers who, forgetful of everything but duty, charged upon the hostile Indians.

Life on the plains sent to an untimely death many soldiers who were never touched by a redskin's bullet or arrow, and Mr. Flegauf came near such a fate as that. A long time before his time was out he was taken seriously ill, but he stuck to his post until an honorable discharge was finally given to him.

When he reached Philadelphia, the Indian fighter was scarcely more than skin and bones, and for three weeks he lay desperately ill in a hospital. He felt dizzy, and his stomach felt as if it had dried up. These symptoms were accompanied by bloody dysentery, which no medicine seemed to relieve.

After two years of suffering, Mr. Flegauf came to New York and was treated by several physicians. These did not agree, some calling his disease catarrh of the stomach, and others chronic diarrhea.

In speaking to a reporter about his illness Mr. Flegauf said the doctors helped him, but, with all the money he spent for advice and medicine, he was able to work only a small part of the time. Since moving to his present home, No. 317 West Forty-second Street, in New York, about a year ago, Mr. Flegauf has been so ill that his voice and hearing almost left him.

Then all medicines failed, and the sick man had little hope of recovery. At this critical time Dr. Williams' Pink Pills for Pale People were recommended to Mr. Flegauf, and, almost as a last hope, he began taking them.

"The beneficial effect of the medicine was felt at once," Mr. Flegauf told the reporter, "and before I had taken a box I began to eat with relish. Three boxes made me so much better that I began work and have been able to keep at it since, for five months."

Dr. Williams' Pink Pills for Pale People are not a patent medicine in the sense that name implies. They were first compounded as a prescription and used as such in general practice by an eminent physician. So great was their efficacy that it was deemed wise to place them within the reach of all. They are now manufactured by the Dr. Williams' Medicine Company, Schenectady, N. Y., and are sold in boxes (never in loose form by the dozen or hundred, and the public are cautioned against numerous imitations sold in this shape) at 50 cents a box, or six boxes for \$2.50, and may be had of all druggists or direct by mail from Dr. Williams' Medicine Company.

She—"I see Jack Parsons is a defaulter." He—"Yes; how he has changed. Why, when he used to play baseball he wouldn't even steal a base."—N. Y. Evening Telegram.

Let not mirth be thy profession, lest thou become a make-sport. He that hath but gained the title of a jester, let him assure himself the fool is not far off.—Quarles.

Deafness Cannot Be Cured

by local applications, as they cannot reach the diseased portion of the ear. There is only one way to cure deafness, and that is by a constitutional remedy. Deafness is caused by an inflamed condition of the mucous lining of the Eustachian Tube. When this tube gets inflamed you have a rumbling sound or imperfect hearing, and when it is entirely closed deafness is the result, and unless the inflammation can be taken out and this tube restored to its normal condition, hearing will be destroyed forever; nine cases out of ten are caused by catarrh, which is nothing but an inflamed condition of the mucous surfaces.

We will give One Hundred Dollars for any case of Deafness (caused by catarrh) that cannot be cured by Hall's Catarrh Cure. Send for circulars, free.

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Riches do not exhilarate us so much with their possession as they torment us with their loss.—Gregory.

A sentence, well couched, takes both the sense and the understanding.—Feldman.

THE GENERAL MARKET.

Table with market prices for various goods like CATTLE, HOGS, WHEAT, CORN, etc. across different cities like Kansas City, St. Louis, and Chicago.

More Good News.

General Manager P. S. Macgowan, of the Walter A. Wood Harvester Co., St. Paul, Minn., informs us that his business is excellent and that his company will be able this fall to liquidate its entire indebtedness, and pass out of the receiver's hands in a most prosperous condition. He is our authority, also, for announcing the good news that some of the most influential stockholders of the St. Paul and Hoosick Falls companies are now at work trying to effect a reorganization, to the end of placing both companies in a position to go along with the immense business in such manner as to maintain past reputation for solidity and progressiveness. If the reorganization is effected, which from present progress would seem assured, the business will again be on a solid foundation and under a management that will push its well known machines in every market on the globe.—Farm Machinery, April 21, 1896.

MAN carries under his hat a private theater, wherein a greater drama is acted than is ever performed on the mimic stage, beginning and ending in eternity.—Carlyle.

The Significance of a Gray Overcoat Upon the tongue, yellowness of the skin and eyeballs, nausea and uneasiness beneath the right ribs and shoulder blade, is that the victim of these discomforts is bilious. The "proper paper" under such circumstances is to take Hostetter's Stomach Bitters, which also cures chills and fever, constipation, dyspepsia, rheumatic and kidney complaints and nervousness.

THE REASON OF IT.—"Is your daughter going into the country for her health?" "Oh, no. Purely for art. She wishes to become bronzed."—Detroit Free Press.

FITS stopped free by Dr. Kline's Great Nerve Restorer. No fits after first day's use. Marvelous cures. Treatise and 23 trial bottle free. Dr. Kline, 931 Arch St., Phila., Pa.

SHE—"You say that man is out?" He—"Yes, he was struck out." She—"Why, no one struck him."—Cincinnati Commercial-Gazette.

I AM entirely cured of hemorrhage of lungs by Pisco's Cure for Consumption.—LOUISA LINDAMAN, Bethany, Mo., Jan. 8, '94.

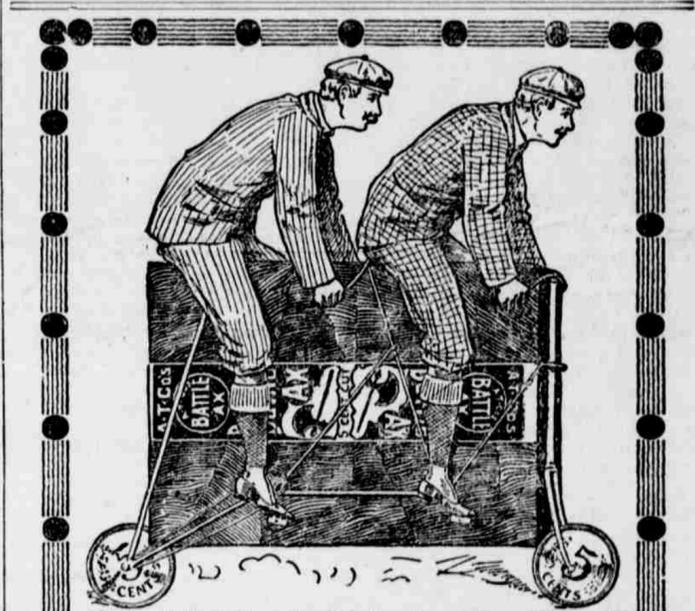
To have a respect for ourselves guides our morals; and to have a deference for others governs our manners.—Sterne.



Gladness Comes

With a better understanding of the transient nature of the many physical ills, which vanish before proper efforts—gentle efforts—pleasant efforts—rightly directed. There is comfort in the knowledge, that so many forms of sickness are not due to any actual disease, but simply to a constipated condition of the system, which the pleasant family laxative, Syrup of Figs, promptly removes. That is why it is the only remedy with millions of families, and is everywhere esteemed so highly by all who value good health. Its beneficial effects are due to the fact, that it is the one remedy which promotes internal cleanliness without debilitating the organs on which it acts. It is therefore all important, in order to get its beneficial effects, to note when you purchase, that you have the genuine article, which is manufactured by the California Fig Syrup Co. only and sold by all reputable druggists. If in the enjoyment of good health, and the system is regular, laxatives or other remedies are then not needed. If afflicted with any actual disease, one may be commended to the most skillful physicians, but if in need of a laxative, one should have the best, and with the well-informed everywhere, Syrup of Figs stands highest and is most largely used and gives most general satisfaction.

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