THE PRESIDENT INFORMED OF HIS RENOMINATION.

The Scene a Very Impressive One-Gov. McKinley Makes the Speech to the President and Harrison Makes Earnest Reply.

WASHINGTON, June 22.-President Harrison was officially notified yesterday afternoon of his nomination by the Minneapolis convention. The ceremony took place in the big east room, which, with its fresh straw matting and decoration of potted plants, was nearly filled with the President's household. The committee formed in semi-circle five rows deep. A quarter of an hour's wait and then from amid the waving palms of the cool conservatory out the end of the promenade the president entered. At his side walked Secretary Foster and behind came Secretaries Tracy, Rusk and Noble, Attorney General Miller, Private Secretary Hal-ford and "Prince Russell." Hearty applause greeted his appearance and grew louder as McKinley stepped forward and grasped his hand. The governor began his speech notification at once. read from manuscript and in so low a tone that until, in response from cries "louder," he raised his voice, the President himself could hardly hear him. Applause, led by Elliott Shepard, closely punctuated his remarks, and

the same was true when the President made his reply. Like McKinley, the President read from manuscript, but unlike McKinley, he spoke so that all could hear, and at times he grew very earnest and impassioned. He received an ovation when he finished, and then everybody stepped forward and offered him congratulations. To all he gave a smile and cordial hand clasp, and looked particularly happy when a little later Harry Smith presented him with the gavel used at the convention. Then all withdrew to the dining-room, partook of luncheon, departed, and the ceremony being over the doors were thrown open to the sweltering crowd and the President re-

### NEWS IN BRIEF.

tired to his office.

Germany has made the czar an honorary admiral.

Le Monde, a Montreal newspaper, has assigned. Serious political riots occurred at

Tralee, Ireland. Many Illinois farmers have lost some

valuable horses by heat and overwork. Another resignation of the Greek cabinet has taken place. Berlin received the King and Queen

of Italy with great demonstrations.

Western shippers are losing money by the poor grading of corn.

There were 178,686 bushels of wheat in the Northwest over the returns of a

James Maxwell, Ernest and William Knouse were drowned near Ottumwa, A. Bernhard & Co., manufacturing

ewelers, of New York, assigned. Lia-Kattie Smith at the Wernle Orphans'

home, Richmond, Ind., was killed in a swing. Charles Henderson, an orphan found dead near Vandalia, Ill., was probably

R. H. Shepard of Ottumwa, in failing health has ordered a chair in which he

will be buried. Judge Nelson, at Boston, filed a decision quashing the last indictment in the Maverick Bank cases.

Suit was begun for mandamus com pelling the Michigan Secretary of State to ignore the "Squaw Buck" redistrict-

Prohibitionists of the Illinois Eighteeth Congressional district held a convention in East St. Louis and made ominations.

Groven Cleveland called upon Gow. Russell, or Massachusetts, but declared the is visit had no political signifi-

Bresident Harrison submitted a paper to the Senate on the contention of this government against discriminating tolls on the Canadian canals.

### Valuable Relie Missing.

Washington, June 23.-The large marble slab which was recently found in the Potomac, and which was sup-posed to be the original stone sent by the pope in 1853 to be placed in the Washington monument, has been stolen. When the stone was found and the divers had heard of its history they decided that it might prove of some value, and accordingly they placed it in an old shanty in which was placed their material. Yesterday morning some one entered the shanty and carried the relic away. There is no clue to the thief.

A Leper Goes Out On a Tear. CHESTER, Pa., June 22.—John Anderson, a leper who has been confined in the county home at Lima, slipped away Saturday night and came to this city, where he encountered a number of convivial companions and got drunk. When his identity became known there was a stampede in the crowded hotels that he visited and Anderson was given the right of way. He slept in an open lot, over night, was arrested Sunday and taken back to Lima.

One Honest Failure.

Posron, Mass., June 23 .- One year ago Alley Bros. & Place, one of the largest leather firms of Boston, failed with liabilities of \$510,000. Yesterday the firm sent out checks to their creditors covering the final payment of 100 cents on the dellar with 6 per cent interest, and the present financial condition of the firm is of the best.

Michigan prejented the name of Hon. Allen B. Morse, chief justice of that state.

No other nominations being made the vote proceeded as follows: Alabama, Morse 22; Arkansas, Gray

16; California, Gray 9, Stevenson 9; Colorado, Stevenson 8; Connecticut, Gray 12; Delaware, Morse 6; Florida. Gray 2, Stevenson 6; Georgia, Morse 10, Gray 9, Stevenson 7; Idaho, Gray 6; Illinois, Stevenson 48; Indiana, Gray 30; Iowa, Watterson 26; Kansas, Gray 20; Kentucky, Gray 12, Stevenson 12, Mitchell 2; Louisiana, Stevenson 16; Maine, Gray 4, Stevenson 7, (absent 1); Maryland, Gray 12, Stevenson 4; Massachusetts, Morse 5. Gray 5, Stevenson 20; Michigan, Morse 28; Minnesota, Gray 18; Mississippi, Morse Gray 9, Stevenson 8; Missouri, Morse 8, Gray 10, Stevenson 16; Montana, Tree 1, Cockran 5; Nebraska, Gray 5, Stevenson 6, Mitchell 5; Nevada, Gray 6; New Hampshire, Stevenson 8; New Jersey, Gray 19, Stevenson 1; New York, Stevenson, 72; North Carolina, Stevenson 22; North Dakota, Gray 6; Ohio, Gray 4, Steven-

son 38, Mitchell, 4; Oregon, Gray 8; Pennsylvania, Gray 64; Rhode Island, Gray 8; South Carolina, Stevenson 18; South Dakota, Gray 2, Stevenson 4, Mitchell 2; Tennessee, Morse 1, Gray 14, Stevenson 8, Boies 1; Texas, Gray Stevenson 26; Vermont, Gray 8; West Virginia, Morse 4, Gray 4, Stevenson, 4; Wisconsin, Mitchell 24; Wyoming, Mitchell 6; Alaska, Stevenson 1, Mitchell 1; Arizona, Gray 1, Stevenson 5; District of Columbia, Stevenson 1, Mitchell 1; New Mexico, Gray 5, Stevenson 1; Oklahoma, Stevenson 2; Utah, Morse 1, Gray 1; Iudian Territory, Gray 2.

On announcement of the vote changes began which resulted in Stevenson's nomination, which subsequently was made unanimous and amid great enth siasm.

After the usual resolutions of thanks

were adopted, Mr. Russell of Missouri arose and said: "I move that this convention do now adjourn sine

The Chairman-Mr. Russell of Missouri moves that this convention do now adjourn sine die. And the chair, thanking the convention for its kindness to himself and asking its indulgence for lack of capacity to perform the duties of the office, hereby declares the convention adjourned sine

Great cheering ensued and the band played "America," the audience joining in the chorus as they slowly moved

The time of adjournment was 5:17

WHITELAW REID'S DOINGS.

Preparing to Receive the Committee to

New York, June 22.—Whitelaw Reid spent a quiet Sunday with his family in his summer mansion on the Ophir Stocks of wheat are decreasing, but of corn and oats increasing.

In his summer mansion on the Ophir Farm, back of White Plains. He had few callers aside from newspaper corn few callers aside from newspaper correspondents. His secretary is kept



busy daily looking after an immense amount of correspondence. Preparations are being made to entertain the committee who will formally notify Mr. Reid of his nomination as Vice-President to-day. Dinner will be served for 200 and many prominent Re-publicans are expected to be present.

GRAY FOR VICE PRESIDENT.

Indiana's Price for Solid Support of the Ex-President.

CHICAGO, June 23.-It is generally expected that ex-Governor Isaac Gray of Indiana will be the nominee for Vice President. His name will be presented for that place by his own State delegation, and it is understood that the consent of the Gray men to the withdrawal of their Presidential candidate and the casting of the vote of Indiana for Cleveland was only given on the assurance that the Cleveland leaders would favor ex-Gov. Gray for the Vice-Presidency. As the Cleveland organization is now very thorough and well disciplined, there is little doubt that any compact of the leaders will be carried out to the letter in the convention.

Looks Like a Battefield.

WASHINGTON, June 22.-Gen. H. V. Boynton has arrived from the Chickamauga national park. He reports all parts of the work of establishing the park rapidly progressing. Many miles of roads have been graded, and a number of the roads which were used during the battle, and which have since been closed up, have been traced out and reopened. The fields which have grown to underbrush have been cleared out and the battlefield is fast assuming the appear ance which it had at the time of the

A Stage Robber Shot. WOODLAND, Cal., June 22.-John Ruggles, who with his brother Charles, robbed the Redding stage about a month ago, was tracked here by a Sheriff yesterday and fatally shot. During the attack on the stage John Ruggles shot and killed the express teessenger, a man named Montgomery.

PERHAPS YOU'LL SMILE.

If the corner of your building sags something to stay it is the proper thing.

"Vat would you say, Abie, if I geef you a dime?" "I'd say tewice as much, fadder, for fifteen cents." Mike—"They say, Pat, that the toime will come whin all the coal will be

used up. What will they do fur firin' thin? Pat—"Burn coke, yer fool!"
The Chinese exclusion bill is not yet a law. California may find that it has indulged prematurely in its earth-quakes and other manifestations of

Mother-"My dear, always remember it is not good taste to talk about yourself in company." Miss Budd-'Oh, I never do, I always talk about the other girls."

Glanders-"It is said that paper can be used effectively in keeping a person warm." Gazlay—"That is very true. I remember a thirty-day note of mine once kept me in a sweat for a month."

First Professor-"You see, they let him in the academy of sciences because he had taken an A. B., an S. M., an A. M., a Ph. D. and an M. D." Second Professor—"Ah, understand—he worked in by degrees." She-"What's your idea of unhappi-

ness?" - He (tenderly)-"Being away from you. What's yours?" She-"An undecided man in a drug store trying to make up his mind among seven dif-ferent kinds of sarsaparilla."

"I heard to-day that McJiggers was a college-bred man," remarked Du-kane. "I never would have suspected it, would you?" "Not if I hadn't known that he was baker for an educational institution out West some years ago," replied Gaswell.

Mrs. Gofrequent-"They say a husband and wife often change in appearance so as to look like each other, and I believe it's true. You and your husband look almost exactly alike." Mrs. Strongmind (majestically) - "Yes, George has grown to resemble me very much since I married him."

### NOVEL NOTIONS.

A Boston paper says that "Michael Burns was arrested for driving a horse attached to an ash cart with a lame back."

American surgeons are making mon-ey in Japan splitting the outer rim of the native eyes so as to take the slant out of them and make them look like Europeans.

J. D. Burton of Smithville, Ga., bought a pig the other day and took it home. It did not relish its new quarters and returned to its former owner, 'swimming half a mile across a pond in its journey." At the dictation of the men put in

power by the Unionists in Australia, all immigration into the colony is prohibited, so that thousands of people now unemployed there may have an opportunity to find work. Selectman S. Byron Brownson of Ansonia, Conn., has two remarkable eggs.

longest way and the other one and three-fourths inches. Both were laid by the same hen on the same day. H. R. Marcy of Forsyth, Mont., has the head of a deer that has three irregular horns on each side and nine irregular horns in front, between the two large ones. The side horns are

nine inches in length and those in front

One measures seven inches around the

from one to four inches in length. It is estimated that the state of mont is \$1,000,000 better off because of its recently adopted policy of liberally advertising its many attractions and resources for permanent and summer residents. The demand for farms is now more spirited than it has been for ten years.

In a recently published list of bearers of great French names worn by persons now engaged in humble occupations appears the names of an authentic count who hawks mouse traps abut the streets of Paris, and a countess who is a janitress at one of the theaters in the metropolis.

GRAINS OF GOLD.

Whiskey is the devil's looking glass Be slow to promise and quick to per-Command your temper, lest it should

ommand you. Faith and works are twins who never

quarrel and fight. To be careful is the true way to guard against care.

There are many people who mistake trouble for religion To know, and not be able to perform, s doubly unfortunate.;

How easy it is to see how much better other folks might be. There is often more religion in a

smile than there is in a tear. Sometimes our mistakes attract more attention to us than our virtue. There are men who help the world most when they go out of it.

It is the first distemper of learning when men study words and not matter. The only step you may ever take toward heaven is the one you take to-day.

Every heart has a secret drawer, the spring of which is only known to the

Conscience is the living law, and honor is to this law what piety is to

Happiness consists in virtue and honesty, and a moderate use of a competency.

Hatred is active, and envy passive disgust; there is but one step from envy to hate. It is a statistical fact that the wicked

work harder to reach hell than the righteous do to enter heaven. There are people who think if they stand on the river bank and throw ! straw to a drowning man, they have done enough.

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