MINNEAPOLIS encouraged by her grand work in making a president, has again turned her attention to flour and last week sent out 214,000 barrels. This is the largest output on record for a single week.

The democrats raise a howl in the platform against the McKinley tariff law and demand its repeal. Why don't they repeal it? They have a majority in congress but are afraid to tackle it.

THE democratic platform on the silver question as was predicted straddles the question. It first declares for free coinage and then in the same breath denounces the dollar unit of silver to be equal in intrinsic and exchangeable value as gold.

BEER HILL and Flower remind one of the old story of the two colored brethren who went out to hunt bears. They found the hole where the bear kept house. One of them crawled in while the other kept guard. Suddenly Mr. Bear came home, and as he entered his den was seized by the tail by the outside man. Then came the voice from the inside, "Whats that darkens de hole?" From outside the answer: "You'll see what darkens de hole if tail-hold breaks." Governor Flower is a practiced gymnast, but his "tail-hold" is precarious and uncertain—and the bald-headed old bachelor is doomed meat for the bear—Inter Ocean.

DEMCCRACY AND BUSINESS INTERESTS.

Responding to the toast "The Republican Party on Guard," at the Ann Arbor banquet, Gen. Russell A. Alger arraigned the democratic party not only as a destructive, anti-national organization, but as equally opposed to the economic welfare and prosperity of the country. Gen. Alger is a good witness to prove either proposition. As a gallant Union soldier he had many opportunities during his prolonged army service to size up southern democracy under its true colors, and arrayed in the proper uniform. Since the war, and in the course of an extended and successful business experience, Gen. Alger has often been called on to study the effect of democratic policies on the industries of the country, and he finds that party about as dangerous in one capacity as the other. The democratic party has never succeeded in substituting a low revenue tariff for a protective one and maintaining the same for ten years without enormously reducing the wages of labor, paralyzing great industries and involving the country in terrible distress. On each and every occasion where it has been able to carry out its traditional policy of "tariff reform" the country has been made to suffer dreadfully.

No intelligent democrat, familiar with history and with a decent respect for truth, will claim that the business interests of the north and west have ever been able to withstand ten years of democratic "tariff reform."

American workingmen of no class have been able to preserve their wages and employment unimpaired through so much as a single decade of a democratic tariff for revenue only. Such tariffs when permitted to stand so as to work out their legitimate results have proved indeed that they were for "revenue only," and with nothing to maintain wages or protect the rights of labor. In no case has the country prospered for ten years under a democratic tariff. Disaster has been the invariable result.

In strict justice it should be said that there were two excepted classes on whom the heavy hand of the democratic tariff reformers was not laid in the way of affliction. They were the old slave-holders of the south and the northern importers of foreign goods—two classes that held together in firm alliance, and thrived under a low tariff just as all others suffered. Their chief interest was in foreign, not in domestic markets. As the northern farmers, manufacturers, business men and wage-workers were damaged by a low tariff, the planters who grew cotton for foreign markets, and the importers who wanted to bring back foreign goods in exchange for the great southern product, chuckled to themselves and declared it an ill wind that blew nobody any good. Disastrous as it was to all others the low tariff policy was desired by cotton growers and importers for the express purpose of increasing their profits at the expense of other interests, particularly those of the north. And as the planters and importers ruled the democratic party it was compelled to persist in its low tariff policy and look complacently on the ruin it wrought.

THIS is a republican year and there is no mistake about it.

Every old soldier and republican in Cass county should take THE HERALD this year.

MR. HARRISON has not only been good to the old soldiers, but he has been mindful of all classes of citizens.

EVERY old soldier should begin at once to work for the election of Harrison. No more effective work can be performed than securing subscribers to good republican papers.

IT IS estimated that the per capita wealth of the country in 1890 was about $1,000. In 1860 the amount was $514, in 1870 $780, and in 1880 $870. This is a highly prosperous country, and the longer the republican party is kept in power the greater will be the prosperity.

GOV. FLOWER says he knows Cleveland can't be elected. Three out of every four intelligent and conservative democrats in this part of the country hold the same view of the situation that New York's executive does, yet we believe Cleveland is the strongest man in his party. The fact is no democrat could win in the coming canvass.

RETLIATION AGAINST CANADA

The message sent by the president to congress urging retaliation against Canada for her violation of the terms of the treaty of Washington will command the serious attention of the people. That compact provides, among other things, that the Welland and other canals on or near the boundry line between the two countries shall be open to the citizens of the United States on the same terms as to residents of the Dominion. On this undestanding the United States made certain importrnt concessions to the Dominion, which have been strictly regarded in letter and spirit. The proof that Canada has violated her part of the agreement seems to be clear and conclusive. There has been a discrimination against our citizens in the matter of toils for transportation through these waterways which are injurious to our commerce, and which have inflicted serious damage on American consumers as well as shippers. The attention of the Canadian government was called to the injustice long ago, but the wrong has not yet been righted. In fact the Dominion has apparently taken the view that no wrong is being done at all, and while this idea of the case is entertained it is hopeless to look for any change in the situation on Canada's own initiation. Such being the conditions the president has acted wisely in submitting the whole matter to congress, so that that body, after due deliberation, may take such measures as it deems proper to protect the interests of American citizens.

The United States, of course, dislikes to have unpleasantness with Canada on this or any other question, but that country must be taught that it can not keep on violating its pledges to us with impunity. We have had, in the past five or six years, many evidences of Canada's unfairness, if not unfriendliness, toward us, and there is a general impression in this country that the time has come to call a halt to such conduct. The interests of our citizens and the national honor and dignity demand that our rights in this matter be scrupulously and zealously defended. The considerations which prompt us to such a course are too important and too pressing to be disregarded or overlooked any longer. This country has always endeavored to live on terms of the closest friendship with its northern neighbors. We have been anxious to extend and strengthen the commercial ties existing between us and them, and there have been occasional and sporadic manifestations on Canada's part that this feeling has been reciprocated. But below all this surface show of Canadian friendship there has always been a substratum of prejudice, jealousy and pettishness which excited distrust here and which has thus far rendered all the attempts to lower the tariff barriers between the two countries vain. Perhaps Canada's double dealing toward us is partly due to the fact that she is not entirely her own master in her foreign relations, and that, in this respect, she has, in some degree, to conform to the desires of the British government; but this consideration, while it may explain her vacillation on the question of reciprocity, can not justify the violation by her of pledges which she freely made and thoroughly understood.—St. Louis Globe-Democrat.

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The W. C. T. U. observed Flower Mission day last Tuesday by distributing bouquets of flowers, adorned with white ribbons and texts, to the inmates of the county institutions and the invalids and sick in town.

The women's clubs, of which this country has two hundred, are sound on the question of non-alcoholic stimulation and brain poisons generally. The Nineteenth Century club of Memphis, Tenn., with one hundred members, elegant rooms, and all that goes to make a first-rate institution of the sort, recently entertained Joe Jefferson, the actor, and Joel Chandler Harris, the dialectician—in a new sense. Some thought there should be punch, but Mrs. Watson, the president, said NO, and the club stood by her.

Indianapolis has a council of women including the representatives of forty-nine local organizations. They work for better sanitation, cleaner streets and educational improvement. One of their representatives is president of the Laundry Girls' union, and it is interesting to see this bright woman hobnobbing with the president of the Art institute in the common interest of the council.

The Baptist Union Theological Seminary at Morgan Park, Ill., has made the study of the temperance question a subdivision of the required work in the department of ethics. The students are now studying the relation of the christian to politics. This is a new departure, and the temperance people have expressed their wish that it might become universal in all theological schools.

Some of our honored leaders ask "What would become of the prohibition party if it should head its ticket with the name that stands first on the ticket of the people's party in the pending presidential campaign?" The answer is not far to seek: The prohibition (home protection, reform, independent, whig, Columbian, or some better name) party would remain in full force, with its autonomy complete, its platform, its committees, national, state and local, and its constituency, as we believe largely to be increased this year. But if the other reform party should nominate, in Omaha July 4th, as there is reason to believe it will, a man thoroughly committed to our principles of prohibition and woman's enfranchisement, why not put his name on our ticket and thus mass the reform vote of the country? Meanwhile at our own convention, we shall, as a matter of course, nominate a complete ticket, but the lack of leading candidates this year renders it practicable to have an understanding that if such a condidate would give place to him rather than retain an empty honor of holding on, with a divided vote among reformers. If the question is asked: "Why not let the people's party take our candidate instead of we theirs?" Our answer is, "because that party would not do this," and if the question then occur, "why would it not?" we must in all candor reply, "Because it is not so well schooled as ours; it is younger and less wayswise; it is not made up of veterans, like ours, and is less skilled in patriotic strategy than ours is.....or ought to be."

All of which is humbly offered for what it may be worth; with unalterable loyalty to what our clans and chieftains may see fit to do in Cincinnati June 29th.

The new excise law in the state of New York practically gives more privileges to the saloon business than it has ever before enjoyed. The liquor capitalist is given absolute power and can take out as many licenses and open as many saloons as he desires, employing men to run them. It is said that Gov. Flower, of New York, has presented the pen with which he signed this iniquitous bill to the president of the wine, beer and liquor dealers' association as a trophy. The National Temperance Advocate expresses the sentiment of all right thinking people when it says: "If it had been dipped in the bottomless pit, it would have been still more appropriate."

From Saturday's Daily.

E. Sturbuck, a Glenwood attorney, was in the city yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Hesser left this morning for Lincoln to spend Sunday with their daughter.

Chas. Keltner has moved his family from Louisville and will hereafter make this city his home.

J. Tighe, Mrs. Patrick Murphy and Mr. and Mrs. Ed Tighe of Avoca, came last night to attend St. John's graduating exercises.

The school board is looking over the plans and specifications for the new school building this afternoon as presented by the architect from Lincoln.

THE NEWS CONDENSED

Galena, Illinois, Visited by a Terrific Rain Storm.

NEW YORK SUN ON CLEVEALND.

The Record of Stevenson, Candidate for Vice President on the Democratic Ticket not so Brilliant as has Been Claimed

The following dispatch from Galena, Ill., says that the terrific rainfall of Wednesday night and Thursday proved the most disastrous ever experienced in that locality. The Galena river rose at the rate of an inch per minute Thursday. By 8 o'clock the main streets were flooded. Rowboats were the only means of crossing and obtaining entrance to some of the buildings. The basements and lower floors of every business house in the town are flooded. At the Lawrence hotel the water stood seven feet deep on the dining room floor. At the European hotel the parlor floor was several feet under water. Business men attempting to save their books and papers waded in water up to their necks in their own offices. The custom house floor was flooded two feet deep, also the Merchants' bank in which the Western Union telegragh office is located, cutting off all communication with the outside world for a time. The Illinois Central bridge, though heavily ballasted with stone laden freight cars, was swept away, and the heavy iron bridge at Green street met the same fate. Landslides obstruct the railroads. The track of the Burlington & Northern is so covered at twenty points below Galena and at Galena Junction, a distance of three miles, seven miles of the Northwestern track was washed away. The public and private losses are very heavy.

No one appears to know anything about Judge Gresham's reply to the Knights of Labor as to his candidacy before the convention at Omaha for president.

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It was a bitter dose that Tammany was forced to swallow at the Chicago convention.

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The Otoe county democrats feel terribly sore over the speech of Billy O'Bryan at Nebraska City Monday. His position on the silver bill does not accord with the rank and file of those democrats. The democrats of Otoe county are sanguine of his defeat.

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The New York Sun (dem), in commenting on the Chicago nomination, says:

"There is one question depending on the election of the next president, which in its momentous importance and vital importiveness must seem to every philosophical observer to exceed every other political question that the people are now called upon to determine.

"We mean the question whether these southern states which have inherited a negro population surpassing the number of their white citizens, shall be by federal law and by federal military force subjected to the political domination of the negroes. The republican party is, by its nature and tradition, under the necessity of enacting and executing an election law whose purpose and effect will be to put the negroes in control of several of the southern states. On the other hand, and by the nature and necessity of the ideas involved, the success of the democracy is death to the force bill project. Killed in the election it can never be revived. In this view of the contest, what conscientious democrat can hesitate about his duty? Better vote for the liberty and the white government of the southern states, even if the candidate were the devil himself, rather than consent to the election of respectable Benjamin Harrison with a force bill in his pocket."

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The Omaha Bee's Washington correspondent has this to say concerning the nomination for vice president on the democratic ticket:

"There was considerable discussion in Washington yesterday with regard to the record of Mr. Adlai Stevenson, who was selected to be Grover Cleveland's running mate on the democratic presidential ticket. There seems to have been a very general impression that Mr. Stevenson was an old soldier, and that for that reason he would be particularly acceptable to the soldier element. This view was shared by a large number of democratic congressmen, and it was with considerable surprise that they learned that Mr. Stevenson had no army record and that during the war he was pursuing the peaceful occupation of a lawyer at his home in Illinois.

"At the outbreak of the war and until Mr. Stevenson was master in chancery of Woodford county, Illinois, from 1861 to 1865, he was the state's attorney for the Twenty-third judicial district. There has also been a raking of his political record, as there has been an impression that he was not an out and out democrat in the years immediately succeeding the war and that he had at time greenback affiliations.

"Mr. Stevenson's first appearance in national politics was in 1874, when he made a successful contest for the position of congressman from the old thirteenth district of Illinois. At that time he ran as a candidate of the 'independent reform party.' President Hayes appointed him in 1879 a member of the board of visitors to West Point. He again made the race for congress and by a combination between the national greenback and democratic parties he was elected to the forty-sixth congress by a majority of 1,880 votes over the republican candidate. Mr. Stevenson's gratuitous title of 'general' comes from his having been Cleveland's first 'assistant postmaster general.' It was reported in Grand Army of the Republic circles here to-day that Mr. Stevenson during the war was a copperhead and a shining light in the order of the Knights of the Golden Circle, and also that his sympathies were constantly with the south. It is also stated by clerks in the postoffice department who served there while Stevenson was President Cleveland's headman of fourth class postmasters, that it was he who appointed so many jail birds to hand out the mails to unsophisticated citizens.

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