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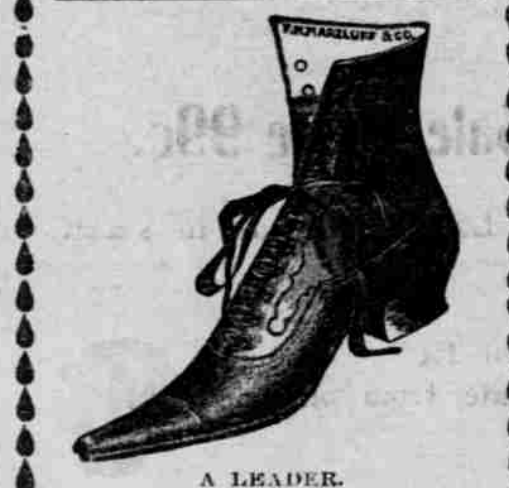
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FRIDAY, AUGUST 4, 1899.

STAND UP for Plattsburgh and the street fair.

**SHERIFF FRANK JOHNSON.** That would sound all right.

SAN FRANCISCO will reap a rich harvest by reason of the soldiers being mustered out there.

THE quiet manner in which the Fighting First greeted the governor of Nebraska was quite embarrassing to that gentleman and his friends. But what could he expect?

THE date of the demo-pop county convention has been fixed for September 27. It is understood that this will be one of the attractions at the Cass county fair.

AS A result of American administration, the first half of the current fiscal year shows a balance of \$4,967,500 in the city of Havana. That is quite a change from the old way of doing business.

A TOWN of 11,000 inhabitants has just been captured by a force of 1,000 Americans. That is about the right proportion—ten to one. It is not as bad as 16 to 1, anyway.

THE democrats of Maryland have nominated a gold standard democrat for governor. A few years ago Maryland had quite a sprinkling of free silver advocates, but they are as scarce now as the proverbial hen's teeth.

AT THE republican state convention at Des Moines yesterday Shaw was re-nominated for governor and William for lieutenant governor of the Hawkeye state. They are good men and sure winners.

THE resolution adopted at the Iowa republican state convention have the right ring to them. President McKinley's war policy and the gold standard were endorsed. There is no half-way business about Iowa republicanism at any stage of the game.

ILLINOIS is going to try the project of conducting free employment offices for the unemployed wage workers. It is hoped this will prove successful, as the credulous wage workers have been "skinned" long enough in large cities by private labor agencies. The offices will be established at Chicago.

AFTER taking a two weeks' lay-off from their petty quarreling as to who is getting out the best paper, the Bee and World-Herald are once more at it. The fuss started over the reports from San Francisco in regard to the First regiment and gives promise of being as interesting as any school-boy rag-chewing.

ALL that is necessary to make the street fair a great success is a leader to get the thing started. A number of merchants have spoken favorably of the scheme and expressed themselves as being willing to contribute liberal sums. It would be a splendid advertisement for the city, and every dollar spent would come back to the merchant who gave it, with interest. Push it along.

THE following sensible paragraph is taken from the St. Louis Globe-Democrat: "Representative Landis of Indiana is undoubtedly right in his assertion that the west is with the president on the Philippine question."

The west, except a few of the reactionaries, like Bryan, Stone and Alge, stands with the administration in the purpose to prosecute the war vigorously, and establish American authority all over the islands. These copperheads have the greater part of the western democracy against them. There will be a savage fight in the democratic convention of 1900 on the expansion issue. Probably the reactionaries will win in that gathering. Democratic conventions have committed so many follies that nobody will be surprised if Stone carries his "anti-imperialism" lunacy through that of 1900. No states in this quarter, however, will be won on the contraction issue. There are very few flag furlers in the western states.

### INFORMATION AND OPINION.

The men of the Twentieth Kansas need not imagine their troubles are ended when they leave the Philippines. The women of Kansas have formed clubs whose members are pledged to marry none but members of the regiment. Unless the volunteers surrender on their return the crop of old maids threatens to be larger than that of sunflowers and not half so gorgeous.—Bee.

The current number of the House-keeper, a magazine published in the interest of ladies, at Minneapolis, contains the pictures of five Glenwood, Ia.,

ladies—members of club No. 1 of the Progressive Women of America. The ladies are known in this city, their names being Mrs. Lulu Irons, Mrs. Jennie McClusky, Mrs. Ara Lyon, Mrs. B. Windham and Miss Emma Kellogg. The article accompanying the portraits is quite interesting.

Adam Sloup of Omaha was appointed by Governor Poynter to the position of superintendent of the state fisheries. Sloup is a democrat and conducts a saloon in Omaha. Henry Hempel is vexed—anyhow that much.

### MEASURING LIGHTNING.

How Humboldt Struck on the Fulgurite Idea.

It is not generally known that many flashes of lightning not only measure themselves but actually manufacture the recorder by which they are defined. When a bolt of lightning strikes a bed of sand it plunges downward into the sand for a distance less or greater, transforming simultaneously into glass the silica in the material through which it passes. Thus, by its great heat, it forms a glass tube of precisely its own size. Now and then such a tube known as "fulgurite" is found and dug up. Fulgurites have been followed into the sand by excavation for nearly 30 feet. They vary in interior diameter from the size of a quill to three inches or more, according to the "bore" of the flash. Fulgurites are found also in solid rock, though very naturally of slight depth, and frequently existing merely as a thin, glassy coating on the surface. Such fulgurites occur in astonishing abundance on the summit of Little Ararat in Armenia. The rock is soft and so porous that blocks a foot long can be obtained, perforated in all directions by little tubes filled with bottle-green glass formed from the fused rock. There is a small specimen in the national museum which has the appearance of having been bored by the terebra, and the holes made by the worm subsequently filled with glass. Some wonderful fulgurites were found by Humboldt, on the high Nevada de Toluca, in Mexico. Masses of rock were covered with a thin layer of green glass. Its peculiar shimmer in the sun led Humboldt to ascend the precipitous peak, at the risk of his life.

### COUNTRESS ITO'S BRAVERY.

Cruelly Ill-Treated by a Band of Assassins.

Many years ago, when quite a young man, during a rebellion, Count Ito was hiding from his enemies, who, having tracked him to his house, sent a band of "sohns" to assassinate him, says the Cornhill Magazine. On hearing his enemies approaching, and trapped like a rat in his hole, the count drew his sword and prepared to die, but the countess whispered, "Do not die, there is hope still," and, removing the "hibachi," or firebox, and lifting up the mats and the planks beneath, saw induced her husband to conceal himself in the hollow space which exists under the floors of all Japanese houses. The murderers broke into the room just as the firebox had been replaced and demanded of the countess their victim. In vain they threatened and cruelly ill-treated her, dragging her about the room by her long black hair. But it was of no avail; they could not shake her resolute fidelity. Thanks to her courage, Count Ito escaped and has lived to give his country a new constitution and become one of the greatest statesmen of modern Japan. I often wonder when I see the countess, now a delicate, gray-haired, little lady, at the courage and presence of mind she displayed at that critical moment of her life.

Kodol Dyspepsia Cure cures dyspepsia because its ingredients are such that it can't help doing so. "The public can rely upon it as a master remedy for all disorders arising from imperfect digestion."—James M. Thomas, M. D., in American Journal of Health, N. Y. F. G. Fricke & Co.

**England's Pauper Population.**  
On Jan. 1, 1899, the total number of paupers receiving relief in England and Wales was \$21,238. As the population of the two countries is estimated at 31,397,078, the paupers relieved amounted to one out of every 38 persons, or 2.6 of the population. London city heads the list in regard to the number in receipt of relief, the total amounting to 123,665 persons. In Middlesex the outdoor pauperism is smaller than in 36 of the 45 counties. There is an increase in the number of insane paupers. This class has increased year by year from 20,975 in 1858 to 33,557 in 1898. London contributed the like of 5,192 indoor and 14,541, or a total of 20,133. The West Riding of Yorkshire comes next in the order of insanity with a total of 5,551.

**Rates for Greater America Exposition.**  
Reduced rates to Omaha will apply from points on the Burlington route within 200 miles of that city during the entire period of the Greater America exposition, which opens July 1 and closes October 31.

There will be three different kinds of tickets: Ten-day tickets, which will be sold at 80 per cent of double the one-way rate.

Seven-day tickets, the rate for which will be one fare for the round trip, plus 5 per cent on sale Tuesdays.

"Week-end" tickets, which will be on sale Saturdays and for Sunday trains due in Omaha before 1 p. m.—one fare for the round trip.

J. FRANCIS, G. P. A., Omaha, Neb.

### Queen's Most Valuable Perquisites.

The Duke of Marlborough and Wellington present the queen on each anniversary of the battles of Blenheim and Waterloo with small replicas of the French flag and royal British standard. At the end of each year the flags are given to the officer of the guard who is on duty on those two days. The most valuable perquisites received by the queen are six magnificent Cashmere shawls, from Cashmere, which range in value from £100 to £250 each.

## RETURN TO ROUTINE.

Nebraskans in Camp at the Presidio Take Up Their Regular Duties.

Drilling Will Soon Be Dispensed With and Men Relieved of Their Guns.

SAN FRANCISCO, Aug. 1.—The First Nebraska regiment spent a pleasant night in camp and the boys are feeling good today. The weather is fine and the dust which bothered somewhat yesterday is not stirring today. Very few of the men have caught cold and there were a smaller number than usual at sick call today.

Orders were issued at the camp today and the Nebraskans took up the regular routine of duties as follows: Guard mount at 7:40 in the morning, band concert at 8 o'clock and parade at 8:30.

It is probable that all drilling of the returned troops will be dispensed with and that within a short time they will be relieved of their guns.

Governor Poynter and Congressman Stark visited the camp this afternoon and gave a close inspection to all the conveniences and surroundings. They found that the government was taking such good care of the boys that nothing further could be desired.

**Concert by the Band.**  
The band concert today was the first regular one given since the fighting began. At the opening of hostilities with the Philippines the band men went into the ranks and have made good soldiers. Since the regiment was taken from the front the band took up practice again and is now in good shape. It has twenty men. Since enlistment fifty-two men have served in the band.

In order that they might have every care, eleven men who answered to sick call were sent to the general hospital today. They were Roy Wiltamuth, Company M, fever; Fred Triche, Company H, ulcer; William Stevens, Company G, abscess; Charles Mohler, Company G, burn; F. Dunning, Company E, convalescing from wounds; Peter Anderson, Company E, fever; P. A. Royner, Company M, diarrhoea; H. Hottelstein, Company H, convalescing from wound; Joseph Jones, Company H, diarrhoea; Eugene Heall, Company C, boil; Mark Pavers, Company C, diarrhoea.

None of these are serious and all were able to walk over to the hospital. Sergeant J. B. Miller of Company A received notice by wire today of his discharge, in order that he may go home to see his sick father. He will start as soon as the discharge is completed. It is learned from an official source that any man in the hospital may be immediately discharged in case his relatives or friends are here ready to give him proper care. This course must, however, be approved by the regimental commander and surgeon in each case.

**Plenty to Eat.**  
The soldiers at the Presidio have an excellent bill of fare. Besides the regular ration of fresh meat, bread, potatoes, coffee and vegetables, they have canned fruit, butter and milk. The companies also have mess funds with which they buy fresh fruits and vegetables. The new kitchens and dining halls are found to be models of convenience. In fact, the complaint comes from certain sources that the boys are being treated extra good as an inducement for them to re-enlist.

As was expected a general attack is being made on the national administration by a San Francisco paper with a New York and Omaha attachment. A few interviews with Nebraska boys have been printed denouncing General Otis. These interviews, when seen in print, are for the most part repudiated by the men, who say the language is that of an unscrupulous reporter instead of their own. Silent consent to the suggestive remarks of the interviewer is made the pretext for columns of pretended interviews.

Colonel Mulford heard from the Bee correspondent the first definite news of his new commission in the army and of the effort being made to get him a better one. He says General Otis offered him a lieutenant colonelcy, but he preferred to come home with his troops, depending on proper recognition from the war department after reaching here.

### Merchants Win the Gold.

MINNEAPOLIS, Aug. 1.—A special to the Times from Duluth, Minn., says: Emerson Bull of this city has returned after eighteen months spent in the Klondike country. Mr. Bull says the people who are "making money in the Klondike" are those in business. They get all the small miners' money. Last year Bull was on the summit of White pass engaged in freighting. Early in the spring Mr. Kilgore, also of Duluth, and Bull started for Dawson with supplies, theirs being the first scow to go down the river. On arrival at Dawson they found the market bare and two hours after opening their stock they had sold it for \$7,200. Eggs went like hot cakes at \$55 a case, potatoes brought 67 cents a pound and lemons \$65 for 300.

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## REPORT OF CHICAGO MARKETS.

From Thursday's Daily.  
Following is the range of prices on the Chicago board of trade today, as furnished by M. S. Briggs, commission merchant:

Wheat—	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.
Sept.	69 1/2	70 1/2	71 1/2	72 1/2	73 1/2	74 1/2	75 1/2	76 1/2	77 1/2	78 1/2	79 1/2	80 1/2
Oct.	71 1/2	72 1/2	73 1/2	74 1/2	75 1/2	76 1/2	77 1/2	78 1/2	79 1/2	80 1/2	81 1/2	82 1/2
Nov.	73 1/2	74 1/2	75 1/2	76 1/2	77 1/2	78 1/2	79 1/2	80 1/2	81 1/2	82 1/2	83 1/2	84 1/2
Dec.	75 1/2	76 1/2	77 1/2	78 1/2	79 1/2	80 1/2	81 1/2	82 1/2	83 1/2	84 1/2	85 1/2	86 1/2
Jan.	77 1/2	78 1/2	79 1/2	80 1/2	81 1/2	82 1/2	83 1/2	84 1/2	85 1/2	86 1/2	87 1/2	88 1/2
Feb.	79 1/2	80 1/2	81 1/2	82 1/2	83 1/2	84 1/2	85 1/2	86 1/2	87 1/2	88 1/2	89 1/2	90 1/2
Mar.	81 1/2	82 1/2	83 1/2	84 1/2	85 1/2	86 1/2	87 1/2	88 1/2	89 1/2	90 1/2	91 1/2	92 1/2
Apr.	83 1/2	84 1/2	85 1/2	86 1/2	87 1/2	88 1/2	89 1/2	90 1/2	91 1/2	92 1/2	93 1/2	94 1/2
May	85 1/2	86 1/2	87 1/2	88 1/2	89 1/2	90 1/2	91 1/2	92 1/2	93 1/2	94 1/2	95 1/2	96 1/2
June	87 1/2	88 1/2	89 1/2	90 1/2	91 1/2	92 1/2	93 1/2	94 1/2	95 1/2	96 1/2	97 1/2	98 1/2
July	89 1/2	90 1/2	91 1/2	92 1/2	93 1/2	94 1/2	95 1/2	96 1/2	97 1/2	98 1/2	99 1/2	100 1/2
Aug.	91 1/2	92 1/2	93 1/2	94 1/2	95 1/2	96 1/2	97 1/2	98 1/2	99 1/2	100 1/2	101 1/2	102 1/2

### WORDS OF BOSTON ORIGIN.

Some Expressions That Have Been Coined in That City.

From the Boston Transcript: At the meeting of the Bostonian society in the old statehouse C. W. Ernst delivered an interesting talk on the subject, "Words Coined in Boston." Mr. Ernst said that Gov. Ames introduced among other unsavory things the term "your excellency," as applied to the governor. The speaker claimed the word "boss" was first used by a man named Gardner, who came in a ship from the North Sea in charge of some mechanics. The word "help," meaning a person hired to assist, is Bostonian, and was considered a very honorable appellation. Mr. Ernst mentioned the following as having their origin in Boston: "Real estate," "corner," "dockage," "measurer of wood," "advice and consent," "mixed drinks," "dooming board," "transients," referring to hotel accommodation, used as early as 1709 in a permission given by the selectmen of Boston; "fire ward," "fix," "stormy," in the Boston sense of rainy, cloudy, but not necessarily implying wind; "blanks," in the sense of "blank forms"; "limbs," applied to both arms and legs and described as being peculiar; "depreciating currency," "fluctuating currency," and "promoter," claimed by the speaker to have been first introduced in a treatise on finance by Dr. Douglas; "Boston brown bread," first used in 1746 in description of a baked mixture of rye or wheat with Indian meal; "assortment," replacing an original sortiment; the use of the "store" for "shop"; "goodies," also in the revolutionary and post-revolutionary period various phrases, including "continental congress." Mr. Ernst described "block" and "police" as terms originating in Boston, saying that the police were then named here long before the term was applied to them in England. He held that "bindery" was coined in Boston; also that the telephone "hello" went from here to all parts of the world. "Teamster" was Boston coined; so was "bicyclist." "Democrat" had its origin in Philadelphia in 1793, and was first used to describe a party policy in Boston in 1804.

### BRAVE LITTLE SUNFISH.

Its Fight with a Carp Ten Times Its Size.

"I saw an amusing thing the other day, while out fishing in Fish lake," said James Weston to a St. Louis Globe-Democrat man. "I was catching fish about as fast as any one who was not fishing for the market would care to, and many of them were sunfish. In a sheltered spot I noticed one of these little fellows standing motionless, except his fins, which occasionally moved very slowly. I dropped my hook, with a small minnow on, close to the fish's nose, when it moved up, took hold of the bait very gingerly, carried it away about three feet, dropped it and glided back to its place by the stone, once more settling itself as it was before I disturbed it. Looking closely, I discovered a fungus beneath the fish that looked like a bit of colored lace. I then knew that the little goggle-eye was on its spawning bed. Again in the spirit of fun, I dropped the minnow near the sunfish. She snapped it by the tail and lugged it off fully two yards and let it drop, sending back to the nest again like a shot. I concluded not to disturb it again and was about to leave when a lubberly carp came moving along. The ugly fish let itself rise gradually, as if to take a survey of its surroundings. Its shadow fell across the sunfish nest, and like a weathercock in a gale, the little sunfish swung around and faced the carp that was ten times its size and fifteen times its weight. Mr. Carp moved on toward the carefully prepared nest, when, like a cyclone, the little sunfish, with dorsal fin erect, made a charge on the big disturber of the peace. The sunfish did not attack the carp's head, but with bristling spines, shot under the big fish's belly and prodded him with their needle points. The old carp humped his back and began wobbling away, but the sunfish circled and gave it another rake with its dorsal fin, when I noticed about six inches of intestine protruding from the carp's abdomen. That seemed to satisfy the pugnacious sunfish and it returned to its sentinel duty above its nest. I have often heard of the little sunfish's game qualities, but I never before saw one in action. From that demonstration I don't think the carp will destroy much of the spawn of the little sunny, and I am sure they won't get near a bass bed."

**A Relic of Old Paris.**  
A very curious relic of old Paris is about to be removed—the house in the Rue de Venise, built in 1402 by the celebrated alchemist, palmist and philanthropist, Nicholas Flamel. It is one of the few specimens of fifteenth century architecture still to be seen in the French capital, says the London Chronicle. Until the revolution its upper floors were let to poor old men and women, who, in accordance with Flamel's will, had only to pray for the repose of his soul and to say an ave every day at the hour he died to secure lodgings rent free.

One Minute Cough Cure quickly cures obstinate summer coughs and colds. "I consider it a most wonderful medicine, quick and safe."—W. M. Merton, Mayhew, Wis. F. G. Fricke & Co.

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victim to stomach, liver and kidney troubles as well as women, and all feel the results in loss of appetite, poisons in the blood, backache, nervousness, headache, and tired, listless, run-down feeling. But there's no need to feel like that. Listen to J. W. Gardner of Indianapolis, Ind. He says: "Electric Bitters are just the thing for a man when he is all run down, and don't care whether he lives or dies. It did more to give me new strength and good appetite than anything I could take. I can now eat anything and have a new lease on life." Only 50 cents at F. G. Fricke & Co's drug store. Every bottle guaranteed.

### Precede the Car.

The workmen who go in advance of the car whenever they travel form a squad of six mechanics. Two are locksmiths, two carpenters and two masons. All are married men, born in the czar's service, and absolutely devoted to their sovereign. Their business is to examine the walls, flooring, chimneys, locks and furniture of the apartments which the czar is to occupy. The mechanics, in particular, engage their attention, for every due leading to a room in which the czar is to sleep or eat has to be grated or barred at top or bottom. This is perhaps the most important body of men in the royal bodyguard, as they might at any time, with but little danger to themselves, admit or direct an assassin.

Blotches and excoriation, which so often annoy people, are simply efforts of nature to throw off impediments to the proper performance of her duties. Herbine will aid and assist nature in her work, and ensure a skin clear and beautiful, entirely free from all imperfections. Price 50c. F. G. Fricke & Co.

### WHY?

Why isn't an astronomer a night watchman?  
Why isn't a man who is flighty a balloonist?  
Why don't banks employ gossips as receiving tellers?  
Why isn't a blessing in disguise always out of sight?  
Why isn't it whipped cream when the cat gets through licking it?  
Why isn't the doctor who is always taking somebody off a funny fellow?  
Why does the baby that talks so plainly to its mother always decline to be interviewed by strangers?—Chicago News.

Where the digestion is good, and the general powers of the system in a healthy state, worms can find no habitation in the human body. White's Cream Vermifuge not only destroys every worm, but corrects all derangements of the digestive organs. Price 25c. F. G. Fricke & Co.

### A Mirror Attachment.

Ladies will appreciate a new mirror attachment which will enable them to see the back of their hats and gowns, a clamp being attached to one side of a large glass to carry a series of links forming a flexible arm which can be adjusted to bring a small mirror into position to show the figure in the large one.

### Road Civilities.

The man on the yellow bicycle swerved hurriedly to one side to get out of the way of a buggy and ran into the curbstone, to the serious disfigurement of his front wheel. "You will pardon me," jeered the man in the buggy, stopping to look at the wreck. "If I call that a mighty poor turn out."

Kodol Dyspepsia Cure thoroughly digests food without aid from the stomach, and at the same time heals and restores the diseased digestive organs. It is the only remedy that does both of these things and can be relied upon to permanently cure dyspepsia. F. G. Fricke & Co.

**These Unavoidable.**  
The Old One—My boy, now that you are starting out, remember there are two kinds of women in the world to avoid—the married and the unmarried. The Young One—How about the widows, governor? The Old One—Don't try. It would be useless.—Town Topics.

### Innocent Creatures.

She—Henry, I want some money. He—Money? What for? She—I want to buy one of those baseball bats. They must be all the rage; the papers have so much to say about them.—Indianapolis Journal.

### Red Hot From the Gun.

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