# A HUMBLE MINER'S SON.

#### He Rose to be a Great Reformer Whose Name Will Never Die.

The genius and inspiration of the their privileges, directly or indirectly, view to the son of the Saxon miner, who became the leader of the greatest liberaory movement among men since the adent of Christ. The wonderful "Story f the Reformation," from which we derive perpetual blessings, and which was so successfully given in Central Music Hall, May 29th, will be given in Calumet Theatre, South Chicago avenue and Ninety-second street, South Chicago, under the auspices of the First M. E. Church, by another class of participants. Admission 50 and 35 cents. Tickets at Keller's jewelry store, 233 Ninety-second street; will be on sale on and after noon, June 10th. The church for whose benefit this is given was burned to the ground during the World's Fair. By means of this entertainment they are trying to pay for their new church, which they have since built. A fine entertainment is expected. Let all Protestants attend this entertainment. All Protestantism French. As a result of his misundershares alike the blessings and renown which flow from this reformation. P.

#### Down in West Virginia.

WHEELING, W. Va., May 27 .- EDto let you know how the A. P. A. are stay on top. J. C. Hardenburgh, of on May 17 and 18, and Wheeling Council, No. 2, with a brass band, met Mr. Hardenburgh at the train and marched up the main streets to the Hotel Mc-Lure (and, by the way, find inclosed the badge that I wore in the parade, and all the boys had one just like it). people out west want to hear a true was at this point the lie was passed. American, send for J. C. Hardenburgh. Let me tell you what the A. P. A's have done in Wheeling. For the last twenty-five years four-fifths of the offices in this city have been held by Roman Catholics. But a little over a year ago the A. P. A. started in busi- drainage board. The election of trusthad an election, and when the polls were closed and the votes counted, out friends are urging him for the place. of some sixty officers elected, only one, thank God, was an un-American Roman Catholic, and he slipped in by just 1 will not be even one Romanist elected. herent of that church himself. We are ready in Wheeling, and in the will not be one inch behind us. Let us P. A. go on in this good work, and the time will soon come when the Romish hier ing, as it were. archy will be no more in this country, and then we can all sing with truth: "My country, 'tis of thee, sweet land of liberty." I am your friend, and for God and the American nation,

## D. W. MARTIN.

## The Juniors' First Parade.

Representatives from the various Jr. O. U. A. M. councils of Kansas City formed in parade with the great concourse of other bodies on Memorial Day. About two hundred were in line marching under the Stars and Stripes, with a huge streamer leading the van, on which appeared the initial letters of

Many odd expressions were awaktheir identity, in all likelihood caused a time, worry yez, that I'll wote for by the great amount of red, white and blue displayed. The most general expression was: "There go the Junior A. P. A's." This designation is applied by a certain class in our city who term everything "A. P. A." which is

While the parade was passing around the city hall, a loafer of uncertain nastreet. None of the parties were known.

### Pope's Present Attitude.

At the present moment the populara rule, when the king's government is unpopular the pope is popular. It is like Vesuvius and the solfataire; when one is active the other is quiescent, and vice versa. The pope will now, as of old, aid and abet any movement which or faction against the other. It is the to her under peculiar circumstances.

demolition of the monarchy that robbed holiness will pardon me," said the the pope, and so Leo XIII supports the queen, "but I am entitled to eat meat insurgents, Freemasons, anarchists, re- at all times, even without your holipublicans, et id omne genus. For once ness' permission, for I am a Protesand for a moment in the shuffling of tant." The pope smiled and said: Monk of Wittenberg furnished the gem | the Italian cards the pope and the sedi- "Well, then, I will transfer the dispentruths or principles of all true reforms tious adultamites of all sorts and condi-sation to your daughter Mathilde." in church and state, in government and tions find themselves in the same camp. This was done, and the order remains society, that make up the christian The fact is, the pope just now is in the in force to the present day .- Paris De ciples). civilization of the present day. All most delightful and enviable position bats. who enjoy civil and religious liberty of being able to say to discontented throughout the world are indebted for Italy: "I told you so!"-Fortnightly Re-

#### MINNESOTA IN LINE.

#### State Council of the Junior Order U. A. ers. Take good heed that neither our M. Organized.

Minnesota now has the thirtieth state council in the United States, says the American of Pittsburgh, and the six- principled colonics of Jesuits, priests, teenth state council instituted west of is comparatively small, it is of the best plots of Rome. Be not deceived by the quality, and fully capable of performing the great work to which it has been called. We voice the sentiment of thousands of Juniors, from Maine to Oregon, when we say: Hall Minnesota! Thrice welcome to our great sisterhood of states!

#### Tangled Up in His French.

SPRINGFIELD, Ill., May 28.-Tim Hogan, from the Chicago stock-yards district, is evidently a little rusty in his standing of French terms, he created a breeze at the afternoon session of the house by vehemently calling Chairman Needles, of the appropriations committee, a liar. The committee had re-ITOR THE AMERICAN: My dear, true ported unfavorably a bill appropriating American friends, I take the liberty to money for a statue of Marquette. A write you a few words from Wheeling motion was made to non-concur. In

supporting the report of the committee getting along. I want to say that the Mr. Needles referred several times to A. P. A. are on top in this city, and, the early explorer as "Father Marby the help of God, we are going to quette." The bill reads "Pere Marquette." Hogan, not knowing that aims. Cleveland, Ohio, lectured in our city Pere" is the French for "father," thought Needles was referring in contempt to the Catholic explorer in order to set the A. P. A. vote against the bill. Hogan shouted that the name was not "Father Marquette," but "Pere Marquette," pronouncing the last syllable of Marquette as if spelled with a w. Hardenburgh is the grandest man that Needles, not appreciating Hogan's diffi-I ever met. He strikes out straight culty, replied warmly that "Father from the shoulder, and hits Rome be- Marquette" was right and that he was tween the eyes every time. So, if your not to be intimidated by anyone. It

The motion was beaten and the bill was laid on the table.

#### A Lucky Man.

Commissioner of Public Works Kent is being boomed for president of the ness in Wheeling, and last January we ees for the sanitary district will take place next fail, and the commissioner's He would make a good run, they think.

H i a member of several Roman majority! At the next election there Catholic societies, being a strong ad-

And his recent efforts in exposing whole state, to take up arms, if need the number of people with Irish names be, to defend our country; and I know on the city pay-rolls has won for him that your city and the western states the unbounded admiration of the A.

So he has both sides, going and com-

So there you are-and his boom is on. - Chicago Eagle.

## That A. P. A. Flag.

During the recent campaign in Kansas City for the nominations to city offices, a band-wagon, decorated with streamers and the American flag, was passing down Union avenue. Several persons were standing on the curbing looking and listening, when a halfdrunk son of the Emerald Isle remarked:

"There's that d-d A. Pa. I. proseshun. I'll niver wote for that feller." "Why not?" asked a bystander, smil-

"Begorry, don't yez see them d-d ened along the line of march regarding A. Pa. I. flags on de wagon? It's divil card for additional service between Chi-

### Help Yourself.

The christian sympathy and charity which the gospel inculcates have always been abused. Intended to stimuin any way connected with the Amer- late industry and manly self-reliance, they have often been so perverted as to encourage idleness and dependence upon others. Lecky, in his "History tivity offered an insulting remark to of European Morals," after paying a the American flag. The expression had just tribute to the vast organization of no sooner fallen from his lips than he charity by the early Catholic church, was struck by three men, and he went says that one of the first consequences sprawling from the sidewalk into the of this exuberant charity was to increase idleness and poverty. "The poverty it has relieved has been insignificant in comparison with the poverty it has caused." The great study of phiity of the pope is largely political. As lanthropists of later times has been to so administer charity as to make it an incentive to self-helpfulness .- Epworth Herald.

## A Privileged Person.

Princess Mathilde is one of the few rises against the power opposed to him. Catholics who are entitled to eat meat It is the old instinct of maintaining his during Lent by a special decree of the own position by playing off one nation pope. This dispensation was accorded great papal policy of the middle ages. When the Queen of Westphalia, the Garibaldi supported the unity of mother of Princess Mathilde, once paid Italy, which meant the destruction of a visit to Pope Plus IX. at the Vatican, the pope's temporal power. So Pius the pope had a special "bull" drawn IX was opposed to the Garibaldi revo- out for her benefit, in memory of her if so send in your order to us. Look lution. But the Sicilian revolution visit, dispensing her from fasting dur- over our advertisements for what and Maffai movement threatens the ing the whole of her lifetime. "Your you want.

#### A Word to American Patriots.

Your country's destinies, its weal or woe, are in your hands. Show yourselves to be the worthy, the gallant, the devout sons of your venerable forefathholy religion founded upon the open Bible, nor our free republic sustain any more damage from the flerce and unnuns and laymen, who are charged Pennsylvania. While the membership with the execution of the revolutionary cry of either the ignorant or the designing.

Our land has been invaded secretly and slyly by the fanatical troops of a great foreign power, which approaches us under the mask of religion. The Primitive Catholic has stripped and will continue to strip the vizor of religion from the face of Rome's satellites and show them in their true colors.

Yet it may be that she cares not how many assaults be made, in exposing her idolatry, her superstition, her fierce bigotry and fanaticism, provided our holy Protestant but godless politicians will only favor her with their forbearance and quietly allow her to do the work of her foreign master effectually in undermining by all possible means our fair and flourishing American re-

We must give our most careful attention to the movements of this fatal enemy. We must make ourselves masters of Rome's plans, her policy and her

She has for centuries waged war of extermination against the rights of man, the liberty of conscience and the freedom of the press. To accomplish her ends she has employed dung cons, chains and racks, gibbets, fire and sword.

Under Almighty God, the protector of our country, it is in your power, men of America, to cause this enemy's arm to be clean dried up and his right eye utterly darkened.

Let us all go, shoulder to shoulder, with one heart and one cheering war shout under the banner of the Captain of our Salvation, to achieve the glorious victory. Let our watchword be, as we advance in this our defensive and offensive war, God's cause and crown and our country's salvation.

Men of the A.P.A., stand to your guns. Remember you are the educators of the people, the forerunners of freedom from Rome's oppres ion .- Primitive Catholic.

### A MONTH AMONG THE MOUNTAINS.

Teachers-and their friends, too, for that matter-who want information about the best, absolutely the best, way to reach Denver at the time of the ing next July should write to J. Francis, Omaha, Neb., for a copy of a little book recently issued by the Passenger Department of the Burlington Route.

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#### A Ringer from Illinois.

AMERICAN.

The following was passed without a dissenting vote by the Illinois Christian Ministerial Institute, in session at Taylorville, Ill., April 25, 1895. The institute represents about ninety ministers, and among them some of the strongest preachers of this church (Dis-

WHEREAS, There exist on the statute-books of our state special legislative acts by which the Roman Catholic bishop of Chicago is made a corporation sole, by virtue of which he is effabled to hold, sell, and convey, free of 1116 Farnam Street. taxation, real estate without limit; and,

WHEREAS, The said Roman Catholic bishop of Chicago does now hold in trust for the sole use of the Roman Catholic church between \$70,000,000 and \$100,000,000 worth of untaxable

WHEREAS, The same legislature that granted these special favors to the said Roman Catholic church repealed an act by which the Episcopal bishop of Illinois was enabled to hold real estate for the benefit of the Episcopal church;

WHEREAS, It is believed by this body that all or any special legislation favoring any ecclesiastical body is un-American, unjust, and to be deprecated; therefore, be it

Resolved, That this body does most heartily indorse the course of Col. Merriam, of the Thirty-ninth General Assembly of Illinois, in his untiring efforts to effect the repeal of this nefari-

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