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### The McCook Tribune.

The Irish World is delivering telling blows for Harrison and Morton and protection.

The strike on the Evansville, Indianapolis & Terre Haute road is off pending settlement.

There is a general movement in Kansas in the direction of fusion between the Democracy and the Union Labor party.

This favored little commonwealth has a superb school fund, which is rapidly assuming immense proportions. Invested as it should be, its growth would be healthfully stimulated, and the state school tax would be desirably reduced.

The outrageous, unreasonable and virulent assaults made on the republican party by the third party prohibitionists, through some of their speakers, candidates and their press, is absolutely unequalled for senseless, disgusting and unbearable. Intensified, too, by the fact that the republican party has three prohibition states to its credit, while the prohibitors have nothing but vituperation of that party in their assets.

HAVING refused the advice of congress in this serious matter, and having gone ahead and negotiated a treaty which the representatives of the fisheries industry declare not only beneath the dignity of the country, but inadequate to protect their interests, the President makes a spectacle of himself now by proposing measures which he refused to employ when the provocation was fresh and the occasion still existed.

THE Republicans of Wisconsin have nominated a newspaper editor for Governor. The man is Mr. W. D. Hoard of Atkinson, Jefferson county. He is by nature an agriculturist as well as a statesman, and his chief paper—we believe there are several of them—is devoted to the affairs of the dairy, and is published weekly. He was a soldier in the war, and was an orderly at General Butler's headquarters during the occupation of New Orleans. Mr. Hoard is also one of the greatest humorists of the country, and can tell a story better than any other man. He was nominated against the machine and the politicians, and his election is certain.

SENATOR ALLISON has been doing some more figuring and he finds that the expenditures of the government during the four years of Cleveland's administration exceeded by \$95,000,000 the expenditures for the four years of Garfield and Arthur's administrations. Senator Beck, in replying to this, complimented Senator Allison for his fairness. And yet this is the great reform administration, an administration that came into power on its promise of economy and on its charges of republican recklessness and extravagance. Yes, this is a wonderful administration—wonderful for a good many things that it would rather not have brought to public attention.

"POLITICS makes strange bed-fellows." A few months ago "the old Roman" was vigorously prosecuting Allen O. Meyers of account of the tally-sheet forgeries at Columbus, Ohio. Now the genial Meyers, as correspondent of the Cincinnati Enquirer, accompanies the noble old Italian on his grand swing around the circle. In the reception room at the Palmer House, Chicago, Saturday, as Meyers was entertaining a select coterie of friends and Mr. Thurman was shaking hands with the throng on the other side of the apartment, a trim looking gentleman wandered about the room trying to identify some one that he could trust in the crowd, Meyers noticing the look of distress on the face of one distinguished for gentility, quietly enquired, "Who is that?" "That," said one of the party, "is the Chief Justice of the United States. Allow me to introduce you." "Thanks," remarked Meyers, regretfully; "I guess not; he can't do my case any good."

THE unprecedented demand for campaign literature is one of the most encouraging features of the present canvass. There has never been anything like it in the history of presidential contests. The spirit of investigation in this year is not confined to any particular class, but extends to all the people, and persons are showing an interest now in economic questions that never before gave them any attention. In the present canvass the masses are not depending, as they usually do, in a national campaign, upon speakers for enlightenment, but they are eagerly seeking other sources of information and are industriously reading everything which comes in their way touching the great issue before the country. Tons of tariff literature have been sent out from Washington and New York to all points of the country, and still the demand for documents bearing upon the tariff is undiminished. Nothing could be more helpful than such an evidence of interest on the part of the people touching any public question. It indicates unmistakably an elevation of the standard of popular intelligence that should prove a source of the liveliest gratification to every patriotic citizen. It shows that the great mass of the voters of this country are learning to think for themselves, and that the auspicious day is already beginning to dawn when the right in suffrage shall be exercised with a rational appreciation of the grave responsibilities attaching to that privilege.

### "DON'T GIVE UP THE SHIP!"

HEADQUARTERS 2ND NATIONAL ENCAMPMENT GRAND ARMY OF THE REPUBLIC AND NATIONAL ASSOCIATION OF NAVAL VETERANS, TO BE HELD AT COLUMBUS, OHIO, SEPTEMBER 10 TO 15, 1888.

DEAR SHIPMATE: During the second week of the "Ohio Centennial" the National Reunion of Naval Veterans will be held at Columbus, Ohio, from September 10th to 15th, under the direction of the Twenty-second National Encampment of the Grand Army of the Republic, at which time there will be a hundred thousand army veterans here, and a thousand or more Naval Veterans. A cordial invitation is extended to you to be present on this occasion. Earnest efforts are being made by the National Association of Naval Veterans, as well as ourselves to have as many Veterans present as possible, and extensive arrangements are being made to make the Naval Display a grand feature of the parade. Several gunboats of different models, with mortar boats, etc., will be in line, run by steam, from which mortars will be fired throwing up daylight fireworks. The ex-sailors of Columbus have organized a "Crew" and will muster as such in naval suits of blue pants, white-shirts, and blue caps. We recommend that the ex-sailors of each city where a dozen or more can be mustered, organize a Naval Crew, adopt a uniform and come prepared to turn out with us as sailors in the great parade of September 10th. A large room in the State Capitol has been assigned to the National Association of Naval Veterans for headquarters, and also a large hall in the Sullivant School Building, just three squares from the Capitol, for general reunion purposes. A program will be arranged for each day of the reunion, and each evening will have its entertainments. All honor to the Union Soldier who protected our flag on land, but equal honor is also due to the Sailor, who not only fought on land as well as on water, but also was exposed by scalding steam, the stealthy torpedo, the battering ram and a watery grave. There was not a moment of his service to his country that he did not expose himself to danger of life and limb. The vast, extensive and important service rendered by our gallant Navy in the late war is not known or appreciated by the present generation as fully as it should be. Not only in the War of Rebellion, but in all previous conflicts in which we have been engaged as a nation, our Navy came fully up to the requirements of the hour, surpassing the expectations of the people and fairly covering itself with imperishable renown. We point with a feeling of pride to its heroic achievements and brilliant exploits, to the battles we fought, the victories we won, and the grand results accomplished. Forts Walker and Beauregard, Fort Jackson and St. Philip, Forts Henry and Hindman, Forts Morgan and Gaines, Forts Hatteras and Clark, are but a few of the victories for which the Nation is indebted exclusively to the Navy. We did equally well on the ocean, everywhere demonstrating, in language too plain to be misunderstood, the superiority of the American sailor. The destruction of the "Merrimack" by Worden; the "Manassas" by Farragut; the "Alabama" by Cushing; the "Arkansas" by Porter; the "Albatross" by Winslow are events to which we can refer with a considerable degree of pride. Farragut's triumphant ascension of the Mississippi River, and his August morning in Mobile Bay, have never been equalled in the annals of warfare, ancient or modern. The names of Morris and Worden, Stringham and Goldsborough, Foote and Davis Dupout and Dahlgren, Cushing and Rodgers, Wilkes and Winslow, Porter and Farragut should be written in letters of gold on the pages of our country's history, because they will continue to accumulate additional honor and lustre from generation to generation until time shall be no more. All Naval Veterans—sailors and gunboatmen—are cordially invited and urged to join in this, perhaps the last Reunion we will be permitted to enjoy; it will undoubtedly be the largest that was ever held or will be held. Shipmate, make an effort to come and bring others with you and let us have one more grand muster. If you cannot come with a crew, come anyhow and report at headquarters in the State House as soon as you arrive and see your old shipmates; it will do you good.

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Men's solid buff railroad shoes,	2.50
Men's solid kip plow shoes,	1.00
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