

MCCOOK TRIBUNE.

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MCCOOK, NEBRASKA

OVER THE STATE.

HARVEST hands are in demand in Johnson county.

The Beatrice chautauqua this year was liberally attended.

The locality about Curtis got four inches of rain in one week.

REV. McCREGOR will hold a series of meetings lasting ten days at Elgin.

Congressman Mercer arrived in Omaha from Washington last week.

The Courier, heretofore published at Indianola, has been removed to McCook.

THERE were one hundred graduates, girls and boys, from the Omaha high school.

Fort Omaha is to be abandoned July 1st and the new Fort Crook used in stead.

HOMER B. HATCH, a well known railway man, died last week at Grand Island.

The mosquito crop in Nebraska this year is large, attributable to excessive rainfall.

GRAND ISLAND and vicinity was visited by a hail storm, which did considerable damage.

The district court of Cass county has been postponed and the jurors excused until August 24.

PREPARATIONS are being made for an unusually elaborate Fourth of July celebration in Mead.

A vicious dog belonging to Henry Neitman, Beatrice, attacked Thomas Armstrong, badly lacerating his face.

A NUMBER of timber cutters were before the federal court at Omaha last week and received sentences of \$10 and costs.

TWELVE young ladies of Nelson have organized a band and have secured enough money to purchase their instruments.

SOUTH OMAHA disposes of its unrecruited dogs by electricity. The applicants for the purpose does its work quickly and well.

Buy home made goods and build up home industries, is a good policy. Farrell & Co. Omaha.

The county jail at North Platte is pretty well deserted now, there being only one prisoner, with a prospect of him being released soon.

The high water of the Missouri river overflowed the low land near Blyburg and men were out in their corn fields with spears catching fish.

The Tildulcranz and Turnverein societies of Plattsmouth have been consolidated and will hereafter be known as the Plattsmouth Turnverein.

The Tekamah Burianian has been purchased by the populists and will be conducted in the interest of that party. The paper has heretofore been republican.

H. HENRICHSON, a B. & M. carpenter, fell from the roof of the B. & M. eating house at Red Cloud, a distance of about seventy-five feet. His left arm was broken.

It is reported that lightning rod swindlers are operating in the north part of Madison county. One farmer was done up for \$150 and another for half that amount.

WHILE Elmer Alvea of Meadow Grove was riding a horse at a rapid gait the animal stumbled and all went down in a heap. Alvea was picked up unconscious and his recovery is doubtful.

MAY McCESICK, of Omaha, a woman of the town, committed suicide the other day. For some time the woman had been despondent, having been deserted by a man for whom she had a strong attachment.

PARTIES on Omaha have been at Stromburg endeavoring to secure the right of way for a telephone line from York to David City. The line to pass through Benedict, Stromburg, Osceola, Shelby and Rising City.

The 2-year-old child of Rev. C. W. Savidge of Omaha choked to death last Sunday by a collar button which lodged in the windpipe. The father was away at early morning service in his church when the accident occurred.

The new creamery at Malcom commenced work last week. About 10,000 pounds of milk was received the first day, and everything is running nicely. An expert says that it is one of the best equipped creameries in the state.

A MAD dog came into Harvard from the west last week and created no little excitement. He bit both of Al Latham's horses, two or three dogs and was finally killed on the farm of George Head, just outside the corporation, northeast.

DISTRICT court at Red Cloud adjourned last week after the judge had admitted George Drake to bail. Drake was committed on a charge of statutory criminal assault, and released on a bond for \$2,000. He broke jail, but was finally returned to the county jail. Judge Beall released him on bail of \$1,500.

W. E. HANSON of Scotia had a horse too many in his pasture on Saturday morning. There was also a bride that didn't belong to him on the gate. The tramps that were roosting in the shade of a pile of ties in the Union Pacific yards didn't look as though they had over-exerted themselves walking over from Greeley.

A LITTLE boy of W. J. Casebolt of Desher thought he saw a mouse among the slats of a bedstead lying on the floor. The boy started to investigate and discovered a two-foot rattlesnake, which nearly scared him to death. Fortunately the snake's head had got fast under a side rail and it was dispatched at once.

A BULL belonging to H. O. Dorn of South Sioux City chased a man in the north part of Iowa Sunday with the evident intention of playing ball with him. The fellow got over the fence in time to avoid a collision and had his fun a short time after when the sporty animal was lassoed and dehorned.

IN a row over a woman at Lincoln, F. W. Rullard, a tinner, was shot by Alfred Stockenburger. The principals in the affair have been inmates of the insane asylum. Rullard caught two bullets, one in the arm and the other in the fleshy part of the back, just under the shoulder, but neither is considered dangerous.

JUDGE RAMSEY opened district court at Plattsmouth to sentence John Brown, charged with robbing a store at Aivo, May 29, for which he was arrested a couple of weeks ago at Auburn. Brown pleaded guilty, stating, in extension of his crime, that he was unable to work, being a sufferer from nervous prostration. He was sentenced to three and a half years in the penitentiary.

It is seldom that farmers leave Polk county for greener pastures and a better country but that they come back satisfied to stay. George Ward sold out last spring and went down near Seymour. He came back the other day with his stock and says that part of Missouri is no place for farming or stock, either. He will summer his stock in Nebraska where they can get something to eat and get fat.

A RAILROAD accident occurred near Hastings. Passenger train No. 4 was wrecked just after entering the yards, as a result of a heavy wind storm that passed over the city a little while before. An empty stock car that had been standing on the stock yards switch was blown onto the main line and the passenger train collided with it just west of the round house. The engineer and fireman saved themselves by jumping.

A MAN was arrested at Beatrice in the act of disposing of some harness to a second-hand dealer. It was discovered that he had a camp west of that city and upon investigation a wagon containing eight sets of double harness was found. He had with him a boy, who gave his name as Bert Morgan, 17 years old, and his home as Grand Island. Police are holding the harness to see if owners thereof cannot be found.

A NEW pocket leaflet has been issued and is being distributed by the state board of agriculture. In addition to information about county collective exhibits for which twelve premiums amounting to \$3,337 will be awarded, the bulletin advertises the Feast of Olympia, under the direction of the Knights of Ak-Sar-Ben, the biennial festival of the Northwestern Scandinavian Singers association, and other attractions during state fair week.

It is now believed at Valparaiso that Frank Tobin, a paroled convict, is the man who assaulted and shot Mrs. Hinkle last week. Mrs. Hinkle, who is still alive, identified Tobin as her assailant. It appears that Tobin was very much smitten with Mrs. Hinkle when she was Miss Addie Edwards, but his attentions were not appreciated. One day when he called and got gay her brother sent a couple of loads of buckshot at him, but he was not injured so far as has been learned.

ANOTHER claimant for the reward of \$1,000 offered by the Rock Island for the arrest and conviction of the party or parties guilty of causing the Salt Creek wreck near Lincoln in August, 1897, has come into court. This is Lewis Ryan, one of the witnesses, who testified to seeing a negro man near the trestle on the night before the wreck. Ryan claims that his information led to the arrest and conviction of G. W. Davis, the colored man. There are two other claimants and the whole matter will have to be settled in the courts.

A SPECIAL session of the district court of Dodge county convened last week, Judge Marshall presiding, for the purpose of trying the case of Caroline Stocks against the Elkhorn company. This is the second one of the large number of cases which were commenced last fall by citizens of Dodge county, the property was destroyed by the big fire there in September last to recover damages against the company. The first case on the list was tried last January and resulted in a verdict for the defendant. An appeal to the supreme court was taken.

COUNTY COMMISSIONER C. R. CLARK, of Polk county, met with a painful accident the other day that will lay him aside for some time. One of his neighbors' boar-pigs went down to Clark's pen and while there ran across his boar and of course they had to have a pitched battle. Clark thought that his boar was getting a little the worst of it and undertook to separate them, when one of the hogs turned and snapped Mr. Clark in the right leg, tearing out the flesh and muscle to the bone and it was necessary to take quite a number of stitches to close up the wound.

A TRAMP applied to L. P. Main of Kenwood for breakfast the other morning and he looked so forlorn and hollow that the lawyer decided to fill him up. He told the wanderer to hoe up the potatoes in the garden, however, so that there should be no question as to his appetite. The tramp, either through ignorance or malice, aforesaid dug up all the potatoes and neatly piled the vines. The tramp got his breakfast on the strength of his good intentions, but the next time Col. Main employs one of his genus he will put him to breaking stone, or some such familiar occupation.

GOVERNOR HOLCOMB has received the latest public through the press, referring to Tennessee's generous donation of a block of marble intended to be used in making a statue of Abraham Lincoln. This was the purpose for which it was donated to the state of Nebraska by the state of Tennessee through Governor Turney. It comes as a testimony of respect which the people of Tennessee have for the memory of the martyred president. The presentation of the marble to Governor Turney at Knoxville seems to have been celebrated with all sincerity and the letter received by Governor Holcomb notifying him of the shipment of the block is kind and generous. The stone will be thankfully received by state authorities and there is talk of asking the next legislature to make an appropriation for the employment of a competent sculptor.

FROM figures in the state auditor's office an interesting showing is made as to the decrease in the assessed valuation of the state. Sixteen counties have made reports on the 1896 assessment valuation. In these the reductions as compared with 1895 is \$1,185,000. In four of these counties there is an increase of \$93,000, making a net decrease in the sixteen of \$1,092,000. At the same ratio of decrease the whole state will fall off \$6,500,000. The total valuation of taxable property in 1893 was \$1,060,000; in 1894, \$1,000,000; in 1895, \$1,185,000; and the estimated valuation for 1896 is \$1,164,000. The railroad assessment this year was the same as in 1895.

CONTROL OF NEXT SENATE

A WORKING REPUBLICAN MAJORITY NOT LIKELY.

MR. GALLINGER'S FIGURES.

The Teller-Dubois-Mantle-Cannon-Carter Combine Likely to Be Strengthened by Radical Silver Ken'om Colorado, Utah and Other States, and Be Able to Block the Tariff.

CONCORD, N. H., June 29.—United States Senator Gallinger said yesterday: "I fear for Republican control of the senate. The full senate now numbers ninety members, and we shall need forty-six for a majority, though, inasmuch as the existing vacancy in Kentucky will continue until 1899, we can get along during the next congress with forty-five. We have now forty-four senators who are nominally Republicans, but of these, five—Senators Teller, Dubois, Carter, Mantle and Cannon—refused to act with us in the passage of the Dingley emergency tariff last winter, and I suppose we must now add to them Senator Pettigrew of South Dakota, because he left the St. Louis convention with other seceders. This reduces us to thirty-eight straight Republicans, who are for protection as against protection yoked with free silver, and we shall need seven more to enable us to pass the revenue bill, which the country demands. Some of our gains are already made, as in Maryland and Ohio, and we shall elect in New York, Illinois and Wisconsin. This will give us forty-three, or two short of a majority. Among our danger spots we must include North Carolina Senator Pritchard's seat is likely to be lost, because he was first chosen by a fusion movement, which probably will be hard to effect again. In Utah also, there is danger of losing Senator Brown, who refused to act with the silver men in deadlocking the Dingley bill, and who now has been confronted with an issue in his fight for re-election, which will either defeat or cause him to coalesce with Senator Cannon in a policy of opposition. In Colorado Senator Wolcott is in similar danger, as he has been subject to venomous criticism because he would not go so far as Senator Teller in his devotion to the white metal. Add to this the not altogether remote chance of losing a Republican Senator in North Dakota and California, and the claims of the Democrats that we cannot elect in either Kansas or Illinois, and the outlook is not rosy. I must admit that I cannot now satisfactorily outline the method by which we shall be able to hold the Senate for a protective tariff without a free silver rider."

FILIBUSTER SHIPS SEIZED.

Two Noted Cuban Vessels Run Down by a Revenue Cutter.

KEY WEST, Fla., June 29.—The filibustering steamers Three Friends and City of Richmond were brought here last night by prize crews of the United States revenue cutter Winona. The City of Richmond left here Wednesday night with a large quantity of arms and supplies for the Cubans and the Three Friends slipped out of Jacksonville ten days ago with supplies for the rebels.

No one is allowed to board either of the vessels, but it is supposed that the Three Friends landed the supplies taken from Jacksonville and was trying to get those on the City of Richmond when both were overhauled by the Winona. The captures created great excitement here, a great crowd gathering on the wharf and cubans and Americans alike expressing deep indignation.

What will be done with the two seized vessels is not yet known, but it is believed that both will be confiscated by the United States government.

Followers of St. John.

OTTAWA, Kan., June 29.—A mass convention of Prohibitionists was held in this city yesterday. About 150 delegates were present, representing nearly every portion of the state. Both the chairman, G. G. Wharton, and W. C. secretary of the state Prohibition party, had tendered their resignations to the national committee immediately after the Pittsburg convention. Yesterday's conference was for the purpose of organizing on the St. John basis. Accordingly the new National party was organized. J. W. Forest, of Thayer, was elected chairman of the state central committee, and E. Morrison, of Emporia, secretary.

For Alienated Affections.

FORT SCOTT, Kan., June 29.—H. C. Nearing of Kansas City, attorney for Mrs. Kate Davids of that city, has filed suit in the United States circuit court here against Mrs. Bella Sipple of Sedan, Kan., for \$1,600 damages for alienating the affections of J. G. Lewis, husband of the plaintiff. Personal service has been secured on the fair and wealthy defendant by Deputy United States Marshal Will Neely, who has just made his return. The case, which promises to be a very sensational one, will come up at the November term of the United States court.

Dominion Ministry Will Resign.

OTTAWA, Ontario, June 29.—The Tupper ministry has decided to finish up certain routine matters, and then for the ministers to tender their resignations to the governor general. The Conservatives thus submit to the inevitable with the best possible grace.

Cecil Rhodes is Out.

LONDON, June 29.—It is officially announced that the resignations of Cecil Rhodes, Alfred Beit and Dr. Rutherford Harris as directors of the British South African company have been accepted.

THE 'FRISCO AT AUCTION.

Representatives of the Reorganization Committee Buy in the System.

ST. LOUIS, Mo., June 29.—By order of the United States court, the St. Louis and San Francisco railway was sold, at noon, to-day, under the foreclosure of an old mortgage, of which the Mercantile Trust company of New York was trustee. There was only one bidder—a committee of bondholders representing the reorganization committee—who bought in the road for \$1,250,000 in cash.

After the sale shall have been confirmed by the court and the proper conveyances made, new papers of incorporation will be filed at Jefferson City, probably on Monday or Tuesday. The name of the new road will be the St. Louis & San Francisco Railroad company. The capital stock will be placed at \$50,000,000 in 500,000 shares of \$100 each.

SIBLEY FOR TELLER.

The Pennsylvania Ex-Congressman Favors the Coloradoan for Leader.

VICTOR, Colo., June 29.—In answer to an inquiry by the Daily Record of this city ex-Congressman Joseph C. Sibley of Pennsylvania wired the following: "FRANKLIN, Pa., June 26.—To the Daily Record, Victor, Colo.: I am a candidate for no official place. I believe all reform forces, if united, would be irresistible and would assure a grand triumph in November next. Divisions mean defeat. The rank and file of all political parties are made up of men good and true. On Teller I believe these forces could be united and all my efforts are to that end. JOSEPH C. SIBLEY."

Distilleries to Close.

LOUISVILLE, Ky., June 29.—A meeting of the Kentucky Distillers' Association was held to-day to hear the reports of committees appointed to solicit signatures agreeing to suspend operations for eighteen months from July 1. All but six distillers in the State have signed. These have held out because of contracts. It is proposed to overcome this by apportioning 12 1/2 per cent of the capacity of the State, or 5,500,000 gallons, and this may be kept down to 3,000,000 or 4,000,000 gallons. It is assured that there will be a suspension, with allotments only where contracts cannot be abrogated. The warehouses are filled with whiskey which is now almost a drug on the market owing to overproduction.

Arizona Bonds Go Begging.

PHOENIX, Ariz., June 29.—Arizona territorial bonds, even at half price, are in poor demand. The sale negotiated several months ago has fallen through. The London capitalists, after depositing a forfeit of \$10,000, declined to take the bonds. A compromise has been effected, whereby the territory will be reimbursed for all expenses, and the balance of the forfeit money returned to the London parties. Another sale is being negotiated.

Kansas City "Journal."

KANSAS CITY, Mo., June 29.—The announcement was made to-day that Mr. William A. Bunker, for several years business manager of the Kansas City "Journal," would retire from the active management of that paper on Monday next, owing to ill-health. Mr. Bunker retains an interest in the property. Mr. Hal Gaylor, who has been assistant business manager of the paper, and who has bought the greater portion of Mr. Bunker's interest in the "Journal," will assume its management.

Comedian John W. Kelly Dead.

NEW YORK, June 29.—John W. Kelly, variety actor and song writer, died at his mother's home in this city yesterday afternoon with acute gastritis. He was known as the "Rolling Mill Man," and was popular on the vaudeville stage. He was born in this city and was 42 years old. He made his first professional appearance in Chicago.

Two Girls Drowned.

MARINE, Ill., June 29.—One of the most violent rainstorms for years struck his place yesterday afternoon. Small streams were in a very few minutes changed into raging torrents. Misses Rosa and Marie Hudeman, while attempting to drive across a small branch, missed the bridge and were drowned.

Oklahoma Houses Wrecked by Wind.

PERRY Ok., June 29.—A heavy wind last night destroyed the homes of Mrs. Osborne and Mrs. Dillon on the Grant county line last night. Joe Stout's house was blown down, but his family were in a cave and escaped injury. Many outhouses were blown away, and scattered and considerable stock killed.

Floods in Washington.

SPOKANE, Wash., June 29.—The Pond d'Oreille River has reached an unprecedented height, and is still rising. The Calispel Valley, for a distance of twenty miles, is under water. Crops are utterly ruined, and most of the settlers will be left in a destitute condition.

Bride, Groom and Pastor All Over 70.

WELLINGTON, Kan., June 28.—W. J. Gardner, a former soldier, 75 years old and Mrs. Martha J. Baker, a widow of 72, were married here Thursday evening by the Rev. William Long, aged 80. Most of the guests were well advanced in years.

Mother and Child Struck Dead.

PERRY Ok., June 29.—Near Lawson last evening, the house of John Lane, a farmer was struck by lightning and entirely demolished and Mrs. Lane and her two small children were killed. Mr. Lane was in town at the time.

Actor Gentry Convicted.

PHILADELPHIA, Pa., June 29.—The jury in the case of James B. Gentry, the actor, who on February 27, 1895, murdered Actress Maide Yo-k, came in at 11:05 o'clock to-day with a verdict of guilty of murder in the first degree.

NEW YORK DEMOCRATS

They Sound the Campaign Keynote for Bimetallism.

SARATOGA, N. Y., June 29.—The Democratic State convention met here yesterday and adopted a platform which is an appeal to Democrats in other states to sustain the pledge contained in the Sherman law, which was passed by a Democratic Congress and approved by a Democratic President. This pledge was that "the efforts of the government should be steadily directed to the establishment of such a safe system of bimetalism as will maintain at all times the equal power of every dollar coined or issued by the United States in the markets or in payment of debts."

The platform represents the wishes of Senator Hill and ex-Secretary of the Navy William C. Whitney.

David B. Hill, Edward Murphy, Roswell P. Flower and Frederick R. Coudert were elected delegates at large.

To Shout for Bland.

TOPEKA, Kan., June 27.—The Kansas Democratic Flambeau club of this city held a rousing meeting last night and decided by a unanimous vote to attend the Democratic national convention at Chicago and furnish a pyrotechnic display there in the Bland demonstration on the evening of July 6.

Quay to Assist Hanna.

CANTON, Ohio, June 27.—Ex-Governor McKinley and Mark A. Hanna deny that any selections have been made for the national executive committee except that Senator Quay has been offered the chairmanship. There will also be an advisory committee, of which H. H. Kohlsaat of Chicago will probably be a member as will also Cornelius W. Bliss of New York.

IOWA PATENT OFFICE REPORT.

DES MOINES, June 12.—J. S. Lord, of Des Moines, has been granted a copyright for a publication entitled, "X Rays Practically Illustrated." A. W. McFarland, of West Bend, Ia., has been granted a Canada patent for his egg and packing separator. A. Grunberg and J. Ulrich, of Des Moines, have a patent allowed for a zinc monument. J. K. Purinton, of Des Moines, has a patent allowed for pans for cooking and baking that are covered partially with asbestos. British, French and German patents have been secured by us for the Duplex typewriter, manufactured by the Duplex Typewriter Co., of Des Moines. A. S. Dennis, of Des Moines, has a patent allowed for a typographical adding machine having digit bearing keys, 100 adapted to be operated like a typewriter for printing and adding a series of numbers unlimited as to the quantity of the component digits. Valuable information about obtaining, valuing and selling patents sent free to any address. Printed copies of the drawings and specifications of any United States patent sent upon receipt of 25 cents. Our practice is not confined to Iowa. Inventors in other states can have our services upon the same terms as the Hawkeyes.

An Enthusiastic Crowd.

Much enthusiasm has developed at Lincoln and vicinity over the Nebraska Silver Train which it is proposed shall leave Lincoln Sunday, July 5th, at 8:00 a. m., via the Fremont, Elkhorn & Missouri Valley R. R. to Missouri Valley, thence C. & N. W., running through to Chicago by daylight.

Hon. W. J. Bryan has signified his intention of going with this train. The national delegates, alternates and all prominent men of the party have all arranged to join this train. We are authorized to extend a cordial and special invitation to all Democrats and believers in bimetalism, and it is especially and earnestly desired that the Nebraska Silver Train shall excel that of any other state in the number of earnest and enthusiastic bimetalists it shall carry into Chicago.

Delegates and their friends from points on the F. E. & M. V. R. R. wishing to join this train from Lincoln, should apply to the nearest agent of the above road for particulars as to the best way to make connection with the train. Arrangements for special service will be made for large sized parties from branch line points.

The official headquarters will be at the Clifton House, Chicago.

C. S. JONES, Lincoln. A. T. BLACKBURN, Atkinson. LEE HERDMAN, Omaha.

LIVE STOCK AND PRODUCE MARKETS

Quotations from New York, Chicago, St. Louis, Omaha and elsewhere.

OMAHA.

Table with 2 columns: Commodity and Price. Includes Butter, Eggs, Live Hens, Spring Chickens, Lemons, Oranges, Hay, Hops, Beef, Mutton, etc.

CHICAGO.

Table with 2 columns: Commodity and Price. Includes Wheat, Corn, Pork, Lard, etc.

ST. LOUIS.

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NEW YORK.

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KANSAS CITY.

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ALMOST PARALYZED.

INTENSE SUFFERING FOR YEARS

The Remarkable Testimony of a Husband and Wife to the Virtues of Dr. Williams' Pink Pills for Pale People.

From the Wave, Odell, Nebraska.

A reporter of the Wave having heard of the great faith Mr. and Mrs. I. O. Brace, of Odell, Nebraska, had in the curative properties of Dr. Williams' Pink Pills for Pale People, determined to see the parties in person and ascertain the truth of the reports.

With that purpose in view a drive was taken to their fine farm a few miles west of town, where Mrs. Brace was found busily engaged in assisting her husband make wire fence. No doubt nothing but surprise she apologized, saying that the children were old enough to be of much help with the housework, and she thus had time to assist her husband.

"But is it possible that you have recovered so as to do work requiring the constant use of your arms, without suffering?" asked the reporter.

This question elicited the following wonderful story: "I do not wonder that you are surprised," said Mrs. Brace, for as every one in this vicinity knows for several years I was nearly crippled and suffered constantly from rheumatism. When I first felt the attack I got medicine from a local physician, but instead of getting better, I grew worse, until I suffered intense agony, which no one who has not had the dread disease can understand. In hopes of relief, leading physicians in other towns were consulted, and they all advised in pronouncing it a severe case of muscular rheumatism, and as their prescriptions were taken month after month without beneficial results, they ceased to give encouragement, and said that I was gradually becoming paralyzed.

"I had by that time become so crippled that I had to give up all work, and the only way I could carry my right arm was in an upright position. Any attempt to lower it caused excruciating pain. Constant suffering caused general debility, and life seemed too great a burden to bear. It is said a drowning man will catch at a straw, and so it was in my case, as I read a testimonial in the Wave for Dr. Williams' Pink Pills for Pale People, and I determined to give them a trial.

"I admit my faith was weak, for I had always been prejudiced against so-called patent medicines, but by the time I had taken three boxes the relief was so apparent that I determined to continue their use. In a few weeks my general health improved, and I could move my arm without difficulty, and by the time ten boxes had been used I felt better than I had for years, and I can now say with confidence that I am cured. I always keep a box in the house and take a box of them every spring as a blood purifier, and at any time that I take cold and fear a return of my old trouble."

Continuing, Mrs. Brace said: "I give all the credit of my recovery to Dr. Williams' Pink Pills for Pale People, and both my husband and I shall always be ready to speak in their praise. We tell our neighbors on every occasion of their virtues, and if you think this is sufficient interest we will be glad to have this testimonial made public, hoping that it may be of benefit to those who otherwise would be life-long sufferers."

To confirm her story beyond all doubt, Mrs. Brace made affidavit. Subscribed and sworn to before me, F. R. Joy, a notary public, on this 28th day of March, 1896.

(Seal) F. R. JOY, Notary Public. Dr. Williams' Pink Pills contain, in a condensed form, all the elements necessary to give new life and richness to the blood and restore shattered nerves. Pink Pills are sold by all dealers, or will be sent post paid on receipt of price, 50 cents a box, or six boxes for \$2.50 (they are never sold in bulk or by the 100), by addressing Dr. Williams' Med. Co., Schenectady, N. Y.

Godley's Magazine for July.

Godley's Magazine for July begins the 13th volume of the well-known old publication and is a good specimen of the pioneer in its modern form. The number opens with two timely articles. The first of these is from the pen of a traveler in Persia, and describes, with the aid of numerous pictures, some of the characteristics of the country, which is always an important factor in the Eastern Question, and has recently come into particular prominence on account of the assassin's shaft; while no less timely and interesting is a description of the training and life in the New York Fire Department, from which a delegation went to the International Firemen's Tournament that began in London July 19. The Godley Company, 52 Lafayette Place, New York.

The July number of Harper's Magazine will open with a paper on General Washington and is a good specimen of the pioneer in its modern form. The number opens with two timely articles. The first of these is from the pen of a traveler in Persia, and describes, with the aid of numerous pictures, some of the characteristics of the country, which is always an important factor in the Eastern Question, and has recently come into particular prominence on account of the assassin's shaft; while no less timely and interesting is a description of the training and life in the New York Fire Department, from which a delegation went to the International Firemen's Tournament that began in London July 19. The Godley Company, 52 Lafayette Place, New York.

LABOR NOTES.

A court in France has decided that it is not unlawful to aid and abet or influence workmen to strike.

It is proposed to change labor day in Ohio from the first Monday in September to the last Saturday in August.

Boiler-makers and iron ship builders may affiliate with the American Federation of Labor after the next convention.

Fifteen hundred employes of the tube works at McKeesport, Pennsylvania, have joined the Iron and Steel