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By order of the county commissioners of Furnas county, Nebraska. Dated at Beaver City, Furnas county, Nebraska, the 19th day of November, A. D. 1880.

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WASHINGTON.

Members of Both Sides Caucusing for the Control of the House.

Appropriation for a Southern Steamship Mail Service Likely to Pass.

The Yorktown Centennial Commission Want an Appropriation of $100,000

The American Canal Company Preparing to Give De Lesseps a Whirl.

Murderous Moonshiners.

Special Dispatch to THE BEE.

WASHINGTON, December 10, 10 p. m.—Mr. P. H. Dowling, revenue agent, telegraphs to the commissioner of internal revenue, from Huntsville, Alabama, as follows: Yesterday afternoon, in Marshall county, about twenty miles from Huntsville, John B. Hardie and Bassett Young, deputy United States marshals, in company with Deputy Revenue Collector Horace J. Borne, with a warrant against J. Culbert, David Lemons, James Cisco and Joseph Cisco, for illicit distilling, came upon the defendants within a half a mile of the distillery, and after making inquiry as to the names of the distillers, Mr. Hardie said, "I have—" and before he could say a word further, he was shot by Jeff Culbert in the head, the shot killing him instantly. Six shots were then fired at Bone, who then escaped with a slight wound. Young, who was with the horses, about half a mile off, was unharmed. The marshal, James Sloan, is organizing a good force to arrest the parties, and will do all he can to bring them to justice. I shall accompany the force.

On receipt of the above, the following telegram was sent:

WASHINGTON, D. C., December 10.
P. H. Dowling, Huntsville Alabama:

Your telegram received. I wish the most energetic measures taken to bring to punishment the parties engaged in the resistance of the deputy collectors and marshals, resulting in the murder of John B. Hardie. Take steps to have every illicit distiller arrested. If the marshal's force is insufficient, employ more men.

[Signed] GREEN B. RAUM.

Similar instructions have been sent from the department of justice to the judicial officers. The whole matter has been laid before the president who approves of the most rigorous measures for vindicating the law and punishing those who violated it. The department of justice and bureau of internal revenue, are in perfect accord in their plans for raiding the illicit distillers and other law breakers.

GOOD DAY'S WORK.

Special dispatch to THE BEE.

WASHINGTON, December 10—10 p. m.—In the committee of the whole, on the private calendar, Mr. Sparks presiding, twelve bills were disposed of, and the action of the committee was subsequently confirmed by the house. This was a pretty good day's work, when compared with what was done on private bill days last session. But it need not give all on the calendar hope of success. There are over a 1000 bills on it, and there will not be more than nine or ten more private bill days during the session. After the private bills had been disposed of, Mr. Blount submitted a motion to adjourn over until Monday. Several members wanted a session to-morrow, for debate on the electoral joint rule, but that required unanimous consent, and it was objected to. It required a majority vote to adjourn over, and those who wanted a session for debate withheld their vote. A roll call, however, compelled members to vote. The house, at 4:25 p. m., by a large majority, adjourned until Monday.

THE CONSULAR REPORT.

The second number of the reports from our consuls of the commerce and trade of the United States in their consular districts, has just been issued by the department of state. It is a pamphlet of 200 pages, and contains about fifty reports. Copies of the present number will be forwarded by the department of state to the principal trade journals, chambers of commerce, boards of trade, agricultural and trade societies of the United States, in the hope that these important reports may be brought to the immediate attention of all those interested in the development of our home industries and our foreign trade. According to the provisions of the act of congress providing for these publications, the public at large can secure copies at twenty-five cents per copy, which merely covers the expense of printing. It is expected and requested by the department that the press of the United States, which has done so much to foster and develop our foreign trade, will draw the attention of its readers to such reports as may be of interest to them.

MANOEUVRING FOR CONTROL.

A large amount of private caucusing occurred on the democratic side of the house yesterday. The action of the republican joint caucus last evening in deciding to oppose by filibustering tactics, if necessary, the passage of the Morgan joint rule, has made it necessary for the democrats to agree upon some policy regarding the future of the measure. It may be necessary to call a caucus to consider the matter, but several of the leaders said yesterday that they hoped to be able to come to an understanding without going into a caucus. The question which conflicts the majority in the house is, whether the minority shall be allowed to shape the course of legislation by dictating terms to the majority, or to insist upon the right of the will of the majority to rule, even if important public business has to be neglected. There is a difference of opinion among democrats as to the proper course to be pursued under the circumstances. Some advocate the immediate acceptance of the challenge thrown down by the republicans, and declare their willingness to fight over the resolution till the 4th of March, if, by so doing, not a single appropriation is made. There is another and an apparently larger number who advise that the resolution be laid aside, from time to time, temporarily, while the appropriation and refunding bills are considered, but that it be brought up and pressed at every spare opportunity. Others recommend that the resolution be laid aside forever, and the regular work of the session be transacted with all expedition. If the resolution is dropped, it will undoubtedly be caused by the democrats. No immediate necessity for its adoption exists, as there can be no dispute over Garfield's election. If the resolution was adopted it would be within the power of the next house of representatives, which is republican, to repeal the rule. There may possibly be a few days filibustering before the resolution is laid aside, but Mr. Atkins, chairman of the committee on appropriations, says he intends to try to pass three of the bills next week. The democrats have seldom been able to count a quorum of their own members since the Forty-sixth congress met, and it is not likely that they will have that pleasure this session. Speaker Randall said yesterday that he would entertain no proposition likely to delay the appropriation bills, and that as soon as these bills, or any one of them, are ready, he would use every means in his power to carry them through.

SUBSIDIZED MAIL SHIPS.

Special Dispatch to The Bee.

WASHINGTON, December 11, 1 a. m.—An attempt will be made at the present session of congress to subsidize lines of American steamers to run to South America and Brazilian ports. There is not sufficient time before the 4th of March to pass a separate bill for that purpose, even if a majority of both houses was committed to its support. When the post-office appropriation bill comes before the house an amendment will be moved from the committee on post-offices and post routes, granting a certain extra compensation to American lines of steamers for carrying the mails between the United States and Brazil, and ports of the west Indias. The proposed amendment has not yet been framed, and the amount of pay proposed to be given per mile is not known to the friends of the subsidy scheme.

THE CARRYING TRADE.

There has been a change of sentiment among certain members who have heretofore opposed everything in the shape of public grants to private enterprises. The vast increase within the past twelve months of the number of British ships trading at ports of the United States, has opened the eyes of the legislature as to the necessity for improving the American carrying trade.

THE NICARAGUA ROUTE.

A private conference of gentlemen interested in the inter-ocean canal project, was held at the residence of a gentleman of this city last night. The object of the meeting was the interchange of opinion regarding the feasibility of organizing a company to construct a canal over the Nicaragua route. It will be remembered that last winter Mr. Meneral, of the navy, obtained a leave to go to Nicaragua. He was sent there to represent a number of wealthy citizens who desired to obtain from the Nicaragua government a concession of right of way for the ship canal through the Nicaragua route. He was successful in his mission and obtained a concession. While the fact that the concession had to be obtained was made public, the names of the gentlemen to whom the grant had been given were kept secret. It is now known that among the gentlemen named in the concession are Admiral Ammen, Gen. E. F. Beale, ex-minister to Austria, U. S. Grant, Jr., W. R. Garrison, of New York; George W. Riggs, the Washington banker, Howard W. Potter, of Brown Bros. & Co., New York, William H. Barnum, of Connecticut, and Edwin M. Clymes, of Pennsylvania. Gen. Grant is interested in the scheme, and if the company is organized he will be made president. The publication of the prospectus of M. De Lesseps' company had caused the Nicaragua people to move more rapidly in the matter than they had intended. While nothing definite was determined on at the meeting last night, there is every probability that the Nicaragua company will soon be organized, and become a powerful rival of M. De Lesseps' company.

THE YORKTOWN CENTENNIAL.

Members of the Yorktown centennial commission, composed of one member appointed by the governor of each state, and a selection from the two houses of congress of a member of each of the original thirteen states, held a joint conference in the senate wing of the capitol yesterday morning, Senator Johnson, of Virginia, presiding. After a general discussion of the subject, the arrangement of the details was referred to sub-committees of each of the bodies in joint session. A general desire was expressed, especially by the general commission, that the appropriation by congress to aid the celebration should be increased from $20,000 to $100,000, and that a liberal appropriation should be made by the several states for the purpose. There was considerable discussion as to the period to be covered by the ceremonies. It was stated by several that in their views the participation by the general government ought not to exceed two days. The session of the sub-committee is likely to be a protracted one, and much will then doubtless be left to be perfected by other meetings.

CAPITAL NOTES.

Special Dispatches to THE BEE.

Gen. Sherman says all the statements published up to the present time, about his intention of retiring from the command of the army, are manufactured of whole cloth. He says he has not authorized anyone to act for him in the matter.

Miss Margaret Worth, daughter of Gen. Worth, who distinguished himself by his services in Mexico, was yesterday appointed to a position in the census office.

A communication was presented to the house from Gambetta, of the French republic, asking an interchange of documents between the French and American republics.

It is reported that Gen. Alfred Terry is to be appointed superintendent of the military academy at West Point, and Gen. Miles will succeed Terry in command of the department of Dakota. Gen. Terry is not a graduate of the Academy. Gen. Howard will return to his command and settle his business. Afterward, coming again to Washington, it is said, he is booked for an eastern command.

Indications.

Special Dispatch to THE BEE.

WASHINGTON, D. C., December 11—1 a. m.—For the upper Mississippi and lower Missouri valleys: Lower barometer with higher temperature, southerly winds, clear or partly cloudy weather.

RAZOR WRINKLES.

Curious Kinks of a Useful But Unreliable Instrument.

Do Razors Get Tired?

"Dar ain't no use in talkin' 'bout it, a raz r's a peculiar thing," said a sable barber who was leaning against the iron railing in front of the Wabash ticket office to a BEE roporter, yesterday morning. "Dar's no 'countin' for their kinks."

"Kinks? Do razors have kinks?" queried the ignorant writer.

"There now! As if you hadn't heard of the goin's on of a razor. I tell you, boss, there ain't no man can come up to a razor in pure out and out cussedness. You never know what they're goin' to do next. I've strapped razors for nigh twenty year and haven't more'n half got 'quainted with their orneriness. Didn't you ever hear of a razor getting 'tired?'"

"A razor getting 'tired!' Why of course a razor can't get tired. What makes you think so?"

"I don't think so, I know so. A razor's just like a mule. It'll go so far and no furder. You can't make it, nohow. I've strapped razors as sharp as you could get 'em; honed 'em and rough strapped 'em, and smooth strapped 'em until they'd shave the furz off a baby's cheek; then commenced to shave some gemmen, got half through, and there—they warn't no good in the world. Couldn't use 'em nohow. They'd draw blood every scrape."

"What was the matter with them?"

"Nothing, only they get 'tired.' When a razor once gets 'tired,' boss, 'tired,' and has to be humored there ain't no use in fooling with 'em any longer. You kin strop 'em and strop 'em, and it don't do no good. You can't get no edge on 'em good for nothin'. The other day Frank Moores came down into the shop and called for a shave. I picked out my best razor, stropped it up, lathered him until he looked as if he had fallen into a snow bank, and got to work. I asked him did it hurt, and he said no. In less than a minute after he give a yell and riz from the chair. That razor had got 'tired,' and I had to throw it aside and take up another. Any barber will tell you that a razor gets tired, and has to be humored jess like a child. There ain't no use in gettin' hot at 'em. It comes natural to razors, and they all have their kinks."

"What do you do with a razor when it gets tired? Throw it away?"

"Not much, razors too expensive to throw away. I just wrap it up in a rag and lay it behind the hand-glass until it gets over it. It may take a week and it may take a month. The only way to find out is just to try it, and if the man hollers, why that razor ain't had 'nough rest, that's all. Sometimes you kin pick it up an hour afterwards, and it's all right. Don't need no honing or stropping, nor nothing; goes right on as if there hadn't been nothig' the matter with it all, and sometimes it ain't no use to fool with it for a month, and you jess have to let it lay."

"Doesn't it depend on the make of the razor and their temper?"

"Don't make no difference what kind. A Wade & Butcher razor is just as liable to get out of whack as the meanest American make. Temper? I don't knows about the temper 'cept that a razor sometimes has the worst temper you ever see. Some razors you can't shave fast with to save your life. They'll drag and drag along, skip hairs, carve pimples and act like all possessed, and the very next man you shave they'll work like a charm, and never give no cause for complaint. Shaves often growl at the barber and think he don't know his business when it's no fault of his that the razor "pulls," it's only a kink of the razor. There's no depending on a razor. I've seen razors that would shave the face just as nice and easy as a person could ask and just as soon as they struck the chin you'd have to throw 'em aside. It warn't no use fooling with 'em. Ask any barber 'bout a razor and he'll tell you they're the bother of his life and ain't no more to be depended on than a bogus half dollar on the sidewalk on April Fools day.

The Negro Exodus.

Special Dispatches to The Bee.

CHICAGO, December 11—1 a. m.—Gov. St. John, of Kansas, lectured last night at Farwell hall on the southern exodus. He said that from 1877, when the exodus began, to the present, 60,000 had left the south. Of these, 400,000 had settled in Kansas, and the remainder in adjoining states. The cause of their leaving the south was the swindling outrages and general bad treatment of their old masters. It would continue as long as they cannot get fair treatment in the south. In Kansas, only about $5000 had been spent in assisting the poor negro immigrants. They only needed a little help at the outset, and then they were able to take care of themselves.

A Dark Day.

Special Dispatch to The Bee.

CINCINNATI, O., December 10—10 p. m.—To-day was one of the darkest days ever known here. At eleven o'clock this morning the darkness was almost as dense as at night. Gas jets in the city were everywhere lighted, and the city assumed the appearance of being under cover of night.

Court House Burned.

Special dispatch to The Bee.

CINCINNATI, O., December 10—10 p. m.—The court house at Anderson, Madison county, Indiana, was burned to the ground at 3 o'clock this morning, with all the court records, legal documents, court papers, etc. The house was forty years old.

Six more of the overdue steamers arrived in New York yesterday, and the others are expected momentarily.

TRANS-ATLANTIC NEWS

Report Denied That Gladstone's Cabinet is About to Dissolve.

The British Government Does Not Accept Secretary Evarts' Solution of the Fishery Dispute.

Prince Leopold Renounces His Right to the Throne of Roumania.

THE CABINET UNITED.

Special Dispatch to The Bee.

LONDON, December 10, 10 p. m.—The rumors of the disaffection in the British cabinet are entirely sensational and unfounded. They were originated as a hoax by "Jingo" correspondents of the principal press, no two of whom agree as to the names of the members said to be about to succeed the outgoing members.

RENOUNCING HIS CLAIMS.

Prince Leopold, of Hohenzollern, has renounced his right of succession to the throne of Roumania in favor of his eldest son, Prince William August Charles, a lad of sixteen years.

ACQUITTED OF MURDER.

Special dispatch to THE BEE.

DUBLIN, December 10, 1 a. m.—Coffey, the man charged with shooting the bailiff at New Pallos, was yesterday acquitted of the charge in the Cork assizes. Judge Fitzgerald, who presided, had previously received a letter threatening that he would be shot in open court if the prisoner was convicted.

THE FISHERY DISPUTE.

Special dispatch to THE BEE

LONDON, December 11, 1 a. m.—The Gazette yesterday published a letter from Earl Granville to United States Minister Lowell, dated October 27, in which he says her majesty's government cannot admit the accuracy of the opinion that fishing rights are to be exercised wholly free from the regulation of the states and New Foundland, but if any such local statutes could be shown to be inconsistent with the stipulations, or even the spirit of the treaty of Washington, they would not be within the category of those reasonable regulations by which Americans in common with British fishermen ought to be bound.

CABLECRAMS.

Special Dispatches to THE BEE.

The Dublin land leaguers have requested the lord mayor to call a meeting to protest against Chief Justice May's speech during the land league trial.

It it understood in Ireland that landlords will propose a bill of their own on the assembling of parliament.

It is now rumored throughout London society that there is a serious rupture between the queen and Princess Louise. Most serious reasons are given for this royal family trouble.

A Dublin special contains the following rumor: Parnell is to be specially tried for his speech at Waterford just before receiving the freedom of the city.

MARKETS BY TELEGRAPH.

New York Money and Stocks.

WALL STREET, December 10.

MONEY—6 per cent on call; exchange unsettled o $4 81@4 82.

GOVERNMENTS.

Firm.			
U. S. 6's, '81	1 04½	U.S. 4's	1 12½
U. S. 5's	1 01½	Currency 6's	1 03
U. S. 4½	1 11½		

STOCKS—The stock market this morning was active and irregular but strong, with an advance of ½@3 per cent, the la W. U. Towards noon prices began to decline, the quotations showing a decline of ¼@1 per cent, lead by the B. & Q., Northwestern, C., C. & I., A. P., St Joe, Lake Shore, K. & T. and N. Y. C.

A & P Tel	35	N J C	78
Can S	72	N P	32½
C C C & I	84½	Preferred	63½
C & I C	19½	O & M	35½
N W	122	P M	48½
Preferred	139½	Reading	40½
St Paul	108½	N & C	114½
R & Q	174	Manhattan	83½
Allon	139	I M	42½
A Ex	55½	Omaha	43½
Lack	102	Preferred	86
Del & H	87½	U P	106½
U S Ex	51½	W U	82½
Erie	45½	Wabash	42
Preferred	79	Preferred	79½
St Joe	43	O & W	31½
L & N	83½	C P	34½
L S	121½	N Y S	143½
M C	114½	K & T	42

Chicago Produce Market.

CHICAGO, December 10.

Wheat—Feverish and ⅜c lower; No. 2 spring, sold at $1 01⅞@1 03⅜ for January, closing at $1 01⅜ for cash or December; $1 02½ for January; $1 03½ for February.

Corn—Closed ⅛c lower for May, with sales at 44½@45c, closing at 44⅝@44¾c; December closed at 39½; January, 39⅜c.

Oats—⅛@¼c higher; No. 2 closing at 32⅛c for cash or December; 32⅜@32½c for January; 36⅝c for May.

Rye—Sold at 86½@87c for No. 2 in car and round lots.

Barley—Stronger and a demand for shorts; No. sold at $1 06@1 07 for cash.

Pork—Mess, higher for immedate, but long futures closed at $12 00@13 15 for cash; $11 90@11 95 for December; $13 20 for January; $13 35 for February; $13 50@13 52½ for March.

Lard—2½@5c lower; closing at $8 37½@8 40 for cash or December; $8 42½@8 45 for January; $8 55 for March.

Whisky—Lower at $1 12.

Chicago Live Stock Market

CHICAGO, December 10

Hogs—Fairly active for light and heavy choice lots on packing and shipping account and prices were steady; the low grades were dull; sales were at $4 50@4 75 for good to choice light packing; $4 40@5 10 for fair to extra prime heavy packing; $4 50@5 05 for good to choice smooth heavy shipping lots. Receipts, 28,000 head.

Cattle—Dull; receipts, 4,000 head.

St. Louis Produce Market.

ST. LOUIS, December 10.

Flour — Dull and Unchanged.

Wheat—Opened lower and declined, but closed higher; No. 2 red winter, $1 00⅜@1 01 for cash or December; $1 03½@1 02⅞@1 03⅞ for January; $1 06⅞@1 06@1 07⅛@1 06⅞ for February; $1 08⅝@1 09@1 08⅞@1 09½@1 08⅞ for March; No. 3 do, 99@99½; No. 4 do, 93@94c.

Corn—Higher at 41⅛@41⅛c for cash; 41⅛@41⅛c for December; 40⅞@41⅛c for January; 41@41⅛c for February; 42c for March; 43@43⅛c for April; 43⅞@44⅛c for May.

Oats—Higher at 34c for cash; 35⅜@35⅝c for January; 37½ for May.

Rye—Firmer at 85½c bid.

Barley—Unchanged.

Butter—Unchanged.

Eggs—Unchanged.

Whisky—Steady at $1 12.

Pork—Dull at $13 25 asked for cash or December; $13 20 for January.

Dry Salt Meats—Firmer and held at $4 20@4 30@6 65@6 70@6 80@6 90.

Bacon—Dull at $5 25@7 75@8 00.

Lard—Held higher at $8 40 asked.

Receipts—Flour, 5000 bbls; wheat, 24,000 bu; corn, 104,000; oats, 7000; rye, 2000; barley, 9,000.

Shipments — Flour, 9000 bbls wheat, 7,000; corn, 35,000; oats 3,000, rye, 1,000; barley, 21,000.

St. Louis Live Stock Market.

ST. LOUIS, December 10.

Hogs—Active; Yorkers and Baltimores, $4 00@4 25; mixed packing, $4 00@4 50; butchers' to fancy, $4 80@5 90; receipts, 5,800 head; shipments, 500 head.

New York Produce Market.

NEW YORK, December 10.

Flour—In buyers' favor; light jobbing trade; receipts, 60,212 bbls; round hoop Ohio, $4 70@5 50; choice do, $5 55@6 85; superfine western, $3 30@4 00; common to good extra do, $4 40@4 45; choice, do, do, $5 00@6 75; choice white wheat, do, $5 10@5 60.

Butter—Unchanged, with fair demand; Ohio at 14@30.

Eggs—Firm at 26@31c for fair to choice.

Wheat—Quiet; Chicago, $1 17@1 19; Milwaukee, $1 20@1 21; No. 2 red winter, $1 20@1 20½; sales 750,000 bu.

Corn—Dull; No. 2, 58@58½c; sales, 60,000 bu.

Oats—White, No. 1, 40c; No. 2, 45⅞; No. 3 33½c; mixed, No. 1, 45c; No. 2 do, 44½@44¾c; No. 3, do, 43½c.

Pork—$13 25 for December; $14 00@14 50 for February.

Lard—$8 75@8 95 for cash; $8 80@8 90@8 92½ for January; $9 10 for February; $9 15@8 20 for March; $9 20@9 27½ for April $8 90@8 97½ buyer for the year.

ELECTRIC BRIEFS.

Special Dispatches to The Bee.

William Grey, convicted of the murder of Thomas Mulligan, was executed at Quebec yesterday morning. He protested his innocence to the last.

The Chicago coal exchange has advanced the price of anthracite coal from $7.50 to $8.

Moses Justice and Anderson Glenn, of Cairo, Ill., both colored roustabouts, quarreled last evening about a yellow girl. Glenn plunged his knife seven times into Justice's breast, killing him. Glenn is under arrest.

The scandal case of Rev. H. C. Yates vs. Swartwant, which has been on trial at Dixon, Ill., over a week, and aroused much bad blood, terminated yesterday with a verdict in favor of Swartwant.

P. T. Barnum's illness has become so serious as to cause his friends anxiety.

It is officially stated that the New York coal companies came to an agreement Thursday night for 1881.

It was officially stated yesterday that the American subscription to the Panama canal project now amounts to $8,000,000.

John Hänselmann, an employe at Fleischman's distillery, at Riverside, O., while making a crossing there, was struck by the 7 o'clock fast mail express, on the I. C. & L. railroad, yesterday morning, and instantly killed. Deceased has a wife and children living in Germany.

A police officer, of Milwaukee, named Augustus Miller, has just fallen heir to $45,000 in real estate and $15,000 cash by the death of a wealthy relative of Cincinnati.

Burglars raided the town of Erin, Tenn., between midnight and daylight last night. They broke in half a dozen stores and secured about $5000 They are supposed to be the gang who have been terrorizing northern Georgia for the last eighteen months, and have completely evaded the officers of the law.

The prosecution in the Bartree murder trial at Honesdale, Pa., have succeeded in proving that insanity existed solely on the female side of the family for several generations, and that not one instance could be found of insanity on the male side. The defense were electrified yesterday by the testimony of William Young, one of their witnesses, when he said that the murderer was of perfectly sound mind on the day of the murder.

Threatened Indian War.

Special Dispatch to THE BEE.

CHICAGO, December 11—1 a. m.—The party of five Cheyenne river Sioux arrived at the Grand Pacific hotel at 11 o'clock last night, on their way to Washington. They are all chiefs of the different tribes, their names being Blue Coat, Little-No-Heart, White Swan, Rattling Rib, and Four Bear. They are accompanied by Agent Leonard Lave and an interpreter, William Fielding. The object of the visit is to make complaint to the government about Red Cloud and Spotted Tail having given the Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul road the rigat of way through the Sioux reservation, from Fort Pierre to the Black Hills without the right to do so. A party of Lower Brule Sioux were to meet this band of Cheyennes in Chicago, but their head chief was accidently shot just before leaving Crow Creek agency, and they will probably not arrive before this evening. They are in charge of Agent Daugherty, and come via Sioux City. The Sioux of the river agencies claim that the Spotted Tail and Red Cloud Sioux parted with all their rights to the rest of the reservation when they ceded the Black Hills to the government in 1875. The Lower Brule Sioux are heading their movements against the authority of Spotted Tail, who has been regarded as the head chief of all the Sioux bands. Spotted Tail, during his recent visit to the Lower Brule, said he and Red Cloud wanted the railroad and would have it; that the river Sioux had only ground enough to stand on, and that if they were allowed a part of the right of way money, it was only a matter of favor, and because they were Sioux. Red Cloud and himself would bring 4000 fighting men into the field. They had never allowed the great father to dictate to them, and would not listen to the Sioux of the river agencies. If they talked big, the river Sioux can can bring 3500 fighting men, if necessary, but they are scattered along the Missouri almost from Fort Randall to Bismarck.

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On to Oklohama.

Special Dispatch to The Bee.

ARKANSAS CITY, Ks., December 10.—4 p m.—Payne's colony, which have been congregated here for several days, have moved out. The members are now at the territory line. They are fully armed and over four hundred strong. Lieutenant Masson, of the fourth cavalry, escorted them out. It is understood he will order them to halt and form a line across the road. The colonists have realized that they will not be arrested. It is probable that there will be a conflict.

Guilty.

Special Dispatch to The Bee.

CHICAGO, December 10, 4 p. m.—The jury in the criminal court, in the case of Dr. Charles Earll, after being out since 4 p. m. Wednesday, returned this morning with a verdict, pronouncing Dr. Earll guilty of the murder of Etta Carl, in attempting to produce an abortion and fixing his punishment at five years in the penitentiary.

Pensions.

Special Dispatch to THE BEE.

WASHINGTON, December 10—4 p. m.—The pension appropriation bill, the second of the regular series, was reported this morning by Mr. Hubbell, of Michigan. It appropriates the sum of fifty million of dollars which was the full amount recommended. The estimate of the appropriation for the current fiscal year, was $32,404,000, but the committee says it estimates that a further appropriation of $17,000,000 will be needed for the current year. The appropriation committee insert the following clause recommended by the commissioner of pensions. "The accrued pension due to Indian pensioners, shall in the discretion of the commissioners be paid in installments."

Killed by Moonshiners.

Special Dispatch to the Bee.

CINCINNATI, December 10, 10 p. m.—United States Deputy Marshal John Hardie, was killed yesterday in Marshall county, Alabama. Deputy Collector Horace Borne was with him at the time. Several buckshot struck Hardie, killing him instantly. Borne was slightly injured.

Defending His Wife.

Special dispatch to The Bee.

ROCK ISLAND, Ark., December 10—4 p. m.—Deputy Constables Henry and Solomon Redick, last night went nine miles into the country to arrest the wife of Joseph Nance. The latter is a negro. He swore they could take his wife only over his dead body. A fight ensued, and he was shot and mortally wounded by the constables.

Kelley Dethroned.

Special dispatch to The Bee.

NEW YORK, December 10, 4 p. m.—Mayor Cooper has sent to the board of aldermen, now in special meeting at City hall, the name of Alderman Allan Campbell for comptroller in place of John Kelley. The board are filibustering on the nomination, which has caused a great deal of excitement.

LATER—Allen Campbell was confirmed comptroller, in place of John Kelly, by a vote of 13 to 9. Four Tammany, 5 Irving Hall and 4 republican aldermen voted in the affirmative and 5 Tammany, 2 Irving Hall and 2 republicans in the negative.

Versailes Destroyed.

Special Dispatch to The Bee.

FRANKFORT Ky., December 10—4 p. m.—Private advices from Versailes, Ky., say a most disastrous fire occurred there this morning, destroying a large part of the town. Seventeen buildings were burned including stores and dwelling houses in the heart of the town.

COAL MINE HORROR.

Fearful Frequency of Deadly Explosions in Wales.

Another Long List of Victims.

AN AWFUL EXPLOSION.

Special Dispatch to The Bee.

LONDON, December 10—4 p. m.—An explosion which was felt for miles around, occurred this morning at the steam colliery, at Perry-Craig. Not less than one hundred miners are believed to have been killed outright in the mine. The colliery in which this last disaster has taken place adjoins the Dinass colliery, where the unrecovered bodies of the men killed in the explosion of January 1878, still remain. A terrible state of excitement prevails, and all the pathetic and horrowing scenes inseperable from such accidents. No further details have been received up to the hour of sending this dispatch.

ANOTHER DISPATCH.

A dispatch from Cardiff, Wales, says a great explosion occurred this morning at the Penygraig new colliery in Rhandda valley. It is believed that eighty-seven persons are killed. An exploring party discovered sixteen corpses. Search is impeded by after-damp and debris. The pit is about a mile from the scene of the great explosion in the Dinas colliery in the same valley January 13, 1878, when about sixty persons lost their lives.

District Court.

The following proceedings were had yesterday in the district court, the Hon. John B. Barnes, presiding: Wood vs. Nicholas et al.; default and judgment set aside as to defendant Stubin, with leave to answer instanter.

Baker vs. Scherb, et al.; confirmation and a ward of execution for deficiency set aside and defendants ordered to show cause by Saturday morning next why the sale should not be confirmed.

Shuitz vs. Holst; leave to file answer instanter and reply in two days thereafter.

Higgins vs. Beals; decree.

Mericle vs. Mericle; decree allowing temporary alimony.

The court adjourned until 9:30 o'clock this morning.

Imprisoned in a Bagnio.

Special Dispatch to The Bee.

NEW YORK, December 11—1 a. m.—Capt. Clinchy yesterday forenoon arrested Annie Hauntz, alias Annie Harrison, keeper of a bagnio in East Twenty-second street, on a warrant issued on the affidavit of Mary E. Collingsworth, of White Mill, Pa., who was found in her house by the police on Wednesday night last. On Wednesday Superintendent Walling received a communication from the father of the girl, who is engaged in a glass-blowing factory in White Mills, which stated: Five months ago she had been lured from her home, and he had information that she was forcibly detained in a house of ill fame, on Twenty-second street, the number of which he did not know. The supt. referred the matter to Capt. Clinchy, giving him a photograph of the girl which the father had sent. The captain, accompanied by detectives, went to a number of houses, and found the object of their search. On seeing them the girl burst into tears, and said that she had been confined within doors for five months and guarded. Yesterday Mary was taken before Justice Bixby, in the Yorkville police court, where she made an affidavit against Annie Hauntz, for keeping a disorderly house, and her arrest followed. According to Mary's story, she was on a visit to some friends in Brooklyn, and was lured away by a man named French Louis, who took her to the house of Annie Hauntz, receiving from the latter $5 for so doing. She had not been allowed to write to her friends or go out of doors while there. She told a terrible tale of wickedness that went on in this house. Annie Hauntz was held in $1000 bail for trial, and the girl was sent to the house of detention as a witness.

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