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KING LUDWIG left no will. He had no will of his own.

THERE are 6,000,000 widows in India. That must be a great country for weeds.

THE recent rains in the northwest have had the effect of greatly improving the crop outlook.

GENERAL JOE HAWLEY is credited with having started a presidential boom. It is a modest boom—a little one for a cent.

THE mayor of Chicago has stopped his papers. We observe, however, that the papers continue running notwithstanding this boycott.

MOITON has gone to Europe and Miller has gone to New York. The slaughter-house and packing-house democrats are preparing for a rousing picnic when they return.

THE board of trade should call a special meeting at an early day to give expression to the wishes of our citizens with regard to the proposed relocation of Fort Omaha.

THE orations which Gladstone has thus far received in Scotland exceed in enthusiasm all previous exhibitions of popular regard for the "grand old man," who as a leader utterly dwarfs the greatest of his opponents.

MRS. CLEVELAND has been presented with a poodle pup and a hundred-year-old Dutch clock, all the way from Antwerp. Both crossed the ocean in safety, the clock arriving alive and the pup in good running order.

A CYCLOPE of reform has struck Kentucky. A man has been indicted in that state for playing poker. If the thing is followed up the fact will be developed that Kentucky probably has more poker players than any state in the union.

WE venture to assume that the great big heart of Chicago, including the fragment contributed by Carter Harrison, has been hilariously happy for the past twenty-four hours. The ball club of that city won a game from the Detroit on Saturday.

THE charge of bribery in connection with Senator Payne's election, will very likely be investigated, and if proper effort is made they can probably be proven. It looks as if the senator's seat had a tack in it, and that he does not sit down very comfortably.

A RESOLUTION has been introduced in the house providing for the final adjournment of congress on July 3. Now if some steps can be taken to terminate the Auditor Brown impeachment trial at about the same time, the country in general and Iowa in particular will be greatly relieved.

WITH all his eccentricities and idiosyncracies the late King Ludwig held a firm place in the affections of the Bavarian people. The demonstrations of popular indignation at his deposition and of grief at his death show that the love of his people for him was deep-rooted. A ruler to whom such tributes of esteem and confidence are paid cannot have been wholly bad.

THE unpopular duke of Norfolk, who trains with the whigs, was roughly treated at a meeting held in a suburb of London Saturday night to support the conservative candidate. The irreverent crowd seized the nobleman by the neck, dashed him against the wall and hustled him from the platform. A number of his aristocratic companions were also roughly handled.

MR. SPARKS may have made some mistakes, but he made no mistake in sizing up Jim Laird of Stinking Water fame. In reply to Laird's charge that "he is backed by a band of hiring spies," and "has robbed 84,000 settlers of their vested rights," etc., Commissioner Sparks says: "I have stood a vast amount of this sort of talk, and a large part of it comes from men like Representative Laird, who, I am told, is one of the very men who are trying to defraud the government by false entries." Mr. Sparks' hiring spies have no doubt posted him as to Laird's attempt to illegally gobble up a large portion of the public domain in the Stinking Water country.

Dog-in-the-Manger Reformers.

The proposed abolition of the surveyor generalship of Nebraska is hailed with joy and pride by the chiefs of the packing-house democracy. They rejoice at the prospect that Gardner must go, at last, and they take great pride in the effect of their patriotic effort in the interest of reform and economy. From their standpoint it is a triumph to have the surveyor general's office of Nebraska transferred from Plattsmouth to St. Paul, Minn. And in this triumph they are entitled to all the glory. For our part we have no tears to shed for Gardner, and we have no interest in the maintenance of the surveyor general's office.

The performance of the packing-house chiefs and the course of their jubilant oration is not likely to restore harmony among the ranks of the Nebraska democracy. On the contrary, it has already aroused a good deal of indignation and disgust. The arrant hypocrisy of the reformers who have hounded Gardner and clamored for the abolition of the surveyor general's office is exhibited in this instance in the most striking manner. When Judge Weaver's name Friday resigned the surveyor generalship it was expected and intended by the packing-house chief, that Robert Clegg, a Weaver democrat, would be appointed his successor. But the appointment for some cause hung fire. Before the vacancy was filled Secretary Lamar received the following letter, dated Omaha, May 11, 1885:

Sir: Mr. Basil M. Ramsey, of Plattsmouth, is an applicant for the position of surveyor general of Nebraska. Some time ago we were asked in regard to the character and ability of Mr. Robert Clegg, of Falls City, Nebraska, to which we at once replied by wire, stating that Mr. Clegg was a man of excellent character, etc. We are now asked to endorse Mr. Ramsey, which we most gladly do. He is a gentleman of the strictest honesty and integrity, and there is no man more competent or more peculiarly fitted to fill the position. With great respect, your obedient servant, Member Nat'l Ed. Com. GEORGE L. MILLER.

While Ramsey and Clegg were wrestling over the bone, Mr. Gardner walked off with the meat, and left the packing-house spoils-brokers boiling over with rage and fury. The question is what would they have done had Ramsey or Clegg been made surveyor-general? Would they have clamored for the abolition of the office on the ground of economy? Would they have enlisted Sam Randall to strike out the appropriation for the sake of reform? Would they not have been lobbying around congress for an increased appropriation on the plea that the Platte river or the Elkhorn had to be measured again or the Dakota boundary had to be re-surveyed? Perhaps the chief organist of the packing-house can enlighten us on these points. Meantime it is quite probable that the pooling of surveyor-generalships will not take place. But if it does, there is a strong probability that the consolidated headquarters will be located at Lincoln with Gardner in full charge. When Nebraska and Dakota were consolidated into one internal revenue district, Dakota was made tributary to Nebraska, and the consolidated office was located at Omaha. The present surveyor generalship includes the state of Iowa, and it would be nothing strange if Dakota and Minnesota were added. How will the packing-house, dog-in-the-manger reformers like Gardner and the surveyor general of three states and one territory?

Death of Hon. J. W. Chapman.

The announcement of the death of Hon. J. W. Chapman, mayor of Council Bluffs, was a sad surprise to his many friends in Iowa and Nebraska. He had grown up from childhood in Iowa, and always lived in that state, with the exception of a few years passed in Nebraska. During the years that he lived in Nebraska, from 1859 to the summer of 1869, Mr. Chapman occupied a prominent position in business and political circles. He represented Cass county in the territorial assembly of Nebraska for two terms, 1862-63 and 1863-64, and in the fall of 1864 he was elected to the territorial council or upper house, and was a prominent candidate for president of that body, being defeated, after a bitter contest and a dead-lock, by Judge Mason. Mr. Chapman was a member of the committee which formulated the first Nebraska state constitution which was adopted when Nebraska became a state in 1867.

During the year 1865 Mr. Chapman became editor of the Omaha Republican, in which position he displayed considerable literary ability and demonstrated himself to be a vigorous writer, especially upon political matters, both local and national. An opportunity was offered him in 1866 to purchase an interest in the Council Bluffs Nonpartisan, and he took advantage of it. Since that time he has resided in Council Bluffs, and always took a prominent part in local, state and national politics. He won the confidence of the people who honored him with important positions of trust and responsibility, and he always proved himself faithful to his duties. He served as United States marshal of Iowa from 1876 to 1883. At the time of his death he was mayor of Council Bluffs. That city has in his death lost one of its most prominent and honored citizens.

The Case of Senator Payne.

There is an apparent indisposition on the part of the committee on privileges and elections of the United States senate to investigate the charges of bribery and corruption made by a committee of the Ohio legislature against Senator Payne that of that state, and yet it is obviously the duty of the committee to make the investigation, which is necessary likewise to the vindication of Senator Payne, if the charges are false. When the allegations were first made public that Mr. Payne had secured his election by corrupt means, that gentleman, while ignoring their irresponsible author, proclaimed that if the charges were preferred from any respectable source he would welcome an investigation, and when the lower branch of the legislature appointed a committee to investigate the allegations the senator addressed a letter to the chairman tendering every facility, even to the extent of examining his private books, for prosecuting the inquiry. Employing only the usual methods of investigation the committee concluded that there was sufficient in the charges to warrant an inquiry by the United States senate, and the matter was submitted to that body. Mr. Payne made a very plausible statement to the senate on the submission of the case from the Ohio legislature, which, while it may satisfy some people that the senator was not personally guilty of corrupting legislators, did not wholly remove a widespread belief that corruption was employed in his behalf. The "real oil" legislature which elected him was a scandal to Ohio, and Mr. Payne was represented at Columbus during the senatorial contest by men of long-established reputation for using any means, however crooked and corrupt, to carry their point. No one knew their capabilities in this respect better than Mr. Payne, and the fact that these men were his accredited agents is in itself a damaging circumstance.

The Fort Omaha Job.

A private dispatch from Senator Manderson to Dr. George L. Miller announced the passage by the senate of the bill to remove Fort Omaha to some point south of the city. The pretext under which it is proposed to relocate Fort Omaha were embodied in the report drafted by Senator Manderson and submitted by him to the senate on April 6th. The report declares that Fort Omaha is now so distant from railroad connection that supplies cannot be conveniently laid down at the fort without much delay and great expense. The area of the grounds, it is also said, is too restricted for efficient military movements, especially artillery drill and target practice. Great stress is also laid upon the extravagant price asked for grounds adjacent to the fort which are needed in order to secure the area required for artillery drill and rifle practice. It is further asserted that the present buildings at the fort are neither adequate to the needs of the service nor sufficiently comfortable for the force stationed there.

The Better Half.

When it comes to jobs a republican city council member does not differ much from a democratic city council constituted in the same way.

Superior to Congress.

The president's wife is superior to congress in one respect—her bills cannot be vetoed.

All the Same.

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More Comfort at Home.

The white house is a better seclusion than Deer Park. Lamont is on guard and can better watch its portals than he could those of a lodge in some vast wilderness.

"Me and the Queen."

Minister Phelps telegraphed to President Cleveland: "Hearty congratulations from us all." Those who know Phelps insist that "us all" meant "Me and the queen."

Overlooking It.

The wholly uncalculated and indefensible attack made in the house of representatives some two weeks ago by an Alabama member and ex-confederate brigadier, upon the character of Edwin M. Stanton, supplied a text to numerous gentlemen of the house who have almost daily felt called upon to lash the offending southerner and vindicate the character and memory of the great war secretary, while the matter has been very generally talked about in the newspapers. Judge Kelley of Pennsylvania opened the case by a very proper demand that the offensive language be expunged from the Congressional Record, while with his usual directness he denounced as they deserved the unwarranted remarks of the Alabama member. Every right-minded citizen commended the course of Mr. Kelley, which seemed to be all that the circumstances required in the way of reproof and condemnation; but the opportunity was too good to be lost by certain other gentlemen of keenly sensitive patriotism, some of whom have taken a shot at the Alabamian, while doubtless there are others loaded to the muzzle awaiting an opportunity to fire upon the vulnerable game. The result thus far has been to give the Alabama representative a notoriety which he could not otherwise have secured, and undoubtedly to greatly strengthen him in the regard of his constituents and of a large element in the south, which very likely is the object he sought to attain by assailing the character of Stanton.

Too Late.

"I left a little check for \$10,000 among the wedding gifts," said the girl's father to his prospective son-in-law, "and after the ceremony is over we will quietly tear it up. See, that's the style nowadays, George." "Yes," hesitated George, "that's the style, but I'm afraid it's too late to tear it up now." "Why? Because?" "We went down to the bank and got it cashed."

A Needy Poet.

A quiet man, of gentle face, Yet noble men and courtly grace, For need and sorrow weep; And jealous fame speaks not his name, But waits until he's dead.

He sat beside a limpid stream

And saw its lucid waters gleam In jewels, rich and rare; And in the hue of heaven's blue An angel face of gentle grace Was sweetly mirrored there.

He saw the flowers bloom and blush

From coral mounds all evening's hush, And listened to the lay Of cooling dove, so full of love, And drank the breeze that kissed the trees, In happy, hidden play.

He lived in contemplation high

Of all the glories of the sky, And sweetest lessons took From earth and air; and bright and fair Of every place and age and race; And read from Nature's book.

And now he sits upon a throne,

A monarch in a realm, his own, And holds the scepter of the universe Within his grasp, with tender clasps— A regal king with soul to sing; But stript of serip and purse.

Now list the music of his shell,

And hear his raptured accents tell Of pure and noble things, With minstrel's art, and poet's heart, He fills the bowl that soothes the soul, And plays upon its strings.

CHEYENNE, Wyo., June 15, 1886.

STATE AND TERRITORY.

Nebraska Jottings. The assessed valuation of York county is \$2,905,713.

Rising City shipped 106 cars of produce last month.

Five "offensive" postmasters walked the towpath last week.

Holdrege will "whoop-em-up" \$800 worth on liberty's birthday.

Columbus expects to have her waterworks in operation by October 1.

North Bend papers acknowledge that their existence is solely a game of freeze out.

There will be a convention of county school superintendents at Fremont July 22-4.

Six boys were arrested and fined at Oshkosh for throwing stones at a passing stage was poised over a foot above water, and its body was visible in curves for ten or twelve feet behind. The head was about the size of a man's double fist, and one of the witnesses describes it as looking like a brazier's. He had turned from side to side, sometimes with open mouth, and the boys say that it made a head ripple and swell in the water as it moved along, like the passing of a skiff.

Choking Catarrh

Have you awakened from a disturbed sleep with the horrible sensation of a lump in your throat and chest? Have you noticed the languor and debility that attend the effort to clear your throat and head of this catarrhal matter? Would you desire relief? It exerts upon the mind, disturbing the memory and filling the head with pain and strange ideas. How difficult it is to do so much as to clear your throat and head of this catarrhal matter. It is a terrible disease, and a relief and cure is a matter of life and death.

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