

A WELL DESERVED TRIBUTE. The Virtues of the Farmer Exalted in a Baccalaureate Sermon.

AMERICAN TILLERS OF THE SOIL. They Sustained the Nation's Credit with Their Hard Earned Dollars and Defended the Staffs and Stripes.

AMHERST, Mass., June 15.—The baccalaureate sermon before the graduating class at the Massachusetts agricultural college was delivered today by Prof. C. S. Walker.

CONGRESSIONAL FORECAST.

Outline of the Coming Week's Work in Both Houses. WASHINGTON, June 15.—The general debate on the silver question is to close, by the present order, in the central of Monday.

CAPTAIN MILLMORE.

Court-Martial Proceedings at Tucson Proceeding Slowly. Tucson, Ariz., June 15.—Special Telegram to The Bee.—In the court-martial proceedings in the case of Captain Millmore yesterday Major Kimball, chief quartermaster of the department of Arizona, testified that he entrusted to Captain Millmore the renting of offices at Tucson; that the price paid was \$50 each for two paymaster's offices and \$50 for the office and storeroom of the disbursing quartermaster; that the prices seemed reasonable, and he had no reason to question Captain Millmore's action.

DES MOINES RIVER LANDS.

Judge Shiras Says Settlers Must Seek Redress From Congress. Chicago, June 15.—A dispatch from Dubuque, Ia., says Judge Shiras has filed in the United States court at des Moines in the case of the United States vs. Des Moines river navigation company, et al., which involves the homestead rights of many settlers. In his decision Judge Shiras says that according to the provisions of the act of the United States he cannot determine the question of the title of the navigation company, but that he will determine that redress for the settlers must be sought from congress.

CUSTER CITY.

A Future Metropolis of the Great Black Hills Tin Region. CUSTER CITY, S. D., June 15.—[Special Telegram to The Bee.]—The tin hills country rapidly coming to the front. After fifteen years of trial and persistent effort on the part of her unwavering people, beset with difficulties and adverse circumstances immasurably greater than any other section has ever experienced, she is now surely and unmistakably emerging from the dark shadows of adversity into the bright sunlight of material prosperity.

POLITICS IN HAWKEYEDOM.

State and Congressional Candidates Coming to the Front. GENERAL WEAVER SHIES HIS CASTOR. Iowa News, Moines August 14.—Other A Convention of Anti-Monopolists Called to Meet in Des Moines August 14.—Other Iowa News, Moines August 14.—Other

HAWKEYE ANTI-MONOPOLISTS.

Des Moines, Ia., June 15.—[Special Telegram to The Bee.]—A state convention has been called to meet in Des Moines August 14 for the nomination of state officers. It is called by the chairman of the union labor state central committee, but all others are invited who believe in the declaration of the purposes enunciated by the industrial convention held at Cincinnati February 22, 1887, and May 15, 1888, and who desire to cooperate for the maintenance of the platform formulated and promulgated by the national farmers' alliance, industrial union and Knights of Labor at St. Louis in December last, which made the following demands:

RUINED BY A CLERK'S MISTAKE.

St. Paul, Minn., June 15.—[Special Telegram to The Bee.]—Sterling R. McCasters, for twenty-one years a leading druggist of St. Paul, has made an assignment. The failure was precipitated by a peculiar incident. A clerk in the store sold Miss Lizzie McCaster a quantity of medicine, and she gave her incurred instructions and the quantity she used produced death. Her friends took the matter into court and secured a verdict of \$200 for funeral expenses. The nominal assets are about \$50,000 and the liabilities about the same.

BANK CLEARINGS.

Table showing Financial Transactions of the Country for the Week Ending June 15. Includes columns for Clearings, Deposits, and other financial data for various cities.

ST. PAUL'S CATHEDRAL.

Protests Made Against Erecting an Underground Railway Near It. Chicago, June 15.—[Special Telegram to The Bee.]—Great fears are entertained for the safety of St. Paul's cathedral in consequence of the new underground railway to be constructed within a few hundred yards of the building.

THE BREMEN SCHUTZENFEST.

They Contest in the Afternoon and Banquet at Night. Chicago, June 15.—[Special Telegram to The Bee.]—The Bremen Schutzenfest committee assembled here today to discuss a banquet for the affair. The banquet is to be held at the Central hotel, and the American riflemen are staying and conducting the visitors to the Schutzenfest.

A FIRE AT DENVER.

A Destructive Blaze Near the Union Depot Yards. DENVER, Colo., June 15.—[Special Telegram to The Bee.]—An exciting and destructive fire occurred immediately adjoining the union depot yards this afternoon. Westman's hay and grain warehouse, twelve cars of hay, two cars of cheese, and a large quantity of other goods were destroyed.

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The Black Sox Capture the Entire Series With Des Moines. OMAHA PLAYED A VERY PRETTY GAME. While the Visitors Ambled About the Field in a Listless and Disheartened Manner—Other Ball Scores.

OMAHA 13, Des Moines 8. Well, they made it three straight. And several thousand people witnessed the fun. But they weren't very enthusiastic, though, because the Probhibitionists played like a lot of cigar signs.

THE SITUATION IN THAT COUNTRY BY MEANS SCENE.

SAFETY VALVE, Cal.—Advices to the Associated Press from the recently returned from Japan state that the excitement following the recent depositions of students in Tokio has subsided somewhat since they apologized to Rev. Mr. Ingham, the New Jersey missionary, who was roughly handled by them.

IN FAVOR OF FREE WOOL.

A Memorial Sent to the Finance Committee. Boston, Mass., June 15.—A memorial in favor of free wool has been sent to the finance committee by the Wool Consumers' association. It closes thus: "As all the wool grown in the world is now wanted, the American grower can hardly be injured by the adjustment of values."

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