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**METHODISTS AT ASSEMBLY**  
 Senator Beveridge and Dr. Butler Convey Greetings to Presbyterians.  
**DENOMINATIONALISM A GOOD THING**  
 Times Out of Joint and Protestants Must Perfect Organizations to Combat Spirit of Doubt and Disbelief.  
 NEW YORK, May 24.—There was a full attendance at the Presbyterian general assembly today, when Senator Beveridge of Indiana and Rev. Dr. J. M. Buckley, editor of the Christian Advocate, came to convey to the assembly the good will and greetings of the Methodist Episcopal church. Vice Moderator Noyes occupied the chair. Dr. Buckley, the first speaker, was received with great applause. He reviewed the history of the Presbyterians and Methodists and laid particular stress on the doctrines they held in common.  
 "Times are out of joint, indeed," Dr. Buckley said in closing. "Protestantism cannot be maintained in our age except through great organizations, but I say to you that the Presbyterian church and the Methodist Episcopal church in the United States hold within them great potentialities for the extension of the doctrines of evangelical Christianity. Let us stand as neighboring rocks against the growing evil of agnosticism that is brought to us under modern names and under new guises and against the doctrines disseminated by the followers of the old men in Rome and not least against the corrosive fluid, the materialistic spirit of the age."  
 Believes in Denominations.  
 Senator Beveridge said: "I have always felt that denominations are a good thing. Denominations give to men of different temperaments an opportunity to work in spheres congenial to themselves and so focus their efforts on the same aim."  
 "As to its civic side, the church is the great conservator of public morals. Destroy the church and you will destroy government."  
 "The flag and cross are alike in one respect—they never retreat. You may temporarily close a church here; a flag may be withdrawn there, but only in order to advance more permanently their interest. They have one common purpose—the cross to advance Christianity, the flag to make this Christian country the greatest power on earth."  
 Rev. Dr. Isaac Boyce conveyed to the assembly the greetings of the Presbyterian church of Mexico, where the work was begun by the board of missions of the Presbyterian church, United States of America. He said the church of Mexico might adopt the revised creed.  
 Next Meeting Place.  
 There was a discussion of the meeting place of the next general assembly. Invitations came from Los Angeles, Cal., through the Emmanuel Presbyterian church of that place and from Cleveland, O.  
 The invitations were presented to the general assembly by Rev. Dr. Roberts, the stated clerk, who is also chairman of the committee on meeting places. Dr. Roberts explained that to take the trip to Los Angeles it would cost the general assembly \$24,000, while at the same time the general assembly has in its treasury that is available for mileage and general expenses for the ensuing year is \$30,000, so that if the assembly were to decide on Los Angeles for its meeting place next year, Dr. Roberts said, it would be necessary to increase the assessment on the church members.  
 Rev. Dr. William Young assured the general assembly that they would be handsomely cared for if they would visit Los Angeles. He urged that it would be of material benefit to the Presbyterian communion to honor Los Angeles by selecting it as the meeting place of the next general assembly.  
 Ernest E. Baker, an elder from Oakland, Cal., also spoke in behalf of Los Angeles for the next general assembly and said that Los Angeles would pay all of the expenses.  
 "Let us have a fair chance, an elder from Cleveland said that Cleveland had had a general assembly in twenty-eight years, that it had been eighteen years since one was held in the state of Ohio and that in his opinion it was time one was held there.

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**ELECTIONS IN BOTH ORDERS**  
 Officers Chosen for Another Year by Brotherhood and the Ladies Auxiliary.  
 NORFOLK, Va., May 24.—The Brotherhood of Locomotive Engineers and the Ladies' auxiliary consumed the entire day in the election of officers, the former order choosing officers for the insurance department and the latter the regular grand officers.  
 The result of the election in the brotherhood insurance department, as far as it progressed, is:  
 President, W. E. Fuchs, Cleveland, re-elected; vice president, C. E. Gardner, Fort Dodge, Ia.; secretary-treasurer, W. B. Prenter, Cleveland, O., re-elected.  
 The election of the other officers will be taken up Monday on the return of the delegates from the Charleston exposition, for which about 400 of them left here tonight.  
 The election of officers of the Grand International auxiliary resulted as follows:  
 President, Mrs. W. A. Murdock, Chicago; vice president, Mrs. M. E. Cassel, Columbus, O.; secretary, Mrs. Harry St. Clair, Loganport, Ind.; treasurer, Mrs. J. G. Bailey, Buffalo, N. Y.; grand guide, Mrs. C. Taylor, Norfolk; grand sentinel, Mrs. J. Wright, Alabama; first grand vice president, Mrs. Clark, Toronto, Ont.

**TRAIN RACES WITH TORNADO**  
 Thrilling Experience of Passengers Coming from St. Paul to Omaha.  
 Rev. T. V. Moore, who came in from St. Paul Friday, reports that in the way down the passengers in the train had the unusual opportunity of watching the progress of a tornado. Between Prairie Junction and Brewster the track runs north and south, while the course laid by the twister was a little south of east, so that it was approaching the track at the time the passengers were watching it. When about a mile from the track it seemed to encounter a soft, sandy formation and almost at once split into two funnel shaped clouds, and then was dissipated in a burst of yellowish black dust. The train escaped without harm, although had the tornado held on its course it must almost surely have overwhelmed the train.  
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 The other business of the board was largely routine. The end of the Irvington prohibition war was signalled by the board instructing that the check of the Schultz Brewing company be returned. The check had been sent as payment for a license which had been asked by the company's representative that he might operate a saloon in the burg. The temperance element, headed by the original owner of the land, protested and won in the fight.  
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**LOG ROLLING FESTIVITIES**  
 Hundreds of Woodmen of the World to Meet in Logan at Iowa Carnival.  
 LOGAN, Ia., May 24.—(Special.)—Not conjectural, but a realization is the state log rolling benefit of the Woodmen of the World to be held at this place June 20 and 21.  
 Several thousand visitors are expected, including delegations from Omaha, Sioux City and Council Bluffs, each of which intend to be accompanied by a band. Several other large delegations from points in the state are anticipating this feature and concerts of high quality will be given through the festival.  
 Logan business men and local committees are full of animation in their efforts to provide for the comfort and entertainment of the visitors.  
**Reception to General Voigt.**  
 A reception and lawn party was given Friday evening at the residence of J. A. Ailabaugh, Twenty-fourth and Emmett streets, by Irene Temple No. 1, Patriarchal Circle of America, for Major General F. C. Voigt, commanding the military division of the Iowa National Guard, who is decorated with Chief Engineer and dancing platform and refreshment tent erected. The military band was present in uniform. The order, which is of a military character, is a new one in Omaha. General Voigt is a resident of Milwaukee.  
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**Mother Always Keeps It Handy**  
 concludes L. W. Spalding, of Verona, Mich., after describing the manner in which Kodol recently cured his aged mother of chronic indigestion.  
 "She had suffered from indigestion and stomach trouble for years," he says. "Finally I induced her to try Kodol and she got better at once. Now, at the age of seventy-six, she eats anything she wants, remarking that she fears no bad effects as she has a bottle of Kodol always handy."  
 If women understood that the diseases to which so many of them are subject are due to indigestion there would be fewer invalids among them.  
 The trouble is, so many people persist in doctoring the symptoms and not the disease. Strengthen the stomach and you regulate every organ of the body. Weak stomachs are responsible for most kinds of ill health.  
 Cathartics and purgatives don't help. They may temporarily clear the decaying, undigested food from the system, but the next meal makes matters as bad as before. In such cases a preparation like Kodol is needed, which, by digesting what you eat, keeps the body properly nourished while the stomach rests. It is not necessary to diet. Kodol digests any good food you may eat.  
 After illness the stomach is weak and run down and Kodol relieves it of work, while permitting a full allowance of food to be eaten to repair the damage done by disease.  
 If you have no organic disease but only an occasional feeling of fullness with flatulence and belching after meals a dose of Kodol will set you right at once.  
 Weak, puny children thrive on it. They often have indigestion, too. It is not necessary that they should suffer. They need good, wholesome food but their stomachs are so weak to digest it. Kodol digests it for them without the stomach's aid. This plan is much better than feeding them any of the many predigested foods, which usually cause considerable fermentation and result in excessive acidity or what is commonly called sour stomach.

**TO SURVEY THE RAILROADS**  
 County Board Prepares to Equalize the Assessments of Corporations.  
**PROFIT FROM CITY AND STATE FIGHTS**  
 Resolution Instructs County Surveyor to Get Exact Information on All Railroad Property in the County.  
 With the city council of Omaha mandamus to reconvene as a board of equalization through the effort of members of the Real Estate exchange, and with the State Board of Equalization similarly commanded by the supreme court, after exposures made by E. Rosewater, the Board of Douglas County Commissioners sees good reason for dealing with the problem of assessment with unusual caution this year. They say that they feel there will be need of full information when the hearing begins June 10, and for that reason are collecting in advance such statistics as they may need.  
 They have been digging among the county surveyor's records for information concerning the holdings in this county of the various railroads, but found such records so incomplete that Chairman Ostrom of the committee on the subject, at yesterday's meeting of the board a resolution which calls for a reurvey of such holdings. Chairman Hofeldt was not in attendance, but the other four members of the board all voted yes.  
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