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## MANAGER'S 7-DAY REPORT

General manager's report for the week ending May 20th.  
To the Commission:—There were no fires last week.  
The street superintendent spent \$57 for teams and drivers and \$58.75 for labor grading 1 avenue from Fourth to Sixth streets, building a cross-walk on B and Fourth over a ditch and cleaning and flushing streets. Man at dump grounds cost \$9.00; White wing \$15.00; cross walk lumber \$13.95 and repairs 40 cents. Prisoner did two days work.  
The water superintendent spent \$22.90 for repairing and for looking after sewers; \$5.75 for installing new taps; \$50.75 for laying new four inch line on C avenue from Second to Cedar and \$55.60 for laying new four inch main and installing a hydrant on M avenue, Second to First.  
The police arrested two, received \$10 fines and had twelve sleepers. The recorder received \$10 fines \$6 pound fees; \$2.50 for five building permits and \$17 for dog licenses. He issued a theatre license for four months on treasurer's receipt for \$25.  
During the last two weeks the treasurer reports that he has received \$1268.75 water rent; \$376.99 Imp. District Installments; \$365.60 Imp. District Interest; \$18.97 interest on District No. 90; \$3.95 interest on District No. 95; \$5 taxi and \$5 dray license and \$25 moving picture license. He paid \$28.05 water warrants; \$241.00 library warrant; \$108.45 Road warrants; \$70 general warrants with \$7.15 interest; \$978.81 Imp. District interest and \$15033.84 Imp. District bonds numbered 146 to 176. This completes paying off the second issue of street Imp. bonds amounting to \$26,033.84. The first issue of \$61,433.03 was paid some time ago and \$1000 was paid in March for two bonds of the third issue. This third issue was for \$39,476.64.  
Respectfully submitted,  
F. J. LAFKY,  
General Manager

**His Need**  
For three successive nights Newpup had walked the floor with the baby. On the fourth night he became desperate and bought a bottle of soothing sirup.  
"Why James," exclaimed his wife when she saw the bottle, "what did you buy that for? Don't you know it is very dangerous to give a child anything like that?"  
"Don't worry," was her husband's reply. "I'm going to take it myself."  
—Wisconsin State Journal.

### MARKET NEWS

**FRUIT**  
Strawberries—20c straight.  
Hood River Apples—7c lb and 40c dozen.  
Bananas—35c and 40c dozen.  
Coconuts—15c each.  
Apples—4c lb.  
Oranges—30c to 60c.  
Lemons—30c and 35c.  
Cherries—30c to 35c lb.  
**VEGETABLES AND MISCELLANEOUS**  
Green Peas—10c.  
New Cabbage—6c.  
New Potatoes—8c lb.  
Green Peppers—40c per lb.  
Fresh tomatoes—25c per lb.  
Radishes—5c and 3 @ 10c.  
Hot house lettuce—35c per lb.  
Green Onions—5c per bunch, 3 for 10c.  
Spinach—10c lb, 4 @ 25c.  
Rhubarb—7lbs for 25c.  
Asparagus—10c straight.  
Potatoes—\$1.75 to \$2.25.  
Head lettuce—10c and 3 @ 25c.  
Cauliflower—20c and 25c each.  
Honey—20c; 3 for 50c.  
New Cabbage—6c.  
Parsley—5c a bunch.  
Onions—3 @ 4 cts. Bermuda—10c.  
Beans—White, 10c; Lima, 10c.  
Beans—White, 10c; Lima, 12-12.  
Sugar—Cane or fruit, \$8.85 sack, cash \$9.25 30 days' time.

**BUTTER AND EGGS**  
Butter—Fancy creamery 35c lb. roll and 65c 2lb roll.  
Ranch butter—2lb. roll 60c @ 65c.  
Eggs—Strictly fresh, 25c.  
**CHICKENS AND FOWL**  
Hens—15c retail, dressed.  
Spring Pheas (large ones) 18c.  
Turkeys—20c @ 25c.

**FLOUR, HAY, FEED, EAC.**  
Bluestem Flour—\$1.40.  
Best of the Best (straight grade) \$1.25.  
Invincible—\$1.40.  
Best of the Best (patent)—\$1.55.  
Royal Patent—\$1.35.  
Snowdrift Flour—\$1.55.  
Upper Crust—\$1.55.  
None-to-Equal—\$1.35.  
Occident—\$2.40.  
Gold Medal—\$2.50.  
Sea Foam—\$1.25.  
Snow Drop—\$1.50.

**Cattle.**  
(La Grande Prices.)  
Choice grain fed steers ..... \$7.75  
Ordinary grain fed steers ..... 7.25 @ 7.40  
Choice hay fed steers ..... 7.50 @ 7.75  
Choice cows ..... 6.50 @ 7.00  
Ordinary to common cows ..... 6.25 @ 6.35  
Choice bulls ..... 4.50 @ 5.00  
Best light calves ..... 7.00

**Sheep.**  
Select Spring lambs ..... \$4.50  
Best yearlings ..... 7.25 @ 7.50  
Choice light ewes ..... 5.50  
Good to common ewes ..... 4.00 @ 4.25

**Hogs.**  
Choice light weights ..... 7.95 @ 8.00  
Good light weights ..... 7.80 @ 7.90  
Medium weights ..... 7.50 @ 7.75  
Rough and heavy ..... 7.00 @ 7.25

### NAILING AN IMAGE.

Curious Custom of the Natives of the Kongo Country.  
Among the curious objects in the home of the Royal Geographical society at Kensington Gore, in London, is a fetish that was captured in 1865 from river pirates on the Kongo river. It is a wooden figure with mica eyes that glisten unpleasantly in the dark. A number of heavy nails have been driven into its body.  
According to Mr. T. A. Joyce of the British museum, the practice of driving nails into images has two purposes. One is simply to get a favor granted. In that case the worshipper on paying the fetish man a fee is permitted to drive a nail into the figure while uttering his petition. The other purpose is to injure an enemy. In that case the applicant pays a heavy fee and drives his nail into the figure in the belief that his enemy will fall ill and die.  
A man who falls ill goes at once to the fetish man and makes inquiries, and if he finds that an enemy has driven a nail into the idol with him in mind he bribes the fetish man heavily to remove it. That, he thinks, insures his getting well.  
The principle underlying the practice is quite different from that underlying the old practice of making a wax image of an enemy and driving pins into it. The wax figure represented the victim, who in some occult way felt in his own person the abuse lavished on his effigy. The nail driven into the wooden figure, on the contrary, is to remind the god to perform the wishes of the petitioner. It is, as it were, to tie a string round his finger.—Youth's Companion.

### LEGEND OF THE VAMPIRE.

Queer Beliefs That Cling About This Old World Superstition.  
The vampire, according to the belief of eastern Europe, is the physical body of a dead person, male or female, that maintains itself in a sort of half life in the grave by returning to its former haunts and nourishing itself on the blood of living persons. This superstition is characteristically Slavonic.  
The vampire superstition is strongest in White Russia and the Ukraine, though it also pervades the popular belief in Poland and Servia, among the Czechs of Bohemia and the Slovaks of Hungary and is to be traced as far as Albania and Greece. Comparative philology proves it to have had a common origin with the equally hideous legend of the were wolf, a human being who could at will assume the appearance and ferocity of a wolf, which it wounded in its nocturnal pursuits in the head or limbs could not efface its injuries or escape detection when it returned to its human form.  
The vampire is to be detected during his visits to the haunts of man by his extreme pallor, his unnaturally long and pointed canine teeth and his fetid breath. The vampire also throws no shadow either upon the ground or on a looking glass and is never seen to eat or drink. How he leaves and re-enters his grave is an undecided point, because no one is ever supposed to have had the courage and address to see, but the belief is that locked doors and closed windows are no bar to his movements.—London Globe.

### Trial of a Dead Man.

Charles de Bourbon, high constable of France, died in conquering Rome, which his leaderless soldiers straightway sacked. For this crime it was necessary to find a scapegoat, so "on July 26, 1527, in the presence of King Francis I., on his seat of justice, assisted by the peers of France and the assembled chambers, Jean de Surin, first usher of the court, called Charles de Bourbon three times—at the bar of the parliament, at the marble table and at the marble steps—and then reported that the said De Bourbon had not appeared. The sentence was drawn up, then solemnly read. The constable de France, dead, was condemned, his goods returned to the crown, and the door of his palace by the Louvre was painted yellow."

### Teeth Tell Sheep's Age.

A lamb has eight small first teeth on the lower jaw. When the animal reaches the age of about one year the middle pair are replaced by two permanent teeth; at the age of about two the teeth on either side of these permanent teeth are also replaced by a permanent pair; at the age of three the next tooth on either side gives way to a permanent tooth, and at the age of four the last or back teeth are replaced in like manner.—Farm and Home.

### Grievously Disappointed.

"Have you found out why Jinks is looking so depressed these days?"  
"It seems that a friend of Jinks was in financial difficulties and Jinks offered his help."  
"Well?"  
"His friend took him up."—Richmond Times-Dispatch.

### Fugaciously Doves.

Pence jovers had better find another bird to become symbolical of their ideas, for the dove is not a bird of peace, but is one of the most pugnacious little fighters. In fact, the dove fights a large part of its waking hours.—Washington Star.

### His Reasons.

"They say the widower who has just married again was all broken up when his first wife died."  
"That is why he was so anxious to be repaired."—Baltimore American.

Cruelty and fear shake hands together.—Bazaar.

## NOTABLES IN THE LIMELIGHT

### Rear Admiral Joseph Strauss, Expert in Gunnery.



By Clinebinst.

Rear Admiral Joseph Strauss, chief of the bureau of ordnance, United States navy, is a firm believer in the efficacy of big caliber guns. Testifying recently before the house committee on naval affairs, he said that the general board of the navy had not yet determined whether the battleships and cruisers to be authorized in the pending naval bill should be equipped with sixteen inch guns.

Admiral Strauss indicated that he believed the sixteen inch gun was practicable for use on large naval vessels. He told the committee that the latest fourteen inch guns of the navy, having a range of 24,000 yards as mounted or fourteen land miles, were the equal of the fifteen inch weapons of foreign navies because of the greater muzzle velocity. He further said that at target practice last year three twelve-inch shells were driven through heavy armor plating at 12,000 yards.

A native of New York, Rear Admiral Strauss was appointed to the United States Naval academy from Virginia in 1881. He invented the superposed turret system in mounting guns on battleships, also an improvement for taking up the recoil of heavy guns. For several years he was in charge of the United States naval proving grounds. Later he did experimental work on torpedoes, and in 1913 he was commissioned chief of the bureau of ordnance, with the rank of rear admiral. He was a member of the commission to decide finally on the cause of the destruction of the Maine in Havana harbor. Admiral Strauss has written various articles on ordnance and ballistics.

### A Wisconsin Statesman.

Representative William Joseph Cary of Wisconsin, who recently caused a mild sensation in congress by introducing a bill to remove the capital of the United States to Milwaukee, is noted for his independence and candor. His alleged motive for desiring to move the capital to Milwaukee was that the proposition to make the District of Columbia "dry" by congressional enactment is a threat against personal liberty.

### A Native of Milwaukee and fifty-one years old, he is serving his fifth term as a member of congress. He is a



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Republican of the progressive type, and during the famous uprising against Speaker Joe Cannon several years ago he was one of the leading insurgents. In his younger days Mr. Cary was beset by hardships. When thirteen years old, with five other children, he was left an orphan. He became a messenger boy, the other children being placed in an orphan asylum. At eighteen he had learned telegraphy, and in the next year he took his younger brothers and sisters from the asylum and gave them a home. He first entered politics as an alderman in Milwaukee, then he was elected sheriff of the county and at the first trial of the Wisconsin primary law was elected to congress.

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