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The Democrat.

There is to be a fine of $50 in Canada for every paper published on Sunday in that province.

It is a good idea not to reach the acme of one's fame at commencement. Keep on plodding.

The student who receives the least notice on graduation may be the hero of the day in ten years.

The goldbug democratic party is to be perpetuated another year, at least in Oregon. Only a few will remember the fact very long.

Lebanon's 4th of July celebration will be a mild affair in all probability compared with the crowd that will be there on the day of Bryan's visit.

It is said $1,000,000 will be distributed in the Illinois legislature on account of a bill passed which will be worth $5,000,000 to millionaire Yerkes.

A Lincoln Neb., paper must be run in a very extravagant way, for the editor says "in the eleven months ending with May our expenditures exceeded our receipts $33,000,000." An experience like that would have an observable effect on the DEMOCRAT'S pocketbook.

The wheat crop is short in France, short in Russia, almost a failure in Argentine, there is a famine in India, and the American supply is rather less than average. Still, wheat sells in the Chicago market for 67 cents. Twenty-five years ago under like conditions, it would have been worth from $1.50 to $2. What is the matter? Is it evident that money is even scarcer than wheat. Asks an eastern paper.

A Bostonian who recently returned from abroad had quite a struggle with the customs officials at the hub over a small piece of the Giant's causeway brought home as a relic. The naval office held that it was granite and should pay a duty of 9 cents. The collector's office pronounced it a crude mineral, and therefore undutiable. In the end the latter opinion prevailed. It was certainly a hair splitting affair.

From the Washington Post:

Ex-Senator Corbett, of Oregon, enjoys all the privileges of the Senate chamber except making speeches, voting, and drawing a salary. He has been assured of a favorable report from the Committee on Privileges and Elections, but has been told that he will have to wait until after the tariff bill is out of the way before the case can be brought up in the senate. As it is pretty generally understood that Congress will adjourn as soon as the tariff bill is out of the way, action by the senate on the question of seating Mr. Corbett upon his Governor's certificate of appointment will undoubtedly go over until the beginning of the regular session in December. Mr. Corbett does not seem to be losing anything by the delay. He makes friends continually among the newer senators, as he had already had friends among the older members of the senate.

Popular Science.

Prof. Alexander Graham Bell is now busily engaged in perfecting an instrument which carries words on a ray of light. He has already succeeded in telephoning by this means for a single mile.

A medical contemporary mentions, on the authority of Dr. Alexander, that the planting of oslers on a large scale in northwesteen India has been useful in stamping out malaria in a notoriously unhealthy valley covered with stagnant pools.

Cheap Living.

An eastern writer gives the following very interesting facts about cheap living:

Down on the Bowery, near Canal street, I found the other day the cheapest restaurant in New York. An old music hall has been converted into a vast dining-room, equipped with the customary counters and stools, and at the door there are signs announcing meals for 5 and 10 cents. Ten-cent meals are not at all remarkable on the Bowery, where there are dozens of places in which you can get what is called a dinner for 10 or 15 cents, but I have never before seen an attempt made to provide thoroughly clean, decent, and appetizing meals for 5 cents. This concern was established as a charity by Dr. Klopschep, proprietor of the Christian Herald, but it is run on a straight business basis, and the manager, who is a nephew of Rev Talmage, says that it now pays all expenses of rent, superintendence, food, cooking and waiting. The rent alone is $2,500 a year. Since the restaurant was opened, about a month ago, more than 65,000 meals have been furnished, and more than nine-tenths of them were of the 5-cent class. Now what does a man get for his nickle? I say a man for I saw no women at the counters. He has his choice of a plate of hash, liver, beef stew, or pork and beans, and he gets a bowl of coffee, with sugar and milk, and three slices of good bread. If he prefers oatmeal and milk, he can substitute that for his meat ration. The food is all well cooked and wholesome, and is served in very liberal portions, so that a hungry man can really satisfy himself at an expense of only 5 cents. The 10-cent meal consists of, first, either oatmeal and milk or soup, then choice of roast meats, with two kinds of vegetables, bread and butter, coffee or a glass of milk, and some kind of dessert, usually a rice pudding or a bread pudding. The place is never closed night or day. No matter at what hour the hungry wayfarer may pass, the doors are open and the lights burning. The customers are by no means tramps or "bums"—most of them are respectable looking men. No one is refused a meal, however, no matter how dirty or forlorn may be his appearance, nor is the beggar turned away who has not 5 cents to pay.

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Advance agent McKinley still has hold of his sample case according to an eastern paper.

Lynching, prize fighting and football will have to be done away with before our civilization is complete.

From the Columbia (S. C.) State.

We may safely predict the election of a Democratic president in 1900—this on a platform substantially if not exactly similar to the Chicago platform of last year. There are better times ahead—though we must be content to wait.

"Spokane is the liveliest town in the West," said Mr. T. D. Gibbs, who represents the Northern Pacific Railway there, to a reporter of the Post at the Shoreham. "There isn't a vacant house in the town, and it is calculated that 1,000 new buildings will be constructed this year. We were in a rather deplorable condition until the development of the great gold mining properties in the Trail creek country, in British Columbia, and in the Colville reservation. With the opening of these mines the tide turned, and an era of prosperity set in which bids fair to be permanent. Spokane is the trade center of both these districts, and her business men have reaped large profits. But the best part of it is that Spokane men own the big mines, and so the revenue therefrom is kept at home. The Le Roy mine, in which Senator Turner owns a large interest, has been paying monthly dividends of $25,000, and the deeper it is explored the wider becomes the vein from which the precious metal is taken. Experts say that this region is scarcely in the infancy of its development, and that it will in the near future come to be regarded as one of the greatest gold districts in the world."

Liverpool England.

EDITOR DEMOCRAT:

A paragraph in the Oregonian lately spoke of the increase of temperance in Liverpool, as due to the facilities for strife transportation of wheel and street car.

Thinking back a good many years, I can put the improvement down to other causes besides. A quarter of a century ago the whole line of the Liverpool docks was dotted with cocoa houses, where tons of cocoa were used weekly and sold at a penny a pint to the working man as early as five o'clock in the morning.

Another was the evangelistic work of the churches to rescue men from drink, to hold them through the existing temperance societies, recreation rooms, unceasing care for them and their families. I remember a clergyman's wife saying: "Our reformed drundards (mostly Irish) are all right till Halloween arrives, and then their old companions get them off on a spree, and we have to begin the work all over again.

These causes made Liverpool ripe for what is now a fact: viz, an average of 40,000 population without a saloon.
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Curious Facts.

The perfectly round pearls are the most valuable; next come the pear-shaped, and, lastly, the egg-shaped.

On the top of the parish church tower in Bicknoller, Somersetshire, is a yew tree, now five feet high and still growing.

The longest time during which a note has remained outside the Bank of England is 111 years. It was for £25, and it is computed that the compound interest during that long period amounted to no less than £6000.

Perhaps the most splendidly decorated church in the united Kingdom is that of Whitney Court, Worcestershire. It is entirely constructed of white marble and the pulpit is of genuine carrara marble, richly decorated with precious stones.

The total numbers of copies of newspapers printed throughout the world in one year is 12,000,000,000. To print these requires 781,240 tons of paper, or 1,562,480,000 pounds, while it would take the fastest single press 333 years to print a single year's edition, which would produce a stack of papers nearly fifty miles high.

National flowers have been adopted in various countries as follows: Greece, violet; Canada, sugar maple; Egypt, lotus; England, rose; France, fluer-de-lis; Germany, corn flower; Ireland, shamrock; Italy, lily; Prussia, linden; Saxony, mignonette; Scotland, thistle; Spain, pomegranate; Wales leek.

Every steamer that sails along the coast is a refuge for birds that are blown to sea, mostly small and not strong of wing. When disturbed or frightened by people on deck, they fly into the air and fall behind the ship. After several disturbances they become so tired that they can no longer catch up, and after hopelessly chasing the vessel for several miles they flutter into the sea and are drowned.

A flock of wild pigeons, so numerous as to recall the hunting stories of days that were supposed to have passed forever, has taken possession of a grove in Shasta County Cal. When the birds are on their foraging expeditions they are said to form a line a mile in length, and from one hundred to two hundred yards wide, while the sound of their wings is like that of a furious storm. At night they gather in a black forest where, over an area of adout 160 acres, they seem to cover every twig and bough.

MARRIED.

GLOVER—ASHBY.—At the home of Mr. and Mrs. L. A. Loomis at Ilwaco beach, Washington, at noon on Wednesday, June 16th, Miss Minnette Grace Ashby and Mr. Orange D. Glover were joined in wedlock.

Both the happy young principals to this high contract are well known and highly esteemed in the Capitol City of Oregon, the bride being the sister of Geo. U. Ashby, of this city, and the groom being pleasantly remembered as an employe in the grocery house of James Aitken. Mr. and Mrs. Glover will continue to reside at the beach and will be at home to their friends after Sunday, June 20th.—Statesman. The bride was a resident of Albany several months last year

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SATURDAY NIGHT THOUGHTS

No event interests more people than the various commencement exercises of a college. There is a spirit and fascination connected with them that draws the crowd. Poetical in character one is elevated. The ending of school days and the commencement of life's mission makes an impression that is emphatic in its character. The object of attending school is to fit one for life's battles, hence it is an era when the battle is supposed to begin, and the beginning of a battle has so much uncertainty about it as to create intense interest. As a rule the outlook is a bright one; there is a rosy tint to things during the flowery orations that elevates the hopes and intensifies the expectations. On commencement day the country is full of future presidents. It is well. The realities of life follow soon enough with their hardships and grubbing experiences, which if industriously persisted in may lead on to fortune. The great secret to success in any field is application, industry and economy.

Who thought there might be a prospect of drought. Drought in the Willamette valley; well we guess not. This valley is as much of a proof against drought as Sahara is against rain.

A very rich man during the week jumped into the ocean and of course was drowned. How the wires stretched themselves to get the news over the world that Barney Barnato, or whatever his real name is, had terminated his very unsatisfactory existence. The DEMOCRAT has no tears in the matter. It does not admire his career.

Yes, let us have Hawaii as a part of the U. S. There is something about it and its interests that ally it to the U. S. and we want it.

There is nothing for which the DEMOCRAT strives harder than being fair to all people, and it will always consider it a privilege to be able to correct a mistake or take back a misrepresentation, never intentionally made.

Milk of Human Kindness.

From the Salem Independent:

The editor of this paper is glad to announce that he has so far recovered from his recent severe illness, that he has been able to visit his office a few times, though not yet able to attend to its routine duties. He finds it necessary to go to the sea coast or mountains to recuperate. As soon, however, as he is able he will be found "forging thunder" as of yore.

Now, we want to say for the good people of Salem and vicinity that we cannot find language sufficiently strong to thank them for the many kindnesses shown during our seven week's illness. When we decided to make Salem our future home our "lines had indeed fallen in pleasant places." People of every degree called upon us and offered to assist us in any way possible. The calls and inquiries daily made after our health frequently amounted to fifteen or twenty. Many gentlemen who were compelled to leave the city on business sent us letters of apology with their best wishes. And when our medical adviser forbade our friends to visit our room declaring that absolute quiet was necessary to our restoration to health, the ladies sent in boquets of flowers until our room presented the appearance of a flower garden and little children picked us wild strawberries, and everyone seemed to do every thing they could to make us feel well. We can never forget the kindness shown us on this occasion. People, regardless of politics or religion—came to tender us their kindest offices. It would occupy too much space to name the many ladies and gentlemen who made frequent calls to inquire after our health, but we have the list carefully preserved, nevertheless and we shall always look upon it as one of the most precious mementos of our life. God bless the people of Salem.

From the Astoria Budget:

"I do not wish to encourage you in the sentiments expressed in the Budget," said a pronounced gold-standard McKinley man as he sat thoughtfully on a settee in the Occident hotel last night, "but I tell you I have heard more kicking lately by commercial drummers about dull trade than I ever have heard before in my life." The man who spoke is a life long republican, and it will take something more than talk to convert him to free-silver, but like a great many more Republicans he is being crowded very hard by McKinley prosperity. They will all be in line by 1900.

"Help! Help!" cried the drowning man. "I am drowning!"

"Jove! What an opportunity!" cried the reporter on the shore, whipping out his notebook." "Quick—tell me your sensations, and I'll give you a send off in Sunday's paper."

But it was too late. The man had gone down for the third time.—Ex

Those who are growling because the people are demanding prosperity so soon after election should remember that it was promised at once in order to secure votes. In fact it elected Mr. McKinley. There's the rub. Why it was even proposed seriously that on election morning all the bells in the U. S. be rung as an announcement of the beginning of prosperity.

That bicycle joke about getting all the exercise needed by dodging wheels, seems to have had a run in the east and was applied to both David Hill and Billy Mason.

Whatever else may come in this great Willamette Valley, put it down solidly that it will not be a drought. This valley is proof against droughts and cyclones.

Barnato's brain gave out. There wasn't much of it to start in with, just a financial bump in one corner.

Mark Hanna is said to run the Navy department, being a regular dictator.

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MISFITS.

The Salem Journal wants Judge Terrell of Marion county impeached. It is after him red hot.

The walk between the DEMOCRAT office and First street makes it look as if some of Albany's grades are uncertain affairs.

Another man, A. L Brown, has just started for those Blue Bucket Mines. He will find what all other myth hunters have found, nit.

THE DEMOCRAT man has hear! Stewart L. Woodford, the new minister to Spain speak politically twice. He is a man of considerable force.

One paper in Oregon defends President Chapman of the State University. The Eugene Guard says there are some suspicious ear marks seen.

The board of regents of the State University employed president Chapman for another year. They declared the charges against him to be trivial ones.

The finest greens ever eaten are dandelions, the finest tonic for the kidneys in the world, and yet Albany people kick because their yards are full of them.

We are looking for the Salem papers to build a railroad up into the Crabtree country in order to get all the trade of the new colony. Why this dilatoriness.

It cost $2 65 to cut off a table leg at the court house in Salem. This makes cold chills run down the DEMOCRAT man's back. What are we coming to!!

Portland's smart-Alecky detectives still insist that Pfanner, the Forest Grove absconding banker is in Portland. He is in the east by this time.

The story of Queen Victoria's blindness proves to be one of the modern newspaper fakes. Nothing in it. It isn't safe to believe things nowadays without an affidavit.

Wm. Rictor was yesterday sentenced to the penitetiary for two years for robbing W. S. Ladd's grave. The judge was sorry the limit was so low. Ten years would be about right.

Patronize your home business men Do not send away for your things. Spend your money with those who spend their money with you, and always consult the columns of the DEMOCRAT for business invitations. The live business men are represented.

Most people who watch the eastern base ball games have a team picked out they wish to see win. The DEMOCRAT man always looks first for the score of the New Yorks, and notes with pleasure every win that brings the club nearer the pennant.

Another train load of cattle from Webfoot passed through here this morning going to Montana. From the way cattle have been shipped out of the Willamette valley this season, it would seem that beef will be a very scarce article down there in the future.—The Dalles I. M. Plenty left to eat. This a big valley

A few years ago Corvallis had nine saloons and six church buildings. Since then there has been a steady lessening in the number of drink resorts and an increase of churches. This month Chas Albrecht closed his saloon, leaving five in the city, while regular services are held in eleven church edifices.—Gazette.

Fred Holtum, of Oakland, Calif., declares that he and Barney Barnato performed in the ring together in London many years ago, notwithstanding the sister of Barnato says her brother was never a circus performer. This matter should be sifted to the bottom and even placed in the hands of Portland detectives if necessary to get the real facts.

At a meeting of the Alumni of Willamette University, B. Frank Irvine, of the class of '97, now the versatile editor of the Corvallis Times, delivered the address of the evening. Cuba was his theme. There was hardly a spot left when he had boiled Spain down, and the policy of the U. S government was stamped upon and smashed into a pancake.

As a sample of sour grapes the following statement made by Max Pracht in Portland, is the best on record: "I will be near my family and what I earn I can save, while the cost of moving my family and keeping the latch string out at the governor's residence in Sitka, which the governor is expected to do, will eat up all of his salary, and nothing but the glory is left for pay."

The Alumni of the State University passed resolutions, of which the following is the substance: Whereas, We understand that reports have been circulated charging Prof. Johnson with intemperance and gross immorality, and attacking his ability as an instructor Resolved, That we desire to reaffirm our entire confidence both in his exceptional qualities as teacher, and our esteem of his moral integrity, and steadfastness of character, and our gratitude for his unequaled services during the University's pioneer existence.

Coming from so fair and readable a paper as the Lebanon Advance the following is particularly appreciated by the DEMOCRAT: "The Albany Democrat is one of the best papers in Oregon, and is more copied from than any other paper in the state. Mr. Nutting is a "live" editor and possesses the faculty of presenting the news in an interesting way. We also believe the Democrat is about the fairest paper in the state, never intentionally misrepresenting anything, politically or otherwise, but always endeavoring to make fair and impartial statements

Dan'l McClain visited the metropolis this week and consulted an oculist in regard to his eyes, and was told they were all right but that his glasses were improperly fitted. This is only one of many instances where people have been bilked by so called opticians.—Harrisburg Review. Another warning to leave traveling opticians alone.

There were only two Kangaroo Columbia bicycles in Oregon. One is owned by E. M. Waite, the veteran printer of Salem, now over 70 years of age. Mr Waite continues to ride his wheel regardless of its being far out of date. The other is owned by the Man about Town, of the DEMOCRAT office and there is a rumor that it will be seen in the plug ugglies on the 4th of July. It has not been used for several years.

When you ask an editor to suppress an item of news because it does not please you; then go and ask your grocer to exclude pickels from his store because you can't eat them, or your butcher not to keep bologna because it goes against the stomach. There is just as much fairness in one as the other. News is an editor's stock in trade. So are pickels a grocer's and bologna and nockwurst a butcher's.—Dansville Breeze.

The Roseburg Review gets this off on the women of Eugene: "A balloon ascent and parachute jump is to be an attraction at the Albany 4th of July celebration, and the professor (?) advertises that he will marry any woman who will make the ascent with him and stay in the balloon after he cuts the parachute loose. If this proposition is ever made in Eugene, it is stated upon good authority that the bold aerial navigator will be forced to enlarge the carrying capacity of his balloon." The Ashland Record gets the same thing off on Jacksonville. Come to Albany and see the fun.

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TELEGRAPHIC.

Broke his Neck

FOREST GROVE, Or. June 18.—Coroner C. L. Large was summened to Glencoe this morning to investigate the cause of the death of Peter Kalsch, aged 62, who died at 8 o'clock a. m. today. The deceased was a machanic and was working on a barn, owned by O. C. Barlow of Glencoe. He was getting ready to put up a ladder, preparatory to hoisting hay into the barn with a derrick, and was lifting a piece of timber up against the barn, when the ladder fell from under him and he fell 35 feet striking the barn floor and breaking his neck, dying instantly.

Slow Work

WASHINGTON, June 18.—The tariff bill came to a halt in the senate today, less than one page of the flax schedule being disposed of. The debate drifted into political channels, Senators Bacon, Vest, Jones of Arkansas and Tillman taking part in an exposition of democratic doctrine on the tariff. It led to several lively exchanges, during which the cleaning of political "dirty linen" was frequently referred to.

Cuban Affairs

MILWAUKEE, June 18.—Dr H W Danforth returned last night to his Milwaukee home after a year in Cuba as personal physician to President Cisneros. Dr Danforth had a thrilling escape from the island in a small boat and several times on the island narrowly avoided capture by the Spaniards and execution. He says the Cuban leaders are all bound by oath not to give in, and that the insurgents have well grounded hopes for final triumph.

An Illinois Cyclone

LINCOLN, Ill., June 18.—A tornado which passed over the central and southern portions of Logan county this afternoon destroyed thousands of dollars' worth of property and completely demolished the immense cow barn on the farm of the state institution for the feeble minded. Twenty six persons seeking refuge from the storm were burned in the debris. Four of the refugees, boy pupils from Chicago were taken out dead.

Guilty but Acquitted

CHICAGO, June 18.—Charles W Spalding, ex-president of the Globe Savings bank, and ex-treasurer of the state university, was today acquitted of the charge of embezzlement. The verdict was a general surprise, as the instructions of the court to the jury left scarcely any chance for an acquittal.

Barnato's Body

SOUTHAMPTON, June 18.—On the arrival of the steamship Scot today with the body of Barney Barnato, the coroner's officers went abroad to ascertain as to the necessity of an inquest. The inquest was held, and the jury returned a verdict of death from drowning while temporarily insane.

Some Appointments

WASHINGTON, June 17.—The president sent to the senate the following nominations:

Charles F. Nestor, of New Jersey, Indian inspector.

J. U. Smith, of Oregon, and W. J. Jones of Washington, commissioners for the district of Alaska.

Clinton A. Snowden, commissioner for the lands of the Puyallup Indian reservation in Washington.

An Astoria Case

ASTORIA, Or., June, 17.—Mrs. Laura Davis, who lives at Clifton, yesterday went after her cow, that had strayed on the property of D. Falnaga. Mrs. Falnaga, it is alleged, set four dogs upon her. Wrenching a rail from the fence, Mrs. Davis beat the dogs off, whereupon Falnaga, his wife, Antone and Mary Solomon attacked her with clubs and beat her nearly to death.

Big Cyclones

LONDON June 17.—The Madrid correspondent of the Mail says:

A succession of cyclones and fierce hail storms have destroyed the crops and vineyards in the provinces of Valladolid and Guadalajara. In the district of Newcastle houses have been flooded, hundreds of cattle drowned and a number of lives lost.

Very fast Riding.

CAMBRIDGE, June, 17.—Jimmy Michael the Welshman, beat Eddie McDuffie, on the Charles River Park track, this afternoon, in the hottest 15-mile bicycle race ever run in America, and at the same time established a new 15-mile paced competition record of 26:12. McDuffie led all through the race up to the last lap of the 14th mile, when his pacers became worn out, and the little Welshman, behind a fast triplet, forged ahead and won by 100 yards.

Peace Established

LONDON June 17.—The Athens correspondent of the Daily Telegraph says:

It is reported here tonight that the peace conference and the porte have accepted a settlemen giving Turkey either the town of Largaria, southeast of Milouna, or Neseros, north of Larissa.

The Athens correspondent of the Chronicle says:

The porte has abandoned the policy of delay and decided to accept the advice of the powers.

Spaniards whipped

NEW YORK, June 17.—A dispatch to the Herald from Madrid says an official telegram from Manila announces a desperate combat in the Philippine islands against the rebel general Aguinaldo. The Spanish losses were over 100 killed and wounded. The news has caused a profoundly painful impression.

Means Annexation.

WASHINGTON, June, 16.—Representatives of the government of the United States and Hawaii gathered at the State department this morning and signed the treaty, which, if ratified will make the little island republic a part of the United States. The Japanese government has filed a protest against the Hawaii treaty, on the ground that it promises to lead to a breach of treaty stipulations between Japan and Hawaii.

Important Appointment.

WASHINGTON June, 16.—The president has nominated Stewart L. Woodford of New York, to be minister to Spain.

The president also sent the following nominations to the senate:

Julius Goldschmid, of Wisconsin, to be consul-general at Berlin.

Howard M. Futenin, of California, to be agent of the salmon fisheries of Alaska.

Horribly burned

EUGENE, Or., June, 16.—A terrible accident occured about four miles north of Eugene this evening, which will probably result fatally. A family was in camp near the farm of Palmer Ayres, and a woman and her child were working about a camp fire, when the clothing of the child caught. The mother strove frantically to extinguish the flames, and her own clothing was set on fire. Both were horribly burned.

Butler Must Hang

SYDNEY, N. S. W. June 16.—The trial of Frank Butler, charged with the murder of Captain Lee Weller, while the two were on a gold-prospecting trip, was concluded today, the jury rendering a verdict of guilty.

Butler attempted to cut his throat with a piece of tin this morning, but was siezed before he did himself any injury. Later he made a violent resistance to the keepers while on the way to the courthouse. He fought like a wild beast.

Japan all Right

PARIS June, 16.—The Matin publishes an interview with Count Ito, of Japan, who is now in this city, in his way to attend Queen Victoria's jubilee, in which, he says Japan never had any idea of entering into a conflict with the United States as the outcome of the troubles between Japan and Hawaii, which, he added, have even been greatly exaggerated.

Big Buy

SAN ANTONIO, Tex., June 16.—John W. Mackay has bought the Thornton ranch near here. The ranch consists of over 100,000 acres. It is one of the finest in Texas. It is reported that Mackay will start a thoroughbred horsebreeding farm.

Mrs L Viereck is prepared to furnish ice cream in any quantity on short notice at her ice cream parlors and summer garden. Ice cream 5 and 10c a dish.

Albany Market.

Wheat 63 cents.
Oats 36.
Eggs 9 cents.
Butter 8 to 10 cents.
Potatoes 30 cents.
Hams 8 cents.
Sides 7 cents.
Shoulders 5 cents.

Biliousness
Is caused by torpid liver, which prevents digestion and permits food to ferment and putrify in the stomach. Then follow dizziness, headache, insomina, nervousness, and, if not relieved, bilious fever or blood poisoning. Hood's Pills stimulate the stomach, rouse the liver, cure headache, dizziness, constipation, etc. 25 cents. Sold by all druggists. The only Pills to take with Hood's Sarsaparilla.
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Supper and Lawn Sociable.

The commencement exercises of the Academy of "Our Lady of Perpetual Help" will be held Thursday evening, June 24th. The ladies of the congregation will begin to serve supper at the Academy at 5 o'clock to accomodate the many friends, during which time choice selections of music will be rendered by the pupils and by friends of the school. At 8:30 the following program will be given:

American club march, by Misses Nona Davis, S Case and M Casey.
Greeting, by M Marnin.
Give my Love to all at Home—senior class.
The Railroad Crossing—Master T Shea.
Fairies Club, (instr.,)—H Skelly, D Wiley and chorus.
Tom's Practical Joke—Stella Zeyes, N Davis, J Shea.
When You and I were Young Maggie, (vocal)—A and O McGee.
What I'd like to Be—concert recitation.
Golden Keys—small boys.
Jolly Blacksmith, (inst)—E Case and N Davis.
The Way To Do It, rec—A McGee.
Better Than Gold—N Riley and S Zeyes.
How to Cure a Cough, rec—M Miller
Grandma's Lost Balance, rec—M Shea.
Tourists March—M Casey and N Davis.
The Old Musician and His Harp—guitar and zither.
My Best Friend, rec—O McGee
Sailing, (vocal) by little boys.
The Famine, rec—L McGee, M Casey and E Case.
God Bless Our Home—chorus.

The Sisters and the pupils of the Academy extend a cordial welcome to their many friends and patrons of the school

The City's Water Service

ALBANY, June 14, 1897.

There are so many complaints of lack of proper pressure in the outer part of our system that we have made a thorough investigation. We find that while we are running the pumps at a pressure of 65 to 80 pounds, the pipes on Sixth and Seventh streets only show 20 pounds pressure. A further investigation showed that several parties were using hose without nozzles and that a great number of water closets are running all the time, making it impossible to maintain a decent pressure in the greater part of the town.

The Water Company is not to blame, but our customers are, for this condition of affairs. C. C. HOGUE.

STATE OF OHIO, CITY OF TOLEDO, } ss.
LUCAS COUNTY.
FRANK J. CHENEY makes oath that he is the senior partner of the firm of F. J. CHENEY & Co., doing business in the City of Toledo, County and