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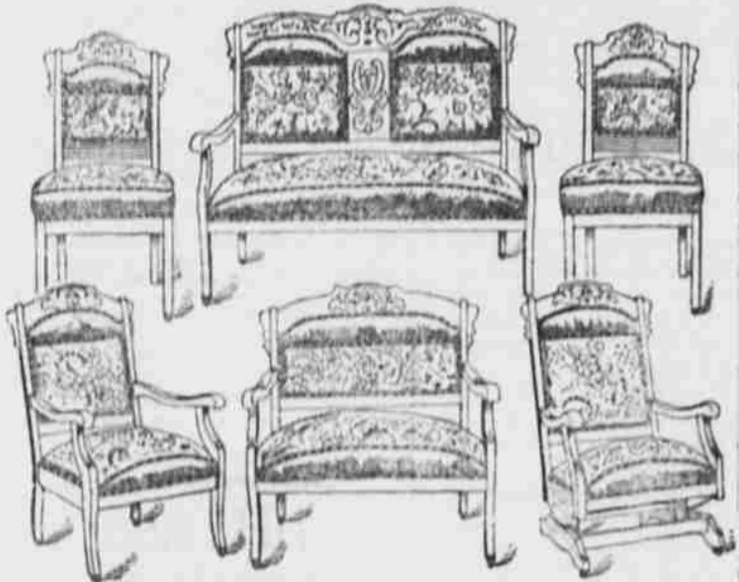
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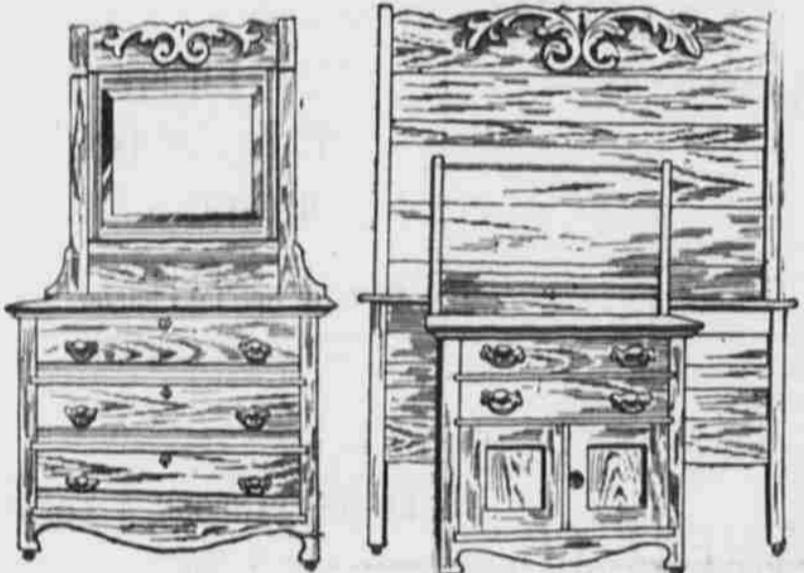
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AWFUL TORNADO IN ILLINOIS

Dead and Injured at the State Institution for Feeble Minded.

STORM IN IOWA AND INDIANA

Telephone and Telegraph Wires Down—Farm Property and Crops Destroyed—Loss of Life Not Great.

SYLVESTER BAKER, JAMES O'BRIEN, NEAL M'KENZIE, CELESTE LE BARON.

Lincoln, Ill., June 18.—The 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 feeble-minded persons.

At 2:45 this afternoon the tornado was seen approaching the city from the southwest. The state institution for feeble-minded, containing over 30 inmates, seemed to be directly in the path of the storm. The roofs of several buildings were carried away and much damage was done about the grounds, but most of the inmates were under perfect control of the attendants and the threatened panic and great loss of life was averted.

IN INDIANA

Indianapolis, June 18.—Later reports from the northern and western portions of the state indicate that last night's storm, which did not cease until morning, did much damage. A telegram from Green Castle says that large quantities of valuable timber were destroyed. Farm stock suffered, and several barns were destroyed by lightning.

IN IOWA

Ottumwa, Ia., June 18.—A small cyclone passed over Rose Hill, a small village in Keokuk county, this afternoon, touching the ground in several places on the outside of the town. The damage was confined to trees and outbuildings. Another cyclone of somewhat greater violence passed six miles east of Ocasalona. Its path was over 20 miles in length and about 50 yards in width. The damage was slight, however, being confined to fences, trees and outbuildings.

THREE OTHERS KILLED.

Paris, Ill., June 18.—At Astures the cyclone worked havoc. Three persons were killed and twenty seriously injured.

REOPENED TO THE PUBLIC.

Quincy, Mass., June 18.—The birthplaces of Presidents John and John Quincy Adams have been reopened to the public. The John Adams house is in charge of Adams Chapter, Daughters of the Revolution, and the Quincy Historical Society has undertaken the work of preserving the John Quincy Adams house.

WASHINGTON G. A. R.

Busy Day in Camp—Officers Are Elected for Ensuing Year.

ARE PRIVATES RELIANTS?

Great Excitement at Fort Crook Over The Question.

Omaha, June 18.—W. O. Patrick has been called to Fort Crook to obtain if possible by legal process, the release of five enlisted men who had been sentenced to 30 days in the guardhouse for mutiny.

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THE JUNIOR ORDER

New Laws Enacted of Great Importance to Members.

Pittsburg, June 18.—Today's session of the National Council of the Junior Order of United American Mechanics was the longest of the week. In regard to the election of candidates to the subordinate councils, a sweeping change was authorized.

FANATICS GAIN A VICTORY.

Rebels and Government Troops Have a Fierce Encounter.

MORE CHEERFUL FEELING.

Encouraging Features in General Trade Situation.

New York, June 18.—Broadstreet's tomorrow will say: "There are encouraging features in the general trade situation this week, the most conspicuous of which is increased orders for staple goods for fall delivery in a few lines, notably in clothing, which at Chicago, Baltimore and a few other centers, promises to exceed the movement of a year ago. The more cheerful feeling among the manufacturers of iron and steel is based in part upon the expectations of a revival in the demand."

BIG DAMAGES CLAIMED.

Washington, June 18.—John H. Miller, counsel for Alouzo B. Bowers of California and John B. Brown of Illinois, has filed a petition in the court of claims demanding judgment against the United States for \$50,000 for the use by the government of a patented dredging machine owned by the claimants.

PRAYERS FOR THE QUEEN.

Syracuse, N. Y., June 18.—Bishop Huntington has authorized clergymen and lay readers in the Episcopal diocese of Central New York to include in the service on the first Sunday after Trinity the prayer, the copy of which he has issued, for Queen Victoria and the welfare of England. The prayer is to follow that of the president of the United States

BIG MOVEMENT IN PROSPECT

Cuban Army Taking a More Decided Stand.

CONCENTRATING AT HAVANA

Plans Under Formation for Several Months now Matured and will be Put in Operation Without Delay.

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INSURGENTS TO DIE.

Influential Senators at Washington to Appear in Their Behalf.

New York, June 18.—A dispatch to the World from Washington says: A telegram from Senor Palma, of the Cuban Junta at New York, received tonight by Secretary Quesada, of the provisional legislation, reads: "Prosecuting attorney has asked for death sentence of Ruiz Rivera and Hicallia."

Steps were taken immediately to prevent, if possible, the summary execution of such a sentence. Senator Morgan and others were seen and their services enlisted. Arrangements were made to have influential senators to call early upon Secretary Sherman to urge him to request interference by the Madrid government and a direct appeal will be made to the president. It is expected that Minister Taylor will be instructed to obtain from the Madrid government assurances that the lives of the two men will be spared. Unless action is taken early in the day it is likely that Mr. Morgan will bring the matter to the attention of the senate by a resolution, although there is one on record in behalf of Rivera.

AN AMERICAN ON CUBA.

All the Rebels Need Is Arms to End the War.

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 Spanish 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. The Spaniards cannot withstand the effects of the Cuban climate, and all the rebels need is arms to end the war. Dr. Danforth will not return to the rebel camps.

GENERAL GOMEZ TALKS.

New York, June 18.—The Cuban Junta has received a long letter from General Maximo Gomez, dated La Gloria, Sancti Spiritus, May 16. Gomez writes: "I move freely among Weyler's swarming soldiers, and in the daily battles that occur the reports of Mauer's rebound in the midst of the smoke that results from the work of incendiarianism of the world-be-

THE PRESIDENT IN EARNEST

Spain will be Brought to Terms at Once.

WOODFORD'S PLAIN ORDERS

Three Propositions to be Submitted Concerning Cuba, Which will Determine the Future Course of Events.

Chicago, June 18.—A special to the Times-Herald from Washington says: Spain is to be brought to terms. General Stewart L. Woodford, the new minister to Spain, after dining with President McKinley last night, spent the evening at the White House. He received instructions as to his work in the Spanish capital, for which he will start in a week or two.

General Woodford's task is divided into three parts. His first mission will be to present a demand for reparation and indemnity for the death of Dr. Ruiz. His second task is to prepare the Spanish government for the inevitable and in the loss of Cuba as a colony. The third phase of his work is the presentation of a distinct proposal from the United States as to the disposition of Cuba. It is as to the first and second chapters that General Woodford is now conferring with the president. He will receive full instructions as to the third either before he sails or as soon as he shall have had an opportunity to report upon the state of mind in which he finds the Spanish ministry and the queen regent. President McKinley also instructed General Woodford to impress upon the public men at Madrid these vital points: 1. The United States is not actuated by an unfriendly feeling toward Spain. 2. The United States does not desire to take advantage of Spain's troubles with her colony to bring about the annexation of Cuba to this country. 3. But unless Spain will herself make a move toward meeting the inevitable toward giving Cuba freedom, the United States will be compelled to interfere and in the case of intervention annexation might naturally follow.

RIOT IN MATANZAS.

Havana, June 18.—Private advices from Matanzas tell of a serious riot there. Over 200 reconcentrados—men, women and children—made desperate by hunger, paraded the streets demanding bread. Private residences were broken into and numerous groceries looted before the Spanish with swords drawn succeeded in quelling the riot.

MORE HANDS EMPLOYED.

Trade Conditions Steadily Advancing in All Departments.

New York, June 18.—R. G. Dun & Co.'s Weekly Review of Trade tomorrow will say: The retarding influence of the cold and unseasonable weather has passed. The gain in trade in spite of it was seen a week ago and has become clearer, though no genuine improvement ever begins with an uplifting of prices before producing force has been fairly employed.

The laying of 5000 bales of Australian wool by one Boston house and 100,000 tons of pig iron by a Wall street broker and the advancing prices for stocks are proof that the actual conditions are understood by some capable men. There is evidence of a gradually enlarging business in every important department. More establishments have been set at work and more hands employed, and while prudence still finds speculative excesses, the progress toward better dealings is unchecked. Reports from the various cities this week show a very general progress and a continuing large distribution through the retail trade.

SHOT IN COLD BLOOD.

Santa Ana, Cal., June 18.—Dolory Garcia was shot in cold blood in his saloon at Capistrano. He was standing in the entrance preparing to close the saloon for the night, when his assailant fired on him with a Winchester from the opposite side of the street. The ball entered at his mouth, passing directly through the head. Manuel Fellos, known as "Mesquizo," has been arrested for the crime, and was brought to Santa Ana. Damaging evidence has been secured against the prisoner, and enough was developed at the corner's inquest to warrant his being held for preliminary examination.

BASEBALL SCORES.

Washington, June 18.—Washington 5, Louisville 2. Baltimore, June 18.—Baltimore 11, Pittsburgh 3. Philadelphia, June 18.—St. Louis 3, Philadelphia 4. New York, June 18.—New York 5, Cleveland 3.

JAP MAN OF WAR.

San Francisco, June 18.—The Japanese man of war Hi-Yu is coming to this port. She will receive orders here from the Japanese government, and it is anticipated that she may be ordered to Hawaii.

NOTED FIREMAN DYING.

Chicago, June 18.—Ex-Fire Marshal Leo Myers, one of the best-known firemen in Chicago, is dying. He became connected with the volunteer department of Chicago in 1847 and held one position or another until three years ago, when he retired. He was the first child born of German parents in Chicago.

CENTRAL AMERICAN PEACE.

New York, June 18.—A dispatch to the Herald from Panama says that representatives of the governments of Guatemala and Costa Rica have signed the treaty which makes them a part of the greater republic of Central America. All the Central American republics rejoined the compact.

NOTABLE MARRIAGE.

New York, June 18.—A Herald dispatch from Paris announces the marriage of Puvis de Chavannes, the famous painter, and Princess Cantacuzene.



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