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U. S. SOLDIERS SHOT.

Battle with Peace Officers at Rio Grande City, Texas.

A CORPORAL INSTANTLY KILLED.

The Origin of the Trouble—A Fiesta in the Suburbs of the City.

RIO GRANDE CITY, May 10.—At a fiesta in the suburbs of the town a battle occurred between peace officers and U. S. soldiers. The trouble began with the arrest of five soldiers for carrying pistols. In trying to arrest a soldier, one of the peace officers shot at him. Later the shooting was renewed and Corporal Inglehart was shot through the head and killed instantly. An[illegible] was shot in the abdomen and died.

The excitement has quieted down and the military and civil authorities are taking every precaution to prevent further trouble.

German Editors Sentenced.

BERLIN, May 10.—Five of the editors convicted of calumniating the police on the occasion of the meeting of the unemployed at Friedrichshain in January, have received sentences varying from two to five months' imprisonment. Three others were fined.

NO DOUBT MURDERED.

The Remains of a Woman and Child Found by a Hunter.

Special Dispatch to the News.

[illegible], Wyo., May 10. — Wm. H. Thorne, a ranchman residing in the eastern part of Crook county, while out hunting a few days ago, came across the remains of a white woman and a child which he judged to be about four years old at the time of its death. Several pieces of a calico dress and a number of tresses of dark brown hair were found in the vicinity, and on one of the woman's fingers was a plain band gold ring. The woman and child were no doubt murdered. Judging from the appearance of the cloth and hair, it is Mr. Thorne's opinion that they have not been dead to exceed three years.

MARIE COXEY RETURNS.

She is Not at Home to Reporters, She Says.

MASSILLON, Ohio, May 10. — Miss Mamie Coxey, the attractive young daughter of the commonwealer commander-in-chief and goddess of peace in his parade, has returned to Massillon.

To a reporter who called to pay his respects Miss Coxey sent this message: "You tell him that I am not at home to reporters and that I will not be interviewed. That is the way to talk to reporters and you just tell him so."

Miss Coxey says that she has had a very nice time and that she regards Massillon as extremely dull. Her father, she thinks, will soon begin a lecturing tour, as he has had several fine offers to do so, and desired her to remain with him as private secretary.

Made Homeless by Fire.

NORWAY, Maine, May 10.—One half of the 3,000 people in this town are homeless today in consequence of a conflagration last night. The loss is about $[illegible]; insurance $[illegible].

Congressman Brattan Dead.

BALTIMORE, May 10.—Congressman Brattan died today.

Brattan has been lingering between life and death ever since the session began. He had heart disease and Bright's disease.

For the Protection of Railroad Property.

SPOKANE, Wash., May 9.—Judge Hanford has issued an injunction restraining all persons from interfering with or trespassing upon property of the Great Northern. Any one so doing will be guilty of contempt of court, and liable to immediate arrest.

A NOVEL MATCH.

Sandow Signs a Contract to Wrestle with a Lion.

SAN FRANCISCO, Cal., May 10.—All attempts to have a wrestling match between a lion and a bear at the Midwinter Fair having failed, arrangements are now being made to match Sandow, the strong man, to wrestle with a lion, and the "perfect man," as he calls himself, has signed a contract to meet Colonel Boone's big lion "Commodore," in the arena. The lion will be securely muzzled and his claws will be clipped. Sandow will endeavor to throw or control him by main strength.

A Confederate Monument.

RICHMOND, Va., May 10.—The confederate soldiers statue is to be unveiled on Libby hill today. The figure is that of a confederate sentry standing erect and looking straight forward and is of colossal size, fully sixteen feet from base to chapeau. This confederate will stand on a column on Libby hill, overlooking the James river, and a large part of the city of Richmond. The total monument is eighty feet high and the column itself a counterpart on a small scale of the famous pillar at Alexandria, Egypt.

Banks and Gold Contracts.

NEW YORK, May 10.—From a conversation had with a number of prominent bank officers of this city it appears that the bank commissioner of Kansas is somewhat misinformed as far as his utterances have been published, as to the extent to which the New York banks compel the making of a gold sale by the correspondents. A few banks do retain the gold clause in their contracts with banks, the Bank of America being the most prominent of those institutions. They do it not with the idea of forcing payment of the principal in gold, which is seldom or never done, but because they have never seen fit to go back to the old form of contract used before the currency panic of last summer, when nearly all banks inserted the gold clause in their printed notes for use with bank customers. Probably not twenty per cent of the banks loans with banks are now made in New York with the gold clause.

A different policy obtains with respect to loans between banks and brokerage houses in which nearly every bank in New York insists upon the gold note. It is not a separate contract from the loan agreement, but merely a single line inserted that the payment is to be made in gold coin. The legality of the operation has never been questioned by the New York clearing banking authorities, and bank officers here believe that the Kansas regulation now brought to light could be shown to be without foundation.

A Famous Horse Killed.

LEXINGTON, Ky., May 10.—Eugene Leigh has received the sad intelligence from Nashville that his famous old Brookdale and Daisy Huey gelding, Rambler, had broken his leg and had to be destroyed. Rambler was severely kicked in a race by Pawnee at the late Cumberland park meeting and the accident necessitated the injured member being put in a sling, which slipped its fastening.

To Rambler Leigh owes his start towards his position of affluence.

THE ENGLISH SPARROWS.

The Little Pests Threatening the Fruit Growing Districts.

Destroy the Pests and the Young Ones in the Spring, Says an Eminent Ornithologist.

WASHINGTON, May 10.—With spring comes renewed agitation for the suppression of the English sparrow. Dr. Clint Merriam, ornithologist of the agricultural department, says the sparrow is spreading rapidly over the fruit growing districts of California, where, if repressive measures are not quickly inaugurated, it is destined to levy a heavy tribute.

The best way to fight the pest is by the destruction of the nests and the young. Ninety per cent of the nests may be reached with a long pole and hook. The strongholds of the sparrow in cities are the masses of Japanese and English ivy and Virginia creeper on the chimneys. Multitudes of young birds may be destroyed by dousing the vine with water at night.

THE CHINESE POPULATION.

All but 3,172 Celestials Duly Registered.

WASHINGTON, May 10.—The number of Chinese registered in the entire country is 105,312, of whom 87,977 are in California and Nevada, 4,969 in Montana, Idaho and Utah, and 1,781 in Arizona. The Chinese population by the last census was 107,[illegible].

His Hours Numbered.

PARIS, May 10.—The execution of Emile Henri, the anarchist who caused the recent explosions, will take place on Saturday.

Hungarians Reject Civil Marriage.

BUDA PESTH, May 10.—The House magnates today rejected the civil marriage bill by a majority of 2. A ministerial crisis is anticipated.

President of Peru.

BUENOS AYRES, May 10.—Ex-President Caceres has been re-elected president of Peru.

Rich but Weary of Life.

NORRISTOWN, Pa., May 10.—John C. McDonald, aged 52 years, one of the wealthiest residents of Lansdale, hanged himself in the stable.

RUSSIAN THISTLE BILLS.

Adverse Report of the Committee on Agriculture.

WASHINGTON, May 10.—All bills for the extermination of Russian thistles have been reported adversely to the House. The committee on agriculture says the extermination of the thistle is certain, if each farmer gives sufficient attention to the destruction of weeds before they mature, and the state and local authorities destroy them in the highways.

The Hibernians in Session.

OMAHA, May 10.—Nearly the entire day was taken up in the national A. O. H. convention with the revision of the constitution. The report of National Secretary Slattery showed that the organization has a membership of 91,878, an increase the past year of 10,[illegible]. The order has expended for benefits since last report $[illegible] and for charity $[illegible].

The Feature at Gravesend.

NEW YORK, May 10.—The feature of today's work at the Gravesend track was a mile and a quarter made by Sport with full weight up in 2:11.

FASHIONABLE WEDDING.

Miss Margot Tennant to H. H. Asquith, London.

LONDON, May 10.—Henry Herbert Asquith, secretary of the state home department, was married today to Miss Margot Tennant, who is said to have suggested the titular character in E. F. Benson's "Dodo" and one of the originators of the mysterious social body of "Souls." The bride was attended by eight bridesmaids, all of whom were little children, and one, Gladstone's favorite granddaughter. There was tumultuous cheer from the crowds in the streets about St. Georges church, announcing the arrival of Mr. and Mrs. Gladstone, both of whom signed the marriage register.

CHINESE MERCHANTS.

Their Names Must Appear in the Firm in Every Case.

SAN FRANCISCO, May 10.—In the United States circuit court, Judge Morrow has rendered a decision that not only sustains the ruling of Attorney General Olney to the effect that no Chinese can be allowed to land as a merchant, under the McCreary act, whose name does not appear in that of the firm as one of the members of which he claims to be a member, but which goes a great deal farther than the attorney general went. Judge Morrow holds that the same restrictions apply in the case of all Chinese merchants, whether they departed from the United States prior to November 3, 1893, the date of the passage of the McCreary act, or since that time.

Mary Washington Memorial.

FREDERICKSBURG, Va., May 10.—The arrangements for the dedication of the Mary Washington memorial monument today are now completed, and a memorable occasion is assured. It is announced that President Cleveland will preside. The oration will be delivered by Senator Daniel, of Virginia; and will be a notable feature of the exercise. Augustine Washington, of Alexandria, will deliver a short address. Governor O'Ferrall, who will be present with his staff, has ordered two companies of the Richmond militia and the Alexandria light infantry to be present, and Secretary Lamont has ordered a company of cavalry from Fort Meyer to be in attendance. Secretary Herbert has directed that thirty pieces of the marine band furnish the music.

An Embezzler Pardoned.

BALTIMORE, Md., May 10.—Governor Brown has pardoned Stevenson Archer, the ex-state treasurer, who embezzled $[illegible] in state securities and was sentenced to five years imprisonment in the penitentiary. His term would not have expired until July of next year, but in view of the petitions for his release, which were signed by thousands all over the state, and a single protest having been made, the governor consented to issue the pardon. Archer is broken in health and very much aged by his confinement. He was at once taken to the city hospital, where he is now being treated. When he recovers sufficiently he will be taken to his home in Belair. He is now 67 years old. Mr. Archer stood but little below Senator Gorman in Maryland politics. He four times represented the state in Congress, was chairman of the Democratic state central committee of Maryland, judge of several courts and was serving his third term as state treasurer when arrested.

Mr. Foster's Affairs.

FOSTORIA, Ohio, May 10.—At a meeting of the creditors of Davis & Foster, held in this city, there were creditors present from various parts of the country representing $[illegible] worth of claims. The proposition to accept a proposed settlement of fifty cents on the dollar payable June next was unanimously agreed to by those present. This settlement puts the affairs of Mr. Foster in still better shape and there remains now only the widow glass creditors to arrange with until a proposition can be made to the creditors of Foster & Co. There, it is understood, will be arranged with shortly.

The Wool Market.

BOSTON, May 10.—The *American Wool and Cotton Reporter* says of the wool market: This market has been the dullest since January 1. Delaine wools are stiff and scarce and their exceedingly small supply has resulted in fancy prices being obtained here and elsewhere.

Receipts of southern California wools are increasing. Early Arizona wools are also coming in considerable quantities. The range in the grease for all these wools is from 9 to 11 cents. Foreign wools are very quiet, the business being of a retail order. Sales for the week amount to 1,[illegible] pounds domestic and 155,000 pounds foreign, making a total of 1,[illegible] pounds. The total sales to date show a decrease of 10,[illegible] pounds as compared with the same period a year ago.

Debs Speaks for the N. P.

TERRE HAUTE, Ind., May 10.—President E. V. Debs, of the American Railway Union, denies that the Great Northern is not living up to its agreement with the men. Any one guilty of criminality during the strike will not be reinstated.

THE LABOR TROUBLES.

The Military Under Arms and the Strikers Threatening.

BIRMINGHAM, Ala., May 10.—The demonstration in Pratt City by the striking miners last night, which looked like an intended attack on the convict camp, caused the military to be put under arms, but the night passed without trouble. The situation is quiet but uncomfortable.

THE GOLD TIDE.

Half a Million Dollars Arrive from Bremen.

NEW YORK, May 10.—The Spree from Bremen arrived today with a consignment of $522,500 in gold.

Quiet Among the Cokers.

SCOTTDALE, Pa., May 10. — No trouble in the coke region today. Increased forces are at work at the Mayer, Morewood and Valley plants.

New York Stock Exchange.

NEW YORK, May 10.—The general share list opened dull and firm.

Sugar declined [illegible], afterwards sold up [illegible] to 10[illegible], reacting [illegible] and rallying [illegible]. Sugar preferred advanced [illegible]. The rest of the market was stro[illegible].

Captain Watson at Bluefields.

WASHINGTON, May 10.—From dispatches to the navy department from Captain Watson, commanding the San Francisco at Bluefields, it appears that he found it necessary to adopt a vigorous course toward the Nicaraguan synod, to insure protection to the Americans. He insisted that Arguello, charged with the unprovoked murder of Wilson, an American citizen at Rama, be promptly tried. He also notified the Nicaraguan authorities that he proposed to protect the Americans.

THE MIDWINTER FAIR.

The Committee Decides to Reduce the Price of Admission.

SAN FRANCISCO, May 10.—The executive committee of the Midwinter Fair decided today to reduce the admission from 50 to 25 cents on Sundays and to 25 cents on week days after 5 o'clock.

COURT AT BEAVER.

An Abundance of Legal Business and a Long Term in View.

THE GRAND JURY AT WORK.

Four Arraignments This Morning,—Ellison Found Guilty of Petit Larceny.

Special Dispatch to the News.

BEAVER, Utah, May 10.—The case of the People vs George Ellison, for grand larceny, as reported yesterday, was concluded late yesterday afternoon. Defendant was found guilty of petit larceny. The people have been thus subjected to the expense of a case which a justice of the peace could properly have disposed of for one-tenth of the expense.

Civil business occupied the most of the subsequent time.

Four arraignments took place this morning, two adultery, one burglary and one grand larceny.

The grand jury are steadily at work and the business already contributed by them, in addition to what was already filed, gives every promise that this will be the longest term for several years.

There was a heavy frost here last night and ice this morning.

By Associated Press.

Ability Men Enjoy Themselves.

DENVER, Colo., May 10.—The visiting hotel men left Denver today in a special train of twenty-two cars for Colorado Springs. They will ascend Pike's Peak this afternoon and tomorrow go to Glenwood Springs.

Damage by a Storm.

STILLWATER, Minn., May 10.—As a result of last night's storm the streets are impassable in the business portions and business is at [illegible] and there are at work. A conservative estimate places the total damage at $50,000. The St. Paul & Duluth road is badly washed out. No storm of equal severity was ever known here.

A Fatal Collision.

EAU CLAIRE, Wis., May 10.—A head end collision between a passenger train from Minneapolis and a freight train occurred at Menomonie Junction. The trains were running slowly approaching the bridge. An express messenger and mail clerk were killed outright; the fireman had both his legs cut off, and died. Several others were injured.

IN MARY WASHINGTON'S HONOR.

Ceremonies of Dedicating Her Monument Near Fredericksburg, Virg.

FREDERICKSBURG, Va., May 10.—The special train with the Presidential party for the ceremony of unveiling the Mary Washington monument left Washington at nine o'clock. In the party were President Cleveland in a Pullman car, with Secretaries Gresham, Carlisle, Lamont, Bissell, Morton, Private Secretary Thurber, Mrs. Gresham, Mrs. Carlisle, Mrs. Waite, widow of the late Chief Justice Waite, president of the Mary Washington Memorial association, Chief Justice Fuller and daughters. The Alexandria infantry boarded the train at that city. Immense crowds surrounded the station here when the train arrived. The presidential salute boomed from the guns of the Richmond and the band played "Hail Columbia."

President Cleveland and cabinet came to the platform of the car where they were greeted by the reception committee, one of whom was Justice Harlan. The Richmond Light Infantry kept back the crowds with fixed bayonets.

The procession was cheered by thousands as it wound its way through the little town from the station to the green knoll topped with wooden stands, hidden in patriotic bunting, where the Sons and Daughters of the Revolution and distinguished guests were assembled. A number of ladies on horseback led the way. Then came the grand marshal, Adjutant Charles Anderson, of Richmond, and staff, followed by William J. Crafford, the architect of the monument. Then came President Cleveland, Vice President Stevenson and members of the cabinet in carriages, followed by the governor and staff, military organizations and secret societies, conspicuous among them being the members of the Fredericksburg and Alexandria lodges of Masons.

The dedicatory exercises included an address of welcome by Mayor A. P. Row and Governor Charles O'Ferrall, Masonic ceremonies, an address by Lawrence Washington, a descendant of Mary Washington, and an oration by Senator John W. Daniel, orator of the day.

CLEVELAND RESPONDS.

President Cleveland responded to Governor O'Ferrall, saying: "I speak for those who are today greeted as the official guests of Virginia and Fredericksburg, when I return sincere thanks for the hearty welcome that has been extended us on behalf of both state and city. Our appreciation of the warmth of your reception is not diminished by the thought that in the light of the highest meaning belonging to this occasion, there are no guests here. We have assembled on equal terms to worship at the sacred national shrine. Nothing can be more important to those who have assumed the responsibility of self-government than the cultivation and stimulation among themselves of sentiments which ennoble, elevate and strengthen humanity. As a clear and wholesome stream must have its flow from a pure fountainhead, so must a clean, beneficent and popular government have its source in pure and morally healthy men. Patriotic and moral health are in nothing better exemplified than in the love and reverence for motherhood. The man who said he cared not who made the people's laws if he could write their songs, might have said with more truth that he could gauge the strength and vigor of the people and the fitness for self-government, if he knew the depth and steadfastness of their love for their mothers."

The monument is a plain granite monolith, fifty feet high upon the base and eleven feet square. It bears the inscription: "Mary, the Mother of Washington."

CONGRESSIONAL.

Senator Allen's Effort in Behalf of Coxey and Lieutenants.

WASHINGTON, May 10.—In the Senate today, Allen (Nebraska) introduced a bill to repeal the act regulating the use of the Capitol grounds under which Coxey and his lieutenants were prosecuted.

Peffer introduced a resolution for the appointment of a special committee of three to investigate the condition of the country with special reference to the prevailing business depression and what legislation is needed to afford relief.

Allen's resolution to investigate the alleged police clubbing on May 1, then came up.

Gordon (Ga.) said the Coxey movement was a child of the paternal theory of government. The remedies for the existing conditions were to be found in the decentralization of power.

Teller favored the resolution. Coxey is a law-abiding citizen. He and his followers had trudged through rain and mud, and were entitled to a respectful consideration. He did not endorse the clause under which they had been arrested. He did not think the Senate could refuse to investigate the police clubbing. He himself would furnish names of witnesses. Whether Coxey was a crank or not did not matter. His statement was absurd, as were many others put forward in the hour of distress, but it was not a wicked scheme. It only asked Congress to provide work for the unemployed.

Allen's Coxey resolution went over without action.

The first item in the tariff bill, acetic acid, was taken up and the amendment by Senator Allison to substitute the Mills bill rate was adopted by a strict party vote.

THE HOUSE.

WASHINGTON, May 10.—In the House Talbott (Md.) briefly announced the death of his colleague, Brattan, and offered the customary resolutions which were adopted. The House adjourned at 12:20.

THE COXEYITES.

Deputy Marshals After the Riding Party.

TOPEKA, Kans., May 10.—The *State Journal* has information from Horace, Greely county, Kansas, that the Coxey train reached that point at 11, having got around the obstruction at Chivington, Colo. The sheriff of Greely county wired Governor Lewelling for assistance. The Missouri Pacific has placed obstructions between Horace and West Selkirk.

LAWYERS RAISE MONEY FOR KELLY.

ST. LOUIS, May 10.—Trades and labor unions of this city have voted in favor of the amalgamation of the Knights of Labor and Federation of Labor. It is understood that votes are being taken in every union and assembly in the country.

The union has raised $500 for Kelly's commonwealers.

CHASED BY MARSHALS.

SALINA, Ks., May 11. — Bailey Waggoner's special train with U. S. deputies passed through here at 10 o'clock and reached Geneseo at noon. The posse now numbers over one hundred. Nearly all are armed with Winchester rifles. Marshal Neely has writs for the arrest of the entire army for stealing a train and interfering with the transmission of the mails. The train is running swiftly and expects to get as far west as Scott City by 4:30 p.m.

HUNGRY BUT CHEERFUL.

SHERIDAN LAKE, Col., May 10.—Sanders's Coxeyites stopped here half an hour, hoping to get food. The citizens gave them only one sack of flour and a little tobacco. Although hungry when the general called "all aboard" they climbed on the cars and cheered good-naturedly.

Saunders said the railroad company had gone to the expense of thousands of dollars wrecking engines, but Superintendent Derby had sent him a dispatch giving him the right of way, and he expected to ride clear through to Washington.

ARMED WITH CLUBS.

HORRINGTON, Kans., May 10.—The Coxeyites reached Horace at noon. They turned the engine which before had been running tender first and started east. There are about 300 men armed with clubs.

THEY STEAL ANOTHER ENGINE.

HORACE, Kan., May 10.—Sanders's Coxeyites are waiting here at 1:20 for an east-bound passenger train to pass. They have abandoned the stolen Rio Grande engine here and seized the best one in the yard.

For Public Buildings.

WASHINGTON, May 10.—The House committee on public buildings and grounds has agreed to report bills for public buildings at Helena, Mont., and Boise City, Idaho.

COMPLIMENTARY EXCURSION.

Five Hundred Citizens Visit the Copper Plant Today.

A large complimentary excursion to the Copper Plant took place today. For more than a week past the management of that great enterprise have been quietly engaged in making preparations for the event. About 1,000 invitations were sent out to prominent people and subscribers to the bonus which resulted in the location and erection of the great refinery in this valley. The purpose was to show the citizens of Salt Lake that the promoters had kept faith with them.

About 50 per cent or half of those invited availed themselves of the opportunity and went out to the works, which will soon be started up, and were shown over the ground thoroughly and had explained to them the method of operation. All of them were delighted immensely and returned to the city this afternoon feeling that they had made no mistake when they contributed to the erection of the Copper plant.

MRS. GENERAL GRANT.

Wife of the Late President to Pass Through Utah Tomorrow.

Mrs. General Grant, wife of the late President Grant, will arrive in Ogden over the Southern Pacific tomorrow in a private car. She is accompanied by a party of friends, all of whom are on their way home from San Francisco, where they have been visiting the Midwinter Fair. It was not known this afternoon at what time the party would reach the Junction city or whether it is their intention to take a run down to Salt Lake.

Salt Lakers Going to the Coast.

Dr. and Mrs. Bascom and Attorney E. B. Critchlow and wife will be passengers on this evening's Union Pacific west bound train. Their destination is the Pacific coast, where they will visit the Midwinter Fair and other places of attraction and amusement. They expect to be absent from home about three weeks.

HELD WITHOUT BAIL.

Thiede Must Answer to the Grand Jury for the Murder of His Wife.

The preliminary hearing in the case of Chastus Thiede, charged with the murder of his wife at Murray recently was finished today. It resulted in the accused being held to await the action of the grand jury without bail.

Money and Morals.

Public interest in the lecture of Col. Henry Watterson tomorrow night increases with each mention of the distinguished gentleman's name, and with each sight of his strong, characteristic face. He has already met many of the prominent citizens of Salt Lake, and during yesterday and today he has managed to see a great deal of the people and their works. This afternoon's journey to Ogden and his lecture there tonight will give him additional opportunities to meet and mingle with them; and when on Saturday he starts homeward it is safe to say he will carry with him excellent impressions.

His noted lecture, "Money and Morals," the critics agree is a masterpiece of logic, humor and eloquence. There is nothing of politics in it—politics and religion being, in his opinion, matters for each man to study, pursue and practice for himself. The eminent Kentuckian will in all likelihood be called upon to face a brilliant audience tomorrow night, and the fame that has preceded him will unquestionably be gallantly maintained.

Charges and Counter Charges.

There was a complicated case up in the police court this afternoon in which Francis Ford and Emil Suckson appeared as principals. Ford was charged with killing Suckson's dog, and Suckson came back by having his accuser arrested for allowing his chickens to trespass on his property.

Saltair Trains.

Saltair trains now leave the city daily at 3 o'clock and return at 5. A good many passengers are being carried for this time of the year, and bathing has already commenced.

Indignant Firemen.

At 2:15 this morning the fire department was called to the corner of Tenth East and First South streets by an alarm being sent in from box 2[illegible]. The run was a long one and horses and men were well nigh exhausted on reaching that part of the city. A return was made immediately, as there was no use for the brigade at that time or place, as the alarm was a false one and had been sounded by a practical joker, whose identity is at present unknown. An effort will be made to learn who he is. The chief and his men are very indignant today at being called out in that manner. Besides lost time and energy the business part of the city is left practically unprotected by such pranks.

Wasatch County Notes.

HEBER, May 9.—The Stake conference convened at Heber at 10 a. m. yesterday with an excellent attendance. Elder F. M. Lyman, of the council of the Apostles, is here and delivered some most timely instructions. The Bishops of the different wards of the Stake made reports that showed their wards to be in good spiritual condition. The congregation gave earnest attention to the speakers.

The Republicans of Wasatch county held a mass meeting yesterday and continued in office their present county central committee. Thos. S. Watson is chairman and Wm. E. Harner secretary. They are preparing for the fall campaign.

Wm. Blake was appointed Bishop of Center ward last night in place of Bishop Cluff, who has moved to Arizona.

The town of Heber is one of the neatest in the Territory and presents a very thrifty appearance.

Wasatch county is free from debt. There are no school or town bonds, and there is less mortgage and indebtedness than in any similarly situated county in the Territory, of this fact the people are reasonably proud.

There is at present no market for beef cattle. Several who have been feeding all winter have turned out their stock, as they have lost hope of sales.

The business outlook is somewhat brighter, and a more hopeful spirit prevails, yet there are some men holding on.

The Stake conference was a spiritual feast to the people, and the greatest interest was manifested throughout the entire proceedings. TRAVELER.

THE ARMY AT LEHI.

Carterite "Industrialists" Now the Guests of Utah County.

THERE FOR WHAT THEY CAN GET.

Still Predicted that the Army will not Get Out of Utah in a Body.—Desertion and Discontent.

The Carterite "Industrialists" are now the guests of Utah county, and while there is murmuring and discontent and a few of the comrades, many others are very glad, said a gentleman who came up from there this morning, that they are in a land of plenty and living without work. The camp is pitched near Lehi, and the citizens of that place last night contributed generously to the larder that had been so many times filled by the people of Salt Lake, and later by the residents of West Jordan and vicinity.

Carter still sends orders and resolutions, besides the bank and keeps up his oft repeated hopes that the Rio Grande Western will relent and convey them far beyond the boundaries of the Territory.

A subordinate officer of the army who came up on the train last evening said to a News reporter that a good many of the men were becoming discouraged and were deserting. But the cutting down of the ranks he declared was more than offset by new recruits who dropped off from passing freight trains and were mustered in.

Stereopticon Lecture.

Prof. Byron Cummings, of the University, will lecture on the People's Course, Friday evening, May 11, at the Plymouth church, Third North street, near First West. The lecture will be illustrated with a number of fine views, showing interesting features of "Life in Ancient Rome," which is the subject. This is the closing evening of the course.

DR. RICE'S LECTURE.

Reception of His Meritorious Educational Articles.

The series of articles written by Dr. J. M. Rice for the *Forum* magazine about a year ago created a genuine sensation in educational circles and won for their author a wide reputation. These articles dealt incisively with the defects found in the public school system, taking for illustration the instruction observed in such cities as Baltimore, St. Louis, Indianapolis and Boston. This year the doctor has been lecturing in various cities on "Scientific Teaching," and this city is fortunate enough to have secured him for a lecture which was to have been given on Friday evening, but on account of the Watterson lecture, arrangements have been made to have it given at 4 p. m. on Friday, in the high school assembly room. Herewith is appended an appreciative notice from a prominent journal, the *Rochester, N. Y., Herald*:

Rochester was visited yesterday by Dr. J. M. Rice, the author of a series of articles in the *Forum*. The doctor is a thorough student of the art of teaching and comparative systems of education, and in a lecture delivered last night at Music Hall more than demonstrated his right to the title of an original, incisive, logical and profound thinker. He is known more as a writer than a lecturer, but since he has taken to the platform his observations have been received with respect and enthusiasm.

Will Pay Tomorrow.

City Auditor Raybould will pay the last appropriation passed by the City Council tomorrow. The total amount reaches $9,[illegible], and payment will be made in warrants.

The Poorman Strike.

The Owyhee county, Idaho, papers report that a rich strike has been made in the Poorman group of mines, near Silver City. The *Avalanche* says: The ore is found in the face of the north Oso drift of the Belle Peck tunnel. The pay streak has been very rich for the entire distance but has now widened out and is nearly pure metal. It assays thousands of dollars per ton. The ore is on the west wall. At noon today the east wall was cut disclosing fully a foot of ore equally as good as the other. This gives them about 16 inches of very high grade gold ore. The Poorman will survive its early production. The management considers it to be the same chute as that cut in No. 1 several years since and known as the Hoosier chute. The latter yielded some $[illegible] from a very small piece of ground. The present strike is about [illegible] feet deeper, and the vein is from 4 to 6 feet in width.

MILITIA MATTERS.

Companies to Be Organized at Richmond, Logan and Tooele.

General Ottinger received a letter from Richmond, Cache county, this morning, asking him to go up there and organize and muster in a company of infantry that is forming at that place. A similar request comes from Logan regarding a troop of cavalry. The general expects to attend to all of these in the near future. He will probably go to Tooele and muster in a troop of cavalry on Saturday, as announced in the News a few days ago.

Chief Pratt Heard From.

A telegram received from Chief of Police Pratt, now in attendance at the convention of national chiefs at St. Louis, announces that the big meeting is a great success so far and that he is enjoying himself and acquiring a fund of valuable information. He will leave for home as soon as the convention adjourns.