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A GIGANTIC STRIKE.

Threatens to Affect Nearly a Hundred Thousand Men.

TWO THOUSAND LABORERS IDLE.

Labor Unions in New York Sympathizing With the Electrical Wire Men.

NEW YORK, Feb. 21.—The strike of the building trades in sympathy with the electrical wire men, [illegible] any other in the history [illegible] organizations. It may affect [illegible] 100,000. So far 2,000 men are [illegible]. At noon today the workmen employed on the American Surety building and addition to St. Luke's hospital quit. It was announced that [illegible] would cease this afternoon on the [illegible] building in Cedar street.

For the Pooling Bill.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 21.—There is a movement on foot among the friends of the pooling bill in the Senate to force consideration of that measure when the Indian bill shall be disposed of, [illegible] have the sundry civil bill [illegible] until the pooling bill [illegible] which [illegible] showing.

IN HIS ARK.

[illegible] Seventy Years Old [illegible]

SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 21.—A [illegible] nothing but a [illegible] Richard Smith, a [illegible], who believes that he is [illegible] Noah. He predicts that San Francisco and Oakland will sink [illegible] because of their wickedness [illegible] a few of the select [illegible] saved from [illegible] is nearly [illegible] years old, with a long gray beard [illegible]. He [illegible] for thirty years. He lives by [illegible] the verge of starvation. [illegible] with religious books which he sold. The latter-day Noah [illegible] Count Tolstoi's teachings.

Sabres and Soldiers.

ST. PETERSBURG, Feb. 21.—The [illegible] were summoned to [illegible]. The students resisted and a [illegible] ensued. Order was not restored until many students had been arrested and a number injured.

Robbing the Gambling Tree.

[illegible], Feb. 21.—Congress [illegible] was held up [illegible] Houston [illegible] The robber did [illegible] the gun [illegible] gold which he [illegible] five or six hundred dollars [illegible]. [illegible] playing at the game did not [illegible] while the robbery was being [illegible]. Benjamin Green, who [illegible] heard the [illegible] several twenty dollar [illegible], which the robber dropped [illegible]. The [illegible] Green [illegible] a minute sooner [illegible] Officers have [illegible] the slightest clue.

[illegible] to Rain.

[illegible], Feb. 21.—North [illegible] in the history of the [illegible]. The January and February [illegible] the greatest in a [illegible] thousands of plows have [illegible] preparing the land [illegible].

MORE HOPEFUL FEELING.

[illegible] the Iron Trade by the "Iron Age."

NEW YORK, Feb. 21.—The *Iron Age* [illegible]: [illegible] the continued low prices [illegible] a more hopeful feeling is spreading among Eastern [illegible]. This is due principally to the fact that some have been [illegible] down until now [illegible] they are now partly [illegible] territory. This [illegible] as well as in steel. In [illegible] the [illegible] of the [illegible] market [illegible] at a low price [illegible] quantity in their [illegible]. The result is that with [illegible] a [illegible] at which Western [illegible] Bessemer [illegible] to [illegible] which has [illegible] to [illegible] consumers [illegible] under way [illegible]. The current week has brought little [illegible]. In Bessemer pig Pittsburg records the sale of one ten thousand ton block at $10, but [illegible] relatively little in steel billets or wire rods. On the whole the market is steady.

The advance in the price of wrought iron pipe seems to have the usual effect of causing buyers to test the sincerity of sellers by keeping out of the market.

In metals an advance in tin is noted. Copper is weaker, while lead has declined under the pressure of moderate sales.

Oranges for Grand Men.

SAN BERNARDINO, Cal., Feb. 21.—In about two weeks, or the shortest time it is possible to make between San Bernardino, Cal., and Hawarden Castle, England, the Rt. Hon. Wm. E. Gladstone will receive a box of Highland oranges, sent by John J. Valentine, president of the Wells, Fargo Express Co., as the finest oranges grown in this state. Next Wednesday President Cleveland will receive a box of the same fruit.

Each box will be marked with the name of the grower and of the place where grown. These boxes, together with eighteen others, leave tomorrow evening. The purpose is to show California's citrus capability.

HARRY HAYWARD'S DEFENSE

The Alleged Murderer of Miss Ging on the Stand.

Says He Knows the Reason His Brother Has for Testifying Against Him.

MINNEAPOLIS, Feb. 21.—The cross-examination of W. W. Hayward, the father of the young man accused of murdering Miss Ging, was continued today. County Attorney Nye could not shake his testimony the slightest.

By the testimony of Gunsmith William Yale, the defense established that the bullet which killed Miss Ging was of the same weight as one taken from a 38 short cartridge. Hirst had testified that Harry Hayward had told him the cartridges were [illegible] long.

Defendant Harry Hayward was called and took the stand with his arms folded and [illegible]. He declared, in answer to questions, that the testimony of Blixt and Adry Hayward was false. He says he knew the reason his brother testified falsely against him and Erwin asked him to explain. The prosecution objected and the objection was sustained.

Erwin asked: "Did your brother have any fear of you for the reason that you might make disclosures about him?"

"Yes, sir," responded Harry.

The answer was ruled out.

"Now you have heard Adry say he had never seen Miss Ging. Did he ever see her?"

"He did. It was on a narrow, dark road between Nicollet Avenue and Lake Calhoun. He could not see her very well, but he could feel her all right."

"Was he alone with her?"

"He was not."

"Who was with him?"

"I would rather not tell, unless it is necessary. The young lady is now in the city."

"What is her name? It will be necessary to know it."

"Miss Vendar. They were both with him."

Nye objected strenuously to anything farther in this line, and was sustained by the court.

"I tell you," said Judge Smith, "it [illegible] in this court when you know that what you are proposing to show has been ruled out by this court, you try to bring it in, in another way."

"I mean no disrespect," said Erwin, "and I do not think I deserve reproof. Now," turning to the witness, "I want you to tell about your relations with Miss Ging."

"Well," said Harry, "I was introduced to Miss Ging, I think, in January, 1894, by Mr. Hoeaker, at a boarding house. I met her at first, perhaps, as often as once a week. After a while I met her as often as twice a week. From July and August on, to December, we were what you might call lovers, I suppose."

"Now, I'll ask you if at any time, while you were lovers, there were improper relations existing between you of any sort?"

"No, sir; she was a true and noble girl to the best of my belief, both toward me and toward everybody else."

Hayward said he had "gambled high and lots of it." He admitted he tried to keep it from the public, but his friends all knew it. He said he had gambled in almost every city in the country and named San Francisco, Los Angeles, San Diego and Cheyenne among the places he visited. Miss Ging knew he gambled and took part in a faro game herself.

THE NEW BONDS.

Offered at 120 in New York—Subscribed for Twenty Times in London.

NEW YORK, Feb. 21.—The new bonds were offered at 119½ at the opening of 'Change today, 119 was bid, and trade advanced to 119¾ bid; offered at 120.

LONDON, Feb. 21.—The Rothschilds said today that the American loan had been covered over twenty times by subscriptions. The Rothschilds do not intend to take any portion of the amount allotted to America.

Reilly's New Scheme.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 21.—The House committee on Pacific roads today decided to report the new bill based on the Reilly bill, but having certain changes recommended by Chairman Reilly. The amended bill will provide that the principal of the government debt be paid at once and that the first mortgage bonds and interest paid upon the bonds by government and due the government at the date the bill takes effect be extended and paid in installments through a period of fifty years. Extended first mortgage bonds will bear interest at 4 per cent. The extended interest will be secured by practically a third lien on the property, subsidiary to the claims of parties who advance the funds to pay the principal of the government bonds and who will be secured under the bill to five per cent interest on their advances.

PRISON AND FINES.

Sentences Pronounced Upon Noted French Newspaper Men

CONVICTED OF BLACKMAIL.

Gigantic Scheme Unearthed to Bleed Managers of Casinos and Gambling Clubs.

PARIS, Feb. 21.—The trial has been concluded of the representatives of the press in this city, charged with blackmail, and sentences were pronounced today. M. De Clercq, of the *Nineteenth Century*, was condemned to three months' imprisonment and a fine of 200 francs. M. Girard, manager of the *Nineteenth Century*, and M. Heidet to two years' prison, and 1,000 francs fine each; M. Camille Dreyfus, the former member of the Chamber of Deputies and lately political director of the *Nation* to one year in prison and 500 francs fine; M. Armand Portalis, formerly director of the *Nineteenth Century*, to five years' imprisonment and 3,000 francs fine. The arrest and conviction of these men grew out of the unearthing of a gigantic scheme of levying blackmail upon the managers of casinos and gambling clubs in France.

HARM TO MEXICAN TRADE.

Action of the Ways and Means Committee Criticised.

ST. LOUIS, Feb. 21.—Mr. A. Davies Romero, publisher of *Los Dos Americas* and author of "Mexico [illegible]," which was issued under the authority of the Mexican commission, criticizes the action of the ways and means committee of Congress in [illegible] with the "[illegible]" or "[illegible]," as it is called, of Mexico.

"If the resolution is [illegible] in the House, and now before the Senate, becomes a law, it will work great harm to our trade," said the Mexican editor in an interview. "England, from whom this country took the trade with Mexico a few years ago," continued Mr. Romero, "will make almost any terms to get it back and will urge retaliation. This would be a calamity. Our trade has increased every year since the year 1890 [illegible] greatest in volume of our history. The [illegible] of a few mad [illegible] to dissolve what has taken years to build up, for the Mexicans are a peculiar people, and easily affronted."

Will Fight the Proposition.

WASHINGTON, D. C., Feb. 21.—The Silver men have determined to fight the proposition for certificates of indebtedness in the sundry civil bill, and will carry their opposition to such lengths as to prevent the bill from becoming law, if it is retained.

THREE ARE SIGNED.

The Ute Removal and Denver Mint Bills.

WASHINGTON, D. C., Feb. 21.—The President has signed the Southern Ute removal bill and the Denver coinage mint bill.

Receiver Appointed.

MADISON, Wis., Feb. 21.—George M. Wilson, of Milwaukee, has been appointed receiver of the Prentice Brownstone company of Ashland. The liabilities of the company are $100,000 and the assets about $400,000.

OBSCENE LITERATURE.

Art or No Art, It is Criminal, Says the Judge.

CHICAGO, Feb. 21.—J. M. Verone was arraigned in Justice Bradwell's court charged with selling obscene literature. The defense introduced in evidence a copy of Eugene Muntz's Raphael drawn from the public library. The illustrations of the work were shown to the justice, who said:

"Well, it's a good thing that Raphael did not live in this city, because if he had been brought before me, I would feel it my duty to hold him to the criminal court, art or no art."

Li Hung Chang.

TIEN TSIN, Feb. 21.—It is now certain that Li Hung Chang will go to Japan as envoy to negotiate peace.

Nominations.

WASHINGTON, D. C., Feb. 21.—The President today nominated William H. Heard, of Pennsylvania, to be minister resident and consul general to Liberia.

The Senate judiciary committee today reported favorably the nomination of Erskine M. Ross for circuit judge of the Ninth judicial district.

Ex-Governor Prescott Dead.

EPSOM, N. H., Feb. 21.—Ex-Governor Benjamin F. Prescott died today, aged 62.

Indian Finances.

LONDON, Feb. 21.—The cabinet council this afternoon resolved to persist in the conclusion that the condition of the finances of India forbids dispensing with the import duty on cotton.

Henry Fowler, secretary of state for India, professes confidence that the explanation he will make in the House of Commons when Sir Henry James's motion is debated, will save the position of the government.

Been Held for Trial.

DETROIT, Feb. 21.—Mrs. Horace Pope and William Brunson, her accomplice, were both held for trial today for the murder of Dr. Pope, the husband of the former.

Row in a Convention.

CHICAGO, Feb. 21.—In the Republican city convention today trouble arose over the credentials. Delegates armed themselves with canes and chairs and pummeled each other energetically and indiscriminately. The battle lasted a quarter of an hour, resulting in many bad bruises and sadly battered hats. Police interference stopped the row.

George E. [illegible] was nominated mayor by acclamation. He acted as mayor during a term after Harrison's assassination.

Stole Diamonds.

NEW YORK, Feb. 21.—A man, apparently 35 years of age, who refused to give his name, took a tray containing diamonds valued at $18,000 from the establishment of M. Fox & Co., importers of gems, at Maiden Lane at 12:30 o'clock this afternoon and was arrested five minutes later. On his person were found two packages of gems, only one of which, however, was identified as belonging to Fox & Co.

THE SENATE.

WASHINGTON, D. C., Feb. 21.—The Senate today passed the House joint resolution for the suspension of certain features of the law authorizing the transportation of goods through the United States in the case of the [illegible] so long as the Mexican free zone exists.

The Senate rejected the motion by [illegible] to reconsider the [illegible] the conference report [illegible] the [illegible] bill, and then took up the Indian appropriation bill. [illegible] purpose was to require corporations to make a report of all their high salaried officials.

THE HOUSE.

WASHINGTON, D. C., Feb. 21.—The House by a vote of 114 to 135 refused to concur in the Senate amendment to the diplomatic and consular appropriation bill appropriating $500,000 for the Hawaiian cable.

Geary Still Alive.

PHILADELPHIA, Feb. 21.—James B. Geary, the murderer of [illegible], Maggie Yates, is still alive and the [illegible] are that he will recover. Two [illegible] are constantly on guard at the hospital, not only to prevent Geary's escape, but to frustrate any attempt by him at self-destruction.

Merchant Found Dead.

ELLICOTT CITY, Md., Feb. 21.—Daniel F. Shea, a merchant, was found murdered in his store on Main street here last night. Robbery was evidently the motive.

More Petit Jurors.

Twenty additional petit jurors have been drawn in the Third District court as follows: Glen B. Rothwell, J. A. Gannon, W. J. Burns, A. Hollander, P. W. McCaffrey, E. H. Roos, T. P. Thomas Jr., John R. Wilson, Charles [illegible], Wallace Pickering, W. J. Spencer, J. J. Daggs, S. Liberty, M. E. Parsons, H. M. Hadley, John T. Waite, W. A. Bundes, J. M. Stout, R. G. Hayward and E. G. Knowlton.

A Guardianship Matter.

In the probate court yesterday afternoon, George Arbogast filed a petition praying for letters of guardianship on behalf of Edith Louise Arbogast, his daughter, who is under the age of 14. As reasons for this request the petitioner alleges that the child has an interest in a life insurance policy in the Mutual Life of New York payable on the death of petitioner to Etta L. Arbogast, who died May 15, 1892, and the children Edith and George. That it is likely to become necessary for the said Edith and support of the said minor child and the preservation of certain property in which she has an interest, to procure a paid up policy, or [illegible] a [illegible] or make a [illegible] surrender of the policy, wherefore application is made as stated. The hearing has been set down for March 5.

This Season's Bathing.

Col. N. W. Clayton returned at an early hour this morning after an eight days' absence from home. His eastward destination was Omaha, where he met Messrs. Dickinson and Lomax, of the Union Pacific, and discussed with them the matter of Great Salt Lake summer bathing. It is understood that such agreements were entered into as will result not only to mutual benefits to the two Lake resorts—Saltair and Garfield—but in benefits to their respective patrons also.

Wants a Divorce.

Walter G. Fowler has filed an action against his wife Mary for divorce, on the ground of desertion. He alleges that he was married to defendant on May 23, 1894, and that she deserted him April 3, 1895. In addition plaintiff prays for the custody of two minor children.

Assigned Today.

The Baker shoe company, carrying on business on East Temple street, between Second and Third South, assigned today, G. S. Downey being named as the assignee. The amount of the liabilities is [illegible].

A Pleasant Surprise.

Conductor H. A. White was treated to a pleasant social by the members of the Second ward choir last evening. Instead of going to their accustomed place of rehearsal the members assembled at the residence of their conductor to celebrate his birthday, and while he was impatiently waiting for the choir at the meeting house, they were busily arranging for the pleasure of the evening. His feelings of disappointment disappeared when he arrived home and William [illegible] presented him with a beautiful album as a token of esteem from the choir. A bounteous repast was prepared by the ladies, and songs, recitations, readings and games were indulged in until a late hour.

Small Fire This Morning.

The fire department was called out at 10:30 o'clock this morning to extinguish a small blaze in a two-story frame building at No. 252 South West Temple street, owned by Mr. Cliff and used as a residence. The fire was caused by a defective flue.

THE FARCE ENDED.

The Mulvaneys and Valentine Walk Forth to Their Hotel.

JUDD THROWS UP THE SPONGE.

Glad to Get Rid of "Bill Bailey Bill" But Mulvaney Pays All Bills.

In suprise District Attorney Judd scored his knock of the Mulvaney crowd this morning once and forever, by withdrawing all charges against Sadie M. and Charles, and allowing Mr. Mulvaney, who is ready for [illegible], to go his way in peace. There was one condition, however, imposed upon the release in this connection—they must pay all the costs that have been incurred from the time of the arrest of the eloping couple in Texas up to this time, but that proposition was very readily agreed to. The [illegible] throughout have been of the most extraordinary character, and the legal [illegible] what transpired in court today makes some amusing [illegible].

At the time the NEWS report closed yesterday afternoon, Attorney Varian was making his argument with a view of urging upon the court to instruct Mr. Mulvaney, then on the witness stand, that he need not answer certain questions of the district attorney, if by so doing he [illegible] himself. After considerable talk all round, the proposition was overruled and that with an exceptional [illegible].

Deputy Attorney Judd asked Mulvaney—"How much money did you have when you arrived in Salt Lake?"

Attorney Varian told the witness not to answer.

"Well," [illegible] Judge Judd, "I expect to prove by him that the property was his."

The answers were given out to Mulvaney and he declined to answer.

"We ask that the witness be committed until he is ready to answer," exclaimed Judge Judd.

Judge Zane (counsel for defense) insisted that the witness should be compelled to answer, stating that if Mulvaney should answer that the property belonged to his mother, or his wife, or anybody else, it would tend to incriminate him. "I have ruled on the same question a number of times," Judge Zane said.

MR. MULVANEY COMMITTED.

It was then ordered that Mulvaney be committed, and Judge Judd asked that the case be postponed from day to day until the witness was ready to answer.

Attorney Zane arose here and insisted that the case be proceeded with. The prosecution had delayed the hearing in every conceivable manner, and forbearance had ceased to be a virtue.

Judge Judd—Plenty of [illegible] [illegible] Here is a case before the court and it cannot be proceeded with until this witness answers, as I cannot prove the corpus delicti by any other witness. I ask that it be postponed from day to day.

Judge Zane then moved that the case against Valentine be dismissed, as it was a joint offense and the jury had returned a verdict of not guilty against his co-defendant. "They are jointly indicted," remarked Judge Zane, "and if Mrs. Mulvaney is not guilty I certainly hold that Valentine is not."

Judge Judd retorted that Mr. Zane's view of the matter was ridiculous, and the court took the motion under advisement.

Mr. Zane then objected to the jurors being allowed to separate, but the objection was overruled and they were excused until 10 o'clock this morning.

Mulvaney was handed over to the tender care of the United States marshal and taken to the penitentiary.

AGAIN ARRESTED.

The grand jury went into court later and returned indictments against Sadie M. Mulvaney and Charles Valentine, and Mrs. Mulvaney was placed under arrest by a deputy marshal, the charge against her being adultery with Valentine.

After the matter had been called to the attention of the court, however, the warrant was recalled, and Mrs. Mulvaney was allowed to return to her hotel.

ACT THE LAST.

It was five minutes to eleven o'clock this morning after the arraignment of prisoners had been finished up, when Judge Bartch asked counsel whether they were ready to proceed.

District Attorney Judd—I am in the same condition that I was last night—I am without my witness. He is in the penitentiary under commitment of this court for contempt.

Attorney Varian stated, however, that Mr. Mulvaney was at that moment in the U. S. marshal's room.

Judge Judd, to a deputy marshal—Well, bring him in. Perhaps he will testify this morning and we won't have any further trouble.

Attorney Varian—If he does I shall be very much disappointed. I have advised him not to.

Attorney John M. Zane then reminded the Court that the motion to discharge Valentine, presented by him yesterday afternoon, was taken under advisement by his Honor.

"That motion will be overruled," answered Judge Bartch. "As to the witness Mulvaney appearing before the grand jury, counsel for the prosecution [illegible] to be heard on that point I understand."

Judge Judd said that question he would now waive, because an indictment had been found upon testimony other than Mulvaney's, and therefore he did not propose to carry him before the grand jury.

The unfortunate Mulvaney was brought into court at this juncture and allowed to go upon the witness stand.

During all this interval Assistant District Attorney Hathaway, who publicly appeared with the prosecution for the first time in this case, and Attorney Varian were debating the old, old question of the witness's competency to testify. Judge Judd looked eagerly on.

Suddenly the district attorney rose from his seat, and took everybody not "in the know" by complete surprise when he said—[illegible] the court, I have come to an agreement with counsel for the defendants in all these cases—including the territorial cases and the United States cases. This early [illegible]—and I beg pardon for using the [illegible]—(laughter)—was forced upon this Territory and its courts and upon the prosecuting officer here; and my associate, Judge Powers, was equally as much imposed upon as I have been. I am now, with the consent of your honor, willing to dismiss all these cases and let this crowd leave this Territory—(laughter)—with the understanding that they pay over to the [illegible] whatever may be so ordered—all costs made in these several indictments [illegible] here, United States and Territory, and I will rid this Territory and this court of this mess.

Attorney Varian (with a gladsome smile)—We consent, if the court pleases.

Judge Judd—But the money will be paid right here.

Mr. Varian—It will be.

Judge Judd—You gentlemen will have [illegible].

Attorney John M. Zane—Yes, we guarantee all that. We accept on behalf of Mr. Valentine.

Judge Bartch—I think the order may be entered.

The look of relief in which this last sentence was uttered pervaded an all round laugh.

Judge Judd—Wait a minute. Now let's get at it in regular shape—I understand that the district attorney wanted a clear understanding to the fact that the defense would pay all everything—not only the entire cost of the prosecution of the cases in court, but the expenses of bringing the eloping couple back from Texas, and all other expenses.

Counsel for the defense readily assented to anything and everything in the direction and Deputy Clerk Lomax was requested to "total up," so that a speedy settlement might be made by the Mulvaney-Valentine firm through their legal representatives.

Then everybody looked happy, with the solitary exception of the district attorney, whose general bearing conveyed the impression that he was ill at ease.

While the parties were shaking hands and congratulating each other, Judge Bartch put in a word—"Of course," he said, "the court makes the order on the representations of the district attorney."

"Yes," ejaculated Judge Judd, "I take the responsibility."

Attorney [illegible]—The bonds of Mrs. Mulvaney will be exonerated, of course?

Judge Judd—That follows.

Attorney Zane—And the order made that Valentine be discharged from custody?

"That follows," repeated the prosecuting attorney.

Attorney Varian—And that Mr. Mulvaney be discharged. (Laughter.)

Judge Judd (well-nigh exhausted)—That follows also. (Laughter.)

Judge Bartch discharged the jury from further service in the case, the crowd of spectators rapidly moved out of the court room, and Mr. and Mrs. Mulvaney, accompanied by Valentine and the attorneys, made for the U. S. marshal's private room to get a breath of fresh air and square up "the bill."

Thus ended one of the funniest comedies that has ever been produced in court in the Dooly building.

It is computed that the expenses incurred in the prosecution will amount to $500 or thereabouts. The cost of the Texas "trip" was about the same, but this, it seems, Mulvaney has already paid.

DISTRICT ATTORNEY'S "HIT."

He Speaks of the Mulvaneys and Valentine as "Bone of One Bone and Flesh of One Flesh."

In the midst of his excitement, while making a statement during the discussion of the Mulvaney-Valentine case this morning, District Attorney Judd furnished a little mirth by an unpremeditated but unintentional reference to Mrs. Mulvaney as "Mrs. Sadie M. Valentine." Nobody enjoyed the joke better than Valentine himself. The district attorney put in a sort of half apology for the lapse, and began by remarking that "these people—the Mulvaneys and the Valentines—had got so mixed up that it had become difficult to separate them any longer." Following up this pleasant hit with another he added, "they seem to me to be bone of one bone and flesh of one flesh." Everybody laughed again, and when order had been restored the judge proceeded in his usually solemn vein.

WASHINGTON EXERCISES.

Interesting Program at the Oquirrh School This Afternoon.

There were exercises in every room at the Oquirrh on the basement and first floors and the rooms had the usual decorations. In the corridor of the second floor rooms 12 and 13 united for the occasion, the corridor being seated. The program was listened to by a large number of spectators. The reception committee, costumed as they were in the colonial style, attracted a great deal of attention. The striking features of the program were the solo by Corinne Harris; the duet, "Two Men of Ye Olden Time," by Frank Hinchley and Clarence Free, the eulogy by Hugh McKee, and the recitations by Nellie McPherson and Dora [illegible].

The drama [illegible] well and the combined efforts of the pupils in giving "The Origin of Yankee Doodle" were much appreciated by the audience. John Gleason had the briefest exercise of all. His oration was short and to the point, as follows: "Washington was a great man, but (nodding in high a little nothing greater) here is a greater."

Grand Jury Report.

The grand jury of the Third district court has presented eight more indictments, four under the Territorial statutes and four under those of the United States. They also announced they had ignored the charge of grand larceny for cattle stealing against Oscar Kilburn, and he was ordered discharged.

GOV. WEST HOME.

He Returned From the East Early This Morning.

THE SAN JUAN INDIAN INVASION.

They Will Be Removed to Their Reservation When the Weather Permits—Confidence in Day.

Governor West returned home from Washington on the 3:15 Union Pacific train this morning. As is well known the Governor has been absent in the East for several weeks past, his time having been mostly spent at the nation's capital.

The Governor has enjoyed his trip very much, notwithstanding the very disagreeable weather which he encountered during his absence from home. He says that the weather was the worst he has ever seen in Washington, or, in fact, anywhere else. And while some people here may have felt that Utah was having its share of snow, the Governor states that the snow fall here is not to be compared with what has fallen in the east and the south.

During his absence he says he has found the financial condition at least as bad in the East as in our own community, and considers the outlook in Utah as very good.

In regard to the San Juan Indian invasion, the Governor said: "Secretary Smith proposes, as soon as the weather will permit, to take steps looking to the removal of the Indians to their reservation and have them kept there." The Indian matter, however, that the secretary appears to have "perfect confidence in the integrity of Agent Day." Judging from this there seems to be no immediate prospect for the removal of this dangerous and selfish, [illegible] individual.

On his return trip the Governor paid a visit to his old home in Kentucky, where he spent a couple of days and enjoyed himself very much. His hale and hearty appearance are evidence of the good time he has had.

"Old Maidens" and Maternity.

The following is from an article by Mary Hall Browne, in the January *Humanitarian* (London) as condensed by *Public Opinion*:

For about a year I lived in Japan, quite away as a rule from other Westerns, in pure Japanese households, often for weeks seeing none but Japanese, and the conclusion I have come to, as the result of my observations of Japanese women, is that they are happier in a high degree than women are where Western ideas obtain. It has since occurred to me to ask whether there can possibly be any connection between their domestic condition and their even temper and content?

Who are the fretful and discontented among English women? They are the "old maids," the wives whose husbands stray away, the women who want to marry and cannot, the women deserted and childless. In Japan all but every married woman has at least one child. Very often only one, but one is enough to give play to maternal satisfaction. When a man in Japan has more than one wife, some of them are virtually classified as wives after the birth of the first child. They retain their position as servants of the lady of the house, and they see their baby, the child of its father, the well-cared-for and beloved of the nominal mother—but theirs, their very own in [illegible] which they like. But in England terrible crimes arise as the consequence of maternity when it is illegal, terrible fears eat out the peace of women who are not "straight," terrible penalties attach to the mother of an illegitimate child. In Japan maternity is always a honor and joy. Women hardly ever give lives of sexual intrigue; there is no need, lawful means of satisfying natural desire are open to almost every woman if any [illegible] spoke the truth. Even the poor girls in the Yoshiwara may be redeemed by honorable marriage. Is there any connection [illegible] the frequent unrest and [illegible] of educated English women and their lot in life?

Observers, unconscious of the unhappy among women, do not recognize what ails them. Someone says that the female is constituted for [illegible]. Whatever else she is not fitted for Nature has generally qualified her for this office. Are there "old maids" among the trees? Do animals die unmated? Are any of these unhappy? In justice to myself I may here state that I am the happy wife of a good man and can, for myself, conceive of no other life than the ordinary married life of the Christian [illegible]. I am close upon fifty years of age. I married when well on in the thirties, am thus qualified to speak from experience of the penalties of some years of "old maidenhood" so called. I have both before and since my marriage known many women very intimately, unhappy single women, widows and deserted women. I have conferred a little with happily married women. The result is almost an agony of pity for those who are not and may not be mothers.

I don't pretend to say that any possible way out of the horrible state of things exists. None has, even in the remotest notion of a glimmer, ever appeared to me. But that our system is unnatural and therefore wrong, the first cause of innumerable crimes, and of more miseries, I am firmly convinced. I am not talking of young girls. I am talking of women between thirty and forty say, women whose temptations are primarily from within, not from without. Women whose chances of marriage are past or rapidly passing. Not such women either as those who read such magazines as the *Humanitarian*, but our dumb sisters, whose cut sees them too often ill, hopeless, and sometimes, also, their [illegible].

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