

OCCURRENCES DURING THE PAST WEEK.

Successful Bidders for Bonds in Illinois—Dr. J. A. Smith, of the Baptist Standard, Gave Drunken Quarrels in Schuyler County End in Murders.

Table with columns: Union National Bank, Marquette National Bank, Joseph Worthington, Mattson, C. Haase, Washburn, Nicholas Murphy, Apple River, First National Bank, Litchfield, Lorenzo Bank, Aurora, First National Bank, First National Bank, Belleville, *First National Bank, Belleville, Second National Bank, Danville, Saybrook Bank, Saybrook, F. W. Wilcox, Minook, F. G. Farrell, Jacksonville, First National Bank, Murphysboro.

He Cures by Spirit Aid. Boone County has a rival to Schlatter, the divine healer. His name is W. E. Hammond, and he lives on a farm four miles from Belvidere.

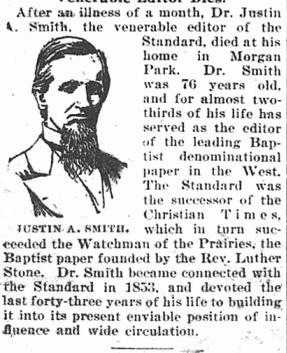
prayerful consideration. Stories of miraculous cures have been circulated through Boone and De Kalb Counties, with the result that the "doctor" is overwhelmed with requests for aid, and there are scores of people, hitherto noted for probity and truthfulness, who stand ready to swear that the cures are bona fide, and that they are the living witnesses of the efficacy of the healer's power.



W. E. HAMMOND.

Two Murders. On Saturday night at Rushville Fred Johnson and James Rittenhouse became engaged in a quarrel relative to money loaned in a poker game.

Venerable Editor Dies. After an illness of a month, Dr. Justin A. Smith, the venerable editor of the Standard, died at his home in Morgan Park.



JUSTIN A. SMITH.

State News in Brief. The five cases of criminal libel against Charles M. Lane, a member of the Macon County bar, were dismissed in the Circuit Court.

At Martinsville, the large flouring mill of Judge Henry V. Freeman, of Chicago, burned to the ground.

At Metropolis, a verdict in the Tindall-Vickers breach of promise suit was returned.

The Chicago Tribune has communications from about 150 Illinois editors, of whom about fifty held Shelby M. Cullom in first choice for President.

By the falling of a five-ton elevator in the shops of the Deere & Mansur Manufacturing Company at Moline, three men were injured, one of them fatally.

One year ago Joseph Brown, son of Pork Packer F. M. Brown, of Pana, disappeared mysteriously from his home and was not heard from until Friday, when his father received a letter from his boy at Princeton, Ind., telling his parents, who believed him dead, of his extensive wanderings in the Southern States and desire to return home.

Daniel Gorman, 100 years of age, died at his home in China.

Gov. Altgeld has restored the rights of citizenship to James Doyle, of Chicago, who has served one year at the Joliet State prison for burglary.

F. W. Curtis, of Douglas, Wyo., sold his sheep at the Chicago stock yards for \$5,000. He and his money "saw the sights" by electric light.

At Elgin, George Dolby, a clerk in Ackerman's department store, was arrested on a charge of grand larceny.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Schiebel, of Rock Island, celebrated their golden wedding anniversary by having the vows spoken a half century ago in Bohemia repeated at St. Mary's Church, where high mass was celebrated.

Miss Louisa May Kline, the daughter of well-known society people of Evanston, and William Eugene Thomas, a student in the Chicago College of Dental Surgery, were married at Racine by Rev. E. L. Eaton of the First Methodist Episcopal Church.

An unknown person put Paris green in a well on the premises of Michael Wirtz, a merchant of the town of Braidwood, with the evident intention of poisoning the family.

At Joliet, Mrs. Emma Shaw filed a suit for \$3,000 against the Modern Woodmen of America, in which society her husband had been issued a benefit certificate in Plainfield Camp for the amount.

The Bartlett Hardware Company and the Warner Manufacturing Company, both controlled by the same parties, were closed by the sheriff at Freeport under execution on confessions of judgment amounting to \$82,477.

Cries of "Help!" "Help!" resounded through the Kimball building at Chicago the other afternoon.

Peoria gets the location of the Masonic home for widows and orphans, action being taken by the committee Tuesday.

Cassius R. Carter, a retired sergeant of the United States army, was found dead in a room at the Palmer House, Chicago.

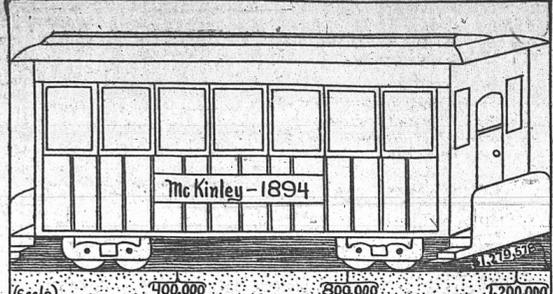
Mrs. Mary Applegate, of Canton, has instituted suit for \$5,000 damages against the Pabst Brewing Company and Saloonkeeper A. J. Taylor, alleging that her husband spent all his money in their saloon and failed to provide for his family.

Mrs. Ida Witt was burned fatally at 4477 Armour avenue, Chicago. She was frying some meat close beside a kettle of hot grease.

Assistant Attorney General Newell holds there is no law in this State prohibiting a city corporation from owning and operating a public telephone system.

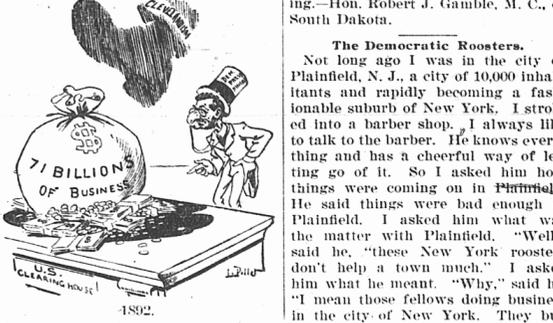
Six Chicago policemen gathered in a saloon and began shaking dice, the loser to shave off his mustache.

CAPTURING THE WORLD'S MARKETS.



McKinley Reciprocity Cars and Carriages made in the United States and Marketed in Brazil during the two fiscal years ending June 30, 1894 and 1895.

HIS HEAVY FOOT. The next President must be a Democrat. Grover Cleveland would put a heavy foot on Billion Dollarism.



Not long ago I was in the city of Plainfield, N. J., a city of 10,000 inhabitants and rapidly becoming a fashionable suburb of New York.

The Era of 'Cheapness.' The British manufacturers have been enabled to pour into the country vast quantities of cheap, flimsy goods, kept out under former protection tariffs.

'Freedom from Taxation.' We wonder if the free-traders are studying the latest returns from the Bureau of Statistics of the Treasury Department.

Grover's Great Record. Grover Cleveland will go into history as the President who doubled the national war debt in four years.

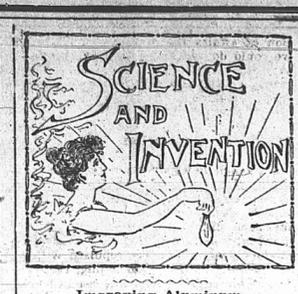
National, Not Sectional. It is the policy of the Republican party to not only extend ample protection to the manufacturers of the New England States.

Sound, Sensible Policy. Tariff does not make the blind see, the lame walk, nor does it raise the dead to life.

Official Figures of Exports. The Bureau of Statistics of the Treasury Department enables us to show how we have been capturing the markets of the world.

Wage Earners' Losses. The loss in wages to those engaged in strikes in Connecticut last year, as estimated by the State Bureau of Labor statistics, was \$929,400.

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Improving Aluminum. Careful analyses recently made by Monsieur Moissan, the celebrated French chemist, show that the aluminum of commerce produced to-day is much purer than that which was turned out a year or two ago.

Mica for Cartridges. From Australia comes the proposition employ mica for the powder chamber of cartridges.

Horses' Corns. Many readers may never have thought of the fact horses, as well as men and women, suffer from corns.

A Hot Fire. According to recent experiments by Monsieur Weber, the temperature of the incandescence filament in an ordinary electric lamp varies between 2849 degrees and 2880 degrees Fahrenheit.

America Ahead. The railway archives kept by the minister of public works in Berlin show that at the end of 1883 there were in operation in the entire world about 404,000 miles of railway.

Working 150 Days Without Stop. In a gas factory at Ivry, near Paris, a Laval turbine, driven by jets of steam, was recently set to work.

The Murder of the White Heron. Only a few years ago one of the most attractive dwellers in the region of the cypress swamps of Southeastern Missouri and Northeastern Arkansas was the great, or white heron.

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act figure. Of the total animals slain, 2,896 were does. Thus it will be seen that the does shot outnumbered the bucks by 315.

LA LUTINE'S SUNKEN TREASURE. Dredging for Millions Lost a Century Ago and Lying in the North Sea.

The first attempts at salvage were made two years after the wreck, with primitive appliances, hooks fastened to long poles, tongs and iron nets.

The British Lloyds, which had insured part of the treasure, obtained the rights of the Dutch crown to whatever was found, and all later attempts have been made by the Decretal Salvors and Lloyds working together.

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The Love of a Summer Day. I would rather be loved by you, sweet, than by all of the world beside.

A Dream of Rest. I know a dell, a woodland dell, far from the city's din.

The Girl of Long Ago. I think she was fairer than the girl of to-day.

Has she laid down to rest with the sod on her breast. The cherished of long ago.

Oh, whether afar, where the strange ways are. Or whether above or below.

To-morrow. To-morrow is too far away. A bed of spice the garden is.

But still the legions charged the beach. And rang their battle cry, like speech.

It was my heart, that like a sea. Within my breast beat ceaselessly.

Voices in the Wind. There are voices in the wind; they are calling.

Unfinished Roman Houses. It is sadder still to see the modern ruins of houses which were not even finished when the crash put an end to the building mania.

Women are not having a real good time unless four or five of them are talking at once.