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Buckner's plurality over Bradley, Republican in Kentucky is 17,015. Another jump like this and Kentucky will belong in the Republican column by a handsome majority.

In one of those make-believe dialogues between the President and Col. Dan Lamont, the latter is made to utter a wholesome truth. He says that the flag episode has brought about a sort of division by which the old soldiers get the stars and the President the stripes.

The Pennsylvania Republicans nominated William B. Hart for state treasurer and Henry W. Williams for supreme judge. Among other resolutions adopted was the following: "The Republicans of Pennsylvania, the native state of the Honorable James G. Blaine, will view with high pleasure his nomination for the Presidency in the campaign of 1888. Accident cannot abate the love of a great party nor the admiration of a great people for a statesman, true alike to his convictions and to his country."

It is claimed that Bosse Conkling will lead the former Grant faction in a combined effort to defeat Blaine's nomination, and that General Jeremiah M. Rusk, Governor of Wisconsin, will be the standard bearer. His strong points are his war record, his prompt crushing of the Milwaukee Anarchist's riot, his three terms in Congress and two as Governor and his freedom from entangling alliances with the old Republican factions.

The salary of the President, as everybody knows, is \$50,000. His official and household staff, including private secretaries, clerks, messengers, doorkeepers, steward, messengers, etc., cost for salaries, \$33,864; for the "contingent expense" of the executive office, on official account, the sum of \$8,000 is provided; for "care, repair and furnishing the executive mansion" \$16,000 per year is granted by Congress, to be expended as the President may direct; fuel for the executive mansion, greenhouses and stable cost \$3,000 per annum; for care and necessary repair of greenhouses there is a regular annual appropriation of \$4,000.

The recent death of R. M. T. Hunter (Run Mad Tom Hunter, as he was formerly called) calls to mind that with him passes away nearly all that is left of the old ante-bellum Senators. Hunter had a national fame before the war, was a member of the Confederate Congress, but of late years had sunk completely out of sight. His death in poverty, in an out of the way town of Virginia, where he held a petty office under President Cleveland, calls to mind the sad ending of nearly all the men who took part in the organization of the late unpleasants. Senator Benjamin Slidell and Mason, the victims of the Kent affair, have long since passed away. Yancey was injured in a fistfight with Ben Hill, of Georgia, that resulted fatally. Ben Hill died of a cancer; Alexander H. Stevens was away, and an invalid for years, succumbed to nature before Cleveland was known outside of the Empire State. Perhaps Jeff Davis and Otto R. Singleton, of Mississippi, are almost all that are left of the old regime.

C. R. Worrall, the pension agent, is always doing something handsome for the soldiers. He authorizes us to announce to all soldiers and heirs, that he will, at his office, on Monday, Sept. 5th, 1887, execute all pension vouchers free of charge, and furnish envelop and stamp free, and will present to every soldier a "beautiful army scene." This last "living picture" has been shown to the editor, is realistic and should be in the possession of every soldier pensioner. "Come one and all and have a reunion at my expense," says Cal. Lynch will be served at noon for all soldiers. Wm. L. Adams, Esq., Col. Harvey Baker and others will address the meeting. Mr. Worrall requests each one who has an old army "canteen" or cup to bring it along.

It will be remembered that the Democratic Treasurer of Knox co., S. S. Hollingsworth, was sent to the penitentiary at Jeffersonville for a shortage of \$78,000 in his funds. Since the new Warden, Mr. Patton, came into control, Hollingsworth has been treated with great consideration, and since he was received at the prison has been allowed the privilege of remaining in and about the offices, and has spent none of his time, unless it was during the night, inside the walls. He was never compelled to wear the stripes, and was often seen in the city as late as 8 and 9 o'clock at night. Now it is against the ordinances of Jeffersonville for convicts to roam about the city unaccompanied by an officer, and so both Hollingsworth and the Warden were arrested one day last week. This has created quite a sensation

in Southern Indiana, and will renew the story of Hollingsworth's shortcomings.

The Price of Beef.

[Philadelphia Times.]

Beef is about the only necessary of life that is maintained at nearly or quite old war prices, and it is done in face of the fact that the price paid to the beef-producer or cattle-grower, is nearly one-half less than the price paid some five years ago. Why is it that while fat cattle are sold in Chicago at half the prices of a few years ago, consumers must pay old prices for fresh meat? If there is one public wrong that should be restrained with more scrupulous care than all others, it is the public wrong of combinations to force a fictitious price for the necessities of life.

Cheap cotton produces cheap fabrics; cheap paper produces cheap newspapers, and cheap cattle must produce cheap beef.

Letter from Northern Indiana.

La Porte, Ind., Aug. 25, 1887.

Editor Progress: When we last wrote from here it was as follows: "A friend in a family friend. At least so I tell this morning when the County Superintendent placed a copy of the Progress in my hands. There is no place like home" and I find myself constrained to say a word about this portion of Indiana.

During this week I have seen three northward Indiana towns. Each is a beautiful little town of perhaps one thousand inhabitants. It is named after the Mishawaka Indians, a tribe of the Potowatamies.

It is given to manufacturing and affords a place of residence for workmen who labor in South Bend. Midway between Mishawaka and South Bend are two fine farms of some three hundred acres each, which belong to the same individual, and serve as a place of residence for them. These men with Mr. Oliver, the maker of the Oliver Chilled Plow, are the magnates of South Bend. They have the respect and good will of the community in which they live. They are men who have made their way from the arduous and wagon-makers' bench to affluence and opulence. They use their money well, and serve as a model for others.

Capt. Elliott has also been on the police force during the past week.

There are no flies on Elliott, as the rats on the levee will find out if they tackle him — Joe Bryan took train for Arkansas City, Kansas, on Monday — Miss Kate Pearson has gone to Wichita to take a position in the public schools of that city — Chris Steinbagen's daughter, who had been sick some four weeks with typhoid fever, died on Thursday night of last week —

Frank Mulky will go to work in life insurance immediately, under the direction of J. R. East of the Ains. He had been elected to a

first-class position in the Jeffersonville schools, but believed there is

more money for him in the business he has chosen — The interior of the U. P. church is to be

decorated as soon as the workmen can be secured from Indianapolis —

Simeon Pedigo was in town last Thursday, and is very much improved in health and appearance — Marriage licenses have been issued to John Minett and Jennie Minett, Wm. Murphy and Rebecca Mitchell, Clay Beard and Pauline Tarkington — C. W. Eaton of Van Buren, I. P. will attend Normal School this winter, at Valparaiso — Homer Blakely of Eldorado, Kansas, has returned to Perry, Ia., and will stay with his father, Wm. Blakely, at least during the winter — Uncle Tommy Matthes and daughter, Mrs. Martin, are making arrangements to visit Kansas friends and relations — The Indiana towns is the trees on each side of the streets. They make long avenues, shady and cool at almost any hour in the day. This afternoon a drive of half an hour took me to the famous Pine and Cedar lane, and to the estate of Mr. Oliver's house, and it is considered the most expensive and beautiful house in South Bend. Mr. O. will enjoy this distinction only until one of the Studebakers, who lives in town, gets his new house, built on the same plan, completed. These men "push things," and as a result they are more than a fortune to this country.

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CHIPS AND SPLINTERS.

—Mrs. Ed. Woodward of Cincinnati has been visiting Monroe county relations — Wm. A. Rogers has sold his 100 acre farm to Henry C. Rhorer, the consideration being \$4,000 — Morton Malcolm, a former student of I. S. U., was recently married to a Miss Martin, in Carbonate, Dakota.

Homier May of Clear Creek is preparing to go west — The emigration to Kansas will set in as soon as the frost nips the malarial

— Ab. Ketcham has been sick but is now able to be out — Geo. Stratton of Louisville, Ky., was visiting his father east of town, last week — The attendance at the Rogers reunion was not as large this year as usual, but there was a

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AUDITOR'S ANNUAL REPORT.

THE UNDERSIGNED AUDITOR submits the following Report of Receipts and Expenditures of Monroe county, Indiana, for the year ending May 31st, 1887:

| RECEIPTS. | EXPENDITURES. |
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| Balance in Treasury at last settlement, June 1, 1886, \$13,870.98 | Warrants have been drawn on County Treasurer on the following accounts: |
| April taxes, '86, \$17,388.93 | Fees and salaries, \$6,022.32 |
| April taxes, '87, 27,345.80 | Jury, 2,248.10 |
| State license, 25.00 | Bailiffs, 202.10 |
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