

# The People's Pilot.

RENSSELAER, : : INDIANA.

## The News Condensed.

Important Intelligence From All Parts:

### DOMESTIC.

A SPAN of the bridge over the Ohio river at Jeffersonville, Ind., fell, carrying twenty workmen with it, and three were seriously injured.

The residence of Herman Barthold, a farmer near Toledo, O., was destroyed by fire and his two daughters, aged 12 and 7, were burned to death.

EUGENE SCHWECKER, a wholesale grocer and liquor merchant of Cincinnati, committed suicide on the grave of his first wife.

DANIEL H. BURNHAM, of Chicago, was reelected president of the American Institute of Architects at the annual meeting in New York.

An old Navajo Indian at Gallup, N. M., who married a young squaw against the wishes of her parents, shot and killed her and then killed himself.

The French-Eversole feud broke out afresh in Perry county, Ky., and one member of each faction was killed in the encounter.

WILLIAM BARNES, a clerk in the treasurer's office for thirty-five years, died in Washington. It was said that he had handled in his lifetime probably more money than any other man in the world.

NEARLY 24,000 democrats were placed in charge of post offices during the first year of the present administration.

HARRIS OLNEY and Charles Dalton committed suicide at Brooklyn, N. Y., by turning on the gas in their room.

DURING a quarrel at Baltimore over a division of profits from their coal business Robert Herrlich shot and fatally wounded his father.

ANOTHER strike of weavers occurred at Fall River, Mass., making 6,000 persons out of employment.

A quarrel over forty cents' worth of beer in a St. Maurice (Ind.) saloon Jackson Stevens shot and killed Ben Heam.

CHANNING M. BRITTON, of New York, was elected president of the Carriage Builders' association at the annual meeting in Philadelphia.

In his annual report Gen. Howard says the railroad strike showed the necessity of doubling the army.

Trials against time at Hamilton, Ont., Bicyclist Davidson lowered the record for the half mile standing to 0:58 and the quarter to 0:30.

Fire destroyed a portion of the Trédegar iron works at Richmond, Va. Loss, \$150,000.

At Philadelphia a new baseball association was formed, which is expected to be a strong rival to the National league.

In the hearing of indicted gamblers in Chicago the big proprietors escaped only the lesser lights being found guilty.

JAMES WEST and G. H. Crenshaw, of Philadelphia, were killed by a landside while crossing the Sierra Madres.

KRISTIAN KOETGAARD, ex-president of the Minneapolis State bank, was convicted of appropriating \$13,000 of its funds.

Miss MONBOE was awarded \$5,000 in her suit against the New York World for prematurely publishing her world's fair odes.

ROBERT J. and John R. Gentry paced a dead heat at Nashville, Tenn., in 2:04.

BECAUSE of numerous train robberies the Pacific Express company will handle no more money in Indian territory.

A FIRE which started in Miller Bros.' livery stable at Monticello, Ia., burned fifteen high-priced horses and destroyed half a dozen residences.

The following congressional nominations were made by the democrats: Rhode Island, First district, C. H. Page (renominate); Second, Oscar Lapham (renominate). Massachusetts, Second district, E. A. Hall. Tennessee, Sixth district, J. A. Washington (renominate). Kentucky, Sixth district, A. S. Berry.

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The post office department has declared the Cooperative Loan & Investment company of Mississippi is conducting a lottery.

WHILE temporarily insane Elliott L. Titus, aged 24, killed Mary S. Duff, aged 23, at Sea Cliff, L. I., and then killed himself. The young people expected to be married soon.

Mrs. GEORGE EDDY and Mrs. Painter were killed by a passing train at a grade crossing near Byron, Ill.

THE exchanges at the leading clearing houses in the United States during the week ended on the 19th aggregated \$950,045,906, against \$927,428,877 the previous week. The increase, compared with the corresponding week in 1893, was 81.

Mrs. MARY SAWYER and two daughters, aged 16 and 18, were killed at Dorchester, Neb., while driving over the Burlington tracks.

THEODORE AMMERMAN, wounded in the riot at Washington Court House, O., died, making the total number of dead five.

IN Sleepy Hollow cemetery at Tarrytown, N. Y., a monument was unveiled to the residents of the town who fought in the revolutionary war. The day was the 113th anniversary of the surrender of Lord Cornwallis at Yorktown.

JUDGE SMITH, for twenty-seven years on the circuit bench at Galesburg, Ill., resigned because of ill health.

ON a farm near Albion, N. Y., William Lake killed Miss Hunt because she refused to marry him and then killed himself.

AN omnibus indictment was found in Chicago by the federal grand jury against the officers of the American Railway union and all strikers charged with violence and obstructing the mails.

AT Waltham, Mass., Tyler cut the 2-mile standing start bicycle record to 4:03.

TWENTY-FIVE of the largest wholesale manufacturers of clothing in Chicago organized a defensive association.

THERE were 253 business failures in the United States in the seven days ended on the 19th, against 231 the week previous and 341 in the corresponding time in 1893.

SONS of the American Revolution presented a stand of colors to the Fifteenth regiment, U. S. A., at Fort Sheridan, in recognition of its gallant conduct during the late strike in Chicago.

FOUR men held up a Texas Pacific passenger train near Gordon, Tex., at noon and robbed the express car of an amount estimated at from \$1,000 to \$20,000.

JAMES O. DOOLEY, the youthful murderer of his aunt and a 10-year-old cousin in Adams county, Ia., on May 11, 1892, was executed at Fort Madison.

CHARLES ERNISH and Otto Wongkert were hanged in St. Paul, Minn., for the murder of Lindholm, a barkeeper, May 2 last.

ORGANIZATION of the new American Baseball association was completed in Philadelphia. W. S. Kanes was elected president, secretary and treasurer.

POSTMASTER GENERAL BISSELL issued an order that hereafter an address label may be pasted on the address side of an envelope as well as the message side of a postal card.

THE Fond du Lac (Wis.) factory of the American Biscuit company was destroyed by fire, causing a loss of \$100,000.

THE government officials at Washington will endeavor to keep out seventy anarchists reported to be on their way to the United States.

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VESSELMEN at Philadelphia feared that the schooner John D. Williams, eight men, and the steamer Falcon, seven men, were lost.

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STEPHEN WILLIAMS, a negro who attempted to assault Mrs. Nardestey, an aged white woman, was taken from the jail at Marlboro, Md., by masked men and hanged.

HARRY SHARPE, a Missouri Pacific conductor, was thrown from his train by tramps and killed near Jefferson City, Mo.

THE striking of a match by a careless bystander caused an explosion at a gas well near Greenfield, Ind., and five drillers were dangerously burned.

SILAS JONES and his wife and child perished in flames that destroyed their home near Knoxville, Ia.

THE working home for the blind at Iberia, O., was destroyed by fire and one inmate was fatally burned.

MRS. CHARLES WIMEER and her 11-year-old son, Louis, were killed by a Big Four train at Indianapolis.

NEAR Hornick, Ia., a territory of 300 acres of land has been on fire for two months. The soil is burned to a depth of 5 feet.

INTERVIEWS with leading men of Illinois show a majority in favor of state control of the Lincoln monument at Springfield.

LATER.

THE treasury receipts at Washington during twenty days of the present month amounted to \$12,874,858, and the disbursements \$20,577,000, leaving a deficit for the twenty days of \$7,702,142. The deficit for the fiscal year amounts to \$8,482,305.

FIRE destroyed the home of Rev. Ross Taylor in South Nyack, N. Y., and four of his children perished. Three other persons were seriously injured.

SIX men were buried under a wall while demolishing an old building at St. Paul and two of them would die.

HARRISON SMITH, of Atlanta, Ga., father of eleven children, killed himself when his wife presented him with two more.

THE residence of Sylvester Yeagle, near Carlisle, O., was struck by lightning and consumed and Mrs. Yeagle and two children were killed and their bodies burned to ashes.

CYCLIST SEARLES completed his ride from Chicago to New York in 6 days, 7 hours and 30 minutes, lowering the previous record an hour.

HELEN GRIER, of Spokane, Wash., convicted of poisoning her sixth husband, was sentenced to ten years in the penitentiary.

A BATTLE occurred near Yi Chow and the Japanese were repulsed with a loss of 3,000 men on each side.

IN an action for damages Judge Field, of Louisville, Ky., decided the Pullman company was not a common carrier.

JAMES K. EDGERLY, returning to Fort Henry, N. Y., from Oklahoma, paid \$1,000 for a worthless bond to two confidence men in Chicago.

SHARP earthquake shocks were felt at Los Angeles, San Diego and Camp, Cal.

JOHN H. DOON, for thirty years business manager of the Courier, dropped dead at his home in Zanesville, O., of apoplexy.

AN explosion from an unknown cause wrecked a St. Louis grocery store and injured five persons, one fatally.

THE president and his family left Buzzard's Bay, Mass., for Washington. The outlaws in Harlan county, Ky., have become so lawless and defiant that the authorities decided to suppress them at once.

THE national convention of German Epworth leagues met at St. Paul with a large attendance.

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CHAUNCEY WHEATON, a wealthy farmer of Athens, Pa., was bunkered out of \$5,000 by two sharpers.

THE visible supply of grain in the United States on the 22d was: Wheat, 76,639,000 bushels; corn, 3,399,000 bushels; oats, 9,145,000 bushels; rye, 408,000 bushels; barley, 3,068,000 bushels.

A MAD dog bit six persons at Wichita, Kan.

### PERSONAL AND POLITICAL.

MARGARET MURPHY, aged 108, died in New York city.

GEN. WILLIAM F. KEYNOLDS, a veteran of the Mexican war and a celebrated engineer, died suddenly at his home in Detroit, Mich., aged 73.

EVERETT P. WHEELER has accepted the nomination for governor of New York at the hands of the "democratic party reform organization."

THE following congressional nominations were made: Missouri, Eleventh district, Charles F. Joy (rep.); Twelfth, F. M. Sterrett (rep.). Tennessee, Tenth district, R. J. Rawlings (pop.).

EX-MAYOR GRANT accepted the Tammany nomination for mayor of New York, Nathan Straus having withdrawn his name.

ANDREW SMITH, a member of the firm of Smith Brothers, manufacturers of cough drops, died in Poughkeepsie, N. Y., aged 58 years. He was widely known as a philanthropist.

GEORGE O. SHARPE, of Elyria, O., says his grandmother, Mrs. Crittenden, is 133 years old, and that her mother, who died in Scotland, was 146 years of age.

JOSEPH DORSETT BEDE, ex-governor of New Jersey, died in a New York hospital from a surgical operation, aged 65 years.

NEARLY as many women registered in Denver, Col., as men, 61,400 names having been entered on the books.

MRS. HANNAH CHAFFEE, widow of Fay Chaffee, died at Adrian, Kan., aged 102 years.

### FOREIGN.

UP to the end of September the total emigration from Great Britain this year was 121,173, a decrease of 57,559 as compared with the corresponding period of 1893. Of this number 82,031 shipped for the United States and 15,418 for Canada.

IT was estimated that European countries would have to import 118,000,000 bushels of wheat, owing to the shortage in the crop.

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THE Japanese diet, in session at Hiroshima, granted the government's demand for \$150,000,000 to carry on the war with China.

IT was reported that negotiations for peace between China and Japan were in progress at Seoul.

FOUR bodies were recovered from the colliery at Anina, Hungary, where an explosion of firedamp occurred.

### LATER.

RUNS on the Pittsburgh (Pa.) "discretionary pools" continued, and George M. Irwin & Co., one of the principal concerns, suspended with liabilities of over \$1,000,000.

IN his annual report Gen. Otis urges the acquirement by the government of strategic points on Puget sound.

AN EARTHQUAKE almost completely destroyed the town of Sakata, Japan. The loss of life was heavy and the loss to property enormous.

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