

IS GROVER A TRAITOR?

In Time of War His Secret Conspiracy Would Be Tresson.

If our country were in a state of war with Great Britain and President Cleveland were to secretly meet and conspire with the agents of that country he would be arrested, court-martialed, and shot or hanged as a traitor.

The country is in a state of war, not with Great Britain as a nation, but with British capitalists. There is a hand-to-hand, life-and-death struggle going on between the toiling, struggling classes and the capitalistic class. Ours is no less a state of war than if it were more tangibly expressed by encamped soldiery, by pointed bayonet and canon. The sick and wounded, dying and dead victims of this deadly struggle in every city, every hamlet, at every mining camp, factory, machine shop and by the road side from the Atlantic to the Pacific.

By way of business investment Great Britain has captured our railways, our stocks, bonds and securities of every sort. By way of legislation at our national capital Great Britain has captured our finances. We have here at the white house as nominal president of the United States the tool, the agent and the hired spy of British capitalism. With awful audacity, and with titanic insolence President Cleveland has within the past fortnight held conference with the enemies of this nation. He has not only acceded to their dictation but with stupendous effrontery has sent his sub-traitor Carlisle into the very citadel of the nation, into the national house of legislation with a treason black copy of the terms of surrender which the British foe exacted of American patriots, has every drop of the red blood of '76 pale and washed out to tin water under the poisonous dripping from the upas tree of partyism? How like fierce wild beasts you would pursue this traitor Cleveland were he a spy from the enemy's soldier camp. But just because the treason is political the people bend the knee and bow the head in ignorant, helpless superstition and let our great republic be delivered soul and body into the possession of the enemy.

What ought to be done with the traitor Cleveland? Why he should be impeached and dismissed forever to expatriation and to the awful doom of disfranchisement, excommunicated from the republic. He ought neither to be mobbed, shot or hanged. It never does any good to take life. Besides hanging is too good for Cleveland.—Anna L. Digges, in Topeka Advocate.

A Condition.

Rockefeller has \$175,000,000. Stub Peters has a wife and nine children. Rockefeller and Peters both work hard—one to care for his millions, the other to keep his family from starving. One cursed with too much; the other cursed because he lacks enough. Both industrious; both thrifty; both slaves. A few years both will go away. One to the other to—Both will leave families. The family of the one nursed in luxury to effeminacy, will gradually yield an existence and go out in silence; the family of the other, the prey of temptation, chased by gaunt want from refuge to refuge, will fly at last for temporary succor of pain and woe, to a life of dishonor. Crime will at last be their only resort. A few escapades; death, prison, the gallows, and the curtain will drop. Two families will have gone out forever. Strong and good blood coursed through the veins of both at the beginning of their career, yet darkness and oblivion will soon claim them all. Why this mockery of human aspirations and human consecration? Aye, that is the question this generation of men and women is called upon to answer. A social system, based upon greed-giving to the shrewdest the monopoly of life's opportunities, by a strange fatality damns those who take advantage of the unjust conditions it decrees. As a consequence of the wreckage of the one class, the other contemporaneously goes out to a certain destruction. Dismal death obliterates every scion of every family. Ruin to all decreed. Ruin to all decreed in the immutable law which curses with its persistent evolutionizing energy the selfish systems of humanity. Greed is transitory; it is error. Ethics is permanent; it is truth. The story of man is the demonstration that selfishness destroys those who grow fat over its gain and indulgences, as well as those who suffer by the consequent injustice. Men go out under the doom-laden operation of this infinite law. Families vanish; nations struggle and succumb and civilizations perish. All history amplifies, and is a commentary upon the statements herein made.—Progressive Age.

In Trouble.

Mr. Taylor, the colored gentleman whom Mr. Cleveland appointed as recorder at Washington, is in trouble charged with being too frisky in the presence of several young ladies in his employ. Two of the young ladies testify that he made improper proposals to them. Of course it is all a mistake. "The king can do no wrong," and why should the king's favorite be adjudged guilty of doing anything wicked? Now, if it had been Coxey or Carl Browne or Christopher Columbus Jones, and they had been crowded over on the grass by the police, then it might reasonably be expected that they would be put in jail, and that without much ceremony. But C. H. J. Taylor, being one of the President's effect, will reign on, and if the girls don't like his kind of behavior they can seek employment elsewhere, that's all.

The rebellion in Cuba has assumed alarming proportions. Fully 6,000 men are already under arms.

CRIME.

Thomas Hayes of Brightwood, Ind., was found dead in a barn, apparently murdered.

Henry Long, who lived near Purvis, Miss., shot his wife and his brother-in-law and blew out his own brains. In a drunken brawl among Hungarians at Maltby, Pa., Mrs. Anna Tonish was fatally stabbed by George Line. Her husband, Alexander Tonish, received nine knife wounds.

At New York Charles Janda, 20 years old, a Bohemian tailor, shot and instantly killed his sister-in-law, Mrs. Camilla Janda, and then committed suicide.

The postoffice at Montpelier, Ind., was robbed of \$300 in cash. The explosion aroused the police, who wounded one of the robbers, but all escaped. J. F. Maranda, city treasurer of Spring Valley, Ill., pleaded guilty at Princeton to embezzling \$3,000. He had unsuccessfully tried to fix the blame on ex-Mayor Jack.

The parsonage of the German church at La Porte, Ind., was robbed, and the Rev. C. A. Loeber of Chicago, who was a guest, lost \$100.

Banker M. A. Thayer was placed under bonds for \$12,000 at Sparta, Wis., charged with obtaining deposit money unlawfully.

A new trial was denied Julius Schwabacker, son of the millionaire distiller, and convicted of burglary at Peoria, Ill.

James Miller, superintendent of police at Muncie, Ind., is charged by ten of his patrolmen with accepting bribes from criminals.

John Kelver, leader of the mob of strikers that attacked the Pratt mines in Alabama last July, precipitating a fight in which a deputy sheriff and four negro miners were killed, was convicted of manslaughter and sentenced to one year's imprisonment.

Edward Fady, John James Fady, Stephen Fady and John White were drowned while shooting at Catalena, Trinity Bay, N. F.

John Brown, colored, was sentenced to two years in prison at Waukegan, Ill., for stealing an overcoat.

Carl Shaw, treasurer of Blaine county, Ok., has been imprisoned for embezzling \$7,000.

G. W. Moffatt, of Bradford, Ill., shot and killed himself because of despondency.

OBITUARY.

James W. Scott, proprietor and publisher of the Chicago Times-Herald, died at New York. Apoplexy was the cause of death, which was peaceful and unexpected.

Prof. James D. Dana of Yale university, probably the greatest scientist in America, died at his home in New Haven, Conn.

The new Hollingsworth building will be ready for occupancy by May 1st. It is to be occupied by B. F. Ferguson as a real estate loan, and insurance office, and by R. Phillips second barber shop.

When you can buy a good top buggy for \$40 it is false economy to have an old one repaired. Warner & Son handle just such a buggy, as well as a full line of better carriages of all kinds, and at correspondingly low prices. Cash paid in advance to a manufacturer who needed money to keep from shutting down, secured an unequalled bargain which is more than divided with customers.

Real Estate Transfers.

Jno. W. Clouse to B. Henry Murray, Feb. 16, lt 5, bl 4, Leopold's Add Rensselaer, \$125.

Jas. W. McCleary to Elizabeth J. Greeley, Apr. 15, nw nw 15-30-6, 40 acres, w 1/2 sw 10-30-6, Barkley, \$2165.

Alfred E. McCoy to Sarah E. Kerrs, Apr. 16, s 1/2 se ne 35-31-6, 30 acres, Walker, \$450.

Albert W. Cleveland to Jno. W. Paxton, Apr. 4, lts 7, 8, 9, 19, 20, bl 33 Weston's Add. Rensselaer, \$515.

Jno. W. Paxton to Wm. B. Austin, Apr. 17, same as above, \$2200.

L. Sylvester Waite to Lewis S. Chase, Sept. 27 '84, e 1/2 8-31-5, se 5-31-5, Walker, \$2500.

Wallace Robinson and Margaret Robinson, to Vinton W. Shuck, Apr. 11, w 1/2 sw, pt s 1/2 nw 15-29-6, Barkley \$2916.

Columbia Imp. Co. to Martha E. Farris, Apr. 18, lts 3, 4, bl 9, Columbia Add. Rensselaer \$265.

Jasper N. Heath to N. W. Box, Apr. 16 n 1/2 sw se e 1/2 sw 24-31-6, n 1/2 nw 25-31-6, Walker, \$5700.

James Clowry to Thos. W. Grant, Apr. 2, lts 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, bl 10, Bruehl's Add. Remington \$240.

Geo. H. Brown, Jr. to Chas. W. Baker, Mar. 1, w 1/2 11-29-5, 320 acres, Barkley and Hanging Grove, \$12800.

Samuel A. Williams to D. J. Thompson, Apr. 19, sw nw, nw sw 33-31-6, 80 acres, Walker, \$640.

Nehemiah Littlefield to Marion L. Spittler, Apr. 19, Rensselaer, pt sw 19-29-6, \$300.

Rens. Land and Imp. Co. to Nehemiah Littlefield, Apr. 15, lt 7, bl 10, Weston's Add. Rens. \$75.

8 spools Clark's O. N. T. 25c, at The Model.

Robert Randle and daughter Ida returned Wednesday morning from a day's visit in Lafayette Dress goods sale, Saturday, Apr. 27th, at The Model.

Moses Leopold who has been on the sick list for some time is now able to be about again.

Give Lakey a trial for cakes.

Bids for the new Odd Fellows hall will be opened May 2d. The prospect is good for a large number of proposals, a number of which are from abroad.

See the lovely line of china ware at the Emporium.

Egypt lodge, F. A. & I. U., No. 54, will meet at the Egypt school house, next Saturday night, April 27th. All members are asked to be present.

Capes! Capes! See our opening line. The Model.

The finest spring weather, according to the O. I., ever bestowed upon this blooming garden of Indiana by a gracious divinity, is that now being enjoyed by the people of Jasper county.

Model's grand opening Thursday, Friday, Saturday, April 25, 26 and 27

The election law of Virginia, was declared constitutional by the court of appeals. It disfranchises nine-tenths of the colored voters.

The Michigan house passed a stringent liquor law providing for a uniform license of \$500. The senate passed a bill providing for a general charter for the fifty-three cities in the state of the fourth class.

Wide Tires Have Come.

For several week the Pilot has urged the necessity of wide tires for all traffic wagons to preserve and improve the roads, especially the gravel roads. The enterprising firm of Warner & Son have seconded the effort by the purchase of a large shipment of the very best wagons, with wide tires, which arrived this week, and are now stored in their large ware rooms. This order is one of the largest of its kind ever given by the firm, making a string of wagons quite two blocks long. The receipt of these wagons is opportune, and at the rate they are being taken by purchasers another shipment will soon be needed. They are up to date in every particular, the purchase price is discounted by cash with order, and prices are made correspondingly low to customers. It costs nothing to examine these splendid wagons and convince yourself as to their superior value as compared with other grades and makes.

Saturday, April 27, 1895.

ONE DAY ONLY.

Calico 2c a yd. at The Model. We do not reserve the right to limit our customers to 10 yards, nor do we ask any one to buy other goods to get calico at 2c a yard. Remember calico is 2c a yd. at The Model, leader of low prices.

Eighty-Six Years Old.

Isaac Saylor celebrated his 86th birthday anniversary, Thursday April 18th, at the home of his daughter, Miss Ellen J. Saylor. Three of his brothers were present, viz: Jacob, 89 years; Micha, 82 years; Henry, 80.

Mr. Saylor comes of a long living race, for of his father's family of 12 children, who became men and women, eight are still living.

The combined ages of the four brothers who were gathered together on this occasion is 337 years.

Just as chock full of chances for you to save money as an egg of meat . . .

TO APPRECIATE You Must Read

Choice New Moorpark Apricots per lb. 10 cts
or 11 POUNDS FOR \$1.00.
Gallon Canned Apples 25 cts
North Star Baking Powder, 1 1/2 lb. for 25 cts. This is all right and a winner.
Milton Maple Syrup per can 30 cts.
Cracked Java Coffee, per lb. 20 cts.
Japan Tea Sitings per lb. 10 cts.
White Lily Flour per sack 70 cts.
Standard Large Tubes—Dandies 65 cts.
Raspberries Standard 10 cts.
Blackberries 10 cts.
Pie Peaches 10 cts.
Pumpkin 10 cts.
Sweet Potatoes 10 cts.
String Beans 10 cts.
Tomatoes 10 cts.
Marrowfat Peas 10 cts.
Red Kidney Beans 10 cts.
Blueberries 10 cts.

NOW IS THE TIME . . to commence a business connection with us, which will save you many dollars.

Cannot be Improved!

So MRS. F. E. BAKER, of Calverton, Tex.,

—SAYS OF—

AYER'S HAIR VIGOR



Having used Ayer's Hair Vigor for years, I find that it keeps my scalp clean and the hair in the best condition. My mother, now sixty years of age, has as fine a head of hair as when she was forty, a fact which she attributes to the use of Ayer's Hair Vigor. It thickens the growth of the hair and restores gray hair to its original color. I cannot see how this preparation could be improved."—Mrs. F. E. BAKER, Calverton, Texas.

Ayer's Hair Vigor PREPARED BY DR. J. C. AYER & CO., LOWELL, MASS.

Calico's 2c a yd., Saturday, April 27th, at The Model.

Mrs. Lucinda W. Antrim is spending a short time with a sick sister in Converse, Miami county. She was accompanied there by her son James F. Antrim, who returned on Friday of last week.

Red, blue and black calico worth 7c, opening price 5c at The Model.

Arthur Hopkins spent a few days at DeMotte this week.

High and cheaper grade bicycles for sale by W. E. Overton at Randle's Implement store.

Lawrence L. L. muslin 4c, opening week at The Model.

A social will be given by the Epworth League Friday evening at Capt. Wasson's. Everybody invited.

\$5.00 men's satin suit, opening price \$3.25, at The Model.

A number of our young people attended the Sunday School convention held at Remington Tuesday.

For nobby straw hats see The Model.

W. R. Brown, owner of the Heady Brown farm, has added both a new top buggy and a surrey to his home conveniences.

Model Store. See calico at 2c a yd., Saturday, April 27th.

The largest and most varied stock of farm implements carried in Jasper county is that of Warner & Son. The customer from a distance will not be disappointed in finding what he wants and at lower prices than other dealers are able to sell.

Carpets, carpets. The Model has the best line in Rensselaer.

Barney Kohloff has had a fine new surrey since last Saturday.

Cheniele curtains, beautiful line, at The Model.

Frank Iliff purchased a new \$80 top buggy this week.

Sweaters 25c, at The Model.

The Presbyterian ladies will give a social at M. L. Spittler's Friday evening, April 26th.

35c half wool cashmere, opening price 23c, at The Model.

M. D. Chipman returned from a week at Chicago on business last Monday.

Amoskeag check gingham, worth 7c, opening price 5c at The Model.

Mrs. Judd Hopkins of Chicago is visiting friends and relatives in this vicinity.

Children's suits, age 4 to 18, worth \$1.25, opening price 75c, at The Model.

ALLIANCE WORK.

Directory OF THE INDIANA FARMERS' ALLIANCE AND INDUSTRIAL UNION.

J. W. APPLE, President, Oaklandon.
THOS. G. DAY, 1st Vice-Pres., Corvett.
LOLA VINCENT, Sec'y-Treas., Indianapolis.
C. VINCENT, Lecturer-Organizer, Indianapolis.
EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE.
N. W. WESTER, Chairman, Cleora.
L. A. STEPHENS, Secretary, Anderson.
A. G. BURKHART, Treasurer, Tipton.

Time Card.

The Indiana State F. A. and I. U. will meet in annual session, the second Wednesday in Dec. 1895.

State Alliance

ments the third Wednesday in December, 1895.

Studies for April and May.

1. What is money?
2. What is its relation to wealth?
3. By whom should it be created?
4. Of what material should it be made?
5. How much money ought to be created and kept in existence in the country?
6. How can it be put in circulation and kept in circulation among the people?
7. How much should be paid for the use of money, and to whom should it be paid?
8. Should the law prevent speculation in money?
9. Should the law prevent the loaning of money by individuals or corporations?
10. What is a flexible currency?
11. What would be the best means for attaining a flexible currency?
12. Should banking be permitted by law except by government agencies?

The above studies for this and next month are taken from a small work used in the Colorado Alliance. This system in study is a good thing and we hope all sub-alliances will discuss these and other topics thoroughly.

The Farm Record, the official paper of the State Alliance, a 16-page monthly, price 50c a year, will be sent free to every subscriber of the People's Pilot who pays \$1.00 on account, past, present or future. This offer is made in place of any other premium offer.

The Aid Degree has paid over \$20,000 in death accident benefits from January 1, 1894, to February 1, 1895.

An Aid Degree lodge was formed in No. 3,127, Lafayette county, Missouri, last month. Still they come!

Another aid degree lodge was organized in No. 3,065, Lafayette county, Missouri, and a start made in No. 3,064.

A life insurance policy in the Alliance Aid is beyond the reach of the assessor or tax gatherer; the sheriff can never touch it, but at a cost of only about 1 per cent per annum (ranging from half of 1 per cent to 2 per cent) you add \$1,000 to your estate for the benefit of dear ones at the darkest hour they will ever see.

The March assessment of the National Alliance Aid is made to pay death losses as follows: Geo. W. Gust, Preston, Kan., \$2,000; James W. Cook, Warner, S. D., \$2,000; James T. Alexander, Augusta, Kan., \$1,000; George F. Covil, Aberdeen, S. D., \$2,000. The families of the above deceased brothers will be placed beyond the danger of immediate want by their foresight in taking a policy in the Aid Degree, and when it comes our turn to join them "over there" the brothers will do for our families what we now do for these.

The fraternal orders furnish the cheapest kind of life insurance in the world, and the farmers live longer than other classes, accordingly the death rate is lower than in other occupations—therefore, it naturally follows that life insurance furnished in our own order will be cheaper than in any other order—the cheapest in the world. The following counties in Indiana are now represented in the Aid Degree: Boone, DeKalb, Green, Hamilton, Henry, Madison, Marion and Tipton.

Next week we will give our readers the cost of life insurance in this order, which has established such an enviable record for careful management as shown by the low death rate, and which is controlled by the national executive committee of the Alliance. The members of the organization no longer need to look outside for safe insurance. Their own order ranks among the safest and cheapest in this country.

Forty Aid Degree Lodges of the Farmers' Alliance were formed in the first three months of this year with a charter membership of nearly 700. Jasper Co. has done well to make a start in this direction. C. Vincent, the State Lecturer and a director in the Degree Lodge, spent a few days in the county and established a lodge near Fair Oaks in Union township, with some of the most substantial and influential citizens of the county as charter members. Jas. Welsh and M. Y. Slaughter, well known in many counties as successful organizers will assist in introducing this new feature in Alliance work.

The profusion of beautiful hats at Mrs. Imes' from the deft hands of her expert trimmer is one reason why ladies crowd her counters. Another reason is that at no other place is there such a complete stock of up-to-date shapes, flowers and ornaments, and at prices no higher than elsewhere.

Henry Vincent, editor of the Chicago Searchlight-Age, came down upon the Pilot's helmsman Saturday evening and broke bread with him until Monday morning. Henry is one of the most forceful writers upon the reform press of America, and by the recent consolidation of his paper with the Age, a combination of the greatest value to the cause has been made. The firm is backed by sufficient capital to put the paper on a solid basis. The paper is a large 7-column 8 page sheet, and its price is \$1.00 per year. It at once takes first place in the field of reform papers.

Special Sale.

Look out for special sale on glassware beginning, Thursday, April 25th, continuing one week. Prices from 5c up. Emporium.

Positively we will not wrap up calico at 2c per yd except with other goods, Saturday, Apr. 27, sale day. Chicago Bargain Store.

Eastern Star Entertainment.

The annual reception of the Eastern Star given in the Masonic hall Friday evening, April 19th, was one rare event where all enjoyed themselves beyond expectation. About 200 were present. The invitations requested each guest to place in a little prepared sack as many cents as they were years old. This may have been the reason why a number of the reputedly young ladies were not present. A feature of the entertainment was the baby picture guessing contest, about all the guests bringing a "likeness" (?) that tradition attributed to them as the subject treated. The ladies served splendid ice cream and cake and at a highly respectable hour the mirthful company departed.

A Summer Resort at Home.

The proper way to enjoy life during the summer months is to resign the blistering cook stove to a condition of innocuous desuetude and purchase a gasoline stove of Warner & Son. They have the Monarch and Reliable, the two leading favorites; handsome, convenient, absolutely perfect in construction, and safer than coal or wood. Every stove guaranteed to give satisfaction. Prices within reach of any one.

"Blood to the Horses' Briddles."

Hon. Davis H. Waite, ex-governor of Colorado, who has caused the corporations and money changer more uneasiness than any man of the present time, has established a weekly reform paper at Denver, Colo. It is chock-full of good thoughts and terse sayings on living issues. It would be cheap at \$1.00 per annum, but the price is 50 cts. The governor is a broad, liberal thinker; he delves deeply and analyzes closely; he is such a forceful writer that even those who differ with him delight to read his paper. He closed one of his recent speeches with the following significant paragraph: "Our weapons are arguments and the ballot—a free ballot and a fair count. But if the money power shall attempt to sustain its usurpation by 'the strong hand,' we will meet that issue when it is forced upon us; for it is better, infinitely better, that blood should flow to the horses' bridle, rather than our national liberties should be destroyed." Every progressive thinker should send 50c to "Our Nation's Crisis," Denver, Colo. The paper will be given as a premium with every payment of \$2.00 to the People's Pilot on subscription account.