

PARTY'S ATTITUDE WILL BE DEFINED

Cannon Will Tell Thursday
How Republicans Stand on
Organized Labor.

TO BE RENOMINATED THEN

IT IS SAID THAT HE WILL ACCEPT
THE DEFI OF PRESIDENT GOM-
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LABOR.

[Publishers' Press]
Washington, Aug. 12.—The published announcement is made here that Speaker Cannon at the Illinois convention which will on Thursday renominate him for congress, will take advantage of the occasion to define his position and that of the Republican party toward organized labor.

It is further declared that the speaker will boldly accept the deft laid down by President Gompers of the American Federation of Labor and that he will keep to the fore in the congressional campaign the labor leaders charge that the speaker and republican leaders of the House have opposed labor's interests in passing upon legislation.

THE CHAMELEON.
It Has Two Complete and Independent Nervous Systems.

There are few instances of double birth in which two individuals are inseparably joined together, but among animals it is a common occurrence. A case in point is the chameleon, long famous for its power of changing color.

The nervous centers in one lateral half of the chameleon go on independently of those in the other. Notwithstanding the strictly symmetrical construction of the animal as to its two halves, they move quite independently of one another and convey separate impressions to their respective centers of perception. The consequence is that when the animal is agitated its movements resemble those of two animals, or, rather, perhaps, two halves of animals joined together. Each half wishes to go its own way, and there is no concordance of action.

The chameleon, moreover, may be fast asleep on one side and wide awake on the other. Cautiously approached at night with a candle so as not to awaken the whole animal at once, the eye turned toward the light will open and begin to move and the corresponding side to change color, whereas the other side will remain for a longer or shorter time in a torpid, motionless and unchanged state with its eye fast shut.

DIET DELUSIONS.

They Come Down to Us From the Old

Barbarous Tribes.
Some diet delusions are of most modern date, while others are of most respectable antiquity. Among the latter is that very ancient survival, the notion that particular foods are "good" for particular things or effects.

This is an almost direct descendant of the notion, held with greater or less unanimity by nearly all savage and barbarous tribes, that the flesh or viscera of birds and animals possessing particular qualities will be likely to produce the same qualities in those who eat them.

This Nero used to banquet on nightingales' tongues in the hope of improving his voice, and the savage cut out and devoured the heart of the bear, the liver of the buffalo, etc., believing that the strength and courage of these animals would thereby be transferred to himself.

It is probable that the most gruesome of ancestral rites—cannibalism—was largely due to the same belief, although, of course, in Neanderthal days primitive man would have no more hesitancy about eating his enemy after he had killed him than he would in devouring a bear or a deer.

In fact, the early converts of the missionaries in the South Sea islands referred to their favorite dish as "long pig." Every known race has at some time been cannibal.—McClure's Magazine.

A Viper and a Bottle.
Oscar Tristram, the distinguished English ornithologist, who died recently, kept among his treasures an ordinary soda water bottle that once served him in good stead, according to the Buffalo Commercial. Once on his travels he asked upon what he thought was a hard in the sand, but which proved to be a deadly horned viper. His Greek hostess, scared almost to death, offered no assistance. Suddenly spying an empty soda water bottle, the canon, with great presence of mind, forced the head of the reptile down the neck and slowly uncoiled the remainder of its anatomy from his hand.

....Local Sporting News General..

FAIRVIEW LOST TO NEW LISBON

With a Crippled Team, the
Richmond Boys Were No
Match for Farmer Lads.

MADE LIGHTNING FINISH

UP UNTIL THE EIGHTH INNING
THE SCORE WAS A TIE AND
THEN THE LOCALS RODE THE
BALLOONS.

Without the services of four regular players, the Fairview team was no match for New Lisbon yesterday afternoon, losing the game by a score of 11 to 4. The local aggregation had a patched up lineup. Blair could not pitch, Engelbert, the catcher was sick, Schmitt, third baseman had gone to Milwaukee with the Eagles.

Even at that it looked as if the Fairviews might win up until the eighth inning when, New Lisbon took a batting rally, aided by errors which gave them five runs. Two more in the ninth made the score one sided. Next Sunday Fairview will play the Muldoons of Cincinnati, perhaps the best team that has been scheduled here this year. Justice will probably cover second for Fairview and the other regulars will be in the game.

The score yesterday:
R. H. E.
N. Lis. 10 1 0 0 0 3 0 5 2—11 10 3
Fair. 4 0 0 1 1 2 0 0 0—4 7 6
Batteries—Schmitt and Paul; Wilcox and Miller.

GIANTS AGAIN WINNERS

Defeated the East Germantown, Ohio
Team Yesterday, Winning Out
in the Last Inning.

The Giants defeated the fast Germantown, Ohio team at the Athletic Park yesterday afternoon by a score of 6 to 5. The score was a tie in the ninth inning when the Giants came to bat and they batted in the winning tally.

NATIONALS LOST GAME

Close Contest Fell to Cambridge City
Team by a Score of 10 to 9—
Play Next Sunday.

The Nationals lost to Cambridge City by a score of 10 to 9 in a ten inning game Sunday afternoon. The Nationals will cross bats with Cambridge again next Sunday.

THE FATE OF CITIES.

Some ancient cities have disappeared. The archaeologist digs through the sands of the desert, the accumulations of vegetable mold and the debris of human habitation in a search for the palaces of great kings, the markets of wealthy traders and the homes of a once numerous people. The massacres of ancient warfare may explain some of these dead and buried cities. The inability of people in early history to deal with the sanitary problems of a congested population may have been a contributing cause to their destruction. Cities may have died because their people could not live. But in most cases a change in the routes of commerce will be found to have diverted the stream of nourishment from a city and left it to die of starvation. Yet the Eternal City and Athens, Byzantium, Jerusalem, Antioch and Damascus illustrate the tenacity of municipal vitality, even though a long succession of centuries brings great changes in the methods and subjects and courses of traffic.—Philadelphia Record.

Herbert Spencer.
A queer instance of the working of Herbert Spencer's mind is mentioned by the two sisters in whose household he lived. He came to the table one day absorbed in thinking about some photographs of the nebulae he had just received.

"As he rose from his chair he stood for a minute gazing with gleaming eyes into the distance, and then muttered in a disjointed fashion, as if half to himself, words to this effect: 'Thirty millions of suns, each—nearly having its own system, and supposing them each to be the size of a pin's head they are fifty miles apart! What does it all mean? And then, without a pause and only a change of voice, 'The dust still comes out of that cushion, you know,' as with a wave of his small, thin hand toward it he passed rapidly out of the room, leaving us both bewildered by the quickness with which his mind worked."

A Heavy Sample.
Sometimes the rigors of patent office procedure are not without their humorous side. A New York attorney filed an application for improvements in a centrifugal pump. The patent office declared the invention inoperative and demanded a working model. The patent office was requested to send an examiner to Trenton to inspect the machine in actual operation. This the patent office refused to do. The attorney, therefore, politely sent a seven ton pump to the patent office. It, moreover, from Trenton to satisfy a skeptical examiner. Twenty-one men were required to get it into the examiner's office.—Scientific American.

Results Yesterday.

AMERICAN LEAGUE.
Chicago 3; New York 0.
St. Louis 7; Philadelphia 4.

AMERICAN ASSOCIATION.

Toledo 4; Kansas City 3. (First game.)
Kansas City 2; Toledo 1. (Second game.)
Milwaukee 6; Columbus 4. (First game.)
Columbus 10; Milwaukee 4. (Second game.)

NATIONAL LEAGUE

NATIONAL LEAGUE STANDING.

Team	Won	Lost	Pct.
Chicago	39	21	.711
New York	35	25	.647
Pittsburgh	33	27	.630
Philadelphia	28	32	.554
Cincinnati	25	35	.500
Brooklyn	21	39	.438
St. Louis	19	41	.438
Boston	16	44	.364
Columbus	10	50	.200

No games scheduled yesterday.

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Team	Won	Lost	Pct.
Columbus	22	14	.621
Milwaukee	20	16	.561
Toledo	19	17	.524
Minneapolis	16	20	.469
Louisville	15	21	.438
Kansas City	14	22	.400
St. Paul	13	23	.383
Indianapolis	10	26	.333

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Toledo, O., Aug. 12.—First game, (16 innings.)

R. H. E.
Toledo. 4 0 0 1 1 0 0 0—4 10 3
Kansas City. 3 0 0 0 0 0 0 0—3 8 2
Batteries—Minahan, Suthoff and Abbot; Durham and Leahy.

Second Game.

R. H. E.
Toledo. 1 0 0 0 1 1 1 0 0—1 3 2
Kansas City. 2 0 0 0 0 0 0 0—2 5 1
Batteries—Suthoff and Abbot; Swann and Sullivan.

AT COLUMBUS.

First game, (11 innings.)

R. H. E.
Columbus. 4 0 0 0 0 0 0 0—4 3 3
Milwaukee. 6 0 0 0 0 0 0 0—6 11 5
Batteries—Robertalle and Mac; Oberlin and Roth.

Second game.

R. H. E.
Columbus. 10 15 1
Milwaukee. 4 11 3
Batteries—Flaherty and Ryan; Hynes, Sage and Roth.

SHORT STORIES.

The Canadian wheatfields are the largest in the world, being 300 by 900 miles.

The president of Mexico is elected for four years, and there is no restriction upon his reelection.

Postmaster General Cortelyou promises by July 1 postal notes for 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9 and 10 cents, and so on graded by 5 and 10 cents up to \$1.

The butterflick from the West Park (Me) creamery is thrown into a brook, and it is said that the trout in the brook thrive on it. The fish taken from the stream in the vicinity are remarkably fat.

About twenty to twenty-five years ago the United States was the principal foreign contributor to the cheese supply of Great Britain, but Canada has since outstripped this country as an exporter of cheese.

Reports from the United States Naval academy at Annapolis indicate that the midshipmen have abandoned hazing and propose loyalty to obey the academic regulations. A new edition of these is in preparation by a board. They will include the new law relating to hazing.

PLAYS AND PLAYERS.

The success of "Brown of Harvard," her first play, has been instrumental in securing for Rida Johnson Young a contract to write a comedy for James K. Hackett.

De Wolf Hopper, who has presented "Happyland" this season both at the Lyric and at the Casino theaters, in New York, has returned to the Majestic for a third metropolitan engagement.

Jefferson De Angellis was named after Joseph Jefferson. He was practically born and bred on the stage, his people having been famous in the early seventies as the De Angellis family of acrobats.

W. L. Thompson has achieved a success in "Money Talks." Mr. Thompson's role is that of a wealthy westerner who has been brought to believe that greenbacks will buy anything in the world.

Nellie McCoy, who continues to appear in "The Earl and the Girl," has been immortalized in a song entitled "Coy Nellie McCoy." The words of the ballad are by Arthur Sherman and the music by H. A. Hardy.

The Creation.
The orthodox Hebrews date from the creation, which event they place in the year B. C. 3760.

The Rose of Jericho.
The resurrection of Jericho is also called the resurrection plant from the fact that, after being apparently dead and dried, it may be revived and made to bloom by placing it in a bowl of water.

WHITE SOX STEP INTO FIRST PLACE

Ed. Walsh, the Erratic, Pitch-
es Another Winner Over
the Highlanders.

WAS A GREAT CONTEST

ST. LOUIS DOWNED THE PHILA-
DELPHIA ATHLETICS WHICH
BOOSTED CHICAGO TO PLACE
SHE HAS BEEN FAST HUNTING.

AMERICAN LEAGUE STANDING.

Team	Won	Lost	Pct.
Chicago	31	13	.587
Philadelphia	29	15	.584
New York	27	17	.582
Cleveland	24	20	.557
St. Louis	22	22	.500
Detroit	19	25	.435
Washington	13	31	.395
Boston	9	35	.291

[Publishers' Press]

Chicago, Aug. 12.—The Chicago White Sox moved into first place in the American League pennant race today by beating the New York's 3 to 0 while St. Louis downed the Athletics. Ed Walsh did the pitching for the Sox and was effective all the way, while the Sox bunched hits with base on balls in the fourth and scored twice. In the next frame they hit the ball twice again which with Chase's error let in the other count. Score:

Chi. 0 0 0 2 1 0 0 0—3 8 0
N. Y. 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0—0 9 1
Batteries—Walsh and Sullivan; Orth and Kleinow.

THREE STRAIGHT VICTORIES.

St. Louis, Mo., Aug. 12.—The local team won its third straight game from the Philadelphia Athletics today forcing the Athletics from first position in the pennant race. Score: St. L. 4 0 0 1 1 1 0 0—7 12 2
Phila. 0 0 0 2 0 0 0 0—4 7 3
Batteries—Glade, O'Connor and Spencer; Bender and Schreck.

EASTERN LEAGUE IS FAST

Boston Nationals Lower Colors to
Providence by Score of 4 to 1
at Rocky Point.

[Publishers' Press]

Providence, Aug. 12.—The Providence Eastern Leaguers won a listless game from the Boston Nationals at Rocky Point today. Score: Prov. 1 0 0 0 0 1 0 2—4 9 2
Bos. 0 0 0 1 0 0 0 0—1 7 2
Batteries—Cronin and Christ; Johnson and Needham.

BLEAK SHETLAND.

Up a little lane off Lerwick's one street there is a garden. At least, it is an inclosed space. In the middle of this space there is a tree. It is not a very tall tree; you could, in fact, toss a biscuit over its branches, but still it is a tree—the only tree in Shetland.

And Shetland is proud of it. Children who are brought for the first time to see the wonders of one street Lerwick are shown this tree. This is not fiction. It is the only tree in Shetland. As there are no trees in Shetland, there are no birds, except, of course, the sea gulls, which you can number by the thousand. The sea gulls are the sparrows of Lerwick, and, as such, they have a greater share in the town's life than have the sparrows of London.

In the morning time you will note that a sea gull sits on every chimney pot. Sea gulls swoop and hover over every roof in the town.

The air is full of their strange, high, plaintive, haunting cries. Their sad, shrill, long drawn cries are to Lerwick as the chattering of sparrows or the cawing of rooks are to us in England. Every house has its own familiar sea gulls and every street its own band of sea gulls. They never mix. The children in each house have a pet name for their own particular sea gulls, and, having called them to them by those names, they feed them every day.

Each sea gull knows what is meant for him. No sea gull attached to one house ever seeks to eat the food scattered from the house next door. He does not dare; the other gulls would kill him. So all day long the sea gulls hover and call over the roofs of Lerwick. The people of the town, if they come across a little pile of rice laid upon the road way, step over it with care. They know that it is placed there for some sea gull. And at night the sea gulls leave their own appointed chimney pots and fly gracefully away to their resting places on the rocks of the Isle of Noss.—London Express.

That Would Help.
"I think it's a very good portrait of me," said Mr. Planeman. "Don't you think it would be nice to have it enlarged?"

"Yes, dear," replied his wife, "if you could only have the mouth and ears reduced at the same time."—American Spectator.

Effective Weapons.
During the sieges of medieval times it was very common for the besiegers to throw from their catapults and other military engines dead bodies of dogs, swine, together with pieces of horse-flesh and similar carrion, into the city or castle besieged, in order that the defenders might, by the stench of this putridity, be forced to a surrender.

GOWN GOSSIP.
Real lace veils, black and white, are very much admired. A few colored lace veils are seen, brown being popular.

Large chiffon veils continue to be worn, usually with a mesh face veil beneath. White, champagne, gray, red, brown and black are favorite colors.

Tucks are favorite skirt decorations. In groups of three or more they trim a great many gowns in soft materials and also many tub gowns. Lace insets, shaped and trimmed bouffants, ruffles and other trimmings are allowed.

KENTUCKY DRY AS SAHARA YESTERDAY

Wave of Reform Sweeping
Over State Caused the
Closing of Saloons.

ALL SPORTS UNDER BAN

POLICE IN LOUISVILLE STOPPED
AMERICAN ASSOCIATION BASE
BALL GAME UNDER THREAT OF
MAKING ARRESTS.

[Publishers' Press]
Louisville, Ky., Aug. 12.—The wave of moral reform that has recently passed over Kentucky, culminated today in the enforcement of nearly all of the existing Sunday closing laws, and as a result, nearly every part of the state was actually "dry," dry as Sahara, and many persons who had never been compelled to deny themselves anything, were forced to quench their thirst with water from the well or city pipe.

And as if that were not enough all sports were also under the ban. The game in the American Association between the Louisville and St. Paul teams was stopped by an order of the police, who stated that if any attempt was made to play, all concerned would be locked up.

Even the hotels declined to serve drinks to guests and on the whole, Sunday, August 12, was a day pleasing to the reformer.

BRITISH BRIEFS.

For every 4 shillings spent in Britain on drink only a halfpenny is expended on education.

The English agricultural laborer gets 18s. 3d. a week against 10s. 3d. in Scotland and an average of 10s. 11d. in Ireland.

Ireland's high water mark in population was reached in 1841. She had then 8,175,124 people. She has now fewer than 4,500,000.

Gibraltar is the smallest British possession. It measures less than two square miles. Canada is the biggest, with 3,746,000 square miles.

Owing to the large profits accruing from the various municipal undertakings at Bolton, England, for last year, the corporation has been able to hand over in relief of the taxes the sum of \$217,500.

In London the other day an Australian postage stamp, the fourpenny blue, with the swan inverted, was offered at auction and was withdrawn when \$2,000 had been offered. Only nine specimens are known to exist. One was sold a short time ago for \$2,000.

SHORT STORIES.

The first instance of collaboration in English literature was that of the plays by Beaumont and Fletcher.

Astronomers are the longest lived of any class, not even excepting clergy. Thirteen of the great astronomers have been over ninety at their death and thirty-two over eighty.

In Rockland, Me., the other day a shipment of live lobsters was made to Seattle, Wash., which is believed to be the longest distance thus far for a consignment of that kind.

"This town," says the Washington (Kan.) Republican-Register, "has a young man who pawned his watch to obtain money for a bath. We contend that this is a claim for distinction possessed by no other town on earth."

One of the curious customs in congress is to furnish free lemonade for senators, while representatives must pay for the same luxury. The latter are beginning to grumble at what they call discrimination. No one seems to understand why the distinction is made.

THE STATELY ELM.

It rivals the oak.
It is always stately.
It is charmingly graceful.
It makes a delightful avenue.
Its growth suggests a playing fountain.

It requires a goodly amount of moisture.
Its wood is hard, heavy and coarsely grained.

It should be away from the shade of other trees.
Its bark is ashy gray and what is known as flaky.

Its lovely oval, alternate leaves are pliantly pointed and double serrate.

It grows all the way from Newfoundland to Florida and then onward to the distant Lone Star State.

The elm of old England was planted in New England by a wheelwright who found it superior for the hubs of his wheels.

Consideration.
"Why is a girl always supposed to give a side glance and look down when she is being proposed to?" said the young man with romantic tendencies.

"Probably," answered Miss Cayenne, "she does that to avoid looking the man in the face for fear of laughing."

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