

ENEMY'S COUNTRY WILL NOT ESCAPE

Hitchcock and His Republican
Hosts to Invade the
South.

PLANS A MONSTER MEETING

WILL MEET ALL REPUBLICAN
LEADERS SOUTH OF MASON
AND DIXON'S LINE TO PLAN
FIGHT ON DEMOCRATS.

New York, Aug. 1.—Plans for invading the "enemy's country" were made by Chairman Frank H. Hitchcock today, on the occasion of the formal opening of the republican national headquarters in the Metropolitan Life building's tower.

E. C. Duncan, member of the committee from North Carolina, was one of Mr. Hitchcock's first visitors and they discussed the scheme of campaign to be applied in the southern states. As soon as Mr. Hitchcock gets settled in his new quarters and the machine is running easily he will call a meeting of the republican leaders of the south. At this meeting plans will be formulated for making a vigorous campaign south of Mason and Dixon's line.

"We do not say that we will break into the solid south materially," said Mr. Duncan, "but we do believe things have been changed materially. In one or two southern states at least the dissatisfaction with the democratic ticket and platform has risen almost to the point of revolt. If we can not win these states this fall we can, at least pave the way for victory four years later. And there is a chance that Georgia and one or two other states may at least divide electoral representation with the republicans."

CONVICT HAS PROXY

Another Man Named to Make
Race for Labor-Social-
ist Candidate.

QUEER THEORY IN CASE.

New York, Aug. 1.—M. R. Preston, who is serving a term in Nevada for murder, has notified the socialist labor party leaders in this city that he will not permit his name to be used as a candidate for president. This party recently nominated Preston at its national convention. Today a new name was placed on the ticket, which reads: "For president—August Gillhaus, Engineer, New York, as proxy for Preston." In explanation of the "as proxy for Preston" clause, the party tried to give an explanation by saying that in the event of the election of Gillhaus, Preston would still be the one who would direct the affairs of the nation, Gillhaus being merely the go-between; that Preston would choose the cabinet and Gillhaus would obey the murderer's instructions.

REPAIRS MADE ON COURT HOUSE

Many Office Holders Will Now
Be Content.

During the past week repairs have been made about the court house that are expected to be welcomed by the occupants of the offices located on the west side of the building. The strong winds and heavy winds of the last sixteen years have beaten with such force from the west that the cement used about the window casings had disintegrated. It kept falling away until fissures a quarter of an inch wide showed about nearly every casing. These have been filled with a plastic cement preparation.

Some of the windows in the clerk's office have been out of condition for years. The weights would not operate over the pulleys properly and it has been impossible to raise or lower the shades. Occupants of this office have suffered from the cold in the winter, when other portions of the building were heated satisfactorily.

DOGS ONLY MOURNERS OVER THEIR MASTER

Their Howlings Attracted the
Neighbors to Dead Hunter.

St. Louis, Mo., Aug. 1.—For twelve hours after William Adams, 50 years old, hunter, trapper, and guide, died alone in his little cabin at Upper Alton, three dogs which had been his constant companions were his only mourners. The dogs were the first to discover that their master was dead. By howling their grief they attracted the attention of neighbors.

CLARENCE: Don't try to make angel food unless you use Gold Medal Flour.
SELINDA:

WHO WILL WIN?

NATIONAL LEAGUE.			
	Won	Lost	Pct.
Pittsburgh	57	36	.613
Chicago	55	37	.598
New York	54	37	.593
Philadelphia	48	40	.546
Cincinnati	48	47	.505
Boston	41	53	.436
Brooklyn	33	57	.367
St. Louis	31	61	.337

AMERICAN LEAGUE.			
	Won	Lost	Pct.
Detroit	58	35	.624
St. Louis	56	39	.589
Chicago	52	42	.553
Cleveland	50	43	.538
Philadelphia	45	46	.495
Boston	43	51	.457
Washington	36	55	.396
New York	32	61	.344

AMERICAN ASSOCIATION.			
	Won	Lost	Pct.
Louisville	63	44	.588
Indianapolis	64	45	.587
Columbus	60	47	.560
Toledo	57	47	.548
Minneapolis	54	52	.509
Kansas City	50	57	.467
Milwaukee	48	60	.444
St. Paul	31	75	.292

RESULTS YESTERDAY.

National League.			
Pittsburgh, 5; Brooklyn 2.			
Philadelphia, 6; Cincinnati 0.			
Boston, 14; Chicago, 0.			
New York, 6; St. Louis 1.			
American League.			
Detroit, 3; Boston, 0.			
Washington, 5; Chicago, 3.			
Cleveland, 4; New York, 3.			
Philadelphia, 4; St. Louis, 3.			
American Association.			
Louisville, 13; Milwaukee, 1.			
Columbus, 10; St. Paul, 1.			
Kansas City, 2; Indianapolis, 1.			
Toledo, 3; Minneapolis, 2.			

GIANTS TO PLAY PIQUA TEAM TODAY

Will Meet at the Athletic
Park.

The reorganized Giants have a fast game scheduled with the crack Piqua baseball team at the Athletic park this afternoon. The Buckeyes come with quite a reputation and have won many victories, so that the Giants will have to work all the time to win. The local team has been reorganized and is even stronger than when it disbanded several years ago.

The line-up for today's game will be as follows:

Richmond	Position	Piqua
Mitchell	C.	Rotschell
Benson	P.	J. Clemens
Deviney	1b.	Moss
Tate	2b.	Rockwell
Seins	3b.	Stain
Jones	ss.	Green
Shank	rf.	Ryan
Patterson	lf.	Vicks
Crane	cf.	Jackson

FIRE AND AIR.

The Ancients Recognized the Intimate Relations Between Them.

The intimate relation between fire and air was early recognized, seeing that experience soon taught that air was necessary for fire. The experiment of burning a candle in a closed vessel, now so familiar to every school-boy, is a very old one, and the influence of a blast of air on a furnace had been probably noticed from a very remote period. By some it was affirmed to be the food of fire, while by others the same belief was embodied in the phrase, "Air nourishes fire."

Again, it was long ago observed that niter, a substance well known to the chemical philosophers of the past, could produce intense ignition. It was hence inferred that, since niter possessed this property, it necessarily followed that the two substances resembled each other in composition. According to Robert Boyle, the air contained "volatile niter," while Lord Bacon held that air contained a "volatile, crude and windy spirit," and thunder and lightning were supposed to be due to the presence of minute particles of this niter diffused through air.

The important bearing of such observations is due to the fact that oxygen gas, which is one of the chief constituents of air and the one to which it owes its power of supporting combustion, also forms the largest elementary constituent of niter and is likewise the source of the power possessed by that body of supporting combustion.

The action of heat on metals in causing them to lose their metallic luster had also not escaped notice, and Cardan, a philosopher who lived during the sixteenth century, in noticing the increase in weight that lead undergoes when heated in air, attributed it to the gas in the air, which feeds flame and which rekindles a body presenting an ignited point.

A Cautious Scot.

A Scotsman went to an English race meeting and boldly staked a sovereign. Strangely enough, the horse he backed proved a winner, and he went to the "bookie" to claim his winnings. The sporting man begrudgingly handed him 5 sovereigns. He looked at each one very carefully before placing it in his pocketbook. "Well," said the "bookie," with a snarl, "are you afraid they're bad?"

"Oh, no," said the Scotsman, "but I was just lookin' to mak' sure the bad yin I gie'd ye wisna among them!"

TRUEBLOOD WINS THE NUSBAUM CUP

Finals in Golf Tournament
Played Saturday.

In the finals of the golf tournament held yesterday afternoon at the Country club for the Nusbaum was won by Prof. Edwin P. Trueblood, by the score 9 up and 8 to go. In the total of 36 holes he made the stroke of 78. He defeated Prof. Chase, who had a handicap of two. Mr. Trueblood wins the Nusbaum cup for this year.

In the consolation Dr. Bond defeated Wickham Corwin in a close contest by the score of 3 up and 2 to go. Bond won the consolation cup, which is nearly as beautiful as the first prize cup.

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COST OF BAD WATER

Figures Now Being Prepared,
Showing Awful Onslaughts
In the City.

Chicago, Aug. 1.—The cost in lives and money of the contamination of a city's drinking water, a subject in which this city has shown a \$50,000,000 interest by reversing the flow of the Chicago river soon will be fixed. Figures secured by the American Medical association, whose headquarters are here, show how enormous the total for all the United States must be. Columbus, Ohio, which had 748 cases of typhoid last April has been taken as an example, medical statisticians of the association adding that the death rate from typhoid is 10 per cent, that courts have held that \$10,000 is a fair estimate of the minimum value of a human life, that \$50 per case was the average of doctor's bills and \$125 the average cost of funerals, therefore Columbus paid about \$200,000 in April for the privilege of drinking water contaminated with sewage.

"Two and a half million a year is rather a high price for one city to pay for bad water; it would be cheaper to get pure water no matter how much it costs," was the medical expert's comment. Beside the loss of 75 lives, the money expenses which the medical association is seeking to lessen are itemized thus in the illustration used: Seventy-five deaths \$ 75,000 Loss in earnings 26,928 Funeral expenses 9,375 Medical services 37,400 Nursing 44,800

Total \$193,503 That, when our forefathers came to this country and found it well supplied with streams, rivers and lakes of pure and uncontaminated water, instead of valuing this natural resource they made every possible effort to contaminate it by emptying into every river and lake the sewage and filth of cities and towns, explains why we now drink this mixture and wonder why we have typhoid fever.

Roses in the Snow.

It seems almost impossible that there should be a plant that flowers naturally outdoors in the depth of winter. But it is a fact. The Christmas rose answers this description. From the end of October until February its white flowers (about three inches across) may be gathered at almost any time, and even when the ground is covered with snow the Christmas rose is producing its flowers. We don't often see them in December and January because we never think of brushing off the snow to look at the plant that is growing underneath. The flowers are of a dazzling whiteness when young, but become faintly tinged with pink after about a week.—Country Life in America.

The Preparation.

William O'Brien in his "Recollections" tells this story of Dr. Coke, the archbishop of Cashel: "Once on one of his examinations of the children for confirmation the archbishop put to a little girl the question from the catechism, 'What is the preparation for matrimony?' The little one blushed and giggled and put the corner of her bib in her mouth by way of answer. The question was repeated. 'Oh, sure, your lordship knows it yourself,' was the timid reply. 'Yes, but you must tell me, my child. What is the preparation for matrimony?' 'Well, my lord, a little courting, of course,' at last came the reluctant answer from amid a rosy of blushes."

Declining a Present.

Sir Henry Irving made it a rule not to accept presents from strangers and was often hard pressed for sufficient excuses for declining. During the Russo-Japanese war a wealthy admirer of the great actor approached him with:

"Pardon me, Sir Henry, but I want to give you a present."

"What is it?" asked the actor.

"A Russian wolfhound."

"Awfully sorry I can't accept it," replied Sir Henry. "But I'm a lover of peace, and I have a Japanese valet."

The Instinct.

All our progress is an unfolding like the vegetable bud. You have first an instinct, then an opinion, then a knowledge. As the plant has root, bud and fruit. Trust the instinct to the end, though you can render no reason.—Emerson.

Misunderstood.

He—I have a sweet little home in which I would like to install you as its mistress. She—Indeed, sir, I'll go into no home on the installment plan.—Baltimore American.

KIBBEYS WIN BOTH

Starr Piano Team Given a
Trousing by Haberdashers, Saturday.

EASTHAVEN BREAKS EVEN.

In the city base ball league Saturday afternoon the Kibbeys took a little of the pep out of the Starr piano team by winning a double header by the score of 7 to 5 in the first game, 1 to 0 in the second game. Both games were hard fought. The pitching of Bulla was great and never did he let the piano boys rap him hard. Snaveley took care of the receiving end with great skill. The haberdashers played the best they have played for some time. Summary of the games follows:

Kibbeys 6 1 0 0 0 0 0 0—7
Starr Piano 0 0 1 0 0 0 0 3—5
Batteries—Kibbeys, Bulla and Snaveley; Starrs, T. Kuhlbeck and Sullivan.

Second Game.

Kibbeys 0 0 0 1 0 0 0 1—1
Starrs 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0—0
Batteries—Bulla and Snaveley; J. Kuhlbeck and Roe.

Others Break Even.

Hoosiers and Easthaven evened matters up in the double header, each taking one game. The west siders claimed that the figure 13 in the first game which was ended, the score standing 13 to 5, was their undoing.

In the second game the Hoosiers boys played furrows into their enemy's flanks and won by the score of 11 to 1.

CONVICT OF MYSTERY

Iowa Has Man Who Is Great
Writer and Who Magazine
Editors Desire.

HE WILL ASK A PARDON.

Des Moines, Ia., Aug. 1.—Leonard W. Haley, No. 2656, sent up for life by the Iowa courts, for murder fourteen years ago, who has since his imprisonment written such beautiful poems and stories as to lead many to believe he is an author of note, under an alias, is seeking a pardon from the Iowa legislature.

If successful he will at once join the staff of a Chicago magazine. Haley has been offered many positions by magazine publishers, who accepted his writings gladly.

Four years ago 2656 tried for a pardon. He was assisted by a Chicago editor, who wrote letters in his behalf and sought to obtain a parole, so that he might put Haley on his staff. The effort failed. When the legislature meets next winter Haley will present his case again.

As editor of the Prison Press, 2656 has won a place in Iowa newspaper work. When the legislature ordered all lifers sent to Fort Madison and those imprisoned at Anamosa transferred to that place Haley was permitted to remain at Anamosa. Now the state has decreed that he must join the life convicts at Fort Madison and give up his editorial work.

He feels the loss keenly. And it is this that determined him to make another effort for liberty.

Iowa's "convict of mystery," that is what Haley is called. No one believes that his name is Haley. He denies that he committed the murder at Dubuque in 1894 of which he was convicted.

Haley's poems on love and happiness are pronounced remarkable. He has written essays, stories, and criticisms that show his talent.

A MIRACLE OF NATURE.

The Wonderful Growth of the Antlers of the Wapiti.

Wapiti antler growth is one of the miracles of nature that we never cease to consider a miracle. About the end of winter—that is in mid-March—the antlers of the year before break off flush with their base an inch or more above the skull. Usually they are found close together, showing that they fell nearly at the same time.

At first the place of each antler is a broad raw spot. In a few days it shows a thick rounded pad or blood gorged skin. This swells rapidly, and in a fortnight the great bulbous fuzzy horn beginning has shot up to a height of several inches. At exactly the right time, place and in just the right direction a bump comes forth to be the foundation of the brow time. In a few more days the bezel is projected by the invisible architect. In a month the structure is nearly a foot high and all enveloped in a turgid mass of feverish, throbbing blood vessels—the scaffolding and workmen of this surprising structure. Night and day the work is pushed with astounding speed, and in four months this skyscraper is finished, a wonderful structure indeed, for a score of nature's forces have toiled, a myriad of invisible workmen have done their part, and an edifice that, according to ordinary rules, should have taken a lifetime is here rushed through in a summer and all in absolute silence.

August sees the building done, but it is still cluttered with scaffolding. The supplies of blood at the base are reduced and finally discontinued. The antler is no longer in vital touch with the animal. It begins to die. The sensitiveness leaves each part, the velvet covering soon dies, cracks and peels, and the stag assists the process of clearing off the skin by scraping his horns on the brushwood. September sees him fully armed in his spears of dead bone, strong in body, glorying in his weapons and his strength and ready to battle with all comers.—Ernest Thompson Seton in Scribner's

PROGRAM IS READY

Many Interesting Speakers to
Attend U. B. Conference.

EVENT WILL BE A SUCCESS.

The Whitewater conference of the U. B. church to be held on the West side under the auspices of the United Brethren church, will commence August 12 and continue to the 16th. A large number of prominent speakers are on the program. The church expects to have one of the biggest events they have ever had in Richmond.

Tuesday.
Evening Service.
Song service—Rev. E. H. Pontius, musical director.
Sermon—H. W. Robbins, Gwynneville, Indiana.

Wednesday.
Morning Session.
Formal opening of the conference.
Address—Bishop G. M. Mathews, D. D.

Organization and regular business.
Reports of presiding elders:
M. P. Dawson, Indianapolis district.
H. S. James, Marion district.
Adjournment.

Afternoon Session.
Evangelism—Rev. J. E. Shannon.
Regular business.
Report on church erection—Rev. N. P. France.
Address—H. S. Gabel, D. D., general secretary.

Evening Service.
Song service.
Sermon—Rev. Alonzo Myer, Pendleton, Indiana.
Communion service.

Thursday.
Morning Session.
Bible reading—Bishop G. M. Mathews, D. D.
Regular business.
Reports of pastors.
Adjournment.

Afternoon Session.
Evangelism—Rev. J. E. Shannon.
Conference business.
Report of Home Missions—Rev. J. E. Shannon.

Address—Rev. C. Whitney, D. D., general secretary.
Report on publishing interests—Rev. F. H. Lneville.
Address—Rev. W. R. Funk, D. D.
Adjournment.

Evening Service.
Song service. Platform meeting theme, "Brotherhood."
Why a Brotherhood?—Rev. S. L. Postlethwait.

Responsibility of the Brotherhood—Rev. J. G. Huber, D. D.
Friday.
Morning Session.
Bible Reading—Bishop G. M. Mathews, D. D.

Conference business.
Report on Foreign Missions—Rev. L. O. Blake.
Address—Rev. S. S. Hough, D. D., general secretary.

Greetings from White River branch, W. M. A.
Adjournment.

Afternoon Session.
Evangelism—Rev. J. E. Shannon.
Conference business.
Report on Education—Rev. E. E. Swords.

Addresses.
Report on Sabbath schools—Rev. H. T. B. Walker.
Addresses.

Evening Service.
Song service.
Sermon—Rev. J. P. Landis, D. D., Dayton, Ohio.

Saturday.
Morning Session.
Bible reading—Bishop G. M. Mathews, D. D.

Conference business.
Report on Y. P. C. U.—Rev. W. L. Waldo.
Address—Rev. H. F. Shupe, D. D., general secretary.

Report on temperance—Rev. M. R. Myer.
Report on the Home—Rev. W. H. Shephard.

Afternoon Session.
Evangelism—Rev. J. E. Shannon.
Business.
Memorial services.
Address in memory of Rev. L. W. Crawford.

Address in memory of Rev. Mrs. S. A. Robbins.
Report on Bible Cause—Rev. John Selig.
Report on resolutions—Rev. G. E. Swartz.

Adjournment.
Evening Service.
Song service.
Address on temperance—E. S. Shumaker, State Supt., Indianapolis, Ind.

Sunday.
Afternoon Service.
Conference Love Feast—Rev. R. W. Harlow.
Conference sermon—Bishop G. M. Mathews, D. D.

Afternoon Session.
Service at Glen Miller park, in Chautauqua tent.
Sermon—Rev. W. R. Funk, D. D., Dayton, Ohio.

Evening Service.
Song service.
Sermon—Rev. L. O. Blake, Marion, Indiana.

TOBACCO A DECORATION.

Paris, Aug. 1.—Every citizen in France is allowed to grow in his garden, for decorative purposes, two tobacco plants. If he grows more than that he must declare his intention, obtain a license, and register the number of plants he wishes to cultivate. When grown, the only purchaser to whom he may sell his stock is the government, which fixes the price to be paid.

TREASURY: Gold Medal Flour makes perfect bread.
ROWENA.

PALLADIUM WANT ADS. PAY

WILL ASK SYNOD FOR SUM OF \$35,000

Good Chance of Appropriation
To Wernle Home.

Rev. A. J. Feeger will leave August 12 for Green Bay, Wisconsin, where he will take a two weeks vacation. While there he will attend the general Lutheran synod meetings at Appleton, Wis., where he will try to get \$35,000 to be used for a new building at the home south of Richmond. Six thousand dollars has been secured and Rev. Feeger stated last evening that he did not think that there was the least doubt but that the appropriation desired will be set aside for the erection of a much needed dormitory for the children of the home. The accommodations at the home have been poor for some time.

BEGINS HIS DUTIES ABOUT SEPTEMBER 1

New Wernle Superintendent
Comes Then.

Rev. F. W. Gahre, who has accepted the position as superintendent of Wernle Orphan Home, is expected to arrive and assume his duties here about the first or middle of September. He accepted the position with the provision that a successor be secured to fill the pulpit at Glenville, Iowa. He will come to Richmond most highly recommended and it is believed that affairs will be run on a better plan than they have been heretofore.

TRAIN MAY NOT STOP.

Change Contemplated in C. C. & L.
Service.

Train No. 5 on the C. C. & L. may be made a through train from Peru to Cincinnati instead of stopping at Richmond. At a meeting of the passenger agents from Cincinnati, Richmond, Muncie, Marion, Peru, which was held at Chicago last week with the general superintendent and general passenger agent, one of the main subjects for discussion was the advisability of extending the service of this train. The matter will be decided later by the general passenger agent and the receiver of the road.

MAHALLA: Gold Medal Flour saves worry.
HEPZIBAH.

TIS HARD TO DEAL JUSTICE TO POOR AND RICH ALIKE

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Weather conditions ideal. More than 30 per cent of the registered electors had stood at