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The Populists are still claiming William J. Bryan as a member of that party, and are inclined to insist that he cannot be a Democrat and a Populist at the same time. One of Mr. Bryan's running mates in the late presidential campaign, popularly known as Tom Watson, in a recent publication on the subject, says: "If Mr. Bryan, as his friends assert, is a real Populist, let him be honest enough to quit parading in Democratic clothes and come out as he should do, and not hang on the tail of the populist kite."

The protection sentiment in all the parties in the Senate is making itself so strongly felt as to preclude the delay in the consideration of the tariff bill, which was anticipated by the few free trade Democrats who are still on deck in that body. The progress of the tariff bill thus far has been more rapid than with any measure of that character for many years, and there is now reason to believe that the bill may pass the senate by about June 20th, and become a law by the end of the month.

Democrats who are proud of their record as members of that party and as men of integrity of purpose are probably surprised to learn that unless they are willing to force a 46-cent dollar upon the people of the United States, they are no longer to be considered as Democrats. The calls for State Democratic conventions in various parts of the country are practically unanimous in announcing that only those who supported Bryan last fall and are now willing to subscribe to his platform are eligible to participate in the deliberations of the Democratic party in primaries or conventions.

The silver mine-owners have again "put up" for candidate Bryan and he is about starting on a speaking tour from the Atlantic to the Pacific. That his coming is hailed with distress by Democratic managers in many of the States in which he volunteers his able services is not doubted when it is remembered that the states and cities which he visited last fall gave larger Republican majorities than ever before in their history, and that only 6 out of 28 States visited by him were carried by the Democrats, and those mainly time-honored Democratic States.

The Senate of the United States is composed, when all its seats are filled, of 90 members, representing 45 States. All seats, except the one for which Mr. Corbett of Oregon is a claimant, are now filled. It thus requires 45 votes to furnish a majority in the Senate. The recent statement by the Washington *Post* analyzing the membership politically shows that the Republicans have but 43, the Democrats 34, the Populists 7, and Silver Republicans 5. This shows that the Republicans have not a majority in the Senate, and cannot hope to have one during the present Congress, and also shows that the people who are criticising the leaders of that party for what they consider slow progress in the consideration of the tariff bill in the Senate do not take into consideration the embarrassment under which those leaders are constantly laboring.

Elsewhere reference is made to the first article produced by the pooled brains of Maryland Democratic editors. The article referred to was conspicuously printed on the first page of the *Advocate* last week, and was commented upon in a long editorial in that paper, without a word of dissent from its conclusions. One of its assumptions was that the colored voters of Southern Maryland, in large numbers, commenced voting the Democratic ticket about 1885; that, in fact, there was a large defection of colored voters from the Republican party. If this be true, what becomes of the repeated assertions of the *Advocate* to the contrary, and what confidence can any reader of that paper feel in the sincerity of its statements? As is well known it has persistently insisted that few colored men ever voted other than the Republican ticket; has repeatedly exaggerated the number of colored voters in the State, and credited the Republican party with receiving the whole of them, at every election, whether they voted or not. Either the *Advocate* has been wrong in these assumptions in the past, is entirely wrong now in accepting a theory that is a practical denial of them, or, what is more likely, has never had, and has not now, any accurate knowledge on the subject.

TILLMAN FOR PROTECTION.

In course of a speech in the United States Senate on Thursday, in support of a proposition of Mr. Cannon, of Utah, to pay export bounties on agricultural products, Mr. Tillman, of South Carolina, after criticising the Republican Senators in relation to trusts, said:

"On the other hand, the Democrats are in a period of transition. They don't know 'where they're at.' The older, more experienced proclaim their allegiance to the old time honored doctrines. We had an impassioned speech yesterday (by Mr. Mills) in behalf of the Walker tariff principles, brought forward at this late day as Democratic doctrine. Secession, nullification and other issues which have passed out of the minds of men might as well be brought here.

"The tariff is merely a question of policy as to how the government will raise its revenue. I say without hesitation it is to the best interest of the American people that the articles consumed by our people should be produced by our people. If that is Republican doctrine, well and good. If that is not Democratic doctrine it ought to be."

The annual meet of the Maryland Division, L. A. W., will take place at Frederick on Saturday and Monday, July 3rd and 5th.

Next Monday will be flag day.

A MARE'S NEST.

The members of the Maryland Democratic Editors' Association have pooled their brains and started a mill to grind political matter for the common use of all Maryland Democratic newspapers. The first grist appeared last week and proved that the machine producing it is an invention worthy its origin. The product was nothing less than a labored and tedious effort to lead readers of the papers using it to the conclusion that the election law passed by the Legislature of 1896 was prepared for the sole purpose of forcing the colored people to vote the Republican ticket.

The principal ground for this assumption is the omission from the new statute of the oath taken by the ballot clerk, in case of assistance rendered illiterate voters, as required by the act of 1890. These sapient editors assert that the preservation of a secret ballot, afforded by the oath in question, operated to produce a large defection of colored voters from the Republican party, because such voters could thus cast their ballots as they pleased, without fear of detection and of incurring the objectionable consequences of such independence; and that the oath was omitted to stop this defection. According to the remarkable wisdom evolved by the combination of such a mass of editorial brains the "negroes," as the article denominates the colored voters, got into the habit, under the old system—previous to the law of 1890—of marching up to the polls with Democratic tickets concealed in their pockets, which they voted, and destroyed the tickets given them by the Republicans. Under the law of 1890 they were able to keep up the deception and continue to cheat their Republican friends into confidently supposing they were as enthusiastic for the party as ever, while actually voting for the other side. Now, these wise editors have put their heads together and made the discovery that all this was known to the Republican leaders and that the new law was made expressly to deprive colored voters of the opportunity of casting a secret ballot.

The whole article is a very weak and puerile attempt to create a false impression upon most meagre materials. Whatever may have been the practice under the old system, it is very certain that under the law of 1890, illiterate voters did not require assistance in marking their ballots unless they wished to vote for candidates on different tickets, or, in other words, to cut their tickets. The same condition exists under the law of 1896, in that respect. Illiterate voters, of both parties, generally ascertain that a mark to the right of the party emblem means a vote for the whole ticket and do not require assistance to make that mark. If a colored man, under the law of 1896, desires to vote a Democratic ticket, no matter how illiterate he may be, he knows that a mark in the square to the right of Jackson and the hickory tree will count his ballot as he desires to vote it, and he knows further that he can make that mark behind a screen where no human eye but his own can look upon the act.

If the assumption of this aggregation of Democratic editorial brains that the colored people, in large numbers, desire to vote the Democratic ticket, is true, then no law could better protect them in carrying out that desire, in absolute secresy, than does the act of 1896. It protects them as well, also, against the espionage of their Democratic employers if they desire to vote the Republican ticket, and under all circumstances gives both parties equal privileges, and as little opportunity of interference with the independence of the individual voter. The first election held under it was the fairest in nearly thirty years, and the consequence of that fairness was disaster to the Democratic party, which had steadily resisted every effort to provide an honest election law.

The finding of mare's nests and the hatching of absurd assumptions will be a marked characteristic of pooling Democratic editorial brains, if the first product shall prove a fair sample of those to come.

A DEPLORABLE AFFAIR.

"Click" Mitchell, a colored man, was lynched at Urbana, Ohio, on Friday last, for an aggravated assault upon a white woman of considerable social prominence in that place. Mitchell was promptly arrested, arraigned, tried and found guilty of the crime and the full penalty of the law imposed—twenty years in the penitentiary. The people of Urbana evidently felt that the punishment was entirely too light for the horrible crime committed by the culprit, and open threats of lynching were indulged. The sheriff, deeming it his duty, applied for military force to protect the jail from assault. But the populace, undeterred by danger, made a desperate and finally successful effort to reach the cell of the convicted criminal, whom they speedily launched into eternity at the end of a rope. The proceeding, however, cost the lives of several white men, who were not, it is said, participating in the assault, and who were shot down by the militia, who fired upon the mob at the command of the sheriff. Numbers of persons were wounded, some fatally and others seriously.

If ever a lynching could be justified it was in this case. the crime was revolting and brutal, and no penalty short of death was sufficient. It is to be regretted, however, that the citizens of Urbana were unwilling to abide by the laws for which they are partly responsible. Lynch law, unless society is subverted and all other law rendered nugatory or set at defiance, is bad law. There was no trouble in the enforcement of Ohio law in this case and the people of Ohio were to blame that their law did not provide a penalty adequate to the enormity of the crime. In view of this experience they should now address themselves to the work of amending their penal code and make death the punishment of such a crime as that committed by "Click" Mitchell.

Rev. W. B. Herrick, D. D., himself a colored man and bishop of the African Methodist Episcopal Church in Arkansas and Mississippi, in commenting on the lynching of Mitchell, has expressed some very sensible views in relation to this subject. Bishop Herrick's home is in New York, but he seems to have a very clear conception of what is required to deter from the commission of such crimes as Click Mitchell's in the South and North alike. He says:

"Death is the only fit punishment for the crime. There are now four states, all in the South, which make it capital. I would like to see such a law passed in every state of the Union. It is the only thing which can lessen the lynchings for assaults on women, becoming all too common in this country."

"I cannot blame men living in a community where an assault on a woman has been committed for taking the law into their own hands. And yet I must denounce a lynching as being a subversion of the law. I know that there are young negroes of a certain stripe who are rebels against law; they are modern Ishmaelites, and crime against women is only one indication of their inhuman characteristics. I want all such creatures discouraged by a law making the crime punishable with death.

"Hanging a man will diminish lynchings. Men who gather at the scene of such a crime realize its horrid nature. They are only human, and their rage is intensified by the knowledge that a term of years will be the severest punishment meted out to the criminal. Under the circumstances, who can blame them for meting out death to the culprit in what is an illegal manner? And yet lynching is a crime. To discourage it, I would urge the enactment of such a law as I have suggested in every state."

ANOTHER LYNCHING IN MARYLAND.

Wm. Andrews, colored, alias 'Cuba," was hanged by a mob in Princess Anne, Somerset county, on Wednesday morning. Andrews had been kept in jail in Baltimore after his arrest upon the charge of having committed an assault upon Mrs. Benjamin T. Kelley, near Marion, Somerset county, on the 5th ult. He was taken to Princess Anne on Wednesday morning, arraigned in court before Judge Page and pleaded guilty to the indictment charging him with the crime stated. Judge Page thereupon sentenced him to be hanged.

Judge Page was notified that a mob was surrounding the court house and that violence would probably be resorted to when the sheriff should attempt to convey the prisoner to the jail. Leaving the bench the Judge addressed the mob, urging that the law be permitted to take its course. There was apparent acquiescence in this request, but as soon as the sheriff appeared with the prisoner the latter was seized, kicked, beaten, cut with a razor and then hanged to a tree near the court house.

In this case there was no justification whatever for the action of the mob. The speedy execution of the brutal wretch, justly condemned to death, was certain. The infliction of the legal penalty with the deliberation which marks such acts, would have been more potent as a deterrent of similar crimes than the action of the mob. Experience has proved that mob law has a tendency to incite rather than to prevent violation of proper law. The State should take some action to prevent the recurrence of such events. No assailant of a woman should escape death, but it should be death at the hands of the law.

THE GERMAN BAPTIST ANNUAL MEETING.

The annual meeting of the German Baptists of the United States, which began its sessions in Frederick last week, adjourned on Thursday to meet next year in Northern Illinois, at some point to be hereafter selected. During the meeting this year very many interesting questions were considered and acted upon, though nothing of unusual importance was introduced. A resolution in regard to the observance of the Sabbath, during the annual meeting, was unanimously adopted. It was in these terms:

"On Sundays nothing but the merest necessities be sold or furnished on the grounds; that the postoffice be closed; that the sale of newspapers be prohibited; that our people in coming to the meeting be urged to make their arrangements so that they need not arrive on Sunday, thus removing any encouragement on our part to the running of Sunday excursion trains; that the general conduct of the day in our social mingilngs be as much in keeping with the intent of this Christian institution as possible; that it might be a quiet, worshipful and spiritual Sabbath."

The query, "whether any of the delegates or Brethren were wearing gold in any way of appearance, thereby violating the word of God," created considerable discussion and met with decided opposition, but was passed upon favorably.

In addition to the large number of Brethren in attendance at the meeting, visitors to Frederick during its continuance were numerous.

The tenth annual convention of the League of Maryland Republican clubs was held at Ford's Opera House, Baltimore, on Wednesday. Messrs. Milton Schaeffer and Jas. S. Baer were delegates from the Westminster District Club. The proceedings were very animated. Among the resolutions adopted was one thanking President McKinley "for his utterances in his inaugural address against the sham civil service reform inaugurated by the order of Mr. Cleveland only after it was apparent that the Democratic party was overwhelmingly in the minority." The convention requested the President to "revoke said order." Mr. Washington Wilkinson introduced a resolution expressing hostility to the civil service amendment to the Maryland Constitution to be voted upon at the next election; but the presiding officer ruled it out of order. The sentiment of the convention, however, was evidently in favor of the resolution. Hon. W. S. Booze, of Baltimore, was president of the convention. Delegates was elected to the National League Convention, which will meet in Detroit, Mich., next month.

The convention of the Maryland State Firemen's Association, which met at Annapolis on Wednesday, closed its sessions on Thursday morning and adjourned to meet in Salisbury next year. Among the business transacted was the adoption of a motion, offered by State Fire Marshal Lawyer, for the appointment of a committee of fire to confer with other State organizations with a view to the formation of a national firemen's association. The following were elected officers of the association for the ensuing year: President, Wm. J. Mace, of Cambridge; senior vice-president, Charles T. Holloway, of Baltimore; secretary, John J. Stump, of Cumberland; treasurer, H. R. Heck, of Frederick. A vice-president for each association represented was also elected. Those for the organizations in this county are: Westminster, Frank K. Herr; Manchester, W. C. Stick; Union Bridge, W. H. Marshall.

Famine and plague are reported to be causing many deaths in China, north and east of Szechauan.

Yesterday was the date set for the execution of James Gordy, at Georgetown, Del., for the murder of a woman whom he had married in New York a few days before the commission of the crime, presumably for the purpose of obtaining the property which she possessed. While at the hour of going to press no account of the execution has been received, it was doubtless carried into effect. Gordy has been suspected of the murder of his father, his former wife and his little child, but up to latest advices bitterly denied all knowledge of said crimes and also continued to assert his innocence of the last murder attributed to him.

List of Unclaimed Matter

Remaining in the Postoffice at Westminster, Md., June 5th, 1897.

Bittle, Harvey A.
Black, Annie
Jones, J. T.
Little, Amos
McLee, John
Myers, Samuel C.
Myers, Mrs. Eliza E.
Pearson, D. A.
Slorp, Jacob
Stem, Miss Clara

Persons calling for matter in the above list will please say it was advertised.

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BUSINESS LOCALS.

CASTORIA

For Infants and Children.

The fac-simile signature of Chas. H. Fletcher is on every wrapper.

A festival will be held by the young ladies of Grace Lutheran Sunday School of this city, on the lawn at the residence of Mr. Chas. Schaeffer, on Pennsylvania avenue, this, Saturday evening, June 12th. All are invited.

Mr. Isaac Horner, proprietor of the Burton House, Burton, W. Va., and one of the most widely known men in the community was cured of rheumatism after three years of suffering. He says: "I have not sufficient command of language to convey any idea of what I suffered, my physicians told me that nothing could be done for me; and my friends were fully convinced that nothing but death would relieve me of my suffering. In June, 1894, Mr. Evans, then salesman for the Wheeling Drug Co., recommended Chamberlain's Pain Balm. At this time my foot and limb were swollen to more than double their normal size and it seemed to me my leg would burst, but soon after I began using the Pain Balm, the swelling began to decrease, the pain to leave, and now I consider that I am entirely cured. For sale by Joseph D. Zepp, Druggist, Westminster, and W. R. Rudy, Mt. Airy. ju-5-1m

The Benevolent and Aid Society of Benjamin's Reformed Church will hold its regular monthly meeting at the church, on Thursday evening next, June 17th, at 7½ o'clock, or in case of rain, on the first clear evening afterward.

A festival for the benefit of Benjamin's Reformed Church near this city, will be held on the lawn of Mrs. Joshua L. Smith on Saturday evening, July 3rd, if fair, and if not fair, then on Tuesday evening, July 6th.

"For three years we have never been without Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy in the house," says A. H. Patter, with E. C. Atkins & Co., Indianapolis, Ind., and my wife would as soon think of being without flour as a bottle of this Remedy in the summer season. We have used it with all three of our children and it has never failed to cure—not simply stop pain, but cure absolutely. It is all right, and anyone who tries it will find it so." For sale by Joseph D. Zepp, Druggist, Westminster, and W. R. Rudy, Mt. Airy.

Wismer's Sunday school will hold a festival for the benefit of the school, at the school house, on Saturday, June 19th. All are invited.

Hundreds of thousands have been induced to try Chamberlain's Cough Remedy, by reading what it has done for others, and having tested its merits for themselves are to-day its warmest friends. For sale by Joseph D. Zepp, Druggist, Westminster, and W. R. Rudy, Mt. Airy.

A festival will be held at Deer Park Chapel June 18th and 19th, commencing at 1 o'clock, P. M. Ice cream and confectionery will be sold for the benefit of the new parsonage. The public are cordially invited.

Harper's Weekly for June 19th will contain an elaborate description of the new American Navy, by Lieut. Commander J. D. Jerrold Kelley, U. S. N., accompanied by an extensive illustration giving a view of all the ships. Other features of particular interest will include an account of the celebration at the Tennessee Centennial Exposition of Ohio Day, and the visit of President McKinley, and an article by Thomas Robinson Dawley, Jr., the Weekly's special correspondent in Cuba, on "Cuban Food Supply and the Government Workshops of the Insurgents."

RELIGIOUS NOTICES.

Grace Lutheran Church.—Sabbath School Sunday at 9 a. m. Y. P. S. C. E. 7.00 p. m. Junior Endeavor 4 p. m. Prayer Meeting Wednesday evening at 7.45. Preaching at 8.00 p. m., by Rev. Hugh Johnson, D. D.

P. H. MILLER, Pastor.

Centenary M. E. Church.—Sabbath School Sunday at 9.15 a. m. Epworth League 7.00 p. m. Junior League 2.30 p. m. Prayer Meeting Wednesday evening at 8 p. m. Preaching at 10.30 a. m., by Rev. P. H. Miller.

JOEL BROWN, Pastor.

Carroll Charge Reformed Church.—Benjamin's Church.—Sunday School at 9.00 a. m. Divine service at 10.00 a. m.

Jerusalem Church.—Divine service at 2½ p. m. Sunday School at 1 p. m.

H. J. MACALISTER, Pastor.

Salem Charge, Lutheran Church.—Benjamin's Church.—Sunday School at 1 p. m. Preaching at 2 p. m. Y. P. S. C. E. on Sunday at 8 p. m.

St. John's Church.—Sunday School at 9 a. m. Preaching at 10 a. m. Catechise on Saturday at 2 p. m. Children's Day, June 13th, at 10 a. m. Y. P. M. S. at 8 p. m.

S. A. DIEHL, Pastor.

Ascension Church.—Holy Communion at 7 a. m. Second Celebration and Sermon at 10.30 a. m. Evening service at 7.30.

E. B. TAYLOR, Rector.

Children's Day will be celebrated on Carrollton Circuit on the 20th of June at the several appointments as follows: At Pleasant Grove, 10 a. m. At Patapsco, 2.30 p. m. At Thomas Chapel, 7.45 p. m.

C. E. DUDREAR, Pastor.

An all day's Woods Meeting will be held in Lotzwell's Grove, adjoining Westminster, on Sunday, June 13th. Lovefeast at 9.30 a. m. Preaching at 11.00 a. m., and 3.00 p. m. Preaching at 8.00 p. m.

W. H. FAX, Pastor.

Children's Day services will be held at Thomas Chapel, Tannery, Sunday evening, 13th inst.

Annual Children's services at Pipe Creek M. P. Church Sunday at 10.30 a. m.

Preaching at Uniontown 8 p. m. C. E. on Thursday night.

B. W. KINDLEY, Pastor.

Children's day service will be held at Ebenezer M. E. Church, near Winfield, Sunday, June 20th, at 10 o'clock, A. M. An interesting program will be presented.

Children's floral day will be held in the Bethel in Uniontown on Sabbath. Preaching in the morning on flowers by the Rev. L. R. Tyler. In the evening children's exercises and concert in recitation, speeches, songs, &c.

Children's Missionary floral day will be held in Friesllburg on Sabbath. Preaching in the morning at 10 o'clock, by Rev. G. H. Bowersox. At 2 o'clock, P. M., the Sunday School will render prepared exercises after which speeches will be delivered by Dr. Luther Kemp, Jesse Garner, L. R. Tyler and others, after which the soldiers' and others' graves will be decorated. All are invited to participate in this interesting and laudable service.

The Westminster Circuit of the Methodist Episcopal Church will hold a camp meeting in Mr. Beecham's grove, at Avondale, on the Western Md. Railroad, about 3 miles west of Westminster, commencing on the 17th of August next.

MARRIED.

In this city, June 8th, 1897, by Rev. Jos. H. Cassell, Mr. John F. Sinnott to Miss Beulah M. Anders, both of this city.

In Uniontown, June 6th, 1897, by Rev. B. W. Kindley, Mr. Thomas Fritz to Miss Laura Myerly, both of this county.

At the M. P. parsonage, Uniontown, June 6th, 1897, by Rev. B. W. Kindley, Mr. W. H. Robertson to Miss Alice Cromer, both of this county.

In Patapsco, June 6th, 1897, by Rev. John E. Evans, Mr. Wm. A. Davidson, Jr., of Baltimore, to Miss Lillie M. Shipley, of Patapsco.

DIED.

Obituaries, poetry and resolutions of regret on deaths charged for at the rate of five cents per line. The regular death notices published

Near Taneytown, May 21st, 1897, Mrs. Annie C. Myers, aged 73 years and 18 days.

BICYCLES ON CREDIT.

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FOR hauling, loading and handling garbage, dirt and refuse matter, from streets, lanes and alleys, for the city of Westminster, Md., under the supervision and control of the Mayor and Street Commissioner, for the period of Ten Months, from the first day of July, 1897, to May 1st, 1898, the Mayor and Council supplying cart for same, and party contracting for said work to supply horse and harness at a certain rate per hour, to be specified in said proposals, will be received by the said Mayor and Common Council, of said city of Westminster, at, or before, their hour of meeting on Wednesday, the 16th day of June, 1897. Said proposals must be delivered to the Clerk of the Council, within the time herein specified, and the said Mayor and Council reserve the right to reject all proposals submitted.

NELSON GILBERT, Mayor.
H. B. GRAMMER, Clerk. ju-12-1t

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By virtue of the power contained in a mortgage from Naomia E. Stefley and Millard F. Stefley, her husband, to John W. Nelson, dated April 27th, A. D. 1889, recorded among the Real Estate Mortgage Records of Carroll county, in liber W. N. M. No. 28, folio 193, &c., and duly assigned to the undersigned, I will sell at Public Sale, on the premises, on

SATURDAY, JULY 3rd, A. D. 1897,

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The improvements thereon are a large and newly built Two-Story Frame Dwelling House, stable and other outbuildings, well with pump at the door, garden, choice fruit trees, etc.

2nd. A parcel of land containing

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The land is in an excellent state of cultivation, and is enclosed by good fencing.

This property is on the public road, in the village of Gamber, Carroll county, Md., and is now occupied by David Jenkins. The buildings are in good repair and the parcel upon which the buildings are located is now used for public business and is well adapted to the same. The property will be offered in two separate lots and as an entirety, and will be sold as may appear for the best interest of the parties concerned.

Terms of Sale.—Cash; or, if desired, one-third cash, one-third in six and the other one-third in twelve months from the day of sale, on notes, with approved security, bearing interest from the day of sale, or one-half of the purchase money will be left in the property on mortgage.

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my-29-3t MARIA A. BROOKS.

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J. Q. STITELY & SON will sell at Public Auction, at the warehouse on Liberty St., Westminster, Md., on

SATURDAY, JUNE 12th, 1897,

about Twenty Buggies and Stick Wagons. Any one desiring to buy a Buggy or Stick Wagon will have the opportunity to get a bargain at this sale. All goods offered will be sold, upon which there will be given a guarantee. Sale will begin at 2 o'clock, P. M. ju-5-2t

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Wheat	75@	81
Corn	28@	30½
Oats	23@	28½
Rye	38@	39¢
Hay	8.00@	14.00
Straw	7.00@	12.50
Dry Salt Shoulders	5¢@	5¢
Bulk Rib Sides	6½@	6¢
Hams	10¢@	11
Lard	5½@	5½
Butter	15@	17
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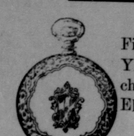
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