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The STAR AND HERALD is getting in its patriotic work just a little ahead of time. We are red, white and blue.

A committee from the 29th senatorial district met at the Grand Pacific Tuesday and decided to hold the convention at Yorkville July 19.

W. W. Tracy, of Springfield, president of the National League Republican club, is a candidate for the republican nomination for state treasurer.

Franklin McVeagh, the millionaire grocer, of Chicago, is the nominee of the Democratic convention at Springfield, Ill., this week for United States senator.

Hon. E. L. Munsor, of Wenona, was unanimously endorsed as a candidate for the legislature by Marshall county last week.

The republican conventions of Bureau, LaSalle and Woodford counties were held this week and delegates elected to the different conventions to follow.

English education dates from Alfred the Great, who ordered that the son of every freeman should be able to read and write.

Post Office Salaries. The salaries for presidential post-offices in Illinois have been rearranged and were published in the Chicago papers Tuesday.

The regular receipts of the Dwight post-office from the regular channels of trade are increasing, but the business of 1891-2, through the large number of patients here, has of course fallen off.

PERSONAL PARAGRAPHS.

TOSTI, the great song writer, is an accomplished amateur upholsterer. He spends his leisure in making sofas and cushioned chairs.

At the age of 84, ex-United States Senator W. E. Wilkey continues an active career as Clerk of the County Court of Monongalia County, West Virginia.

The Merchants National Bank, of Middleport, Ohio, a depository of the great tobacco section of the Miami Valley, has for one of its tellers Miss Louise Smith.

ZOLA used to be very fat. To reduce his weight he abstained from drinking at his meals for two months, and in that time got rid of thirty-six pounds of superfluous adipose.

Gov. B. R. TILLMAN, of South Carolina, says he will not again be a candidate for re-election. He is now serving his second term.

It is claimed that not only did Sarah Grand, the author of "The Heavenly Twins," not write "A Superfluous Woman," but that her friends and relatives are very much incensed that any one should think so. She will soon publish a volume of short stories called "Our Manifesto Nature."

CAPT. LEVI T. SCHOFIELD, the builder who designed for Cleveland, Ohio, the soldiers and sailors monument, has received a letter from Gov. McKinley asking him to make room for a statue of Rutherford B. Hayes on the monument.

F. JARVIS PATTON, the inventor of the multiplex telegraph, was formerly a lieutenant in the United States Army. His great-grandfather built the first ship that sailed from the State of Maine, and his father was the first United States Commissioner of Navigation.

It is told of the late Dr. Francis Parkman, the historian, as illustrating his strict idea of justice, that a friend met him one day walking along the street leading a boy on either hand.

The late Mrs. Mary Hemenway, of Boston, preserved the historic Old South Church from demolition, and that act alone will keep her memory green in the hearts of her countrymen.

EDUCATION.

THREE HUNDRED AND FORTY men are in the physical development class at Harvard.

BACHELOR of hygiene and doctor of hygiene are new degrees created by the University of Durham, England.

The junior fellowship of Dublin University will hereafter be open to men and women students on the same terms.

MASSACHUSETTS has 569 public libraries, containing 300 volumes or over. The total number of volumes is 3,560,085.

LEHIGH UNIVERSITY intends to build a laboratory that will have no equal in the college world. The cost is estimated at about \$200,000.

REV. DR. WM. HENRY FURNESS, of Philadelphia, is Harvard's senior alumnus. He is the only surviving member of the class of 1827.

At the last meeting of the Dartmouth faculty it was voted to make all the studies of the senior year elective, and to abolish all required studies.

The first private library mentioned by historians was that of Aristotle, B. C. 334. Strabo says it was large, but does not mention the number of the books.

A CIRCULAR issued by the United States Bureau of Education shows that in 1891 there were 3,804 libraries in the United States containing 1,000 volumes and upward.

The library of the Vatican is the successor of the Roman Imperial Library, founded by Augustus, and contains many manuscripts that were written during the later empire.

GRAINS OF GOLD.

His thoughts can't be wrong whose life is in the right.

Every generation of man is a laborer for that which succeeds it.

SOME minds fade at last, but this is rare; more rust out than fade out.

A MAN'S greatest enemies are those which come out of his own mouth.

SEARCH for truth is the noblest occupation of man; its public duty.

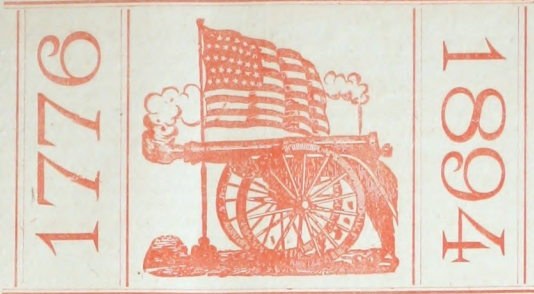
SELF-RESPECT governs morality; respect for others governs our behavior.

MALICE and hatred are very fretting, and make our minds sore and uneasy.

The man who would have done so and so if he had been there never gets there.

One grand business is it to see what lies behind at a distance, but to do what lies clearly at hand.

DWIGHT



FOURTH OF JULY!

Program:

BOOMING OF CANNON AT SUNRISE.

Grand Parade of Civic Societies, Fire Department, Coxey's Army, Etc., headed by the Dwight Cornet Band, at 9 o'clock. Prize for the best representation of Coxey.

Speaking and Music at the beautiful East Side School Grounds at 11 o'clock a. m. REV. C. W. AYLING, Orator of the Day.

SPORTS AND OTHER GAMES.

Table listing sports and other games with prizes offered, such as 300 Yard Foot Race, 50 Yard Old Man's Race, etc.

PLATFORM AND OTHER DANCES.

There will be dancing day and night on the platform erected by the Dwight Fire Department and in the Lyceum and Kepplinger halls. Plenty of fun for all.

CHEAP RATES TO DWIGHT.

The Alton and 3-I railroads will sell cheap rate tickets to Dwight for the great celebration.

HORSE, BICYCLE AND FOOT RACING.

Driving Park Association's handsome grounds, commencing at 1.30 p. m. Following are the races and purses offered:

Table listing horse, bicycle and foot racing events and purses, including 2:40 Trot, Free-for-all Run, Pony Race, etc.

There will be many other sources of amusement not mentioned on this bill, such as all kinds of games and amusements for children.

COXEY'S ARMY—Great preparations will be made to make this the most laughable feature ever offered for the amusement of a Fourth of July crowd.

LUNCH.—The public halls in the city will be opened for the reception of those that belong to orders and their families, and the beautiful shady grounds in the parks and East Side school ground may be used for picnic parties.

DECORATIONS.—The prospects are that Dwight will be covered with red, white and blue this day.

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DR. W. H. WELD, Physician and Surgeon. 213 Delaware St. DWIGHT, ILL. OFFICE: At Residence, opposite Congregational Church, Half Block West.

DR. NILS BERGMAN Homœopathic Physician and Surgeon. 111 Mason Avenue, 2 Doors West of M. E. Church. DWIGHT, ILL. HOURS: - 10 A. M. to 4 P. M.; Evenings.

M. LIVINGSTON, Veterinary Surgeon. Graduate of Ontario Veterinary College, has permanently located in Dwight for the practice of his profession. Headquarters at Seymour's drug store. Ten years practice since graduating.

CALLS PROMPTLY ATTENDED TO. MILTON PALM, M. D., Physician and Surgeon. Three Doors West of old Presbyterian Church, DWIGHT, ILL. Special attention given to Calls from the Country or City.

E. HUTCHINSON, M. D. C. This irregular condition of his molar teeth. Image of a horse skull. VETERINARY SURGEON, Odell, Ill. Dwight Office, every Tuesday, at Barr & Davis. All orders left with them at any time will receive prompt attention.

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