



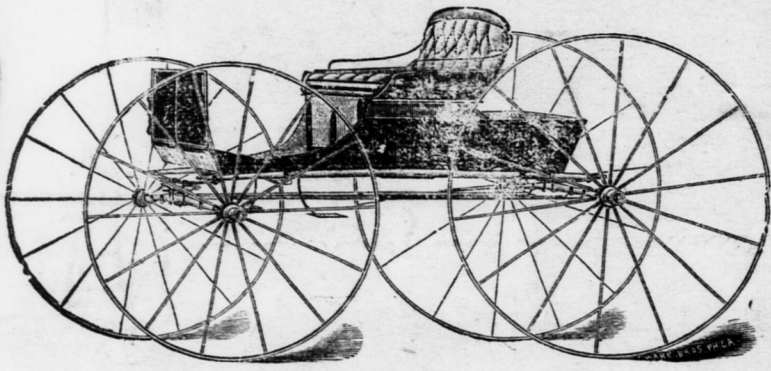
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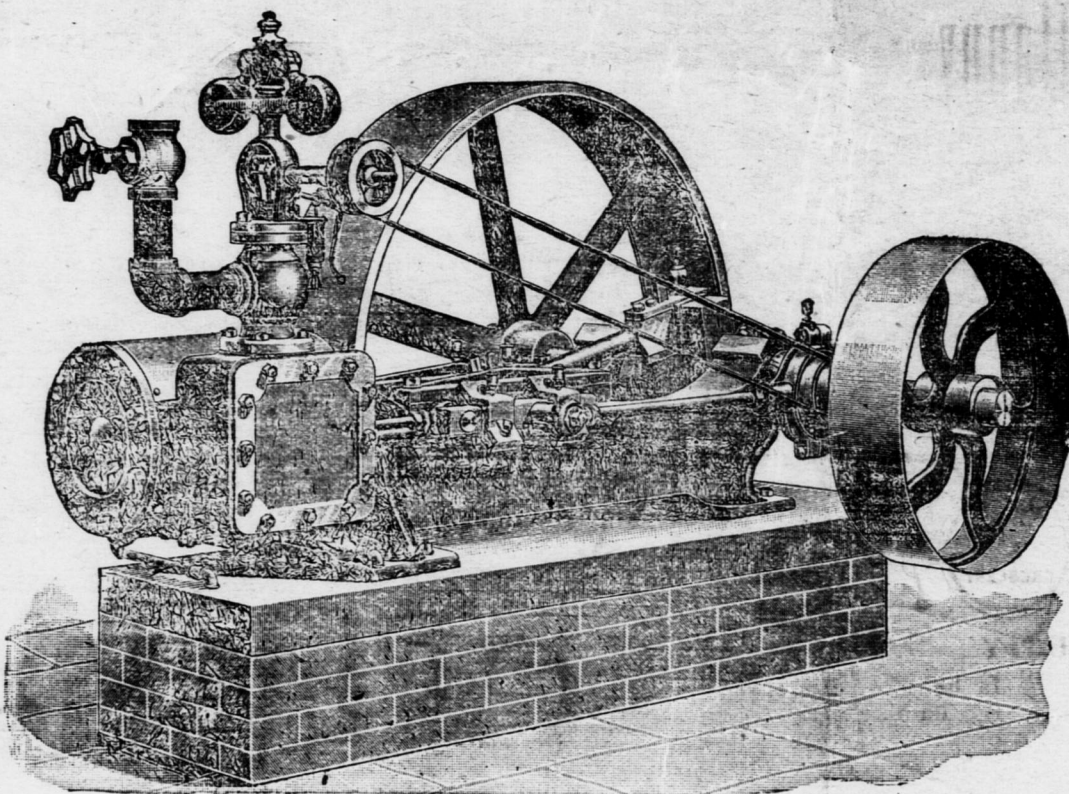
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Clock a Weather Prophet.

A novel method of predicting the weather has been discovered by Prof. A. Tommasina, a French scientist. He uses for this purpose an instrument which he calls an "electrical radiophone." By means of it he can ascertain the exact nature of the electrical currents in the air at any moment, since the instrument is fitted with a clockwork arrangement, which registers the precise quality of each current. There are also several bells in the instrument, which registers the precise quality of each current. There are also several bells in the instrument, which registers the precise quality of each current. There are also several bells in the instrument, which registers the precise quality of each current.

Prof. Tommasina claims that this instrument will be found of great service, especially on vessels at sea, since it will prove much more reliable than the present method of ascertaining weather conditions which is of hardly any use except near a coast. He claims that a vessel, provided with an "electrical radiophone," can ascertain the approach of a storm far away at sea in time to enable the crew to make ample preparations for it.

A full account of this ingenious discovery has been sent to the French academy of sciences and much interest is being manifested in it by electricians and naval men.—New York Journal.

A Wonderful Invention.

They cure dandruff, hair falling, headache etc., yet costs the same as an ordinary comb—Dr. White's Electric Comb. The only patented Comb in the world. People everywhere it has been introduced, are wild with delight. You simply comb your hair each day and the comb does the rest. This wonderful comb is simply unbreakable and is made so that it is absolutely impossible to break or cut the hair. Sold on a written guarantee to give perfect satisfaction in every respect. Send stamps for one. Ladies' size 50c. Gents' size 35c. Live men and women wanted everywhere to introduce this article. Sell on sight. Agents are wild with success. (See want column of this paper.) Address D. N. ROSE, General Mgr., Decatur, Ill.

Will Not Be Again a Candidate.

In the last issue of Commoner W. J. Bryan states that he does not expect to be a candidate again. He says:

"I am not planning for another Presidential nomination. If I were I would not be editing a paper. If I ever am a candidate again it will be because it seems necessary for the advancement of the principles to which I adhere, and that does not now seem probable. I shall, however, take an interest in politics for several years yet if I live, and can be relied upon to support those who as candidates, advocate Democratic principles and also can be trusted to enforce them if elected."

"I have no enemies to punish. No Matter what a man may have said or done against the ticket in 1896 or in 1900, that man becomes my friend the moment he accepts Democratic principle. Neither have I any disposition to reward political friends at the expense of our cause. No matter what that man may have said or done for the ticket in 1896 or 1900, that man becomes and opponent the moment he turns against Democratic principles. Political battles are fought not in the past or in the future, but in the present. The hereafter cannot be anticipated, but the 'now' is all I present."

Diamonds Given To Buy Bibles.

Dr. F. H. Kerfoot, corresponding secretary of the Baptist home mission board, received an express package several days ago which was valued on the package at \$150. On opening the package he found that it contained a ring set with two diamonds and a sapphire between them.

There was no name accompanying the gift, merely a note saying that they were for the use of the home mission board and were to be disposed of according to the discretion of Dr. Kerfoot.

It is the intention of the board to dispose of the ring and to use the money for Bibles to be sent to the destitute sections of the southern states, especially the mountain regions of Georgia, North Carolina and Tennessee.

This is the second gift of diamonds made to the Baptist denomination recently, a lady having given Dr. Broughton diamonds valued at \$1,000.

The Origin of Some Famous Hymns.

The circumstances that inspired some of our great devotional hymns must deepen the interest in both the song and the singer and reveal that mighty kinship of human souls that divine sympathy, that confers deathless fame on a few simple verses, soul-biographies living in song.

"Rock of Ages, Cleft for Me." "This greatest of hymns was written in 1775 by Rev. Augustus Toplady, a very learned English divine, who died at the early age of thirty eight. The hymn has the rare, wonderful spiritual ecstasy he revealed in his daily life. In his last illness he said: "I cannot tell the comforts that I feel in my soul; they are past expression. It will not be long before God takes me; for no mortal man can live after the glories which God has manifested to my soul." The marble tablet over his grave says: He wrote "Rock of Ages, Cleft for Me."

Mrs. Vanalystine, better known as Fanny Crosby, the blind poet, wrote the hymn, "Safe in the arms of Jesus," for music in twenty minutes, but into it was put the essence of her whole life of faith. Miss Crosby, after a day's jostling through the city streets, guided by some loving hand, returns to her little room and pours forth her soul in song.

Of the many hymns written by Mrs. Sarah Flower Adams, the only one that has survived is the hymn, "Nearer My God to Thee," based on the Bible story of Jacob's vision at Bethel, the imagery of which narrative it follows most faithfully. One day Charles Wesley was sitting by an open window, looking over the beautiful fields when he saw a little bird pursued by a hawk. The poor thing, weak and frightened, in seeking to escape from its enemy, flew into the room and found refuge in Wesley's bosom. As the poet was then in great trouble and needed the safety of a refuge, the consolation of help from a higher power than his own, the incident seemed to him a divine message and, thus inspired, he wrote the famous hymn, "Jesus, Lover of My Soul."—William George Jordan in May Ledger Monthly.

CASORIA.
The Kind You Have Always Bought
Beware of cheap imitations.

PRESIDENT'S JOURNEY.

AN ENTHUSIASTIC RECEPTION IN NEW ORLEANS.

The President speaks to the Negro Children of the Southern University—A Multitude of People Greet the Chief Executive at the Historic Cabildo—The President's Face Wreathed in Smiles at the Unending Demonstrations in His Honor.

New Orleans, May 2.—President McKinley, accompanied by Governor Heard and Mayor Capdeville, and escorted by a mounted detachment of police and the Louisiana cavalry troop, left the St. Charles Hotel at 9:20, after breakfasting in his apartments with Mrs. McKinley and proceeded to the Southern University, a colored institution. He was enthusiastically received by the faculty and students. The weather to-day is clear and warm.

As the President entered the grounds of the University he was welcomed with "Hail to the Chief" sung by a chorus of 1000 school children and accompanied by the student orchestra. Brief addresses were made by George Alexia and Ernestine M. Theophilie, bright pupils of the school. The President made a felicitous response, in which he said to the negro children: "I am glad to know that all over the South where most of you dwell, the States have provided institutions of learning where every boy and girl can prepare themselves for usefulness and honor under the government in which they live. What you want is to get education and with it you want good character and with these you want an altering industry and if you have these things you will have success anywhere and everywhere. God bless you."

Five thousand negroes attended the reception, among them the leading local members of the race. From the Southern University the President was driven to the historic Cabildo facing Jackson square, while a multitude of people had gathered. It was within the Cabildo in the row now occupied by the State Supreme Court, that the transfer was made of the Louisiana territory by France to Governor Claiborne, the American commissioner of President Jefferson. The President was received to-day by Governor Heard, the State officials and the members of the Supreme Court promptly at noon and an official record was made on the minutes of the visit of Mr. McKinley to the court. Afterward the President spoke briefly from the balcony to an immense assemblage in the streets.

A national salute brought the ceremonies to a close. President McKinley and his cabinet made their way with difficulty through the acres of people surrounding the Cabildo on their way back to their hotel. They drove through throngs of cheering people and the President's face was wreathed in smiles as he acknowledged the unending demonstrations in his honor. After lunch and a short rest the party, including many of the ladies, was driven at the head of the Canal street, where they boarded the big river steamer City of St. Louis. On its way up the river as far as the scene of the battle of New Orleans, the President's boat was accompanied by a small, gallantly decorated tug and other craft whose steam whistles found little rest. The levee on either side was lined with people. The party is expected to reach at 5 o'clock and board the train at 6.

THE MONEY KINGS AT WAR.

A Big Fight Over the Establishment of Transcontinental Systems.

New York, May 2.—Discussing the Union Pacific situation the Mail and Express has the following: "From the current tremendous market movements in Union Pacific and Atchafalaya stocks—big advances occurring in each to-day—it became clear that a fight is going on between great money interests over the establishment of transcontinental systems. It now appears that this fight centers around the plans of George J. Gould and E. H. Harriman to establish a vast network of roads from the Atlantic to the Pacific ocean, and William K. Vanderbilt and the Pennsylvania railroad people, seeing what was up, have made up their minds to frustrate them. "With the Government and Harriman on the one hand are said to be Kuhn, Loeb & Co., who are identified with the Union Pacific management, while Mr. Morgan is believed to have lent his influence with the Vanderbilt and Pennsylvania forces. "The Rockefeller, who are identified with Mr. Gould in the southwestern deal, are said to have stood aloof from the Union Pacific incident, and to have done nothing which could be criticised by Mr. Morgan, with whom they are associated in many affairs."

THE MORGAN-LEYLAND DEAL.

The Contract for the Controlling Interest in the Leyland Line is Signed With a Few Minor Concessions.

New York, May 2.—According to a private cablegram received here to-day, a provision in the contract between J. P. Morgan and Frederick Leyland & Co. gives the latter the right to continue to ply steamers between the New York and St. Lawrence. In all the remainder of the service the Leylands waive the controlling interest, including the newly-acquired Wes. Indian routes, and guarantee that they will not again enter the North Atlantic trade, except as it applies to Quebec and Montreal, for the term of fourteen years. The cablegram also said that for five days the Leyland Line held off for these concessions, insisting that they should be permitted to run their steamers to Portland, Me., if not Boston, during the time that navigation on the St. Lawrence is closed by ice. A compromise was effected, whereby Portland was omitted and the demand for a Canadian route granted. This means that for eight months of the year the Leylands will maintain a passenger and freight service between Liverpool and Montreal, with a call at Quebec going and coming.

Jacksonville, Fla., May 2.—F. R. Armstrong, a well-known grocery merchant here, shot his wife four times at 1 o'clock to-night. The shooting took place in front of the residence of the victim's mother. She will die.

"My gracious, Willie!" exclaimed Mrs. Skookill, "how did you get all that mud on your clothes?" "Why, I was drinkin' a glass of water, and I spilled some of it."—Philadelphia Press.

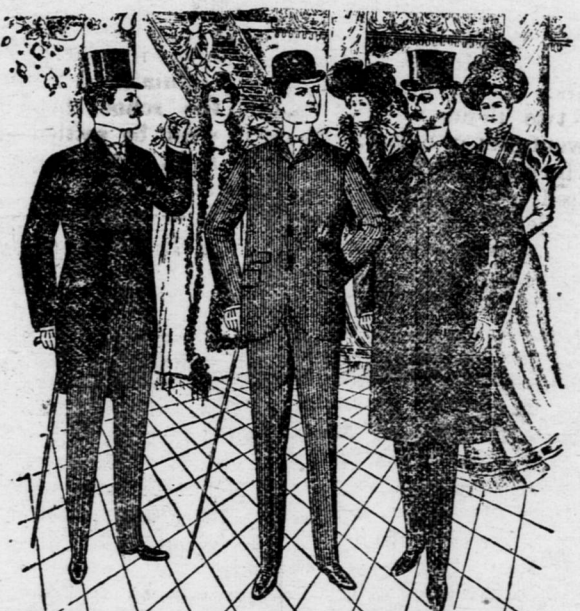
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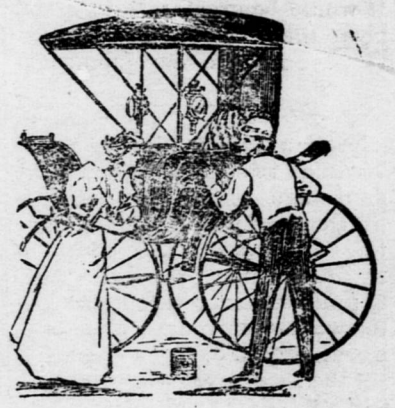
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