

EDITORIAL DASHES.

It is said twenty editors have been elected to the 50th Congress.

Prof. Elliott, the actuary of the Treasury, has estimated the population of the United States on June 1st at 59,893,000.

The Weather Clerk promises solemnly to stop the rain and give us some cooler weather today. Let him have one more chance.

Belgium and Switzerland will send an infantry company each to attend the international drill in October next at Chicago.

While one paper in South Carolina, owned by whites, employs only negro printers, another paper, the Baptist Tribune, is edited by negroes and printed by white compositors.

Some idea of the heat in the British Isles may be gathered from the fact that two lions belonging to a travelling show were found dead in their cage at Marazion, Cornwall.

"Bill Nye" will give an illustrated lecture on "The New South" during the coming season. He has set aside the month of February for the West and the time is nearly all closed. The illustrations of Mr. Nye's lecture are mostly his own drawings—grotesque and beautiful.

Bishop Turner, of Georgia, says that 120 years ago there were not 120 dram shops on earth. The accuracy of this statement is very doubtful. At the time referred to there were several thousand places in the world where people could get liquor if they were willing to pay for it; but perhaps the term dram shop was not in use at that time.

Miss Minnaretta Singer, daughter of the late Mr. Singer, of Singer sewing machine notoriety, is going to wed the Prince de Monticellard, whose title, it is said, dates from the time of the crusades. His future mother-in-law, now the Duchess de Camposelice, was the daughter of an English confectioner.

The N. Y. World: Chicago, too, had a "combine" of thirteen Aldermen for revenue only, and one of them is imitating Fullgraff by furnishing State's evidence to save himself from prison. The fact that there will always be two or three men in a baker's dozen who will give away their partners to save themselves ought to prove a deterrent force in preventing combinations for theft.

The cotton corner is steadily losing control of quotations, and some failures have been caused in Galveston from the fall in cotton which has already taken place. This corner has been pushed along from month to month, but the new crop is now near at hand and a settlement is inevitable, with what results it is not easy to tell in a combination extended from the Mersey to the Rio Grande.

The different stories of the death of Henry M. Stanley are, at the present writing, too conflicting to put even the main statement beyond a doubt. In the barbarous region where his life work has carried him it is well nigh impossible to ascertain the details of any occurrence, so that it is utterly impossible to tell whether he is yet alive or not.

The Asheville Citizen speaking of Mr. McRee, who is absent at the Press Convention says: "Father McRee of the News and Observer, President of the Association, called the body to order." From Col. Cameron's calling him "Father," one might suppose that Mr. McRee is very venerable, and so we hasten to insure the young ladies who may read the News and Observer that he is still on his first legs.—News and Observer.

We are pleased to learn that Mr. E. A. Oldham, formerly of the Winston Sentinel but now of the Hot Blast of Anniston, Ala., has been elected Secretary and Manager of the "Anniston Bureau of Information," an organization recently established by some of the leading citizens of Anniston and backed by ample funds. This is a very fitting testimonial to the talent and business ability of Mr. Oldham and we congratulate him on the success that seems to accompany his labors in his new field.

President Cleveland is in great demand at many points, in spite of the St. Louis G. A. R.'s—that is, Grand Assinine Revolters. But public anxiety to see this national curiosity, a Democratic President, should be kept in reasonable bounds. It is said at the White House that the only trip the President has positively decided to take is the visit to Georgia next October. He is not even decided about making his Western trip, although the probabilities are in favor of its being made. He will doubtless go to some place next month, but nothing has been decided as yet.

Eighty handsome men, each an owner or manager of a hotel in New York City or State, met at the Grand Union Hotel at Saratoga a few days ago to form a State Association. Officers were chosen as follows: President, W. D. Garrison, of New York; First Vice-President, John P. Bagley, of Catskill; Secretary, W. E. Roselle, of Albany; Treasurer, H. C. Rockwell, of Troy. An assistant Vice-President was chosen from each Senatorial District. The constitution drafted by Mr. Garrison was accepted. Among the objects of the association are to bring about a better acquaintance among hotel men throughout the State; to protect the business from unjust legislation; to protect hotel men against unjust employees, and to promulgate matters of interest. The convention adjourned to meet in New York City on the third Tuesday in January. Who will organize next?

A TREAT FOR OLD NEPTUNE.

[From the Boston Transcript.]

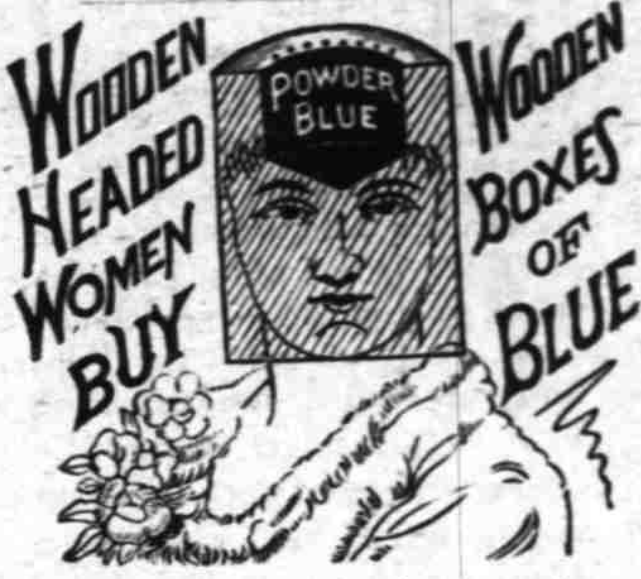
The most admired bathing dress that has appeared at Long Branch this year was brought out on the pretty figure of a Philadelphia girl. It was of cream white boating flannel, scalloped out on the bottom in the shape of grape leaves, above which were bunches of grapes, tendrils and stems in embroidery. The leaves were shaded green, the grapes were purple and the skeleton leaves were veined with threads. The stockings were cream white, with ankles of shaded violet, dark at the foot and getting paler as they went up. A straw hat had grape leaves and grapes twined around it. She had given to the artificial leaves and fruit three coats of copel varnish and could go into the water all summer without shedding the dyes.

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