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A LESSON FROM JAY GOULD.

New York Letter to St. Louis Globe Democrat.

A favorite general officer of one of Gould's Western railroads was called to New York a few years ago and jumped on by the Little Wizard as follows:

"They tell me you are broke and don't pay your debts. What is the matter?"

The officer spluttered and stammered.

"It costs me a great deal to live," he replied. "My family is large, rents are high, and doctors' bills have been considerable, but things are not so bad as you seem to think."

"I'll see," said Gould, handing out a check for \$1,000. "Take this over to Connor and tell him to put it in the market as he sees fit; come back here when he tells you to."

The man obeyed. It was an exciting day in Wabash, and he returned to Gould with \$6,000.

"So you've been speculating," exclaimed Gould. "Don't do it again. That's what ails you fellows who don't know what you are about. You better go home now."

The unfortunate speculator bade Gould good by with profuse thanks and started.

"Haven't you forgotten something?" called Gould.

"I don't know."

"Where's that \$1,000 I lent you this morning. It seems to be true that you don't pay your debts. Remember, my boy the essential thing in business is to keep up your credit."

The embarrassed officer paid the \$1,000 and it has never been necessary to dun him for anything since.

HYSTERIA BARELY AVOIDED.

Detroit Free Press

"Tell me, my daughter," said Mr. Munn with some anxiety in his manner, as he led his only child to a seat in the parlor, "wasn't young Mr. Casket here last night?"

"Yes, papa. Why do you ask?"

"Did you and he have a quarrel?"

"No, papa—not a quarrel, exactly. But tell me, has anything happened to him?"

"Did he or did he not propose marriage to you?"

"Yes, he did, papa," replied the girl now thoroughly alarmed. "Do tell me if anything has happened to him. Has he committed sui—"

"What was your reply, daughter? Did you accept him?"

"No, papa. Has his body been diseased?"

"Did you give him any encouragement whatever?"

"No, sir. Did he shoot himself or—"

"You rejected him finally and irrevocably, did you?"

"Yes, papa, and he said he'd go and do something desperate, but I didn't think he'd make way with himself. Oh, papa! isn't it awful?"

"Yes, it's awful. I suspected that you had rejected him when I heard what he had done today."

"Oh, papa! do you think I shall be arrested for it?"

"Oh, dear, no! You didn't have to marry him just because he asked you?"

"But tell me what he has done, papa?"

"He's gone to work."

HAPPENINGS TODAY.

Special Jacks'n, Mich., Aug. 2.—The People's party of Michigan has no extensive following and the leaders are not hopeful of success in any of the congressional districts or in the state. Nevertheless they are meeting in convention today and placing a full state ticket into the field. They are in hopes that the Democrats who are to meet at Grand Rapids on the Seventeenth of this month may endorse at least one or two of their nominees.

Davenport, Ia., Aug. 2.—The great annual Mississippi River Carnival began today in a blaze of glory. Fully 10,000 are here to see the parades, the fair and the races today and tomorrow.

Fargo, N. D., Aug. 2.—The Republicans of the new state are putting a full ticket into the field today. The nominees for state officers will come largely from the farming community with a view to heading off a People's party revolt.

Fremont, O., Aug. 2.—Fremont is today celebrating the anniversary of Colonel Croghan's victorious stand against the British at this point in 1813.

Atlanta, Ga., Aug. 2.—Many of the Democratic primaries for the election of congressional and legislative candidates are being held throughout the State today.

Washington, Aug. 2.—The national convention of the Independent Order of Rechabites began its annual session here today. It closes August 4th.

Crete, Neb., Aug. 2.—Gov. McKinley, of Ohio, is expected to address the Chautauqua Assembly here today on the subject of "American Tariffs."

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ROYAL BABY CLOTHES

BERLIN, July 31.—The confinement of the Empress will take place within a few weeks, and Her Majesty will hereafter keep closely to the Marble Palace, where a small army of physicians have now taken permanent headquarters.

The baby things were yesterday deposited in the extensive vestibule of the Schloss. As usual there are two sets of them, one garnished with blue, which is to be put to use if the new arrival should turn out to be a girl, and the other garnished with the Prussian colors, black and white, in case it should be a Prince.

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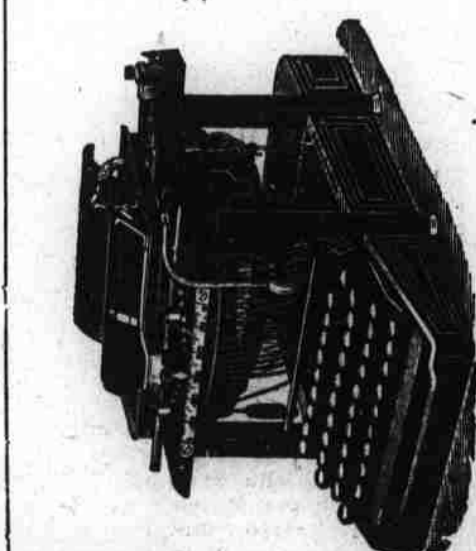
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