

"This Argus o'er the people's rights Doth an eternal vigil keep;

No soothing strains of Ma's son Can lull its hundred eyes to sleep."

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## LAYS DOWN THE LAW.

### PRESIDENT ROOSEVELT ON THE LABOR UNION QUESTION.

To-Night the President Authorized the Publication of a Letter Which Was Sent to Each Member of His Cabinet on July 22nd.

Oyster Bay, Aug. 20.—President Roosevelt has made application to all departments of the government service the principle he enunciated at the time he re-instated William A. Miller to the position in the government printing office from which Miller had been dismissed because of a disagreement with the bookbinders' union. The President has plainly stated to the members of his Cabinet that that principle is to "indicate the policy of the President," in similar cases.

To-night the President authorized the publication of a letter which was sent to each member of his Cabinet on the 22nd of July. The letter was signed by Mr. Barnes, acting secretary to the President, and is as follows:

"My Dear Sir:—The President directs me to send you herewith, for your information, copies of two letters sent to Secretary Cortelyou with reference to the government printing office, which define the attitude of the administration in connection with the subject discussed. They are sent to you for your information and guidance, as they indicate the policy of the President in this matter."

The letters to Secretary Cortelyou were written on July 13 and 14. The salient sentence of the first letter was:

"There is no objection to the employees of the government printing office constituting themselves into a union if they so desire, but no rules or resolution of that union can be permitted to override the laws of the United States, which it is my sworn duty to enforce."

In the letter of the 14th, the President quoted the finding of the anthracite strike commission regarding the employment of labor as follows: "It is adjudged and awarded that no person shall be refused employment or in any way discriminated against on account of membership or non-membership in any labor organization and that there shall be no discrimination against or interference with any employee who is not a member of any labor organization by members of such organization."

## BASE BALL.

Record of Games Played Yesterday by the American, Southern and National Leagues.

**NATIONAL LEAGUE.**  
St. Louis, 8; Philadelphia 5. Chicago 1; Brooklyn 2. Pittsburg 7; New York 13. Cincinnati-Boston.

**AMERICAN LEAGUE.**  
Cleveland 6; Washington 1. Detroit 3; Philadelphia 0. St. Louis 4; New York 2. Chicago-Boston.

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## LORD SALISBURY WEAKER.

### KING HAS BEEN NOTIFIED OF HIS CONDITION.

The End Expected at Any Minute. It is Not Proposed to Issue Any More Bulletins Until Morning.

London, Aug. 20.—A bulletin issued at 10 o'clock to-night said Lord Salisbury's condition was critical and there was little hope of his recovery.

Bulletins have been sent to the King notifying him of his condition. No more bulletins will be issued until morning.

## CARDINAL GIBBONS.

Paris Paper Says He Cast the Vote That Elected the Pope.

The Paris-American Register of August 18 gives an excellent portrait of Cardinal Gibbons and in the article accompanying it pays a high tribute to the American prelate.

The Register says that there is no doubt that Cardinal Gibbons, representing the American Catholics, cast the decisive vote that gave Cardinal Sarto the majority of one and elevated him to the Papal throne. Cardinal Gibbons was the only Cardinal who represented a nation alone, and the Register declares that he was known to be opposed to the policies represented by the other candidates to the chair of St. Peter, and that Cardinal Sarto's pious moderation exactly expressed Cardinal Gibbons' ideal of what a pope should be.

The Register declares that Cardinal Gibbons ranks all over the world among the most brilliant ecclesiastics of the Catholic Church.

## PANAMA CANAL IS DEAD.

The Panama canal bill was passed more than a year ago, and the treaty between the United States and Colombia was ratified in this country last March. The Colombian congress met in June, and now we are told that the committee on the treaty in the Colombian senate first reported it "with nine substantial amendments," and then killed it altogether. No one in this country is permitted to know what those amendments are. All cablesgrams are strictly censored, and Bogota is almost as much cut off of the world as Tibet. An open door in Colombia is needed as well as one in Manchuria.

It is well known, however, that the lobby of the trans-continental railroads had transferred the scene of its operations from Washington to Bogota, and that it was engaged in filling the Colombians with all sorts of yarns—that the scheme is unconstitutional—that it would prevent railroad development in Colombia—that the price offered is too low—that the clericals would use the money to destroy the liberals, and so on to the end of the chapter. It is the word of men in this country who want no isthmian canal, aided perhaps by the reactionary, little, sleepy republic.

Such men can be defeated in one way only, namely, by adopting and putting in operation at once the clause in the act of last June providing that its satisfactory terms cannot be secured from Colombia within reasonable time the President shall proceed to dig a canal on the Nicaragua route. No legislation is needed—nothing but action on the part of the President. Will he do it at the expense of his campaign fund? This is the vital question at present.

If there is any virtue in newspaper commendation, and if the endorsement of the public at large, for the past eight years, is to be taken as a criterion, then "Human Hearts," which will be presented here on the opening night, on September 25, is certainly entitled to take rank as the Great American Drama. During the many years that "Human Hearts" has been presented in this country, the praise accorded it by newspaper critics and the general public has been universal. There have been no dissenting voices; the verdict of approval has been unanimous. Even rival managers have graciously acknowledged that "Human Hearts" is a "mighty good play."

## GOSSIP OF THE WORLD.

### ITEMS OF INTEREST FROM DIVERS SOURCES.

The Latest Telegraphic News of the Day Boiled Down to a Focus For Busy Readers.

The steel trust believes in rotation in office, or at least the inside cliques do.

Chicago, August 20.—A dispatch to the Record-Herald from New Orleans says: The organization of the Southern Textile Company, a combine of Southern cotton yarn mills, has been practically completed, and the mills will soon be taken over. This is the largest cotton merger that has ever taken place. The company, which is capitalized at \$14,000,000, will take over about seventy mills in North Carolina, Georgia, Mississippi, Alabama and Tennessee.

New York, Aug. 20.—One of the biggest crowds of sight-seers and yachtsmen that ever sailed down Sandy Hook to witness an attempt of a foreign cup hunter to wrest from America the yachting supremacy of the world, returned to New York to-night disappointed because the sea had refused a field of combat to the racers, but nevertheless jubilant in the conviction that Sir Thomas Lipton's latest challenger, like the two Shamrockes which had preceded her, was doomed to return to England empty-handed.

Saginaw, Mich., August 20.—James Budd and Eugene Moss, aged 16 years, were burned to death here in an electric light tower at 8 o'clock to-night. It had been the practice of boys playing in that neighborhood to climb the tower, which is 125 feet high, to the platform at the top. To-night the Moss boy, while at the top, touched a wire carrying a heavy current, and instantly his body was a mass of flames. Young Bud had started to descend, but returned to attempt to rescue his companion. The moment he touched the wire he too became enveloped in flames. Both were instantly killed.

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"FORCE," a real-to-serve, ready-to-digest, delightful food, brings the independent strength that comes of health.

## TO-DAY'S MARKET.

Furnished by private wire to J. G. Stear, Mgr. New York, Aug. 21, 1903.

COTTON.		
	Open.	Close.
August	1220	1223
September	1074	1088
October	966	1006
November	977	998
December	978	986
January	975	984
February	976	986
March	977	977
NEW YORK STOCKS.		
	Open.	Close.
Southern Pacific	45 1/2	45 1/2
Union Pacific	76	78 1/2
Sugar	110 1/2	111 1/2
Manhattan	118 1/2	118 1/2
Southern Railway	32 1/2	32 1/2
Southern Railway preferred	38 1/2	38 1/2
Louisville & Nashville	105	104
Brooklyn Rapid Transit	45 1/2	45 1/2
Republic Steel preferred	11 1/2	11 1/2
Wheeling and Lake Erie	11 1/2	11 1/2
Pennsylvania Ry	121 1/2	122 1/2
Achson	42 1/2	42 1/2
St. Paul	142 1/2	142 1/2
Erie	29	29 1/2
U. S. Steel	21	22
U. S. Steel preferred	23 1/2	23 1/2
Reading	66	66 1/2
Copper	68 1/2	67 1/2
Copper and Ings	65 1/2	65 1/2
Missouri Pacific	34	34 1/2
Western Union	94 1/2	94 1/2
Western Union preferred	94 1/2	94 1/2
Norfolk & Western	67 1/2	67 1/2
New York Central	120 1/2	121
Metropolitan Railway	118 1/2	119
American Cotton Oil	32 1/2	32 1/2
Cheapeake & Ohio	32 1/2	32 1/2
Baltimore & Ohio	32 1/2	32 1/2
Y. & C. Steel	34 1/2	34 1/2

Chicago Grain and Provisions.		
	Open.	Close.
Sept. Wheat	80 1/2	80 1/2
Sept. Corn	60 1/2	61 1/2
Sept. Rye	74 1/2	74 1/2
Sept. Oats	27 1/2	27 1/2
Sept. Pork	18 1/2	18 1/2

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Almost everybody who reads the newspapers is sure to know of the wonderful cures made by Dr. Kilmer's Swamp-Root, the great kidney, liver and bladder remedy.

It is the great medicinal triumph of the nineteenth century, discovered after years of scientific research by Dr. Kilmer, the eminent kidney and bladder specialist, and is wonderfully successful in promptly curing kidney, bladder, uretic acid troubles and Bright's Disease, which is the worst form of kidney trouble.

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