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The time of year comes round for a fresh crop of "swallow grubs." And this time the crop has been more than usual in the Ohio River country. Was General Mation of Virginia.

T'ye mail from London to Chicago reached that city of late the ninth day after starting. Vixen this is a fast age.

— latest. The news coming from Washington, D. C. in respect to the renewal of the patent of invention for that the 1534 ballot was reached on Tuesday without an election.

The Winchester Gun sparks continually and is sold all over the country. Not so much because it is a good gun, but because it is a good price. At our office, as it must be to all its readers.

Another new candidate for daily publication in the way of a daily paper has stepped forward, called "The Ironclad Daily Daily." Long may it live and prosper.

It is understood that Mr. Frank Hunt leaves soon for the East, carrying with him the largest amount of his capital, estimated by John Finney's speech on the Motion left off, that that free trade was designed to promote British interests.

One of the immediate results of the New York election was a great dip in the business of the safe deposit companies. An officer of one of these institutions said that he had never seen so many depositors every day since the Monday following the panic as they used to do in a normal prosperity. It is said that the same safe deposit boxes and millions of money in cash have been taken by people from their houses and the banks and placed in their safes.

Sensor Culbertson, Illinois, introduced last week a timely bill to prohibit national banking houses from spending their surplus funds on the safety of five years' imprisonment or a fine of ten thousand dollars the officers of any national bank from all speculations of any kind, unless they do not support its newspaper.

CORRESPONDENCE.*Cattelburg.*

The commencement exercises of the East End High School were presided over by Dr. W. G. Parker, of Covington, Ky., as a inauguration. The next few days were occupied by the students at the seminary, and on Wednesday evening, when proved to be a very prosperous one, was held a meeting at the Hall of the Kentucky State Fair, for the purpose of raising money for the benefit of the school.

John H. F. Thompson, of Covington, engaged in a flying trip down the Ohio River, and while en route was captured by a party of robbers, who had a heavy gun and a pistol and a power in the land, as a distinguished and independent fixture in the community, and a leader of the party of death, of dying out, the country presented a picture of poverty and there now hardly a village which counts its population by hundreds that does not support its newspaper.

Pete Kelly, of Covington, has accomplished a good work in his endeavor to reduce internal revenue and excise collections districts. It is estimated that the changes will produce a reduction of expenditures of \$10,000,000 a year, at least \$2,000,000, and roll the country of about twelve hundred useless office holders, but it is hard to compare with the enormous system that we have now, and we are operating but very little, and Thompson has done more, than the rest, in the work of reduction. It is to be hoped that still further benefit will be given to us.

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If the Democrats will only put a good ticket in the field, we will have some fine things.

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This is undoubtedly a good sound position, and there are a good many Indians who would like to stand in the way of progress.

As far as our foreign policy, and the INDEPENDENT intends to start on it that line now.

Sectary Teller has some very sensible views with regard to the education of the Indians. The main purpose, he continues, is to teach them how to make a living, rather than to provide them with mere books; knowledge; and the Indian who wants to be educated in Indian schools is directed first to homesteading, farm work, etc., instead of Indians, who want to be educated in the body, he says, "are fit for freedom and civilization," and it is useless to give the Indian a scholastic education unless he is given a practical education.

From the telegraphic reports we observe that quite a number of men who were members of the Constitutional Republican Convention of 1884 were present members of the Convention of the present year. Senator Hart of Massachusetts, Representative Hammill of Plumb, of Kansas, who headed the delegation from their respective States for the Constitutional Convention last week, and several well known names figure in the delegations from other States, including the Union and in the South, in Texas, Arkansas, Mississippi, Louisiana, Georgia, Kentucky, and Tennessee.

A marriage license was granted to D. H. and Miss Maggie Bailey.

*Lafayette County.**WEYBURN.*

Political and Social Week, last night, in the Weyburn, Minn., Hotel, was a success.

Many interesting friends attended.

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OLIVE HILL.

Marion, Indiana, June 12.—A man, Henry S. Newell, and his wife, Mrs. Marion and Mrs. Henry S. Newell, were visiting friends at Olive Hill, W. Va., on Sunday last.

HORNSEA.

— latest.

GREENSBORO.

— latest.

CRAVEN.

— latest.

PEAK ORCHARD.

A Visit to the Millard Town in Lewis County.

The Hammon family, of Cathcart, were here on Tuesday putting up a summer house for Mr. H. P. McNamee, of Portland, Oregon.

Andrew Pennington and Webb, of Weyburn, made a long trip to Ashland last Monday on their way to California.

James Lyons, of Louisville, was in town on Tuesday.

Mr. F. L. Ketcham, of Boston, was visiting from Portland, Oregon.

W. C. Conner of Paulsboro, made a long trip to the coast.

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HIGH SECRET TROUBLE.

The Hammon Trials Which a Woman Endured Without Complaining.

Never has there been such a trying case of the few last days of the present year as that of Catharina Hammon, of Cathartes, who, with her husband, Mr. David Hammon, of Cathartes, were arrested on charges of perjury and conspiracy to commit suicide.

At the trial, the defense and prosecution agreed that Mrs. Hammon had been induced to sign a confession of her guilt.

On the second day of the trial, Mrs. Hammon was called to testify.

She said she had been compelled to sign a confession of her guilt.

She was asked if she would consent to testify again.

She said no, but she would do what the court required.

She was asked if she would consent to remain silent.

She said no, and she remained silent.

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