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**Timely Caution.**  
Clerk of Western Hotel—I thought it best to caution that old fellow who just came in about blowing out the gas. Proprietor—Where's he from? Clerk—From the Greater New York.—Life.

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What a little spark can do is illustrated by the burning down of Chicago, and the modern apparatus for putting out great fires. The spark too enters the human family with devastating effects; hence we hear of so many deaths by accidents with fire among careless cooks and children. This is another field of operation—but a bottle of St. Jacobs Oil is the apparatus to put the fire out of the system. Used according to direction it will soothe, heal, cure and leave no ugly scar behind. The healing process gives new surface and kindly does its work.

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**CURE** Headache, Dyspepsia, Constipation, Heartburn, Dizziness, Biliousness.

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## TELEGRAPHIC TICKS.

Liquor licenses carried the day in most of the Minnesota town elections.  
Fifty miners were killed by a mine explosion in Austrian Silesia.  
The Santa Fe, Preston and Phoenix railroad has been opened for traffic.  
A Swedish aeronaut, Andrs, claims he can go to the North Pole by balloon in 10 hours.  
California fruit crops have been almost ruined by frost.

The Federation of Labor boycott on Brockton shoes has been lifted.

The Match Trust has swallowed its rival, the American Match Company.

The State Council of Germany will recommend an increase of the sugar bounty.

The mysterious epidemic in Floyd county, Ky., is believed to be cerebrospinal meningitis.

Amos Gibson, a negro at Forsythe, Ga., who assaulted two respectable white women, was lynched.

The constitutionality of the new Illinois sweat shop law is to be tested in the State Supreme Court.

Deputy Collector James T. Taylor was waylaid, shot and robbed by unknown men near Knoxville, Tenn.

Anti-trust whiskey men have decided to build another immense independent distillery at Terre Haute, Ind.

The French General Metzinger is preparing to open a campaign in Madagascar with 2,000 men.

Napoleon, Mich., is being worked up to a high state of excitement over war between churches and secret societies.

Sixteen persons barely escaped death in the burning of the Whitman block at Omaha. The building was set on fire.

Governor McIntyre, of Colorado, has issued a proclamation offering \$1,000 reward for the capture of any or all the men who lynched the Italians at Walsenburg.

The Holland States General has passed a credit of 10,000,000 guilders, the money to be used in equipping the army with Mannlicher rifles.

According to Judge Baker almost every jury in Cook county since 1866 has been selected illegally. An investigation has been ordered.

A freight train on the A. & P. railroad was wrecked in Truxon Canon, Arizona. Engineer Sullivan and brakeman Beatty were instantly killed.

The Republicans of Rhode Island nominated Charles Warren Lippitt for Governor. The Democrats nominated George L. Littlefield.

Reports have been received of 40 bodies having been washed ashore on the Spanish coast during the recent storm. None of them was of men belonging to the Reina Regente.

An alarming epidemic is raging among horses in Halifax and the disease is easily contracted by human beings who come in contact with the infected animals. Veterinarians pronounce the affection equine smallpox.

Nine Italians, charged with murder, and on their way to prison in a wagon, were freed upon from ambush near Walsenburg, Col., presumably by miners. Four of the Italians and the driver were killed.

## CROP REPORT.

Estimates of Corn and Wheat Now on Hand.

The crop report of the department of Agriculture for the month of March, consists principally of estimates of the distribution of corn and wheat, and the stocks remaining in the hands of farmers, and the proportions of merchantable and unmerchantable. The report is based on country estimates of the percentage of last year's product remaining on hand.

The corn on hand as estimated aggregates 475,664,450 bushels, or 39.2 percent of the last crop. This proportion has been exceeded but four times in the last 10 years, the quantity, however, is an unprecedentedly small one. The consumption of corn for eight months is an unusually small one, which fact is explained by the large amount of wheat fed to stock.

The estimated amount of wheat in farmers' hands is 75,000,000 bushels, or 16.3 per cent of the last crop, and 39,000,000 bushels less than last March. The explanation for this in large measure is to be found in the fact that large quantities have been fed to hogs and other stock. Returns from North and South Dakota, Nebraska and Kansas indicate unprecedented exhaustion of last year's crop, correspondents in many counties reporting not enough on hand for spring seed and necessary food supply.

## NITRO-GLYCERINE.

Not a Particle of the Remains of a Victim Could Be Found.

About 3,000 pounds of nitro-glycerine exploded at the Hancock Chemical Works, near Dollar Bay, Mich. All the buildings of the company were wrecked. It being the noon hour, only one man, Dominick Christian, was killed. Several were injured by flying debris, but none seriously. The cause of the explosion is a mystery. Christian's duty was to attend the mixing of acid and glycerine. He was in the nitro-glycerine vault when the explosion occurred. Not even a particle of his remains could be found. Carl Ulrich, who was in the mixing house, only a few feet away, escaped by being wedged between the acid tubes which were covered by an iron frame.

## First State Election.

The first state election this year will be that of Rhode Island, on the first Wednesday of April. The officers to be elected are a governor, who is paid \$1,000 a year, a lieutenant-governor, secretary of state, attorney-general and state treasurer. The conventions of both parties met in Providence Saturday and placed full tickets in nomination, the candidates for governor being Charles Warren Lippitt, Republican, and George L. Littlefield, Democrat. The Democrats are making their fight in favor of a convention to revise the constitution of the state.

## Advance in Wages.

Not since the days of old syndicate has the Connelville coker received such pleasant news as came to the almost 10,000 employes of the Frick and Southwest Companies whose notices were posted at their works stating that an advance in wages of about 15 per cent, will go into effect in April. The rate for mining per 100 bushels goes from 78 to 90 cents, drawing from 45 to 50 cents, and so on down through the different kinds of labor. The yard laborer is the only person who gets no advance, his pay continuing at \$1 20 per day.

An Anti-Trust distilling company has decided to erect a large distillery at Terre Haute, Ind.

## BIG GAS ENGINES.

Some of the Tremendous Machines Which Are Run by Electricity.

It is not long ago that a fifty or a seventy-five horse power gas engine was one of the big things in engineering and was looked upon as a noteworthy achievement. How completely this state of affairs has been changed is perhaps best shown by the several recently published accounts of the power plant of the Pantin flour mill in France, which comprises a single-cylinder Simplex gas engine, rated at nothing less than 329 indicated horse power. The brake horse power is 250. The engine is worked by producer gas and has been pointed to as an admirable illustration of the certainty with which the steam engine is being displaced for other forms of motors. Now that this jump to a 320-horse power gas engine has been made, and, apparently, with results of a most encouraging nature, an early step to still larger sizes seems more than probable, and it may not be long before we shall hear of the building of the 500-horse power engine which Messrs. Matter & Co., of Rouen, the builders of the present Simplex engine, have in view. The Messrs. Thwaite & Swinburne, in England, too, in agitating the subject of distributing electricity from the Midland coal districts direct to London have contemplated the use of gas engine units of 300-horse power for a 10,000-horse power station, so that the era of gas engines of several hundred horse power each would seem to be fairly ushered in. The Pantin mills engine, as a result of a 104-hour test, shows a consumption of 1,043 pounds of coal per brake horse power per hour. The consumption of jacket cooling water and water for the gas producer and washer for the same test was found to be 68.3 pounds per horse power per hour, or very much less than the best condensing steam engines would use, though about double the quantity that would be required for the best uncondensing engines.

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