Those epicures who are despondent over the probable early extinction of the lobster should cheer up. The "crawdad" crop of Missouri and Illinois promises to be inexhaustible.

Among the contributions for the poor two pair of skates, one pie, and 23 invisible hairpins, all from the same kind-hearted individual.

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For many years the weather station at Marquette, Mich., had the distinction of reporting the greatest snowfall in the United States. Show lines on old weather maps showed Marquette as the radiating point. Last winter the deepest snow fell at Saul Ste. Marie, and the map was changed. Now the copper country is the place of deepest snow, Marquette seeming to be almost on the edge of the belt.

For some years Emperor William wore his mustache with a ferocious upper curl, that gave him a very military aspect. A great change has taken place during the last few months. The imperial mustache nove stands at right angles with the imperial countenance, just as an ordinary civillan's might. This circumstance is regarded by some as a happy augury for the peace of Europe.

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It has been announced in Paris, Tex., that a prisoner, S. E. Knight, in the federal jail there, has invented an aluminum airship, weighing 700 pounds, in the manufacture of which a New York company is said to have expressed a willingness to back him. The inventor will not be likely to enjoy a trip in his airship until his term has expired.

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Having satisfied themselves that Democratic senators would make no further concession, the Republicans accepted the last proposition made by the Democratic senators would make no further concessions, the Republicans accepted the last proposition made by the Democratic stering committee, and the vacancies in the senate committees will all be filled in a few days. Politically speaking the committees will stand substantially as they did at the close of the last session. An agreement neight have been reached before, but the Republicans for supporting Bryan, and the Democrats insisted that it should not be done, and it was not done.

The readers of this paper will be pleased to learn that there is at least one dreaded disease that science has been able to cure in all its stages and that is catarrh. Hall's catarrh cure is the only positive cure now known to the medical fraternity. Catarrh being a constitutional disease requires a constitution of the disease, and giving the patient strength by building up the constitution and assisting nature in doing its work. The proprietors have so much faith in its curative powers, that they offer one hundred dollars for any case that it fails to cure. Send for list of testimonials. Address,

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NEWS OF THE WEEK.

Thursday, April 15.

Washington dispatches state that Cornelius Van Cott will be appointed postmaster of New York.

Frusident McKinley has nominated George D. Mcikeljohn of Nebraska to be assistant secretary of war.

Frederick A. Hecht, a wealthy young fancy goods merchant, whose business establishment was om Broadway, New York, committed suicide.

James B. Anzell has been nominated.

James B. Angell has been nominated for minister to Turkey. He was born in Rhode Island in 1829, but has résided in Michigan for 20 years. He is president of the Michigan university.

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Edwin Reynolds, his wife and daughter were murdered and their home in Oakland. R. I., set on fire. Martin Mowry, an eccentric old man who lived in the house, was arrested. He claimed that the crime was committed by masked robbers.

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Friday, April 16.

Father Kneipp, the water cure priest, is critically ill at Worlshofen, Germany. Members of the New York East Methodist conference passed a resolution condemning Sunday bicycling.

Carter Harrison took office as mayor of Chicago and appointed gold standard Democrats to the two most responsible places in his cabinet.

Fire in New Orleans destroyed one of the principal blocks in the business section of the city. Two newspaper offices were also burned out. The total loss is \$400,000.

Mrs. Elizabeth R. Tilton, wife of Theodore Tilton, who sued the late Henry Ward Beecher for allenating his wife's affections, died at her home, in Brooklyn, of paralysis.

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A NNUAL STATEMENT of the borough of Freeland for the year 1865-97.

Hugh Malloy, tax collector.

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