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It was a quarter of a century ago on June 26 that Maj. Gen. John Pope was appointed to command the Army of Virginia. The scattered forces of Banks, Fremont and McDowell that had been demoralized by the movements of Stonewall Jackson in the Shenandoah valley were to be united into one army, the Army of Virginia, and put under one head. That head was Gen. Pope.

GEN. POPE.

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MAP OF POPE'S VIRGINIA CAMPAIGN.

GEN. RUFUS KING.

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The battle of Chantilly was fought on Monday, Sept. 1, on a ridge called Ox Hill, near the village of Chantilly.

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The Wretched Hindoo Who Remains Poor, with Wealth Within His Grasp.

"The opium farmer of India lives and labors with but three objects in view. These are, first, to decorate his wife profusely with ornaments, to cut off a brass plate, and to be in a position to make a great display when his eldest son is married. As far as the wife's jewelry is concerned, that is a matter of religious duty, the Hindoo religion demanding that certain ornaments must be worn by married women, and the real wealth, if wealth it may be called, of the native landowner is in his wife's jewels, and whatever a husbandman can gain by his poppy culture he immediately invests in jewelry, the same as the Yankee farmer places his money in bond and mortgage. If the Indian farmer on marrying cannot do any better in the way of jewelry, he must give the bride he obtains lead ornaments. This keeps the religious form, but the very first year he has been energetic enough to raise a good opium crop the lead jewelry gives place to silver or gold. On the marriage of his oldest son an Indian farmer will waste in a week's jollification the entire savings of years of privation.

"It is a strange sight to see the Hindoo women at work in the fields, gathering poppy juice or picking weeds, decked out with huge gold rings, bracelets, anklets and chains, and wearing but a single short petticoat and a gay colored wrap of light texture. The wants of the Indian ryot, as the farmer is called, are very few and simple. A thatched roof, covering four confined mud walls, shelters him, and there are families who have lived for hundreds of years, generation after generation, in the same hovel like homestead. The farmer's suit of every day working clothes is a very scant cloth fastened about his loins. His 'dress up' suit is a big cotton sheet folded about him. His entire family, from himself down to the smallest child he owns, that is not too small to crawl about among the poppy plants and know the difference between a weed and a poppy, share in the toil of the field. The small children are clothed just as they came into the world, and appear comfortable, no matter how hot the sun shines or how low the temperature may fall—and in November, December, January and February, when the bulk of the field work is done, the weather is quite cold enough for at least summer clothing.

"These happy go lucky tillers of the soil depend entirely on the government to keep them going year after year in the matter of farming. Thus the government advances the poppy seed that is to be sown, loans the money by which the land is irrigated and the bullocks purchased to carry on the work. The cultivator will not till more of his land than he can manage without other help than his own immediate family, and, consequently, a patch leased to any one farmer that is half an acre in extent is an exceptionally large holding. The one-twentieth of an acre, called a bigha, is the favorite quantity of land for a farmer to seed down with poppies, but he will put in a tenth or a sixth on a pinch. There are untold advantages in the growing of opium for extended enterprise, but the cost will not expend the smallest Indian ryot to acquire those advantages, and with it great gain, for the profit in opium production is large, owing to the policy ...

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SELMA, N. C., Feb. 11, 1887.

Gentlemen:—Yours inquiring whether or not I had been benefited by Kaskine, and if so to what extent, &c., to hand. In reply will say that my health has not been as good in twenty years as now. I suffered with chills from malarial poison contracted while serving in the Confederate army on the Peninsular Campaigns in Virginia. Did not miss having a chill at least once in twenty-one days, and more frequently once in seven days, for more than fifteen years.

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Kentucky Fairs.

Lawrenceburg, Aug. 16, 4 days.
Columbia, Aug. 16, 4 days.
Maysville, Aug. 17, 4 days.
Shelbyville, Aug. 23, 4 days.
Springfield, Aug. 30 4 days.
Latonia, Aug. 23, 5 days.
Lexington, Aug. 30, 5 days.
Paris, Sept. 6, 5 days.
Bardstown, Sept. 6, 4 days.
Falmouth, Sept. 13, 5 days.
Somerset, Sept. 13, 4 days.
Germantown, Oct. 12, 4 days.

Advice to Young Men.

"I see a good many items in the papers advising young men to go West, and especially Kansas City," said a young man in search of a good situation. "Now, Kansas City is a great town, a hustling business community; in fact, one of the most progressive places in the country. But I would advise nobody to go there unless he has some capital to start in business with. The man who expects nothing to live on except a salary had better stay away. The reputation for being 'on a boom' which Kansas City has acquired has caused such an influx of men seeking employment that wages are lower than most anywhere else. I know the average salaries paid in Kansas City are lower than in Louisville and the cost of living in the former city is much larger. Board, rent etc., are all high out there. Young men unless you can count on a sure thing when you get there don't go to Kansas City."—Louisville Post.

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THAT ever-recurring problem of the scarcity of marriageable men and the abundance of marriageable women crops out no where so conspicuously as it does at the summer resorts. News from all directions shows that the portion this year is much worse than ever. In some fashionable places there is an average of four girls to one young man and at all the resorts there are not near enough men to go round.

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The best salve in the world for cuts, bruises, sores, ulcers, salt rheum, fever sores, tetter, chapped hands, chilblains, corns, and all skin eruptions, and positively cures piles, or no pay required. It is guaranteed to give perfect satisfaction, or money refunded. Price 25 cts. per box. For sale by Tureman & Howell.

A CANNON ball in motion, at the rate of thirteen hundred feet a second, has been photographed by a Hungarian artist at Pesth.

DR. E. O. GUERRANT, of Troy, Ky., returned from a trip to the mountain counties of Eastern Kentucky last Friday. He reports crops all along the Kentucky River Valley very fine, and an abundance of rain everywhere except on North Fork. Considerable improvements are being made in the mountain counties, and the best of order prevails; no difficulties or disturbances of any kind. Where factions once existed, peace and harmony now prevail. It will not be improper to say in this connection that Breathitt county, which a few years ago had a name as bad as Rowan, (called the dark and bloody ground of Kentucky) has become peaceful and is to-day abreast with any other county in the State and advancing in prosperity. It will be remembered that the Governor wisely sent to Breathitt the State troops to make the necessary arrests, and Judge Jackson, of Louisville, as special Judge, and Kinney as Prosecuting Attorney. All parties did their duty, and with one court the lawlessness of that county was broken up, and where riots were of daily occurrence, the religion of the Lord Jesus to-day prevails. Ministers armed with the gospel have gone through the county and the results are salutary. The remedy for poor, God-forsaken Rowan is about the same. A special act should be passed by our Legislature to carry the indictments against the parties of that county to a remote part of the State where there is neither feeling nor prejudice, and have all criminals tried by a special Judge. In this way justice would be meeted out and Rowan county would again be restored to quiet, and the gospel would again find its way to the hearts of the people, and this county like Breathitt would soon acquire a name for peace and quiet. The Dr. visited nine new churches which he had organized, and received twenty-nine new members. His trip was a prosperous one. He is a very popular evangelist in the mountains, as well as all other points he visits and is by his earnest preaching, doing a vast amount of good. Eastern Kentucky he says is filled with agents who are making large land purchases. There is a bright future for Eastern Kentucky.—Winchester Gazette.

A Woman's Age.

A woman, it is said, is no older than she looks. Many women, however, look double their actual age by reason of those functional disorders which wear upon the nerves and vitality, and which, if unchecked, are liable to change the most robust woman to a weak, broken-down invalid. Dr. Pierce's "Favorite Prescription" will positively cure every irregularity and weakness peculiar to the sex, and requires but a single trial to prove its surpassing merit. Price reduced to one dollar. By druggists.

Save the Children. They are especially liable to sudden Colds, Coughs, Croup, Whooping Cough, etc. We guarantee Acker's English Remedy a positive cure. It saves hours of anxious watching. Sold by Tureman & Howell, Druggists.

"Why is it," said a gentleman who is inclined to be something of a philosopher, "that you get shaved at a barber shop the barber washes your face and leaves the most prominent feature of it untouched? If you think of it, you never knew of a barber applying water to your nose. He washes your forehead, your cheeks and chin, but he carefully avoids the promontory in the center. I don't know why it should be so. It seems to me a man's nose should be cleaned up as much as the rest of his face, but I'll bet you never heard of a barber that took that view of the matter."

Don't Experiment.

You cannot afford to waste time in experimenting when your lungs are in danger. Consumption always seems, at first only a cold. Do not permit any dealer to impose upon you with some cheap imitation of Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption, Coughs and Colds, but be sure you get the genuine. Because he can make more profit he may tell you he has something just as good, or the same. Don't be deceived, but insist upon getting Dr. King's New Discovery, which is guaranteed to give relief in all Throat, Lung and Chest affections. Trial bottles free at Tureman & Howell's Drug Store.

IF your boy suddenly astonishes you by a fondness for hard work don't be too much elated, oh, deluded father. First see whether the town isn't billed for a circus.

The Great "Lock Up."

NEW YORK, July 27, 1887.

The situation is startling. If allowed to continue every interest will feel it. Every foot of land will become of less value, every bushel of wheat, every bushel of corn, every pound of cotton will decline in value. On the other hand, if the administration goes to work under the power given it by existing laws, and earnestly tries to frame new laws for the consideration of the incoming Congress, we shall see such an era of properity as was never before witnessed in this land.

THE SITUATION.

The fact is, that, with the exception of some twenty millions deposited by the Treasury with National Banks, there is now "locked up" out of use and drawing no interest, in the United States Treasury, the vast sum of nearly $350,000,000.

One hundred millions of this vast sum the Treasury is obliged to keep under the laws as a reserve against United States notes.

Upwards of another hundred millions of this vast sum is retained to redeem the notes of National Banks failed or retiring circulation.

There is no law requiring the Treasury to keep this sum locked up. It is only required to redeem the notes as presented.

It will be years before these National Bank notes will all come in, and it is more than likely that 3 to 5 per cent. will never be presented.

Should this money be idle these years? If it must, then there must be some defect in the National Banking Law which ought to be corrected.

Why Congress should have put in the power of the National Bank to use the Treasury in this way, is a serious question.

Of the balance of this vast sum there is retained to meet past due bonds, Disbursing Officers' drafts, P. O. Department accounts and diverse appropriations, nearly seventy million dollars, just as if the treasury was not receiving from the people every month upwards of twenty-five million dollars to meet all these things.

For all the above the Treasury Department may set up a valid excuse; but, if so, the next Congress should see that something is done to utilize as large a part of this $270,000,000 as is consistent and safe.

Still remaining is $70,000,000 for which lock up there is no reason or law except the ruling or wishes of the Treasury Department.

It is well for the people to know how the Treasury stands.

The following figures are from the official statement issued by Secretary Fairchild, June 30, 1887.

IN THE TREASURY.

Gold Coin and Bullion	$279,101,106.26
Silver—Standard Bullion, Trade Dollars and Fractional Silver.	249,495,207.84
United States Notes	26,793,766.79
National Bank Notes	167,346.00
Deposited in National Banks	22,081,302.28
	$579,368,349.04
At same date the Treasury had outstanding:	
Gold Certificates	$91,225,437.00
Silver Certificates	142,118,017.00
U. S. Notes Certificates	8,770,000.00
	$242,113,454.00
Thus leaving, with the exception of the little part in the National Bank, Locked Up in the Treasury	$337,455,895.04

With an outstanding of over one thousand millions on which the people are taxed $44,638,466 yearly for interest payments, we should submit the simple question:

Is it just to the people to keep, year in and year out, $337,000,000 locked up in the Treasury, drawing no interest, and doing no good.

Since the issue of our circular of June 16th—"What Use Shall the Government make of its surplus,"—we have received hundreds of newspapers and communications from all parts of the land on this subject, showing a deep interest and concern over the Treasury surplus. By far the largest majority think as we do that the sooner the "rebellion" debt is cleared out, bought up, paid off and forgotten, the better for the country.

It would be far better for the country if $150,000,000 of this money was immediately used, to reduced the interest bearing debt, even if the Government made nothing by it; but, it can not only reduce the debt, but save millions in the future interest payments by doing so.

Truly,

HARVEY FISK & SON.

Physicians Have Found Out.

That a contaminating and foreign element in the blood, developed by indigestion, is the cause of rheumatism. This settles upon the sensative sub-cutaneous covering of the muscles and ligaments of the joints, causing constant and shifting pain, and aggregating as a calcareous, chalky deposit which produces stiffness and distortion of the joints. No fact which experience has demonstrated in regard to Hostetter's Stomache Bitters has stronger evidence to support than this, namely that this medicine of comprehensive uses checks the formidable and atrocious disease, nor is it less positively established that it is preferable to the poisons often used to arrest it, since the medicine contains only salutary ingredients. It is also a signal remedy for malarial fevers, constipation, dyspepsia, kidney and bladder ailments, debility and other disorders. See that you get the genuine.

Can't Sleep Nights is the complaint of thousands suffering from Asthma, Consumption, Coughs, etc. Did you ever try Acker's English Remedy? It is the best preparation known for all Lung Troubles, sold on a positive guarantee at 10c., 50c. Tureman & Howell, Druggists.

A. J. WHITMANN, book-keeper of the Central Union Telephone Company of Chicago, is under arrest for forgeries which the Company claims have lost it $30,000.

A Certain Cure for Catarrh.

TRIMBLE, TENN., Feb. 28, 1887.

Gentlemen—For seven years I have had catarrh. Three years of that time I was unable to work. Unfortunately, early in my affliction my breath became very offensive. For seven years I could smell nothing, and I had no taste. How offensive my breath was all those seven years I need not tell. What were my sufferings of mind at not being able to taste or smell anything, can easily be imagined. I was treated by physicians all during that time, and I tried numerous medicines advertised. I bought one course of treatment I saw advertised for $16 that was not worth five cents. Last spring a year ago a pamphlet from the Swift's Specific Company came under my notice, and I determined to try the Specific. Fourteen small bottles completely cured me that spring and summer. Worked in the crop for the first time in four years, and I have been working right along since without having the slightest return of catarrh. The wonderful of me has been the means of bringing S. S. S. to the favorable notice of many neighbors. I regard it as a wonderful blood purifier, and a certain cure of catarrh when given a fair trial.

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A Case of Deafness Cured.

Office of Shaw & Baldwin's Wholesale Notion House, Toledo, O., Dec. 11, '87.

F. J. Cheney & Co., Toledo, O.—Dear Sirs: About three months ago, noticing a letter addressed to you in the Bee from Gen. Slevins, in reference to the cure of his son by the use of Hall's Catarrh Cure, we were induced to commence the use of it for our daughter Nellie now fourteen years old, who has been suffering from catarrh for about 8 years, during which time she has been treated by one of the best physicians in the city. We have also tried the use of almost all the known remedies for catarrh, with no more success than temporary relief. Many nights have we laid awake to hold her mouth open to keep her from strangling. Her hearing had also become affected. We were afraid that she would never recover. We have now used six bottles of Hall's Catarrh Cure, and we believe Nellie to be entirely cured. In a few days after commencing the use of it we noticed a decided change for the better, and from that right along she was improved, until now she breathes as easily as any one. She sleeps well and her hearing is perfectly good. We feel that the disease is entirely removed. We write this unsolicited letter, feeling that it is due you, and with the hope that others may be benefited in like manner. We can hardly realize that such a change could be effected in so short a time after battling with disease so long. We are still using the remedy at intervals, as it seems to build up her system. You are at liberty to use this in any manner you see proper. We are yours, truly,

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