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THE COMET.

BY A. J. KING.

(Continued.)

In 1846, Biela's comet was seen to divide, by the astronomers at Washington, into two comets, of nearly equal size, each with nucleus, coma and tail, and traveled along together. Three days after, this division was discovered in Europe. There appeared to be a band of light connecting the two together like the Siamese twins. Sometimes one was brightest then the other. They disappeared from view in this condition. At the time of its next proximity to Earth, in 1852, the twins appeared in nearly the same form as when they disappeared in 1846. Since then, observers have failed to see it. It has been conjectured by astronomers, that it had disintegrated, and left itself along its track in bits of gas, and when the Earth passed through its orbit, these remnants took fire by contact with our atmosphere and produced the showers of meteors that have repeatedly illuminated the sky, since, while Earth is in that part of its orbit. Why it should disintegrate, they fail to explain. It seems to me there is a more rational way of explaining the cause of meteors, than to attribute them to comets tails. Meteoric showers had occurred many times before then, and far more remarkable. The truth probably is, observers failed to see it, from some cause; and now, conditions being favorable, they have again been able to see it united as one, as it used to be. Undergoing such transformations of form, in re-organizing its matter, it might not have so readily reflected the light from Sun, and thus escaped observation since 1852. It being due, and according to good authority having the same orbit as Biela's, it undoubtedly is that comet.

Comets of long period from about eighty years upward, are all far larger than those of short period, and correspond with the periods and size of our exterior planets from Uranus outward. The period of Uranus is eighty-four years, and Neptune one hundred and sixty-four years. There may be other planets outside of Neptune belonging to this system which the great telescopes now building may reveal to mankind. Neptune is nearly one hundred times larger than Earth and is 2,800,000,000 of miles from Sun, whose light is transmitted to it in four hours twelve minutes and fifteen seconds. It only takes eight minutes for Sun's light to reach Earth. As incomprehensible as the distance from Sun to Neptune is, it is as almost nothing compared to the distance of Sun to its nearest sister Sun, whose light takes about four years to traverse the space. No star seen in the northern hemisphere of Earth whose light does not require more than ten years to reach us. So there is plenty of room for more planets in our system outside of Neptune without interfering with the planets of other Suns, even if in their infantile condition their orbits are very eccentric. We have no reason to suppose that this incomprehensible space lying between suns, is unnecessary in the development and regulation of the heavenly bodies; but, rather, that infinite wisdom placed every one in the most favorable position possible for its just development and exerting its most potent forces for the bringing forth of nature's grandest work, the highest embodied intelligence—Man.

We can readily see that the outer planets of a system while in a cometic state, with such orbits as all comets have, must have immense room. Now let us suppose there are outer planets belonging to our system still young and cometic. The rule of distances between the planets is, the next outer from any one, is not quite twice the distance from Sun of that one, and its period is about twice as long. Continuing this rule for two more planets and we will have the next beyond Neptune of a mean orbit of about 4,800,000,000 of miles and whose period would be about 328 years. The next, say 8,800,000,000 of miles, with a period of 656 years. These periods will

correspond to the appearance of noted comets in the world's history. If they really come within our system obeying the forces of Sun and revolving around him, then they belong to our system—to the family of Sun, and it is incredible—as some astronomers teach—that any such can be repulsed so far that it cannot be attracted again to its bosom—sent out a very Cain tramping the Universe without home or abiding place—a destroyer of all the balances of forces of systems, destructive to order, and therefore to the life of the Universe. "Order is heaven's first law," and law is the order of heaven. Do not believe that any thing based upon disorder can be true; can be science. The exquisite adjustment of the forces and matter in the developed planets in the Solar System, is something that excites in those who appreciate it, something higher than admiration for its Maker and Adjuster. No chronometer made by man compares in exactness with the time of the revolution of Earth on its axis or in its orbit. Since first recorded time, it has not varied a second.

Man may theorize upon the friction of the tides and the consequent slowing of earth's revolutions; but the compensatory forces they do not calculate. The great dynamo—Sun—keeps right on, and all the motors—planets and comets—to which it is attached by electric connections—embers of space—keep right on in perfect time. But, were it subject to have new and strange bodies attached and detached, disorder, confusion, and destruction must inevitably ensue. No, it cannot be that such immense bodies as some of these comets are, can be hurled, as they tell us, hundreds of thousands of miles per second, developing tails, as is said to have been done in one case, sixty millions of miles in length in two days, and then hurled out of the system, beyond the attractive force of Sun, without greatly disturbing the system. Comets are no exception to the order of the Universe. They are filling their sphere as all else is, and all are under the control of Infinite wisdom and power, and none need to fear. In 1459 a comet appeared, and the people were greatly terrified. The Turks had lately taken Constantinople, and Christians feared they would conquer Europe. The Pope went out heading a procession, preceded by the crucifix every day, while the comet seemed so threatening, and solemnly anathematized, and excommunicated, "the Devil, the Turk and the comet." The comet could not stand it, and left; but the Devil and the Turk have persisted till our time, though both are slowly but inevitably dwindling away.

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Only the Best!
Shoes made to Order is my
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satisfaction is guaranteed.

Repairing done.
J. MURDOCH,
Bellevue Avenue,
Hammononton. : : N. J.

The Republican.
[Entered as second class matter.]
SATURDAY, DEC. 10, 1892.

The *Leifer* office, Philadelphia, was
damaged by fire, Tuesday evening, to
the estimated amount of two hundred
thousand dollars. The origin of the fire
remains a mystery, though circumstances
indicate incendiarism.

This is no time for panic, but an hour
for protectionists to close up ranks and
stand steady. The truth of the principles
of protection, the assertion and
belief that it is the incorporation of
these principles in our industrial legisla-
tion that has been such an important
and necessary factor in the wonderful
development and prosperity of this
country does not depend upon the result
of the voting on November 8th.

The Rev. J. M. Buckley, editor of the
Christian Advocate, says that many
years ago, when he was a hero worshiper,
he followed Tennyson, who was accom-
panied by a lady and two children,
about the Kensington museum for two
hours and a half, hoping that he would
speak. At last the poet made signs as if
about to do so, and hoping to hear some
criticism of a painting he listened
intently and heard the memorable words:
"You take care of the children while I
go and get some beer."

The Postmaster General has decided
to issue what will be known as the
Columbian series of postage stamps.
The stamps will be of the same width as
the present series, but twice as long, the
increased size being thought necessary
in order to display properly the illustra-
tions. They are intended to commemo-
rate the discovery of America by
Columbus. It is expected that the
entire series will be put on sale Jan. 1,
1893, and that the sale of the present
series will be suspended for the year.

Don't stand shivering upon the back-
plunge in at onanah overate it co.

Anticipating

A busy season from now
until the Holidays, our
stock has been greatly
increased. It has been
purchased with rare dis-
crimination, and by so
doing we are enabled to
offer unusual values.

All the latest shapes and
shades in everything per-
taining to Millinery; and
patrons declare that we
offer the wealthiest styles
at prices far below Phila-
delphia establishments.

If a policy, therefore, to
buy at home.

Full line of Trimmings,
Hosiery, Gloves, and all
the accessories for ladies'
apparel.

Special goods for the
Holidays coming.

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When you buy the Hammononton
Paint, you do not buy seven-
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or three pints for a half-gallon;
nor do you get one of those
packages that weigh 12 to 14
pounds, and containing so much
alkali that it appears to be so
thick that it is impossible to
use it without thinning; but in
buying the Hammononton you get
a full standard gallon of paint,
weighing 14 to 16 pounds to the
gallon, made from the best
materials known to the trade,
and costs the consumer from \$1
to \$1.50 per gallon for honest
paint.

If the purchaser doesn't want
honest paint, and wants to be
honest to himself, then be sure
to buy the Hammononton Paint,
and the manufacturer will give
a receipt with every gallon sold
telling you how to make two
gallons of paint out of one of
the Hammononton. It will cost
33 cents for the extra gallon.

One Dollar.
And then here comes Commercial
Paint, in 30 shades, the best wearing
paint ever put on the market for so low a
price as \$1 per gallon, and guaranteed
to be a first-class wearing paint. If any
one should not want to pay so high a
price for a good exterior paint, then work
the 33 cent racket, and get two gallons
for \$1.33. Manufactured at
Hammononton Paint Works.

Fruit Growers' Union
Hammononton, Dec. 10th, 1892.

Christmas Presents.
What to buy is a puzzle to
most people. A careful inspec-
tion of our stock will suggest
suitable articles to you.

Furniture.
Fancy stands and tables in
many shapes and sizes, finished
in Cherry or Oak, polished.

Prices are
\$1, \$1.25, \$1.50, \$2.00, \$2.50, and
up to \$10.

Hall Stands of highly pol-
ished Oak with Bevel Plate
glass and large brass hooks,
\$9.50 and 10.50.

Fire Screens—not filled—
75 c. upwards.

Fruit Growers' Union.
A very nice Sideboard of
XVI Century Oak, polished,
with 28x16 bevel plate glass,
one drawer lined, \$22, the regu-
lar \$25 kind.

Chiffonier of Polished Oak,
with bevel plate mirror, \$11
Desks of various kinds, with
drawers and without, \$5 to 12.
Children's Desks, from 85 c.
upwards.

Blackening Cases in Walnut
and Oak, with Carpet top, \$11
upwards.

Fancy Rockers.
We've kept still about rock-
ers because they hadn't arrived
—but we've got them now, and
they make a fine showing.

Rockers with Polished Oak
Frames, upholstered in Plush,
Brocatelle, etc., \$3.50, 4, 5, and
to 10.50.

Wicker Rockers, finished
natural or stained, \$2.50 up.
Cane Seat and Back Rockers
\$1.50 to \$5.

Platform Rockers, upholster-
ed in Velvet Carpet, \$3.40 and
upwards.

Children's Rockers & Chairs
of many kinds and prices.

A Tumbler Bargain
for this week only—(10th to
17th). A thin, blown glass
Tumbler, regularly 60 c., for
45 c. doz. You'll find them in
the Crockery Room.

Brush and Comb Sets, in
Paper Boxes, 90 c. upwards.

Ladies' Dressing Mirrors,
mounted in Horn and Oak
frames, \$2.75 to 5.00.

Triplicate Mirrors, \$2 up.

Leather Goods—
Music Rolls
Writing Tablets
Dressing Cases
Pocket Mirrors
Purses
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Boys and girls are hoping
that Santa Claus will bring
them, from our stock—
Velocipedes
Tricycles
Express Wagons
Wheel Barrows
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Printing Presses
Trunks
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Tables
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and a host of other things dear
to their hearts.

We have many kinds of
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and 50 c.

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of all kinds and conditions,
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Dolls that close their eyes,
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Tree Ornaments
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are always appropriate for
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tlemen, and Children. Hand-
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en, and Cotton.

Some of the Best
Ladies' China Silk, with scalloped
edges, solid colors, 124 c.
Ladies' Embroidered Silk, worth
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Ladies' Chiffon, embroidered, 16 c., value
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combination, 80 c. upwards.
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positive guarantee to give perfect
satisfaction, or we will refund
the money.

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Cream, Mixing Batters, Sauces,
etc., Creaming Fruits, Ruffs,
and Sugar for sauces, etc.

The Beater revolves in a
Glass Jar. Ask to see it.
Price, \$1.

**To-Night is last night of Magic
Lantern Exhibition.**

Cotton is Up,
and all kinds of cotton goods
more—especially **Muslins**—are
advancing in price. We have
bought heavily, and for the time
at least shall make no change
in our prices.

We've secured another lot of
that **Heavy Unbleached
Muslin, 40 inches wide.**
Price, 7 c. One yard or one
piece, the price is the same.
10 c. is the value of this
muslin now.

Holiday Groceries.
We have a full stock of For-
eign and domestic dried Fruits,
Nuts, etc.

Three grades London Layer
Raisins.
Cramped Currants in packages
ready for immediate use
"Salted Dandies," the most
delicious oyster wafer made.
We've just sold our first barrel,
and the verdict is that they are
dandies.

Have you tried Coca-Coffee
yet? We've got quite a trade
started in it. A physician
says:
"Coca-Coffee is very useful
whenever the digestive power
is weak, or nerve prostration is
present."

We have Kom-Kom, the
new coal saver, in stock, at 25
cents a package—to treat one
ton. A few samples free.

Fruit Growers' Union
And Co-operative Soc'y, Inc.

The Republican.
SATURDAY, DEC. 10, 1892.

LOCAL MISCELLANY.
Court meets next Tuesday.
Registers have been put into the
hands of the new school house.
Mrs. Charles Emery is very sick,
at her home in Egg Harbor City.
Tony Burgher and family are
visiting his mother, in Brooklyn.

Don't forget that the Fair at
Union Hall will be open this afternoon
and evening.
St. Mark's Church, Third Sunday
in Advent. Divine Services, 10:30 A. M.
and 7:30 P. M.

Warm weather this week—more
like that than Dec., with a comfortable
show of snow on Thursday night.
The Misses Rogers, of New York
City, Misses of Mrs. Wm. T. Davidson,
are visiting in Hammononton.

We notice that some of the spare
beds and seats are being carried
around. We hope that this means
that they are not there.

At the Baptist Church, to mor-
row, Pastor Edridge's morning topic,
"David and Goliath." Evening, "Sol-
omon and David."

In Mr. King's article, last week,
under the words "come, or pearl-like
appearance." Please read "hair-like,"
as it was intended.

Miss Grace Whitmore, a pupil of
Madame Jeannette, of Philadelphia, is
preparing to do all kinds of fine mill-
inery. Second Street.

The regular monthly meeting of
the Epworth League will be held in the
Church on Tuesday evening, Dec. 13th.
The members will please be present.

A six-room tenement to rent, in
the Ellis building; or will divide them
if necessary. Inquire on premises for
particulars.
\$10.

The School Commencement, last
Friday evening, called out a very
large audience, and the M. E. Church
being filled, many compelled to stand.

Don't stop with wishing your
father a "Merry Christmas," but look
back a little and see if you hadn't better
contribute a little cash to aid the wish.

Of the 1750s coin trunk
Horton Street were taken up the
other day, and found to be partly filled
with fine roots from neighboring shade
trees.

Overseer Burgess, with men and
teams and tools, have greatly improved
Third Street east of Central Avenue,
and of Grape Street, north and south of
Third.

A new tin roof protects Mrs. Ed-
Bennett's double house, Central Ave.
M. Stockwell's men did the work; and
he has the contract for a similar job on
the H. T. Pressy octagon house.

Humphreys' Specific Number
Seven, for coughs and colds, has stood
the test of more than forty years. Can
you ask for greater proof of intrinsic
merit? Price 25c., at all Drug Stores.

We have it by underground wires
that President-elect Cleveland will sur-
prise many old soldiers by the gift of
postmasterships and other fat offices.
May-be! The boys deserve all they
will get.

Born, Sunday, Nov. 20th, 1892,
in Hammononton, to Mr. and Mrs. John
McClellan, a daughter.
On Wednesday, Nov. 30th, 1892, to
Mr. and Mrs. F. W. Stuehmer, a fine
pair of twin boys.

Cranberries are way up, they say.
Corned? Our town should share it.
D. M. Ballard had about fourteen hun-
dred bushels, as fine as you'd wish to
see, with H. E. Andrews and several
others to hear from.

Chas. Crowell returned from
Maine, Tuesday, with 1876 Christmas
trees. It seems as though that were
enough to glut the whole city market;
but most of them are already sold, in
advance of their arrival.

Russell Post, G. A. R., elected
the following officers, last Saturday
evening:
Post Commander, Theo. B. Brown.
Sr. Vice Com., John Atkinson.
Jr. Vice Com., Chas. E. Roberts.
Q. M., L. Beverage.
Surgeon, Dr. H. E. Bowles.
Chaplain, C. F. Osgood.
Officers of the Day, H. J. Monfort.
Officers of the Guard, Jesse Bakely.
Representative, L. H. Parkhurst.

Insure with A. H. Phillips & Co.,
1028 Atlantic Ave., Atlantic City.

The Republican.
SATURDAY, DEC. 10, 1892.

Isn't it time that talk material-
ized, and our town be lighted by elec-
tricity? The most metropolitan and
cosmopolitan town in the state, and
should wake up to the fact that we must
have water-works and electric light.
Trolley travel will soon follow.

Mrs. Elizabeth M. Thayer will
sell at auction, at her residence, the
Walmer House, on Tuesday, Dec. 20th,
a lot of wood-working machinery, horse,
wagons, farm implements, carpenter
and plumber tools, and an immense lot
of small and large articles.

George W. Powell, an Evangelist
from Gloucester City, will conduct a
series of revival meetings in the Pine
Road Chapel, commencing to-morrow,
11th inst., with services at 10:30 A. M.
and 7:30 P. M. Song service every eve-
ning, before preaching. A cordial in-
vitation is extended to all.

W. B. Oliver has resigned his
position as Superintendent of the Paper
Mills at Pleasant Mills, to take effect
Jan. 1st. We predict that the Company
will wait a long time before they secure
as efficient a servant as he. Mr. Oliver
will enter the law office of J. W. Thomp-
son, Atlantic City, as a student.

We couldn't see the Zecro-Grant
entertainment, last Saturday night; but
those who were there assure us that
they fully satisfied their audience, and
came up to and above all that we prom-
ised for them. The special train from
Philadelphia brought a large and jolly
company, who appeared to be enjoying
themselves well.

List of unclaimed letters remaining
in the Post Office at Hammononton, N. J.,
Saturday, Dec. 10th, 1892:
Domenico Scario Anselmo Scario
M. Paeano Rosaria Spadola
Gennaro Scario Francesco Larosa
Francesco Scario Michele Scario
Domenico Scario Agostino Scario
Domenico Scario Pasquale Scario
Filippo Scario Agostino Scario
Raidi-Vicenza

Persons calling for any of the above
letters will please state that it has been
advertised.
GEORGE ELVINS, P. M.

Mr. Edward Darling died on
Tuesday morning, 6th inst., after long
illness. Having been a resident of
Hammononton for a quarter of a century,
always active in business and promi-
nent in society, Mr. Darling was well
known to most of our people. He had
been incapacitated for work for three
or four years, and advanced age, seventy
years, gave little chance for recovery.
Funeral service at his residence, Second
and Orchard Streets, to-morrow at two
o'clock P. M., in charge of the Masonic
Lodge.

Another letter has been received
from that lady in Oregon who claims to
be the daughter of the late Nathan S.
Ellis. In this she gives date of Mr.
Ellis' first marriage, and particulars
thereof; states that he left her when
she was four years old, leaving the im-
pression that her mother had previously
died. She enclosed a copy of a letter
written by Mr. Ellis in 1891, in reply to
one from her, in which he says: "Yes,
I had a daughter named Nathan, whom I
lost."

The family at which I then
went to sea. Your story seems straight
and you must be my daughter." If the
lady's object is solely to establish her
parentage, she may succeed. If she
desires to gain financially, she will fail,
as the property belonged to Mrs. Ellis;
at her death, there being no will, the
law gave Mr. Ellis only a life interest,
and at his death the wife's relatives
became heirs-at-law.

Below is the programme of the
entertainment to be given on Thursday
evening next, 15th inst., in Union Hall,
for Shaumukin Tribe of Red Men, by
Mr. and Mrs. Madison Obrey, assisted
by local talent, as you will see:
Duo, Piano and English Concertina, Airs
from Faust, Gounod. Obreys.
Duet, Selected. Obreys.
Solo, "Through the Valley," Tuba.
Soprano Solo, "White Wings," Pianist.
Musical Romance. Obreys.
Fantasia, Ringing Rocks, William
Tate. Mrs. Madison Obrey.
Songs of the Orient, with accompani-
ment on the Hindostani Sarringue
—brought by Madison Obrey from the
city of Delhi, India. Obreys.
Chimes on Musical Bells, "Voyage
Lyrique." Obreys.
Solo, Piano Forte, Weber. Obreys.
Soprano Solo, in Summer Days, Warren.
Solo, English Concertina, "La Mout-
colle." Prune. Obreys.
Dissertation on Music, Capt. Blake.
Cornet Solo, "Sparkling Dewdrops."
Solo, Piano Forte, Weber. Obreys.
March, "Noon Nihil," Lithophone. Obreys.
Oriental Romance of Infantile
Lithophone. Obreys.
Duet, Musical Nigh-Bells. Obreys.

Tickets are for sale at Titus' grocery,
25 and 35 cents.

The eighteenth annual meeting
of the New Jersey State Horticultural
Society will be held at the State House
in Trenton (Court Room), Wednesday
and Thursday next, Dec. 14-15. The
programme before us contains topics in-
teresting, and names of speakers who
can make the meeting profitable. All
persons who are in any way interested
in horticulture are cordially invited to
attend and take part in proceedings.

For the accommodation of those
desiring to attend places of amusement
in Philadelphia or visit friends in that
city, the Camden & Atlantic Railroad
has inaugurated a special service be-
tween Atlantic City and Philadelphia
on Wednesday, stopping at Hammon-
onton in each direction. The special
train leaves Hammononton at 6:40 P. M.
and arrives at 12:20 A. M. on the return
trip, leaving Market St., Philadelphia,
at 11:30 P. M. This service will prove a
great convenience to the citizens of
Hammononton, as it enables them to
attend the theatre or other places of
amusement in the city, and return to
their homes the same night, thereby
obviating necessary hotel expenses for a
stay over night, and it is hoped that it
will receive liberal patronage. The next
train leaves Hammononton, Wednesday,
December 14th.

Mrs. Harrison could not have left
a more loving memento to the women
of America than the work she did for
them before her last sickness. It is a
splendid work of art, a bunch of
Orchids, painted by her in the White
House, from an orchid raised in the
White House. It is lovingly dedicated
to the mothers, wives, and daughters of
America; and the reproductions are so
perfect that last August, when a proof
was submitted to Mrs. Harrison for her
approval, she thought it was her own
original painting. *Demorest's Family
Magazine* has the honor of being the
medium through which these valuable
pictures (12 x 15 inches) were presented
to the women of America. They are
not for sale; but we will now send one
to any mother, wife, or daughter who
will enclose thirty cents to pay for
transportation, packing, etc. These
exquisite mementoes, bearing
Mrs. Harrison's autograph and portrait,
will soon be beyond price, and should be
secured at once. Address *Demorest's
Family Magazine*, 15 East 14th Street,
New York City.

As Mr. and Mrs. Sibley are about
leaving town, they wish to dispose of
their house and lot on Horton Street,
near the bank. Will sell for eighty
hundred dollars, being three hundred
below cost. The house contains seven
rooms, large glass veranda in rear, all
in first-class order, and fenced. As they
intend leaving their money in a home
in Philadelphia, desire to sell by Dec.
31st. If not sold, will rent to suitable
party. Apply on premises, or at this
office.
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To Whom it May Concern.
All persons having Berry Crates on the
grounds of the Fruit Growers' Union
and Co-operative Society, limited, are
hereby notified to remove the same on or
before 15th day of December, 1892.

At 12:00 o'clock noon, or they will be
sold at 2:00 o'clock P. M., of same day, to
pay expenses of handling and storage.
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people and the press, and they are not likely to be
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