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THE WORLD AT LARGE.

Summary of the Daily News.

WASHINGTON NOTES. ORDERS have been issued by the Navy Department directing Commodore Walker, at present Chief of the Bureau of Navigation, to take command of the new cruiser Chicago as flagship of the squadron of evolution composed of the cruisers Chicago, Atlanta, Yorktown and Boston. As soon as the squadron is shipped for sea duty they will go on the European station under the command of Commodore Walker as Acting Admiral.

SECRETARY PROCTOR has decided to take no further steps at present towards the removal of Geronimo and his band of Apaches from Mount Vernon barracks to a tract of land in North Carolina, which the Indian Right Association agreed to purchase for the purpose. The opposition of Governor Fowle, of North Carolina, to this project led the Secretary to take this

THE Acting Commissioner of Pensions has designated James Sheakley, United States Commissioner at Fort Wrangell, Alaska, a pension notary to take the proper legal steps necessary in the cases of applications for pensions. This is the first appointment of the kind in that Ter-

MESSES. BRITTON and Gray, attorneys of Washington, recently submitted an in-teresting argument before the Commissioner of the General Land-Office in the case of Blanchard and Cook vs. White, being an appeal of all parties from the de-cision of the local land officers recom-mending the cancellation of White's homestead entry of Oklahoma lands and that Blanchard and Cook be denied the right to enter the same. This case involves the question whether White, through and by assistance of deputy United States marshals, made fraudulent entry because he entered upon and occupied the land prior to twelve o'clock noon of April 22, 1889, in violation of law and the President's proclamation.

SECRETARY BLAINE addressed the delegates to the Pan-American congress on the 2d. Resolutions were afterwards passed naming him as president of the congress. The delegates were then presented to the President and Mrs. Harri-

GENERAL SCHOFIELD has been officially designated by the President to act as Secretary of War during the absence of Secretary Proctor.

THE Department of State has received a telegram from General Franklin, United States Commissioner-General to the Paris Exposition, saying that the United States exhibit has been awarded fifty-three grand prizes, 199 gold medals, 271 silver medals, 218 bronze medals and 220 honor-

THE President has made the following appointments to be collectors of internal revenue: Henry W. Ryington for the Fourth district of California, Samuel M. Friday for the Ninth district of Pennsylof Colorado.

GOVERNOR LARRABER, of Iowa, has written to President Harrison protesting against recent remarks of Horace A. Taylor, National Commissioner of Railroads. concerning railroad legislation, etc., in Larrabee says Iowa is abun dantly able to manage its own railroad affairs without Taylor's assistance.

THE EAST.

THE tin plate mill at the Exposition at Pittsburgh, Pa., was put in operation the other day under the supervision of W. C. Cronnemeyer, secretary of the American Tin Plate Association, and it was demonstrated that tin plates could be made in this country as well as in England.

A HOWLING mob recently surrounded the office at Johnstown, Pa., where the workmen of the State were to be paid and had it not been for a detail of militia with fixed bayonets there would have been The men had waited around in the cold for nearly two days for their

THE general convention of the Protest ant Episcopal Church of America was opened on the 2d at New York.

THE annual meeting of the National Association of Wool Manufacturers was held at New York on the 2d with closed The resolutions adopted urge upon Congress the necessity of a revision of the tariff, and especially the tariff on raw material and manufactured woolen goods in such a manner that both industries should be properly protected.

THE friends of ex-Governor Alonzo B Cornell, of New York, were lately considering the advisability of placing him in some asylum, as his mind was shattered and he has to be constantly watched.

WHILE Martin Jascovitz, John Sindosky and Tomaso Guard were prying down the top rock at Audenried, near Hazelton, Pa. recently the mass fell upon them, crushing and killing the two former and fatally injuring the latter.

THE lunacy commission, consisting of Drs. Fitch and Field, appointed to examine the mental condition of Chris Dribte, the old inventor, who shot and killed Frederick Gesswein on September 12 at New York, have partially submitted a report of their work. Dr. Fitch is of the opinion that the old man is insane and it likely that Dr. Field will concur in the finding of his colleague.

at New York for a divorce from his wife GENERAL FAULKNER was found guilty

at New York of making a false report of the Dansville National Bank in 1887. He got a seven years' sentence. THE other morning an attempt was made

to blow up the slaughter house of J. & C. Scanlon at New York. A dynamite bomb was thrown in through an open window, doing about \$200 worth of damage to the property, but luckily injuring no one. The act is supposed to have been committed by a discharged employe.

WARD F. JOHNSTON, wholesale dealer in teas and coffees, Boston, has assigned and offers to compromise for 40 cents on

the dollar in cash. THE Mount Mansfield Hotel, Stowe, Vt. burned recently. Loss, \$100,000.
WILLIAM E. ENDICOTT, Jr., son of the ex-

Secretary of War, was married recently to Miss Louisa Thorn, at Lenox, Mass.

STATE'S ATTORNEY LONGENECKER has egun habeas corpus proceedings before Judge Baker to secure possession of Robert Russell and Michael Foy, who are now at Joliet serving terms. It was alleged that these two men were engaged in the murder of Druggist Clark, who was shot dead in his store on Harrison street several months ago, and they are wanted to stand trial for this crime.

At the deep-water convention at Topeka, Kan., the whole day of the 2d was occupied in making speeches and nothing material was accomplished.

LATER returns from the four new States indicate that the Democrats lose one Congressman in Montana and elect the Governor; the Dakotas furnish Republican Senators, and Washington has gone Re-

publican. JOHN A. MARTIN, ex-Governor of the State of Kansas, died on the 2d. His disease was a mysterious one and at no time were the physicians able to diagnose it.

DESTRUCTIVE prairie fires were reported raging in McLean County, fifty miles north of Bismarck, N. Dak., which were driven by the wind at a speed of sixty miles an hour. The town of Washburn had a narrow escape, the flames reaching within the limits. Many of the farmers

THE grand jury which investigated the charges of bribery against the Detroit (Mich.) aldermen have brought in a second indictment against Alderman Lauder on the charge of accepting a bribe in connection with the appointment of a meat inspector. The first indictment brought in against Alderman Lauder was for a similar offense.

THE Socialists in convention at Chicago on the 2d adopted a platform which will be referred to the various sections throughout the country. An entirely new constitution was adopted for the party which will be known as the Socialist

Labor party.

Jonas A. Saufley, one of the oldest and wealthiest citizens of Miami, Mo., died recently of heart disease.

THE other evening at Leavenworth, Kan., while Thomas Seymour was going nome on the rapid transit road, he got off the train and was passing around it when the train backed and struck him. He was thrown under the wheels and instantly

THREE men were killed by Rock Island trains in different parts of Chicago on the

An explosion in the Red Jacket shaft of the Calumet and Hecla mine in the Upper Michigan peninsula killed two men, fatally injured two more and severely injured seven others. The explosion was due to a miner striking a charge of dynamite with a pick.

THE Priests of Pallas parade at Kansas City on the night of the 3d was a very imposing and grand affair. Eighteen countries were typified in the beautiful floats. The weather was perfect the crowd was large and there was nothing to

mar the success of the occasion.

The wife of Sheriff Sand, who eloped recently from Little Falls, Dak. with a convict whom she released, has been found at Casselton, Dak. The convict was

THE City Hall at East Grand Forks, Dak., was burned recently. The fire was credited to one of the two hostile factions n the city. THE 'longs' have obtained an injunc-

tion in Judge Shepard's court in Chicago against the delivery of October pork. A HEAVY west-bound passenger train went off the track at Chevenne, Wyo., reently, consequent upon spreading rails due to rotten ties. Four ladies were seriously bruised, the conductor had his leg broken and the porter had his head

THE SOUTH

cracked.

EDWARD MANN, a well-to-do telegraph operator at Louisville, Ky., for twenty ears in the Western Union service, com mitted suicide recently by shooting himself through the head. He was unreasonably jealous and a surprise party given in honor of his wife's birthday excited this

REV. J. H. M. DURAN, a Methodist minster of Birmingham, Ala., was arrested the other day, charged with passing counterfeit money. He claimed he got the money out of the contribution box.

THE steamship Earnmoor, which sailed from Baltimore, Md., for Rio Janeiro August 29 foundered at sea September 5 and t was thought the crew of nineteen were

States marshal was killed at Bell Green, Franklin County, Ala, recently by Lock Ezzoll, who was resisting arrest. The desperado escaped.

ANOTHER awful tragedy growing out of the Hatfield-McCoy feud is reported from Pike County, Ky. John Hand, a relative of Hatfield but not a member of the gang. was to be married to Peter McCoy's daughter. The mountaineers of both factions swore the union should not occur, and while the wedding ceremony was taking place unknown assassins fired into the room, killing Hand and his bride and fatally wounding the clergyman.

DURING the progress of a prayer meet ng in a Presbyterian church at Moss Point, Miss., the other night some unknown person fired into the edifice and killed Daniel McInnis and his little daughter, Nellie, and seriously wounded Henry

MRS. KATE M. NYE. of Louisville, Ky., committed suicide the other evening by jumping from the third story window of ouse where she and her husband were boarding. She was instantly killed. Marital unhappiness was the cause.

SIXTEEN monuments were dedicated on the Gettysburg battlefield on the 3d. It was Maine's day.

THE steamer Corona, of the Ouachita consolidated line, exploded her boilers at Falzeriver, nearly opposite Port Hudson, on the Lower Mississippi, causing the loss of the steamer and forty lives. THE United States District Court in

law in proceedings instituted against the Rio Grande & Eagle Pass railroad for bringing in Mexicans to work. The defendants were fined \$1,000 for each work-

working in Wilson County, Tenn., have been driven away by Whitecaps.

THE trial of the Earl of Galloway, who is charged with having criminally assaulted several children, has been fixed for October 14. It will take place before a Scotch court.

Ir was lately reported that General Boulanger would leave London and take up his residence in the Isle of Jersey because of his desire to reduce his expenses the persons who had been furnishing him with financial support refusing to continue to supply him with money.

A TELEGRAM from the City of Mexico said that the State of Chihuahua was financially embarrassed, the Government being unable to meet its obligations.

A squall struck the schooner Erie at Port Rowan, Ont., and she capsized. Eight persons were drowned-Captain Thomas Stafford, Robert Marlatt, Edward Loper and George Bell; the four others belonged to Clear Creek and their names were unknown. A TRAIN ran off the track in Stuttgart,

Germany, recently and rolled over an em-bankment. The official report stated that seven were killed and forty-seven injured, many of the latter would probably die. SCHOLARS in the public schools of Glasgow, Aberdeen and other towns in Scotland have instituted a novel strike against the study of lessons at home and

declaring against corporal punishment. THE Spanish press, commenting upon the International American Congress, expresses the hope that the Spanish Republics will not permit themselves to become mere satellites to the United States. THE revenue cutter Rush has arrived at Port Townsend from Alaska. Commander Shepherd reported that he captured six British sealers from Victoria, B. C., and

intercepted over two dozen.

GENERAL BOULANGER will spend the

winter in Egypt.

ADVICES from Berlin state that Emperor William has arranged for a visit to Stamboul. He will remain there two days. He will reach Stamboul October 28. EARTEQUAKE shocks were felt in the City of Mexico and surrounding country on the 2d.

THE bean and corn crop in the valley of the City of Mexico has been cut down one-half by heavy frosts.

Two men who escaped from the prison at Mathida, Mex., were found in a tree and shot and killed by the police. A DYNAMITE bomb was exploded recently at the door of the military cadets' quarters in Trieste. No one was injured.

Business failures (Dun's report) for the seven days ended October 3 numbered 206, compared with 192 the week previous and 221 the corresponding week of last year. Stringency in the Eastern money market was causing trouble.

THE Mexican delegation to the Interna-tional American Congress, it is expected, will bring up the question of high tariffs. A COLLISION occurred recently between passenger train and freight train at Lasswitz, in Posen. Four railway officers were killed and many passengers injured. HEAVY rains have caused the destruction of many houses in Quanajuata, Mexico.

An explosion occurred on the Italian while taking on gunpowder stores the other day. The naval officer in charge of the work was killed and several of his men were seriously injured.

By the breaking of a scaffolding around the steeple of a church at Altenbruch, Hanover, recently, seven workmen were precipitated 100 feet and instantly killed.

LITTLE FALLS, Minn., Oct. 5.—Quite a sensation was created here by the discovery that Mrs. J. P. Sand, wife of the deputy sheriff, had taken her husband's revolver, keys and \$50, and after liberatng John Mi chell, sentenced at the late term of the district court to the State reformatory at St. Cloud, eloped with him. She was seen to board the midnight train north and it is supposed that he took the same train from the side opposite. The sheriff and deputy are in hot pursuit, but will probably not get Mitchell, as he is well acquainted with the Cass County woods. Mitchell was convicted of highway robbery, and now that he has even robbed the jailer of his wife's affections and also his money he is looked upon as quite a nove ty in the way of a crook. Mitchell is twenty years old and the woman forty. She leaves a husband and three-children, the oldest about twenty.

GAINESVILLE, Tex., Oct. 5 .- Deputy Marshal Salisbury passed through here for Muskogee, I. T, with Bob and Clab Henderson, charged with assault on Bob Armstrong. It seems that Armstrong and a sister of the Hendersons eloped and were married in Burlington, Tex. On their way back home they met the bride's brother who threw down on the groom with a Winchester and demanded the surrender of his sister. Armstrong objected but the infuriated brothers took the bride and carried her back to the parental roof. The husband was then notified not to come near the Henderson household. He appealed to the Federal authorities and had the two brothers arrested but at last accounts the bride was still kept under guard away from her husband.

DES MOINES, Iowa, Oct. 5 -A shooting affray occurred at the barn of E. R. Mason in which three persons were wounded, one of them fatally. A. W. Clark has been in the employ of Mason for about five years and a short time since he married a daughter of W. M. Likes, a teamster. Trouble has been brewing for some time between the two men. Likes wanted Clark to quit the employ of Mason for reasons not known. He went to Mason's barn, where Clark and his wife were at work doing the evening chores, and began a quarrel. There were no eve-witnesses to the affair except the three persons and just who was the aggressor is not known. Both men were armed and several shots were exchanged. Likes was fatally wounded, the ball passing completely through his body, entering between the tenth and eleventh ribs. Clark was wounded in the shoulder and Mrs. Clark n the hand, both injuries being slight.

Clark is in custody.

KANSAS CITY, Mo., Oct. 5.—William P. Rodgers, the general agent for Missouri and Kansas of the Equitable Life Insur-ance Company of Iowa, at 8:30 o'clock last night was shot by a footpad in front of his home at 1320 Oak street and danger-ously wounded. The miscreant fled on the day of the general election. an alarm being given.

SHIPPING LOST.

Disastrous Effect of the Mexican Cyclone.

A Mass of Pig Iron Crashes Into a Car-Explosion on an Italian War Ship-Collision in England -Etc.

CITY OF MEXICO, Oct. 5. - The wires are down to Colon and information as to the extent of the damage done in that region by the recent storm can not be obtained. Mail advices, however, note the following list of wrecks: Flora Woodhouse, American; Alpha, Eliza and Morning Star, English; Marie Gostry, French; Neuvo and Currutaci, Spanish; Louisa, Italian; Ha-

bet, Norwegian; Broorene and Barbaro, Danish; Sea Nymph, German, and Enrique, Mexican. Two Mexican steamers, the Laguna and the Vesturis, besides a large number of Mexican coasters have been lost, bringing the number of wrecks to thirty-four.

FALL OF PIG IRON. ROCHESTER, N. Y., Oct. 5 .- About three o'clock yesterday afternoon car No. 43 of the Caledonia avenue line was passing over the West avenue canal bridge in a westerly direction when one end of the heavy trough filled with pig iron, used to assist by its weight in raising and lowering the bridge, broke from its support and the 1,500 pounds of pig iron fell through the top of the car exactly in the middle. The car was filled with passengers and several pieces of iron fell with great force upon several persons who were seated on the left hand side. The worst injured passengers are: John Metzier, a shoe-maker, of 71 Clifford street, seriously, perhaps fatally; Mary Birmingham, aged thirteen years, of 8 Frost avenue, perhaps

fatally. EXPLOSION ON A WAR SHIP. LONDON, Oct. 5.—A serious accident oc-curred at Shields yesterday morning where the Italian ship Formidable was loading gunpowder and cartridges. Through an accident some of the hoisting machinery became unmanageable and a package of cartridges dropped from a considerable height to the deck of the vessel, causing a terrific explosion. The naval officer, who was in charge of the work, and several of his men were killed, and a number of others seriously wounded. The explosion set fire to the woodwork on the dock, but this was soon extinguished.
TWO MEN SCALDED TO DEATH.

FORT WAYNE, Ind., Oct. 5 .- A traction engine and threshing machine, while being moved across a small stream near Janesville, this county, yesterday, broke through a bridge and landed in the water some thirty feet below. John Sparks and Henry Wright were pinioned beneath the boiler, and before they could be rescued had been scalded to death by escaping steam. They were literally cooked, the flesh peeling off their bodies. Three other men were severely but not fatally injured.

CHEYENNE, Wyo., Oct. 5 .- Five cars of a heavy west-bound passenger train were ditched near here by the spreading of rails on account of rotten ties. Six persons were injured. The conductor's leg was caught beneath a coach and crushe into a shapeless mass. Four ladies were quite seriously bruised and frightened into hysteric. A porter's skull was

cracked. DEADLY COLLISION IN ENGLAND. London, Oct. 5-A collision occurred yesterday between a passenger train and goods train on the railway from Mauchester to Stockport. The passenger train was traveling at a high rate of speed and the two came together with terrific force. Three persons were killed and many injured. The collision was the result of the

mistake of the signal man. CHILDREN IN A POWDER HOUSE.
ROCKVILLE, Conn., Oct. 5.—George John son and John Hansen, of Worcester, Mass. workmen on the Union Church, were precipitated seventy-five feet yesterday morning by the breaking of the staging. Hausen was instantly killed. Johnson' back was broken and his ribs driven into

his lungs. He can not live. FRIGHTFUL FALL OF TWO MEN. CAYUGA, Oat., Oct. 5 .- Three children obtained access to the powder house of the Gypsum mine here vesterday afternoon and one of them lighted a match and ignited a quantity of powder. One of the children was literally blown to pieces and the others were so badly injured that they

can not recover. SCAFFOLD ACCIDENT. BERLIN, Oct 5 -Ail the scaffolding bout the steeple of a church in the course of erection at Altenbruch in Hanover fell with a crash yesterday and seven orkmen standing upon it were hurled a distance of 100 feet to the ground and every one of them killed.

FREIGHT TRAINS CRASH. Five Men Injured and Six Cars Demolished

on the Frisco Line.

Springfield, Mo., Oct. 5.—On the Frisco line about eighteen miles east of here few minutes before four o'clock vesterday morning, two freight trains were coming west when the one in the rear ran into th forward train, demolishing six loaded cars and the engine and injuring five men. Moses Savage, an engineer who had been East and was returning to his home in this city, was asleep in the caboose of the front train and received injuries that are pronounced fatal. Jack Dyer, conductor, had one ankle dislocated and was otherwise injured and Fireman Mike Murphy and Engineer Thomas J. Sawyers sustained painful injuries, but will both recover. Brakeman John Cartwright had his left hand cut en tirely off at the wrist. He lighted a match in the dark and looked among the debris of the wreck until he found his hand, which he coolly picked up and handed to another party, and then took out his

handkerchief and bound up the stub of his arm to stop the flow of blood. To Fill a Vacancy. ALBANY, N. Y., Oct. 5 .- Governor Hill has issued a proclamation calling a special election in the Ninth Congressional district to fill the vacancy caused by the death of Hon. S. S. Cox. It will be held

RIVER DISASTER.

Perrible Steamboat Explosion on the Lower Mississippi-Forty Lives Lost and Many Injured.

NEW ORLEANS, Oct. 4.—The steamer Corona of the Ouachita consolidated line left here at 7:30 Wednesday evening for the Ouachita river with a full cargo of freight and a good list of passengers. She exploded her boilers at Falze river, nearly opposite Port Hudson at 11:45 yesterday morning, causing the loss of the steamer

and about forty lives.

The Anchor line steamer City of St. Louis, Captain James O'Neill, was near by and with his crew and boats saved many lives. The surviving passengers and crew were taken on board by Captain O'Neill and very kindly cared for by him

Following is the list of the crew lost as far as known: J. W. Blanks, captain; J. nual conference of the radicals in that V. Jordan, first clerk; Charles Cellos, place the liberals, who owned the prop-Fred Dinkle, barkeeper; Fred Verman, session, and a suit is the result. barkeeper; Pat Ryan, steward; Dick Curtis, fireman; Tom Shook, engineer; Henry Doyle, porter; Jim Swipe, porter; Mr. Tate, barber; Henry Davis, deck hand: Tom Cook, sailor; Billy Young, second mate; Sam Steel, Texas cabin boy; both tary reservation, by building a hog pen captains of deck watch; eight rousters.

The passengers lost were: Dr. Atwell, corn doctor, and four negro musicians; Mr. Scott, Smithland, La.; Mr. Davis, stockman, Texas; Mr. Koenich; Mrs. Tom Hough, of Opelousas, sister of Captain Blanks; Mrs. Wilson, of Red River Land-

ing; fifteen rousters, names unknown. The passengers saved were: Mrs. Henry Blanks and two children, Mrs. Mann, Mrs. Robertson, Mrs. Coffman and child, Captain B. G. Cornwell, Mr. John R Brown, Mr. J. J. Meredith, Mr. L. F. Mason, Mr. Baughman, Mr. Comstock, of Donaldson-ville; Mr. John Carr, of Harrisonburg; Mrs. Krufman and infant, of Southland Hon. L. F. Mason, of Baton Rouge.

The following were wounded: Captain B. G. Cornwell, slightly; Baughman, resided on Black river, hurt in side, not dangerous; Mr. Comstock, Donaldsonville, slightly; Charles A. Pearce, New Orleans, scalded; Pilot Rollings, badly scalded on the hands; Captain T. C. Sweeney, slightly hurt by flying timbers? Mrs. E. W. Robertson, of Baton Rogue, slightly; J. J. Meredith, Columbia, La., slightly; Wayne, little son of Henry

Blanks, slightly.
Mr. L. C. Rawlins, pilot of the Corona, says: "I was asleep at the time of the explosion." He does not know how the explosion occurred. He was awakened by the noise it made. He was painfully

burned on both hands. Hon. L. F. Mason, Secretary of State. who was a passenger on the Corona, stated that he was in the cabin talking with Mrs. Robertson, about ten o'clock yesterday morning, when the explosion occurred. He escaped with life preservers and assisted in saving Mrs. Robertson and another lady. There was very little time for preparations for escape as the boat went the steamer City of St. Louis came down

down like lead after the explosion. As ssengers who were not lost in the river. No one seems to be able to give any explanation as to the cause of the sudden

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The Commander-in-Chief Issues General Order No. 3.

DETROIT, Mich., Oct. 4 .- Commander-in-Chief R. A. Alger, of the Grand Army, issued the following order on Wednesday: GENERAL ORDER NO. 3. HEADQUARTERS GRANDMY OF REPUBLIC,

DETROIT, MICH., Oct. 2. The following named comrades are hered announced as the executive committee of the Richmond, Ind.: O. H. Coulter, of Topeka, Kan.; Nelson Cole, of St. Louis; T. S. Clark-Depot, N. H.; William McClelland, of Pitts-

1889, South Carolina was attached to the de partment of Georg a. Third-The department of Colorado is here-

after to be known as the department of Colorado and Wyoming.
Fourth—The following comrades are hereby appointed members of the pension committee George S. Merrill, Lawrence, Mass.; John S. Kountz, Toledo; Lucius Fairchild, Madison, Wis : John W. Burst, Sycamore, Ills. : Richard

W. Blue Pleasanton, Kan. Fifth—Comrade W. H. Saylor. of Portland, Ore, is announced as a member of the council of administration for that department. R. A. ALGER, Commander-in-Chief. GEORGE H. HOPKINS, Adjutant-General.

DISASTER AT SEA.

Collision and Sinking of Two Vessels With Many Lives.

ST PIERRE MIQUELON, Oct. 4.-Transatlantic steamer Geographic, of the Bossiere line, Captain Pausset commanding, bound from Montreal to Southampton with cattle and sheep and a general cargo of merchandise, which Sydney, N. B., Tuesday, collided with the Nova Scotian sailing vessel Minnie Swift, forty miles off St Pierre at two o'clock Wednesday morning. The Swift sunk within two minutes drowning as nearly as can be ascertained, two women, three children and ten men. The others, with a part of the crew of a Norwegian vessel, who had previously been picked up, got on also sank at eleven o'clock a. m. Two boats containing thirty-five persons which put of from the steamer early in the morning are missing. The third boat with the captain and fifteen others was picked by the schooner Sister Bell and brought to

St. Pierre. The Montana Election.

HELENA, Mont., Oct. 4 .- Late returns make no material change in the result of Tuesday's election, as stated in the dispatch last night. The Republicans who claimed the election of Power for Governor by 1,000, say he has a majority of On the result of the contest for control of the Legislature the Republicans have reduced their claim for a majority of thirteen on joint ballot to three. The Democrats still claim a majority of 450 for Toole for Governor and nine majority in the

KANSAS STATE NEWS.

A DISPATCH from Terre Haute, Ind., tates that on the night of the assault ipon Sister Camille at Emporis John Murray, the man who was supposed to be her assailant, was in Terre Haute engaged as a switchmen on the Vandalia road, and had been for some time. He was unable to understand why such a sesious accusation had been made.

THE United Brethren of Lecompton are said to have become involved in a law suit conzerning the property of the church at that point. The trouble seems to arise from the fact that there are conflicting divisions of the church of the United Brethren in Christ, one of them known as the radicals and the other as the liberals. Le-compton is largely inhabited by members of the church involved, and at the late an-

Suit has been commenced in the United States court at Topeka by District Attornev Perry against John Lamb, of Havs City, for contaminating the water of a creek leading from his farm to the milion the creek leading through his premises to the reservation. The suit is for an in-

junction to prevent it. JOE WILLIS, a molder employed in the Walburn foundry at Fort Scott, committed suicide the other morning. He horribly matilated himself with a razor. gashing his limbs, body and throat, and finally ended his attempts at self-de-struction by leaping from a three-story

building. ROBERT STAUCER, a farmer, fell out of his carriage at Wichita the other evening between two ponies. The ponies kicked, breaking four ribs and inflicting dangerous wounds on his head. Physicians said

he would not recover. TME funeral of the late ex-Governo John A. Martin was largely attended at Atchison on the 4th. A special train from Topeka took the State officers and many other prominent people. In addition distinguished persons were present from all parts of the State. In deference to the wishes of Mrs. Martin the funeral services were very simple, although so largely at-tended. Governor Martin leaves a widow

and seven children.

Much indignation was recently occasioned at Garden City by the brutal treatment of an infant less than a year old by parties in whose charge it had been left. It is said to be the child of Jennie Stephers. a variety actress at St. Louis, who left it with her mother, Mrs. M. J. Cadmus, in the former city several weeks ago to be cared for. The child was so shemefully beaten and otherwise maltreated that neighbors had the old woman arrested for felonious assault and took the child from her. Later the woman's husband and several other members of the family were ar-

THE sixth annual reunion of the old soldiers of Kansas recently held at Ellsworth was a great success in every respect. On she was hailed and took on board all the the 3d fully 20,000 people were on the grounds. Resolutions favo pension were unanimously adopted. Senators Plumb and Ingalis and other prominent persons delivered addresses and altogether the old soldiers had a decidedly enjoyable time.

FRANK VICKERS, a stock buyer, was dangerously wounded at Wichita the other day by the accidental discharge of a revolver in his own pocket. He was reaching into a buggy when the pistol went off. The bullet entered his right side, and ranging upward lodged in his neck, where it was extracted. The wound was not necessarily fatal.

H. P. Morgan, a prominent stockman and farmer living near Leon, was instant-National council of administration: H. D. ly killed the other night by a runaway team. He was thrown from a wagon and bis skull was crushed and his neck broken. He leaves a wife and four children well provided for.

THE following are the Kansas members of the Inter-State Executive Committee appointed by the Deep-water convention recently held at Topeka: Howell Jones, of Topeka; J. S. Emery, of Lawrence; George W. Clements, of Wichita; J. H. Rice, of Fort Scott, and James F. Legate, of Leavenworth. PROF. MESERVE, of Massachusetts, took

charge of the Indian school at Lawrence

on October 1. He is said to be thoroughly

posted in Indian education and is an enthusiast in industrial and manual train-A TOPEKA man, after being married one year and three days, concluded that in his case marriage was a glaring failure and he asks for a divorce on account of his wife's cruelty and before she poisons

him, as he declares she has threatened to It is said that coal can be taken from the mines in Leavenworth to Kansas City by barge for fifteen cents a ton. Coal at Leavenworth is worth \$1.50 and at Kan-

sas City \$3 50. THE commissioners of nine counties crossed by the Chicago, Kansas & Nebraska railway, in the southern part of the State, held a meeting at Wichita recently to discuss some plan for protecting their interests in the foreclosure suit against that railway. Twenty-nine counties have an interest, having voted \$2,300,000 bonds. The meeting was adjourned to meet at Topeka October 11, when a line of action would be adopted.

MRS. POLLY BRUCE, aged eighty-five rears, the mother of ex-United States Senator B. K. Bruce, died at Leavenworth the other night. She was a native of Charlotte, Va., and a slave during her

earlier years. A SOUTHERN KANSAS editor complains that all the school teachers of the town are marrying off and leaving the schools

unprovided for. J. W. HITE. a quarter-blood Cherokee, who claims to be a great medicine man and peddies nostrums about from house to house, was recently arrested at Wichita on a charge of having killed the infant child of W. F. Graves. The infant had been ill for a few days when Hite cal'ed at the house and insisted that he could cure it, and despite the objections of the mother he administered some drug. In

three hours the child died. THE Hollis slaughter house at Armour-dale was destroyed by fire the other afternoon. Loss, about \$15,000.

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COTTONWOOD FALLS. - KANSAS

THERE'S A BOY IN THE HOUSE.

A gun in the parlor, a kite in the hall, In the kitchen a book, and a bat and a ball; On the sideboard a ship, on the bookcase

And a hat for whose ownership none would dispute; And out on the porch, gallantly prancing no

where,
A spirited hobby-horse paws at the air; Near the tall jelly jar which a mischievious elf Emptied as slyly and slick as a mouse, Make it easy to see There's a Boy in the House

A racket, a rattle, a rollicking shout, ve and below and around and about; A whisling, a pounding, a hammering of nails, The building of houses, the shaping of sails; Entreaties for paper, for scissors, for string, For every unfindable, bothersome thing;
A bang of the door, and a dash up the stairs,
In the interest of burdensome business affairs;
And an elephant hunt for a bit of a mouse,
Make it easy to hear There's a Boy in the

But oh, if the toys were not scattered about, And the house never echoed to racket and rout; If forever the rooms were all tidy and neat, And one need not wipe after wee muddy feet: If no one laughed out when the morning was

And with kisses went tumbling all tired to bed, you see, For all who love wild little laddies 'twould be:

mouse, From disorder and din-There's a Boy in the

-Kate M. Cleary, in Good Housekeeping.

A SUCCESSFUL CRIME.

How It Was Deliberately Planned and Executed.

I have succeeded-moreover, it was very easy to succeed.

My object was this: To commit a punished, a clear and concise programme which I have carried out in every particular.

How? Well, I am going to tell you, for I believe, with all due modesty, that I have displayed some ingenuity.

The crime; behold it. I was young and I was married, the husband of a beautiful girl, and only a simple employe, on a salary of 2,200 francs a year. Not an exalted position, but one with which I was reasonably content, for I had always possessed modest tastes. My wife was an orphan, with one sister. Marie and Blanche, both pretty girls and pretty names. I had married Marie, and Blanche lived with us. Every thing went well with usfirst a son, then a daughter, and then they raised my salary to 3,000f. a year. I had nothing to complain of. And then, a notary wrote to me. I was greatly astonished, for I had had but little to do with these honorable ministerial officers. My surprise increased when this worthy Tabellion apprised me that a certain Calcutta merchant, brother to my wife's and sister-in-law's father, had died and left them heirs to a million. That is to say, 500,000f. to each. Tiens! to my wife a whole half

lated, and I was in receipt of 25,000 like a wave that ever mounts and chance, reference to Dr. Laussedat. livres of income. I sent in my resigna- mounts. And, M. le Docteur," I cried tion as promptly, and organized anew my life. Five hundred thousand francs of you-shut me up, now, immediately, was a goodly sum, and my wife's sister had its counterpart. It put the house on an excellent footing, with servants, horses and carriages. Always fond of art, I purchased some pictures of good style, and had myself clothed for the first time by a tailor of renown.

Decidedly my style was as good as my picture's style, and with my wellshaped feet, small hands and fine hair. I was what is generally termed a handsome man. Only as time wore on I began to feel profoundly vexed that my wife's sister had taken the full half of the million left. I should have experienced a very real satisfaction in possessing the entire sum. I had expenses, a wife and two children, and this old maid, for Blanche had long since "coiffed Saint Catherine," had no one but herself to think of.

It was then the idea came to me-to kill her! My wife was her only heir, and if she, Blanche, were out of the way, the million would remain intact, and I talking to the two sisters. My crime, then, or rather my contemplated crime, as yet, was the assassination of Blanche applied myself at once to finding a way to commit this crime without danger.

To this end I sought and studied all the accounts of causes celebres that I could lay my hands on, and very speed- thumped, counted and listened to the ily acquired the conviction that assassins invariably betrayed themselves by the very care they took to dissimulate their criminal intentions. So much nervous trouble, and absolutely curalearned was so much gained.

-Boismont's "Manual of Hallucinations," Morel's "La Folie" and Maudslatter work that I found the outline of brium. a plan well fitted for the present conjunction. It is wonderfully easy to be of the necessity of the voyage. She criminal in deed when criminal in pur- had herself noticed that I was not well. pose; now, see you how I went about The change would help me. A simple visit to the house of a certain specialist-Dr. Laussedat, we will call him-and the most eminent pointed, that would cost me a round alieniste of modern times.

have come, doctor, to make you a ter- to my crime. rible confession. I am a happy man. theless, at times I am in a frightful sit-

conquering all the symptoms. The have studied the part well. doctor regarded me attentively.

"Continue," he said to me. I bowed my head sorrowfully and re-

sumed. "Yes, a frightful situation-a sudden the bosom of my family, to kill something. A fearful combat goes on within a lunatic asylum. me, and I feel-yes, absolutely feel itmy hand invincibly drawn toward the knife on the table beside me.

"Whom do I wish to kill? My wife. my children, my sister-in-law? I do was flattered. My case, you see, tallied not know. In that hideous nightmare exactly with the theories and state-I seem to have no choice, and I remain in it-I know not how long-fearing in his dealings with the deranged. It every instant that they will read in my eyes the horrible secret that torments to keep the run of all these imaginary me. The first time or times physical symptoms; still I did it, and did them movement, physical impressions, were sufficient to dissipate the possession. my case progressive and definite; the A dash of cold water upon the brow disappeared and I returned to my family at ease again.

"Now, however, the trouble is becoming more frequent, and-I feel it, and reason weakens with every attack. I begin to be afraid that I shall throw myself upon those I love and do them a fatal harm.

"My confession is made, doctor;

fear myself. Can you save me?" M. Laussedat had listened with the deepest attention, and now questioned me closely: "What symptoms, if any, preceded these crisis?" etc.

I had studied them all, I had them all at my tongue's end, and ran them off with the glibness of a scholar not to be tripped in his lesson. "A weight in the head-at least it seemed so-as if the brain were too heavy and rolled in its bony box; of late a constriction crime, to profit by it, and to remain un- of the breast, pressure upon the sides, and-certain accidents -. '

"Enough!" cried M. Laussedat. "I know all about it; the case is curableentirely so. Simply pursue scrupulously the treatment I direct and I'll answer for the rest."

And he wrote it out, a long prescription, and accompanying regimen for me to follow, and I went away smiling hopefully; not however, for precisely the reason the doctor supposed.

Punctiliously and apparently, I followed the doctor's instructions. My cabinet was incumbered with boxes and vials till my wife became uneasy, and questioned me as closely as the doctor to the house of the doctor.

victim of fatality, and far from being the questions of the judge and the recured, am worse than ever—a prey to sponses, my responses, above all: this possession more and more fre- "That I had acted without consciousquently. I am actually forced to fly ness of the act, and under the impulsion the house, to take long rambles through of a force I could not control," adding the city and wear myself out with fa- to the statement, and as if bowed down The succession was promptly regu- tigue to regain control of myself, it is at last, "I am come to demand a favor in your maison de sante."

"Shut you up now?" said he, astounded. "But-but to what end?"

"Because I know-I know it, I tell you-that I am on the verge of a terrible crisis, the symptoms I have enum- the maison de sante. The "homicidal erated to you are more violent than they have ever been; to-morrow it may of minds, and well known and repeatbe too late-I may have brought about some terrible misfortune! Shut me up. I beseech you, care for me by your methods as a specialist, the douche, the dungeon, the strait-jacket, any thing. any thing on earth that will aid and save me!" And I sobbed aloud.

The doctor was moved and deeply interested by so novel a physiological subject. I pressed my advantage, stipulating but for one thing-that my family should not be disquieted.

"No." I said. "the truth must not be told them. I wish them to be ignorant of the horrible extremity to which I now resign. I shall pretext a voyage on business for one, two, three months, "could make good use of it." This was as necessity demands. I shall disapwhat I told myself one night while pear, in short, for that period of time, and write to them only under your direction. Then, when this morbid state of mind or body yields to treat- should deem essential. and, as I was shrewd and intelligent, I ment, energetic as you choose, and I am cured-then can I return to my own fireside with the certainty of no bloody tragedy dogging my heels."

Stirred by such elegance, the doctor play of my organs, and finally declared that I was right, though I had no lesion; that my case was simple, a ble. He consented to lend himself to Then I took to reading scientific the deceit I meditated merely upon the treatises bearing upon mental subjects principle of humoring a patient. He would place me in his own establishment, and a few weeks' care would comley's "Crime et Folie." It was in the pletely rehabitate my cerebral equili-

My wife was equally easy to convince

The next day I entered the maison de sante, a luxurious place, superbly apsum. No matter; in the end I'd square "I have come," I said to him, "I accounts, for the road was open at last

I remained two months in the maison I am rich, I adore my wife and chil- de sante-a week, perhaps, after my inch, replaced the hinges and put the dren, and I have no cause for hate or entrance -continuing the farce by a rule back in place. Soon after its owner anger against a soul that lives; never- simulated access of frenzy, in which I was sent to cut and drill a piece of iron sought to strangle my attendant, and two feet long, and he did-by his rule. which necessitated a well-applied His mystification when he discovered he In speaking thus I affected a dull, douche to quell it. Then I had a fairly had made a misfit may be imagined.

uneven tone, widened my eyes and per- well-done convulsion, and after that mitted my lips to twitch and contract began, little by little, to return to my spasmodically. I had not devoted myself, you see, to medical lore without trouble to enact the madman if you

> They guarded me carefully for six weeks' time, and M. Laussedat paid

I showed myself however, a docile and exemplary patient, though I laughed in my sleeve when I got a chance, so ments so many times advanced by him was an exercise of nerve and memory well, particularly those which proved disappearance, for instance, of cephalic accompaning derangement of normal functions.

But when the day came, and the doc-I know it—the resistance of my will return to my family, I objected. "Not yet," I urged; "another month, doctor, if only for observation. Then only shall I feel that I can go in peace." A precaution to which the doctor assented, at the same time declaring it ise-

In short, when I did resume my liberty and my home, wife, sister-in-law and friends positively feted me; for I had finally consented to write them that I was suffering a little with lung trouble; was under treatment, though having greatly fattened me. Yes, I was really very well.

Well? Exactly; never was I better. and every one saw it; but four months precisely from the day when I resumed my place at the family table I plunged the carving-knife into my sister-inlaw's heart as she sat beside me in her accustomed place. Then I turned it in the wound (there should be no mistake if I could help it) with frightful and maddened howls, succeeded by maudlin tears.

They arrested me, of course. I had counted upon that; also upon the fact, and so timed it, that Dr. Laussedat was had done. I responded always that I out of town. In pursuance to my plan, was well, else evaded the questions, but you see, I desired, and it was necessary, bent upon her from time to time a hol- that I should be officially arrested. low regard, which I saw worried her desired also to be officially investigated, more than ever. For three months I and that the investigation should purthus played my role, then-I returned sue the usual line. To call upon the Doctor too soon would interfere with "It is useless," I assured him, "use- this. Bah! how well one can calculate less and all in vain. Doctor. I am a upon the events that follow a crime,

The bait took. Dr. Laussedat, recalled in haste, testified willingly in my favor. He told every thing, and most pathetically; the frankness with which I had appealed to him, the tests to which I had submitted myself, the struggle I had made to control the evil, and my patient, voluntary sojourn in mania" was plain to the most skeptical edly encountered by the members of the faculty, and the two great specialists, Esquiros and Pinel, both recalled observations identical in every particular

Which I knew as well as the doctor himself knew, since it was these identical observations that had enabled me to construct my plan.

with my case, etc.

Briefly, things went as I wished and had counted upon. I was too rich and too well-known to have the matter dropped with merely the preliminary magisterial inquiry-they feared to be accused of partiality. The Court of Assizes, therefore took me in hand, and, as was bound to be the case, unanimously acquitted me; only coupling to the vindication the condition that I should be returned to the asylum for such a period of time as the doctors

"For the very emotional explosion of which I had been guilty," as M. Laussedat assured the Tribunal, "permitted the strongest hope of a permanent cure."

I am again in the maison de sante for another term. It is why I laugh, when unobserved, and say that I have succeeded, and accomplished my end-to commit a crime, to profit by it, and to remain unpunished; for they will keep me here only a year, possibly, according to my progress, less than a year.

One year, at most, for 500,000 francs in solid money! That frog of a doctor would swallow any thing. Yes, I have undoubtly succeeded

and one year, twelve brief months, fifty-two brief weeks, 365 brief days, will go fast enough with safety and the certainity of a million in current coin at the end of them!-From the French of Hermina, in Cincinnati Enquirer.

-A waggish machinist, employed in Scranton, Pa., got hold of a fellow workman's two-foot rule, removed the hinges, shortened each joint a half MOONSHEES AND PUNDITS.

Personality of the Men Engaged in Teaching Oriental Languages. To each of us a moonshee or pundit was assigned from the college free of charge. These gentlemen were gov- She firmly believes that she is as much ernment-paid servants, and none of me a daily visit, daily finding in me, as them would talk English, though some has converted me to her opinion, or, I meant he should, a sensible modifica- of them had a slight smattering of it. tion of my symptoms, and daily felicit- The moonshees, who taught us Persian the spring, after she calved, I gave her desire that seizes me, when alone in ing me upon my strength of mind. Ye or Hindustani, were usually Mahom- night and morning, at milking-time, a gods! Strength of mind, when I was in medan gentlemen, with gray beards feed of bran and meal. When the and huge turbans, some of them grass improved I omitted the bran and magnificently robed, and nearly all of meal, but proposed to milk her all the them addicted to snuff. The pundits, same. She objected to this arrangewho instructed us in Bengali and ment, kicked and walked spitefully well did I know how greatly the doctor Sanskrit, were Hindoos of high caste away. My man and I got her into and of much-reputed learning in their close quarters, held her fast, deterown religion and philosophy; but their | mined to have milk on our own terms, garments were scanty and almost in- but Crumple Horns was just as deterdecent, being chiefly made of fine mined we shouldn't have it. We soon white muslin. Their heads were bare found that the cow controled the supand shaven save as to one small scalp- plies; she wouldn't "give down" lock, while they decorated their fore- her milk. We took to coaxheads and noses with those marks of ing and patting her; persistsacred clay which are almost an of- ently, but gently, squeezed her fense to an inexperienced Englishman. teats; it availed little; we retired, brought back my calmness, the specter trouble, restricting respiration and the I regret to state that we did not ap- worsted, thinking we would get a doubpreciate or venerate our teachers. We le portion in the morning; but in the were rather afraid of the moonshees morning she gave us little more than at first, as they looked so imposing. As half her usual quantity, and so on for tor announced me cured and ready to to the pundits, they probably despised a week. I saw that without meal she and disliked us as much as we objected would diminish her milk and soon dry to them. They usually turned up at up. I said to my hired man: "Bad our house between ten and eleven, and luck to the man that quarrels with his were kept waiting until it was our cow; we should remember that in all pleasure to read with them. But many milking arrangements the cow is a a day, and oft when the arrival of the party concerned-in fact the party of moonshee was announced, he was sum- the first part. Unless we can be on marily told that he might go away, good terms with our cow we had better and he departed with very little re- not have one. Thinking it all over I luctance. But ou behavior was en- believe the cow is in the right. She tirely different to two, if not three, of gave us a good mess of milk for a mod- physical prowess. the teachers of languages, who under- erate feed of meal, and we have no stood English well, and knew also how | right to ask her to do better than that; rapidly recovering, and had not spoken to teach the native languages. Raj we will give meal night and morning of it before leaving them, for fear of Chunder and Harry Mohun knew as long as we milk her." This we did, alarming them. I was well now, an all the college languages as and she nearly came back to her forassertion with which my appearance well as English, and their serv- mer quantity-a cow allowed to fall agreed, repose of mind, good living ices were in great demand. away doesn't entirely recover. and the certainty of coming success Out of the twenty students in college at least six employed Raj troversy with my cow because it sug-Chunder, and six engaged Harry gests several important considerations. Mohun, while the third man, whose name I have forgotten, got a few pupils. Raj Chunder was my coach, and I was entitled to a sixth part of his time during the day of six hours. for he was not so imprudent as to overwork himself. The difficulty was to get a good hour with him. There was always much competion for the morning hour from sevea to eight, but from eleven to twelve was the most coveted period, and some men paid a little extra to get it. His ordinary charge was thirty rupees a month. He was an excelent teacher, and he knew all the little tricks and dodges for cramming a student up year. A cow should be uniformly den the young men of his province to

A NATIONAL FLOWER.

What on Earth Would We Do with It Even If We Had One?

while for those who read for honors

he was always eager to asssit them in

acquiring a thorough knowledge of

the books and the written and conver-

much that has been printed about the right. As the grass grows less in borers. The spread of the sport has rying need of this country for a National flower. I say I have read it with meal and put it on green cornstalks traffic. It is the practice of the fliers interest, because I thought that it cut fine. Some persons object to feed- to send their birds in baskets, admight indicate the growth of that ing cows at milking time because they dressed to the station-master at a paridyllic sentiment which would soften are uneasy and troublesome if the cus- ticular station, with a request that he our National character and throw the tomary allowance is withheld. Then release them, mark on a label the time golden light of poetry around the cot- don't withhold it. It pays to feed meal they were released, and return the ton mili, the pork packery, the rail- to cows giving milk, and if a cow in- basket. This request is regularly road depot and the blast furnace. But sists on having it every time, as mine granted. The officials rather like the I am convinced that the demand is not did, she does a good turn by forcing work. In cloudy weather porters have general for a National flower, and that us to be regular. Of all losses in- been known to feed birds for three days what is written about it and printed curred by American farmers scarcely before setting them free. about it reflects the sentiment of that class-a very limited one, I believewho do not see that national flowers are the outgrowth of national natures, of a kind that answers their requirewhen they grow at all.

Of course every body has heard of Tribune. the old Irishman who objected to subscribe for a new chandelier, because if the lodge bought it nobody could play on it. My objection is that if the editors who write of the Nationel flower, and the sentimental contributors who will not be comforted because it is not, could agree on a National flower, nobody would wear it. The Florentine of the sixteenth century, with his sesthetic nature cultivated to the highest degree by the contemplation of the great masters of color and design, might naturally worship flowers, and the red lily above all. For him to wear a red lily was natural. It flowered from the rich soil of the Florentine nature. But can any one imagine the American of the nineteenth century wearing a flower officially marked, branded, called and specifically set forth as National without a feeling and bearing of constraint which would plainly mark the artificial designation of the bloom, and lead him to give it to the office boy as soon as he got to his desk? We can not go back to antiquity because we have lost the way. The French Revolutionists tried it and failed. Some of them were flowers in periods of Na- of colleges. This has led to increased able that the body would be buried tional adversity, because an ancient people had done so, but soon gave it up, for fier ce energy of the time and the tender hue of flowers did not go together. Give a soil of sentimentality and the fierce heat of faction, and a national, that is, a flower of a dominant party, may be forced to general acceptance, as was the lily in Bourban France and the violet in Bonapartean. Under natural conditions, no flower

-The Shah of Persia asserts that the Kohinoor is an unlucky jewel. He points to the fact that Queen Victoris lost her husband soon after coming into possession of the famous stone.

ate resolutions. - Boston Transcript.

A COW'S CONCLUSION. Her Owner Gave Her No Meal, and She Would Give Him No Milk.

A cow of mine has well-settled convictions respecting rights of animals. entitled to meal as I am to milk. She rather, forced me to acquiesce. In I record the particulars of this con

1. A cow has almost unlimited control over her milk; she bestows or withholds it at pleasure. It is therefore essential that the cow have no cause for complaint; she should sustain amicable relations with her milker; any thing offensive in his deportment, manners, sharp finger-nails; any annovance whatever, such as a sore teat, troublesome flies, every thing that is disagreeable, in a greater or less de- dinary farm hands, \$59, and women gree lessens the flow of milk and pre- servants, \$47. maturely dries up the cow. A cow the greatest quantity. A little meal would-be dudes. quantity and poorer, I increase the developed quite a newbranch of railway any one is greater than that which comes from allowing cows to fail in their milk for want of sufficient food ments.-Major H. T. Brooks, in N. Y.

SCIENTIFIC FARMING.

Growth of the Agricultural Experiment

The first agricultural experiment day there are more than one hundred experiment stations and kindred institutions in the different countries of Europe. The movement is extending to Asia and to South America. The first agricultural experiment station in Ameria was established at Middletown, Conn., in the Wesleyan chemical laboratroy, Wesleyan University, in 1875. Others soon followed. In 1880 there were four in in fourteen States. In the latter year by an appropriation of fifteen thousand dollars per annum to each of the States colleges or agricultural departments activity, so that there are now forty- alive. - London Sun. six, or, counting branch stations, fiftyseven agricultural experiment stations in the United States. To support these forty-six stations, the National and State appropriations for the present year reach about seven hundred and twenty thousand dollars, and over three hundred and seventy trained men are employed. -Arkansaw Traveler.

-A fruit-grower reports that, havyet ever became national by concerted ing an orchard of young trees badly action or by the passage of appropriinfested with bark lice, he made solution of sai soda-half a pound to a gallon of water-and applied it with a whitewash brush. In a week's time they were all dead and washed off. The trees grew two feet a year after ward and remained very heal by.

FOREIGN GOSSIF.

-The oldest public house in England is "The Seven Stars" at Manchester. It dates back to the time of Edward III.

-There are 32,000 benefit and buriak clubs registered in England and Wales, with funds which amount to £11,000,-

-When the Queen removes from Osborne to Windsor her carriages and horses are sent ahead in two special trains. Fifty carriage trucks are usually needed to transport the stable and its attendants.

-Princess Victoria is the most original and thoughtful of the Prince of Wales' daughters. Princess Maud acts as her mother's amanuensis. Princess Louise has been her father's

-Eight tapestries woven at Brussels. in the sixteenth century for the palace. of Hippolyte d'Este, Cardinal and Prince, were recently bought by the Belgian Government. The price was

-The authorities of Eton and Harrow have given instructions that the pupils at these schools shall not wear the brown "untanned" leather boots with ordinary attire, as they do not. consider them becoming or dignified.

-Prince Henry of Prussia, the Kaiser's brother, is the idol of the German naval service. He is the 'Unser Heinrich" of the navy, just as his father used to be the "Unser-Fritz" of the army, and many stories. are told to illustrate his good nature, his devotion to his profession and his

-It was announced at a dinner given by the jury of the Paris Expositions that the chief buildings on the grounds will remain as permanent exhibition. buildings, wherein will be founded an annual European fair after the pattern of the celebrated annual fairs of Novgorod. It is hoped by this means tomake Paris the commercial center of Europe, as Novgorod was for centuries the commercial center of Russia.

-Labor is carefully classified on French farms. Laborers are usually hired by the year, and in addition totheir wages are given the use of a cheap house, with potatoes, some grain and a bit of land for a garden. The an angry word, rough, uncourteous average wages received by head farmers last year were \$81 for the year and found: herdsmen and shepherds, \$56; workmen and cheese-makers, \$86; or-

-Reports from the Celestial kingtaken to a new place shrinks in her dom make it known that a Governormilk, and seldoms recovers for a whole of the Chinese provinces has forbidto the point just sufficient to pass; milked by the same person. 2. The wear gorgeously-colored and emgreat liking cows have for bran and broidered garments, a practice which meal shows they are adapted to he says is foolish and unmanly, and he the animal's necessities. While gives due warning to fathers, elderno single food is better than brothers and teachers that they will sational work. - Longman's Magazine. grass, fed alone it does not be held responsible for any display of give the best quality of milk nor remarkable clothing on the part of the

may be profitably fed, even when grass -Pigeon-flying is growing to be an is abundant and in its best condition- absorbing amusement in England, par-I have read with growing interest my cow demanded it, and she was ticularly among the Birmingham la-

ELECTRICAL AGONY.

Inconceivable Pain Caused by Death from

Of course, electricity can instantaneously kill a person, but in that infinitesimally small space of time of the transition from life to death the person will suffer inconceivable pain. Although the speed of electricity is at. the rate of 286,000 miles per second, station, according to Prof. W. O. At- the killing can not be so instantanewater, of the United States Depart- ous as to preclude all pain. Every ment of Agriculture, was established particle of the nervous tissueat a little German village near Leip- is polarized. Polarization causes zig. in 1851. In 1856 there were five, each particle of matter to rein 1861 fifteen, in 1866 thirty, and to- volve on its axis, which means the stretching of the nerves out of all proportion, and consequently the most intense pain.

But the great fault with execution by electricity is that it is almost impossible to ascertain just how strong a current will kill a man instantaneously and yet not be a barbarous mode of killing. If the current be but a few volts stronger than that required to instantly execute a certain person the operation, and in 1887 some seventeen consequences would be terrible. Itwould disfigure the body beyond recog-Congress made the enterprise National nition, and would disintegrate every portion of the corpse. Should the current be just a trifle too weak to exeand Territories having agricultural cute a person, it would throw him intoa trance so deathlike that it is prob-

Almost Human Intelligence.

An English trader at Ngove, on the southwestern coast of Africa, has had for some time a young female gorilla, whose docility is described as most remarkable. Jeannie, as the baby gorilla has been named, sleeps with her master, and tries to follow him wherever he goes, weeping like a child if left: behind. She recently accompanied him on a journey of twenty miles or more, walking all the way. She has acquired many civilized tastes and habits, and will drink tea, etc., out of a cup or glass, displaying the utmost carefulness not to break the vessel --Cleveland Leader.

THE ROSES BY THE RUN.

The roses and the clover
Are very sweet and fair,
And I love the fragrant odors
They breathe upon the air;
But sweeter seemed the blossoms Beside the meadow run.
The time that you were twenty And I was twenty-one.

How fondly I remember The time we culled them there, And 'neath the shady maples I wove them in your hair; How there in bliss we tarried Until the set of sun,
The time that you were twenty
And I was twenty-one.

It may have been the flowers, Or a look benign and free, That bade me whisper softly How dear you were to me; I never stopped to question, I only know 'twas done

The time that you were twenty And I was twenty-one. We've had our summer, darling, The fields of life are brown, We've traveled up the hills de.

We're on our journey down; Yet oft I wake from dreaming Those days have just begun. That you again are twenty And I am twenty-one. When hie and love are over,

And I am laid at rest,
I hope some one will gather,
And place upon my breast, Such flowers as used to blossom Beside the meadow run. And I was twenty-one.
—Merchant Traveler.

ISABEL

From Shop to Mansion.

The Romantic Story of a Dress Maker's Rise in Lifa.

BY MRS. F. M. HOWARD.

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CHAPTER VIL -CONTINUED. " And so you met Mrs. Monteith in Phila felphia," laughed Mrs. Stanford, "and she doubtless thought she was showing me a favor in crushing you."

Mrs. Stanford forgot that Mrs. Monteith had but shown the same spirit she had her-

"Really, I must contrive to let her hear this delightfully romantic story of yours.' Mrs. Stanford looked at it in a mercenary and social light only, while Isabel's heart was full of the sweet, strange joy of having found out the long-sought knowledge of ther parentage, and she changed the subject by telling her sister-in-law her plan in regard to Lottie Ford. The lady was in a facetious humor, and cried, gayly: "I shall expect to hear next that you and Harvey have started an orphan asylum, or at the least an invalid's retreat," and she laughed heartily at the brilliancy of her idea. "But really, joking aside," she added, more seriously, "it will be nice for Gracie if the girl is intelligent and refined, and of course you would not think of the thing otherwise."

"My dear sister, if you could only recover from the idea that a person is necessarily vulgar and ill bred simply because she is poor," said Isabel, with a deprecating

"Oh, mother, if you only knew how hard It is for me to lie here and see you doing so much for me." The speaker was Lottie Ford; she lay upon the lounge, in the on room which answered for sitting-room, dining-room and parlor, and watched the patient mother as she polished the bosom of fine shirt she was ironing, for Mrs. Ford was obliged to do a great deal of fine laun-dry work now that Lottie was sick and the expenses heavier.

tie's gentle spirit reflected in her thin face; it had been pretty once, in the days long ago, when Mr. Ford, then a thrifty me chanic, brought her to a cozy nest called home, and for many years they were so now that she was going away they were ectful distance from their door.

Then trouble came in the form of sickness and death, and two lovely children were laid in the grave, and Lottie had the fall which resulted in her lameness, and the diftle mother was glad to turn her faculty for fine ironing to advantage in helping along, for Mr. Ford, though the kindest and most willing of men, was no longer young

and strong.
"Don't fret, Lottie," she said, as she fitted whe besom-board into another shirt, "Let us be thankful that I can get the work to do; if I could only see you getting better I could work with a light heart." And she sighed as she went into the little kitchen

"How I wish I might hear from Isabel." said Lottie, as the mother returned.

"Yes," replied Mrs. Ford, "that basket of fruit and flowers she sent you cheered and helped you better than a half-dozen doctors'

"Doubtless she has too many interests in ther new life to think of poor Lottie very often, though," sighed the daughter.

At that very moment Mrs. Stanford's own elegant carriage was at the front of the shabby tenement house, and Isabel, her face with the delight of meeting her friend again, ran up the stairs, and, as the door was ajar, she stepped in without knocking, and before Lottie could quite comprehend who or what it was, she had her arms this class of diseases, and had already per around the poor, pale little figure, crying joyfully: "Lottie, you darling, precious little city, and Mr. Falconer had great faith in joyfully: "Lottie, you darling, precious lit-tle Lottie, I have come to take you home

CHAPTER VIII.

"Isabel, dear Isabel, is it indeed you?" and Lettie looked in the face of her friend with wan delight. "I was just wishing for

"Yes, Mrs. Falconer, Lottie has really pined for you," said Mrs. Ford, as she took Isabel's hand in hers, and looked up into the bright face with a wistful expression. "Then she shall pine no longer." replied Isabel, with a happy smile, "for I have come to take her home with me, where she is to grow well and strong again, little mother," nd she patted the wrinkled hand in her's

coaxingly, for she knew there would be a in the leving mother heart before she could consent to her going.
"Home with you, Isabel!" exclaimed Lot-

tie, her pinched face lighting up with the "If you are at all able to be moved," and

Isabel took a low seat by Lottie's side and explained her plans. "How can I let her go," said Mrs. Ford. "she's the very light of my eyes," and the tears rolled down her cheeks at the thought.

"I know it, Mrs. Ford, but think of the the best of medical attend-

Mrs. Ford, more cheerfully, "and I am sure friend's character in its furnishings. White goes. In the abstract, the 'all things in har father will be so thankful, for he has

worried so much because we could not do "And now, dear, when do you think we

can go?"
"Whenever you wish, Isabel," replied
Lottie, her eyes full of content at the prospect of the pleasant change. "I have but little packing to do; blessed be nothing, you know, when it comes to a moving day.

"I'm afraid Lottie will cut a poor figure in your handsome home," said Mrs. Ford, with a sigh, her eyes involuntarily resting on Isabel's stylish dress.

"Now, little mother, I forbid one sigh in this matter," cried Isabel. "Lottie is to be under my authority for the next year, and if I choose to load her down with pretty wrappers, and the like, I shall brook no interference; but there is yet one question to settle. Do you think, Lottie, dear, you can travel with my assistance, or shall I send for Mr. Falconer; he wished me to, in case you needed a gentleman's care."

"Mr. Falconer! Do you mean to say, Isabel, that your husband would come to New York to help take care of a poor girl whom he has never seen in his life!" and Lottie raised herself on one elbow and lessed to give than to receive?"

"I do not doubt it," he replied, heartily. "I believe many a scandal in high life may looked in her friend's face in her surprise. "You do not know Mr. Falconer," and

there was a world of pride and respect in her voice. "I do mean just that, but if you could ride to the depot in Mrs. Stanford's do you, Miss Ford?" carriage, with your father to assist you into the train. Mr. Falconer will meet us at ome with our carriage, which is a very

"I'm sure I can," said Lottie; she was looking brighter and better already, and she tried her strength carefully and hope-"Can you walk at all?" as Lottie raised

erself on the lounge.
"With the aid of my crutches," and she fitted them under her slender arms and

walked a few steps.
"Then if you think you can be ready we will start to-morrow afternoon and I will telegraph to Mr. Falconer to meet us," re-plied Isabel; "and as railway officials are so kind to ladies, and especially invalid ladies, I have no doubt we shall get along nicely."

"The Lord will bless you, Mrs. Falconer, said Mrs. Ford, following her to the hall below, "nothing could be more opportune for Lottie, and though I shall miss her so much, I am very grateful," and tears gathered in her eyes again.
"Mrs. Ford," and Isabel looked affection-

ately at the loving little woman, "I should be ungrateful, indeed, if I did not use the



I HAVE COME TO TAKE YOU HOME WITH ME.

great blessings which have come to me for more than my own selfish pleasure; rest assured it is a delight, both to Mr. Falconer and myself, to do this for Lottie," and she waved her hand with a smile at the pale little woman as the carriage drove away. Mr. Ford entered thankfully into the plan with a full heart when he came home to din-

ner; the news spread like wildfire through the house that Lottie was to go away and live with a rich friend who was to do all for her that her parents were too poor to do, and they all rejoiced in her good fortune. All these humble neighbors were more or less interested in the pale little invalid, who had in her days of comparative strength been a blessing to all of them in turn, and

anxious to add a mite from their scanty stores to aid in her preparations.

One brought in a collar, another a piece of

bright ribbon, and when Mrs. McCarthy came bringing a white apron ironed to the last degree of nicety and her only article of luxury, Lottie could not refrain from tears. Some were only able to offer assistance, and busy hands helped to put the slender wardrobe in perfect order and pack the lit-tle trunk, and when Mrs. Stanford's carriage again drove to the door Lottie was eiped down the stairs by strong, willing hands, eager to help, and hearty good wishes followed her from the humble home.

"Shure, mim, an' Miss Lottie 'll come back to yees as well and strong as any body belikes," said Mrs. McCarthy, wiping her eyes on the corner of her apron; "bless her swate heart, an' may all the saints bless the good leddy that gives her the chance."

Mr. Falconer was in the train nearly as soon as it stopped, and his greedy eyes sought for Isabel. "My dear, dear wife," he whispered, fondly, as he pressed her hand. "And this is Miss Lottie, of whom I have heard so much," and he took the little in-valid's slender hand in his strong clasp. Has the journey fatigued you much? "She has borne it wonderfully," said Isa-

bel, answering for her.
As soon as the invalid was sufficiently rested from the journey Dr. Conroy was called. He was a comparatively young physician, but he had made a specialty of his skill.

After an examination of the limb, and careful inquiry into the cause and progress of the disease, he, to Isabel's great delight. gave a most favorable opinion, in case his directions were implicitly followed.

great deal of resting," he said, with a glance of authority from under his shaggy eye brows. "If you heat your blood and irri-tate the sore by over-exercise I can not answer for the consequences."

He had great black eyes and heavy eye

brows, and might have passed for a pirate if his smile had not been so thoroughly kindly, lighting up his vhole face and bringing out two good-natured dimples; he had an odd habit of running his fingers up through his hair when he was in any way perplexed or annoved, leaving his rather stubby black locks sticking up straight like

porcupine quills. "Indeed, Dr. Conroy," said Isabel, "I shall be only too willing to see that your directions are carried out, for really her ambition is really reprehensible."

"Then I appoint you guardian to see that I am obeyed," giving minute directions for "Looking at things

There was a sound of hammering and a mysterious going on in the room adjoining ance, plenty of out-door air, when she is able to go out, and a permanent and easy sabel and Mr. Falconer assisted Lottie up situation as soon as she is well enough to the stairs and ushered her into it. with the

purity itself was personified; a deep-cush- times, is the true one, but in actual experi oned lounge, a large invalid's wheel chair, bright, cheerful pictures, books, and everywhere delicate white laces and azure rib- have now." bons wherever they could be used.

In an airy alcove a dainty bed was made were kept.

"let me see how you look in your chair."
"Oh, Isabel!" was all surprised Lottie could say, as she sank down into the soft cushions of her chair.

"You see we were selfish in doing this," said Isabel, speaking rapidly so that Lottie could have no opportunity for formal thanks, and indeed there was no need, for your evenings with us in our room, and we can wheel you back and forth when you are

"It is very pleasant to give, I assure you," he replied, answering her look with a smile. "I don't imagine that man who hid his talent

Mr. Falconer had received Isabel's communication in regard to her birth with pleased surprise, and had heartily approved of all she had done for Mrs. Harmon; he had never been what is termed a benevolent man, yet it was not from a lack of heart, and when Isabel showed a disposition to be unselfish and helpful to others he fell in

line heartily and cheerfully.

The first Mrs. Falconer had been a quiet little woman who did not allow her right hand to know what her left hand did, and having a fortune of her own, she dispensed her charities silently, and Mr. Falconer had no opportunity of entering into them, but Isabel, who had never been accustomed to the lavish use of money, could not use his purse for the benefit of others, however freely offered, without his knowledge and co-operation, and so with her his benevolent instincts were brought out and culti-vated to their mutual profit and pleasure.

Mrs. Colonel De Long and Mrs. Dwight continued to be Isabel's most intimate friends, though she had now many callers and passing acquaintances, and these ladies took up Lottie and made a great deal of the patient little girl, bringing her fruits, flow-

ers and books lavishly.
"I do wish," said Mrs. Dwight one day as she sat on the lounge in Lottie's room, "that I knew of some one whom I could get to crochet me one of those delicate shawls which are being worn so much."

"Let me do it, Mrs. Dwight," said Lottie, eagerly. "Time hangs heavy on my hands, and I would be so glad to have something with which to busy myself."

"The very thing," answered Mrs. Dwight; "and I can assure you, Miss Ford, that if you can do such work you will find plenty of it, for we unfortunate ladies, who are martyrs to society, have very little time for

"Lottie will be only too happy, I am sure," said Isabel, "for she is such an alarmingly industrious person that she is positively miserable unless her hands are busy." She well knew this opportunity of would do much toward making Lottie con ented and cheerful. It was a happy suggestion, and the ladies kept her busy from that time, and Lottie was perfectly happy as her nimble fingers wrought dainty, beau-tiful things with the ivory hook and soft wools, and better still, her plaintively lean pocket-book began to grow plump and round with the results of her labor.

"If I can only buy mother a nice black dress for Christmas, and father the large print Bible he has needed so long, I shall be so happy," said Lottie. The fever sore was slowly yielding to Dr. Conroy's skillful treatment and Lottie could

walk much more easily than at first. "I do believe that Dr. Conroy is beginning raiconer were driving in the park. "Wouldn't it be perfectly lovely if—?" and she looked up at him with a knowing smile. "Am I to discover another unexpected

talent in my wife?" he said, laughingly, as he looked down at her face, "the talent of match making?"
"I think not," she replied; "there are some matches which make themselves."

"Like ours, for instance." "Yes, like ours," she answered, a little absently; "do you know I have not quite recovered from the surprise of it yet?"

"Well, I have," he answered, gayly. "It seems the most natural thing in life that you should be here by my side, and as if I had known you always. By the way, we have cards to a brilliant reception at Mrs. Belmond's next week; I suppose it is to be one of the social events of the season." Shall we go?"

"I think so," he replied; "the cream of the city will be there, and some whom I should like to have you meet. I should not like to have my wife eclipsed in the line of dress," he added, after a pause.

"Which remark indicates another visit to Mme, Morand, I suppose," she said, quickly. "What an advantage you gentlemen have over us ladies. When you con-



NOW, MY DEAR LITTLE INVALID."

template a festivity you are not obliged to rack your brains for a new design in "Then you do not consider the posses

sion of fine clothing the chief aim in life.' "I do not," she answered emphatically.
"To be sure there is a certain pleasure in selecting beautiful materials and having them made up artistically and well, but in the abstract, how foolish it seems to have a

"Looking at things in the abstract, my dear, there are a great many queer things in life—the unequal distribution of wealth, for instance. While you are sighing over the necessity of getting up a new costume which you do not need, your poor neighbor may be shedding real tears of distress over Information that it was hers.

Isabel had followed her idea of her she does need pitifully, and so the world the lack of means to get the one dress which

ence, in our time of hurry and greed, it would produce a worse muddle than we

"The requirements of fashion are another abstract nuisance," said Isabel, laughing. up, and curtained off with lace, and at its head, in easy reach of her hand, a little put enough rich material to trim my poor cabinet in which her medicines and lotions neighbor's dress lavishly into a bungling, unnecessary train, which serves no pur-"Now, my dear little invalid," said Isabel, pose whatever except to get in the way and

trip upawkward gentlemen."
"There is one fashionable folly which I hope my wife will never give up to," he said, gravely. "I notice with pleasure that you have not as yet appeared in public with bared neck and arms."

She blushed rosily. "Pray do not think, Mr. Falconer, that I could be so lost to all the eloquent face told all that the lips would sense of delicacy as to appear in a pro-have spoken, "for we wished you to spend miscuous crowd of people dressed in such a manner. I assure you I blush for my sex when I see such exhibitions, and I believe

> be traced to this unwomanly folly for its origin, and it ought never to be seen outside of the slums or variety theaters; shamelessness is to be expected there."
> "I am glad you agree with me," said
> Isabel, "and I wish you would carry your

> good taste a little farther, and tell me what to purchase for this occasion. Since you speak of it, I noticed a piece of

> velvet brocade in a delicate shade of lavender gray, at Hoags, which I thought at the time would make up beautifully.' "There, now, you are developing unexpected traits," she said, laughing merrily; "I had no idea that you were so much of a man milliner."

> partnership business; you to make matches, I to design the wedding garments."

A little kindergarten outfit had been pro cured for Gracie, and these were placed in Lottie's room, and many happy hours were spentthere by the young teacher and her lit-tle pupil, who never wearied of the pretty contrivances by which she was learning the rudiments of more advanced study.

Lottie had become much attached to the

little girl, and her affection was fully reciprocated by the affectionate child, who delighted in waiting upon her and taking the steps which still caused Lottie such pain and weariness. They were engaged with the simple les-

ons when Isabel returned from her ride, and Gracie was bending over her little desk engaged in a problem in addition wrought by means of pegs stuck in the holes of a gaily painted board. "What a studious pair we are," said

Isabel, coming in with ruddy cheeks from the bracing October air.
"Mamma, there has been a man in our room while you were gone," said Gracie, looking up from her work gleefully; the

home room was spoken of as our room because each felt an ownership in it. "A man!" replied Isabel, in some surprise; "what an unheard-of proceeding." "You had better investigate the matter,"

said Lottie, demurely, and Isabel, in obedience to the hint, rose and went in at once. Mr. Falconer was there before her, and hanging upon the wall in the best light the room afforded was a picture, the exact counterpart of the one chosen for Ralph and Lilly, and the first offering which had been made to the home shrine since it had been established.

TO BE CONTINUED.

HONESTY IN BUSINESS. Fair Dealing and Good Workmanship the

Basis of All Success. Trickery is sometimes rewarded by a brief success. A man makes money sometimes by selling an adulterated article or by some other act of dishonesty in his business; but, entirely aside from the moral quality of these acts, there is a force against them in the long run which turns to take a more than professional interest in Lottie," said Isabel one day, as she and Mr. law overtakes them with its inevitable penalties; and the law which holds men to right action, honest dealing and genuine work in other departments of life holds them just as relentlessly to these things in business. No great business was ever built up or carried on by any sort of unscrupulous shrewdness, trickery, falsehood or deceit. The basis of a great business is always moral; it is always fair dealing, sound quality and hard work. No great business was ever yet built up on any other foundation than this. A trick will succeed for a little while, but it has a rotten foundation, and they who build on it fall with it. Men are often duped, and there is still plenty of credulity left; but men are not fools, and when they once discover that they have been deceived, that is the end of the man who has practiced deceit on them. An honest article of superior quality, thor oughly made, is the only thing that will hold the market in the long run, and the secret of all great business success is distinct superiority of method or production. A man who has an ambition to build up a great business should drop all ideas of aid from any sort of sharpness or trickery, or from any catch-penny devices, and set himself to work to produce an article distinctly superior to any thing in the field, or to build up a business better organized and more thoroughly equipped than that of any of his competitors. Especially ought it to be written on the heart and brain of every young man that fair dealing, honest work manship and good quality are the basis of business success.—Christian Union.

A FRENCHMAN, aged sixty, learned English through living seventeen years in North America, and then Spanish after his marriage with a Spanish woman. He los' his command of these languages in the in verse order. First he was unable to speak Spanish, then English went from him, and lastly, his native tongue, French. The afflio tion was ascribed to the softening of the third left lobe of the brain, and by a methodical practice in conversation he re-gained his normal ability, recovering the and Spanish.

Great Expectations.

The chief of police, who was dressed ir civilian's clothes, saw how a cab-driver in suited and abused people who refused to hire his vehicle. The chief of police en tered the cab and told the jehu to drive on.
"Where shall I drive to?" asked the cabdriver.

"To police headquarters." "And what will I get?" "About ten days."-Texas Siftings.

Miss Cashley-I am sorry, Mr. Gushington, but it can never be. But I will always be a sister to you. Mr. Gushington-Pardon me if I decline. How could I gracefully congratulate a future brother-in-law, sister, should you by and by

Declined All 'Round.

decide to wed?-Judge. Poor youth; it is never considered enough to know any thing until it g wrong, and then it is thought old enough have known better

THE LAW'S DELAYS.

Some Food for Thought for Lawyers, Lay-

The impatience of the people caused by the law's delays—an abuse older than Shakespeare-and the devious and costly methods by which justice is approached, although not always reached, have made the courts a scoffing and the members of an honorable profession a by-word among the masses. As in all such cases, the shafts directed at abuses have sometimes gone astray and wounded innocent persons, but, while lawyers wince and protest that they are misrepresented, there are few among them ready to deny that such abuses in the methods of bench and bar exist.

It is not, however, often that so frank an exposure of these evils has been made by one within the arcana of the profession as that given by David Dudley Field, the retiring president of the trict. American Bar Association, in his address delivered before that body at Chicago. He said:

In respect of our duties to the state, I insist that we are far behind in the performance of them. We are a boastful people; we make no end of saying what great things we have done and are doing, and yet behind these brilliant shows there stands a specter of halting justice, such as is to be seen in no other part of Christendom. So far as I am aware, there is no other country calling itself civilized where it takes so long to punish a criminal and so many years to get a final decision between man man milliner." and man. Truly we may say that justice
He retorted smilingly: "Let us go into a passes through the land on leaden sandals. One of our most trustworthy journalists as-sorts that more murderers are hung by mob serts that more murderers are hung by mobs every year than are executed in the course of law. And yet we have, it is computed, nearly 70,000 lawyers in the country. France, with a population of 40,000,000, has 6,000 lawyers and 2,400 other officials, who do the work of attor neys with us, and Germany, with a population of 45,000,600, has in the same category 7,000. Thus the proportion of the legal element is in France, 1 to 4,762; in Germany, 1 to 6,423; in the United States, 1 to 909. Taking all these figures together, is it any wonder that a cynic should say that we American lawyers talk more and speed less than any other equal number of en known to history?

Here is food enough for thought for lawyer, layman and legislator. What the country seems to need is less law and better law; fewer lawyers, whose learning shall be put to the severest test before their admission, whose character shall be closely scrutinized and who shall practice under a system which insures instant disbarment as the penalty of dishonorable dealing. Such men would prevent litigation where shysters create it. Then we need judges of learning, dignity and stern moral fiber-divorced from politics, knowing neither friendships nor enmities where judicial duty is concerned, and who will crush the lawyer who attempts pettifogging or charletanry. Above all, we need Legislatures which will not attempt to deal with matters they do not understand, will not pass laws for political effect. and will be honest, consistent and intelligent.

When we secure all these things we shall have prompt justice-and the millennium. - Detroit Free Press.

MUD CREEK'S TERROR. Hon. Theodore Roosevelt's Story of

To-day several newspaper men came in to see him, among them one he had known when he was running a ranch out in Dakota. The conversation naturally drifted to the lynching of "Queen Kate," and Mr. Roosevelt laughed as he said: "I met her once, and I didn't attempt any foolishuess while I was there. In my most polite manner I greeted her as 'madam,' and observed the utmost politeness while I was in her presence. You couldn't fool with her, and she at that time wasn't such a bad woman after all. But there was a woman up on Third Mud creek who was a second Kate after her fashion.

"She was small, but, O my! she had a husband about her own size, but he hadn't the nerve, and she ruled the house. They had a kid, too; not their own child, but a youngster they had picked up and adopted. Mrs. dare not mention her name because she is living yet) made fine buckskin shirts, and one day I rode over to have one made. As soon as I reached the house I saw that there had been a famity squall, and I acted accordingly. I sat down on the porch and waited for Mrs. --. She came along directly and stumbled over my feet. 'Keep those big feet out of my road,' was the command she gave, and I got them under my chair quickly. Anyhow I left my order for the shirt and rode away.

Some weeks afterward I went over after it. Instead of the husband and the kid I found 'Cherokee Jim' installed as the proprietor. I didn't dare ask Mrs. -- what was the matter. but pumped it out of Jim. It seems that a few days before a bull-whacker wagon came along and stopped for dinner. In the wagon was a jug of whisky, which the kid stole and drank half of it. That spoke volumes for his anguages in the order of French, English constitution. Then the kid started to clean out the old man, and was about to split his head open, when he was shot in the side, but not fatally. The old man then emptied the jug of whisky, and, feeling brave, thought it a good opportunity to assert his rights. 'He took the wooden ramrod of his

gun and started for his wife. She waited till he was almost on her, and then with one of those things you lift the lids off a stove hit him full in the face. Then she jumped astride the prostrate form, took it by the ears, and banged his head against the floor till he was reduced to a state of insensibility; all this to the intense amusement of the bull whackers, who were watching her through the window. She then picked up the body and threw it through the window. The old man lifted the kid and the empty bottles into the wagon and drove off. I tell you, those women bave to be treated with respect."

RELIGIOUS AND EDUCATIONAL

-There were seventy conversions recently in Cobleigh Seminary, Nagasaki, Japan.

-The Kohls are said to be more inclined to Christianity than any other natives of Assam.

-True religion and virtue give a cheerful and happy turn to the mind of all true pleasures, and even procure for us the highest.

-It does not require great learning to be a Christian and be convinced of the truth of the Bible. It requires an honest heart and a willingness to obey God. -Barnes.

-The Mission of the American Baptist Missionary Union among the Telugus is reaping astonishing results. Since the beginning of 1889 there have been over 1,000 baptisms in the Angole district, and 471 in the Vinukonda dis-

-The Bishop of Tennessee is building a substantial dormitory near Fisk University for the accommodation of young colored men whom the Diocese will aim to train for the ministry of the Episcopal church in connection with the University and by arrangement with its authorities.

-Miss Jay, who has been evangelizing the Moorish troops in Algeria, says: that what seemed to astonish them most was the fact that if they believed in Jesus Christ they must leave their sins. One of the soldiers said: "Truly your religion is better than ours; for we can have our prophet and our sins

too." -It is always a great abuse of the Bible to place upon its language a false meaning, to make it teach what it does not teach and to substitute our inference from it for its actual teaching. Every one, in reading the Book, should be exceedingly careful to seek its true and exact meaning and then be content with that meaning .- N. Y. Independ-

-In a lecture at New York a young convert from brahminism. Mr. Vishun, gave the number of Christians now in India, including Protestants and Catholics, as about three millions, and said that if the increase in the number of conversions should continue as in the last ten years, the whole of India, with its population of over two hundred and fifty millions, would be christianized

within a century. -The fidelity of some Chinese converts may be learned from a nickname given a few of them living near Shoawu. They are there called the "Kneelin-bed sect," and some heathen declared that the Christians always went to sleep on their knees. In the place and at the time when their neighbors would suppose they would be asleep, these

Christians were at prayer. -In several towns near Bombay offers have been made to the missionaries to open schools among the natives, no objection being raised to the assurance that the education would be on strictly Christian principles. A lack of money to occupy these centers was the only reason for refusal, as freedom to teach the Bible was fully granted by the Brahmins, who desired the thorough teaching and high moral influence of the missionaries. Several societies of Brahmins in Southern India have been formed for the sole purpose of studying the Bible.

WIT AND WISDOM

-A man may be very great and very good, and then not attract half the attention that a captured horse-thief

does. - Exchange. -The one who will be found in trial capable of great acts of love is ever the one who is always doing considerate small ones - Robertson

people do not mind their own business. One is they haven't any business; and the other is they haven't any mind. -Very often the only difference between something unfortunate and something funny lies in whether it happens

-There are two reasons why some

to you or somebody else. - Merchant -Wit loses its respect with the good when seen in company with malice; and to smile at the jest which plants a thorn in another's breast is to become a principal in the mischief. - Sheridan.

-Usefulness is greatness. As the title of a book has it, there are "celestial objects for common telescopes. So there are high spheres of usefulness for the common minds when touched with a profound desire to do good. No one is incapable of such greatness .-Church Union.

-"To be a universal friendly presence in the whole of our common life" -in this phrase is formulated the special ministry of the individual in his relation to humanity. The power of personality to stimulate the faculties of all with whom one comes in contact, and thus create a working atmosphere, is one that implies and comprehends much of the responsibility of life. - Boston Traveller.

-Be polite to your children. Do you expect them to be mindful of your welfare? To grow glad at your approach? To bound away to do your pleasure before your request is half spoken? Then with all your dignity and authority mingle politeness. Give it a niche in your household temples. Only then will you have the true secret of sending out into the world really finished gentlemen and ladies. - Exchange.

-A wise man will turn adverse criticisms and malicious attacks to good account. He will consider carefully whether there is not in home some weakness or fault which, although he never discovered, was plain to the eye of his enemy. Many men profit more by the assaults of foes than by the kindness of friends -- Christian Advo-

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Babyhood recommends that sponges used in the nursery, especially those used on the face, be occasionally put in boiling water for a few minutes
This is a simple enough precaution
against what is known among medical
men to occur sometimes (shough not often)—the conveying of infectious matter to the eyes, causing inflammation and even serious eye diseases.

Where everything is exceptionally good, it is difficult to make a selection of the very best; and this is the dilemma we find ourselves confronted with each month when our favorite periodical. "Demorest's Monthly Magazine," arrives. The October number is bristling with good things, The colored frontispiece, "The Wedding Trip," is a lovely picture in the same style as "A Yatching Party, given in the previous number, and follows naturally in sequence; for is not a yatching party often a forerunner of a wedding trip? In addition, there are nearly 150 other illustrations, including a very interest ins series showing various kinds of "Human Habitations." It is published by W. Jennings Demorest, 15
East 14th Street, New York.

A WHEELMAN'S TRIP.

FROM SAN FRANCISCO TO CHICAGO ON A BICYCLE.

The journey between the Mississippi valley and the Pacific coast has been made in many kinds of vehicles, from a hand cart to a palaee car, but it remained for a Chicago newspaper man to undertake the feat of traveling across the continent on a bicycle. Mr. Thomas Roe, of the Chicago Herald, and a wheelman of considerable note, left San Francisco on September 21.
destined to Chicago. He will travel
along the line of the Santa Fe railroad. This road was selected on account of its freedom from alkali dust, the small number of tunnels, and for the reason that its grades are so light that they can be easily overcome on a bicycle. Mr. Roe rides a ma-chine of the regulation style, that is with the large wheel in front, and which was built to order for this trip; it is of extra weight and strength to insure against accident enroute. The distance by the Santa Fe Route from San Francisco to Chicago is about 2,500 miles, and men who ride bycycles say it will take Mr. Roe about forty days to complete the trip. It will at any rate require over a million revolutions of the wheel to complete the

tions of the wheel to complete the journey.—State Journal Sept. 30.

Mr. Roe will pass through Strong City, probably, the latter part of this month; and Mr. E. J. Edwards, depot agent. at Strong City, has kindly consented to inform us when he will go through that place, so that we can inform our readers beforehand, so they may have an opportunity to see him as he goes along on his long journey.

KANSAS PATENTS.

The following patents were granted for the week ending Sept.17, 1889, reported expressly for this paper by Joseph II. Hunter, Solicitor of American and foreign patents, Washington,

D. C:

G. L. Banks, Fall River, check row corn planter; L. P. Bardwell, Pratt, mailing device for newspapers, etc.; Herbert Hackney, Topeka, feed water purifier for steam boilers; B. F. Ham, Cimarron, windmill; J. A. Lough, Chetopa, belt gearing; John McDougall, Earnest, wire tightening device; H. C. Miller, Soldier's Home, Leavenworth, car coupling link holder; B. F. Moore, Ivanhoe, corn cutter; Andrew worth, car coupling link holder; B. F. Moore, Ivanhoe, corn cutter; Andrew Reed, Lawrence, nut lock; J. A. Sohn, Wichita, foot rest for steam radiators; Harrison Staggs, Valencia, sash fastener; C. J. Bloom, Atchison, fruit gatherer; G. H. Evans, Jr., Independence, corn planter; F. H. Fairchild, Atchison, artificial limb; Geo. Gary, Wichita, house moving truck; Edwin Jarrell, Harper, yehicle spring; Maguas Swenson, Fort Scott, defecating pan; T. A. Fite, Parsons, extension step for railway cars; E. F. Hrberlein, McPherson, windmill; Robert Liddell, Blakeman, roofing tile; A. F. Thayer, Maple Hill, removing buttermilk from butter; A. E. Leonard, Kinsley, tire tightener; J. K. Miller, Emporia, combined pulley block and belaying pin; A. F. Thayer, Maple Hill, apparatus for separating buttermilk from butter.

LAND CONTESTS DECIDED.

Our Washington correspondent sends us the following information. The names of the successful parties are printed in capital letters:

KANSAS—SALINA.

WALTER S. VAIL vs. Ernest E. Pracht.

JAMES R. ROBERT vs. George W.
Nesbitt.

KANSAS-TOPEKA W H. DEARLOVE vs. Joseph Al-

tenreid. CASPER C. PLYLY vs. Union Pa-

eific R. R. Co.
W. T. EVANS vs. same.
STATE OF KANSAS vs. same.
CORNELIUS LANE vs. same.
ADAM GALBREATH vs. Will-

iam Maguire.
J. W. WEIR vs. United States.
JOHN OLLIS ys. United States.

CIRCULAR LETTER.

To County Superintendents:

It is being represented by certain parties who desire to purchase bonds, that "The State is now out of funds for the purchase of these bonds," This office has no means of knowing how.

Shape. We hear they will continue for two months, at least.

Dr. W. M. Rich and wife have gone to Topeka, the Doctor to attend the Grand Lodge of Odd Fellows, and Mrs. Rich to attend the Rebekah convention.

The Fisher estate, consisting of under fence, in Falls township, on the Cotton wood river, east of County of the Cotton wood river. for the purchase of these bonds," This office has no means of knowing how large a circulation such published statement may have been given. The School Fund Commissioners are purchasing all desirable bonds offered, (U. S. bonds, Kansas State bonds, School District bonds, Bridge bonds, Court, Township-House bonds, and County, Township-

fully request County Superintendents so to inform persons in their respective counties—especially School District officers—having bonds for sale.

Yours Respectfully,

GEO. W. WINANS.

See'y School Fund Commissioners.

FREE RECL' ING-CHAIR CAFS TO PUEBLO. COLOR-A O SPRINGS AND DENVER, COLORADO.

The "Santa Fe Route" is now runm., and Denver at 1:20, p. m. These cars are entirely new, and have been built expressly for this train, and fitted with all modern appliances for both convenience and safety, and are unequaled by any cars run between these points heretofore. No line can offer you better accommodations than the old reliable "Santa Fe Route."

For any information desired regard ing rates, through car accommodations, time of arrival and departure of trains &c., call on any agent of the Santa Fe or address GEOT. NICHOLSON, G. P. & T. A., A. T. & S. F. R. R., TOPEKA, KANSAS.

STRONG CITY ITEMS. Mrs. Matt. Bledsoe is lying dangerously ill Mr. E. A. Hildebrand has returned from Kansas City.

Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Shuey went to Topeks Monday night. Miss Mollie Rettiger was visiting at Emporia, last Sunday

Conductor J. S. Scott has returned from his visit in Ohio. Mr. H. C. Miller, came ap from Greenwoodcounty, last week. Miss Mamie Kirwin returned, Monday, fron visit at Emporia

Mr. V. A. Gassett, of Morris county, was in town, last week. Mr. A. D. Kerrison and family have moved here from Abilene.

Mr John Murphy, of Guthrie, Oklahoma, is in town, for a short stay.

Messrs. Andy Robinson and A.P. McMinds spent last Sunday at Emporia. spent last Sunday at Emporia.

Mr. B. Lantry, who went to Kansas City,
Friday, returned, Sunday night.

Mr. Amos Marmaduke and Miss Ella Lee
were visiting at Emporia, sunday.

The Rev. C. J. Bowles, of Florence, preached in the Baptist church, last Sunday.

Mr. V. A. Gassett, of Morris county arrived here, Tuesday, on a visit at Mr. J. F. Kirk s. Mr. D. A. Ellsworth and Master G. S. Maule went to Florence, Tuesday, on a hunt-

Maule went to Florence, Tuesday, on a hunting trip.

Marshal Harden is attending court at Emporia, and Constable Chas. Hagans is wearing the star.

Misses Ella and Lydia Winters are visit-ing friends and relatiees at Herrington and Solomon City. Mr. Robert Belton, Acting Assistant Road-master from Concordia to Abilene, Sundayed at home, with his family.

Mrs. G. K. Kagans accompanied her hus-band to Topeka, where he is attending the Grand Lodge of Odd Fellows.

Mr. G. K. Hagans is representing the Odd Fellows Lodge of this city at the Grand Lodge now in session at Topeka.

McDonald Post G. A. R. will wear the usual bage of mourning, for 30 days, in memory of Ex-Gov. Martin's death.

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Mrs. A. F. Fritze returned home, on Wednesday of last week, from Hutchinson, where she was visiting relatives and friends.
Wallie Wotring was arrested for assault and battery, last Friday, and was fined \$21.00 which he could not pay, and is now in jail in the Falls. the Falls.

Mr. and Mrs. E. P. Hickman went down to Kansas City, last Wednesday, to see the Priests of Pallas, and returned home, Sun-day morning. Mr. II. C. Miller received a telegram that his father was not expected to live long, and he left, Tuesday morning, for his father's home, in Ohio.

Quite a large basement is being excavated in the rear of the Hotel Grand. It will be used for an engine room, to heat the hotel, hardware store and bank.

Mrs Greelish arrived home, last Suturday, and at present is the guest of Mrs. McDonald. She is not entirely over her injuries received in the wreck at Streator, Illinois.

Mr. Geo. Ferraer was down to Rmporia, Tuesday, returned home, that evening, and went to Topeka, on the mid-night train, the same night, to attend the meeting of the Grand Lodge I. O. O. F.

Mr. S. H. Masters while working at the quarry of Rettiger Bros. & Co, east of Cottonwood Falls, Monday, got the second finger of his right hand cut off at the first joint, by getting it caught in a cog wheel.

Messrs. W. H. Flemming and J. L. Cochran, of the firm of W. H. Flemming & Co., plumbers, of Kansas City. Mo., were in town, Tuesday, and signed up the contract to put the stewmheating a aratus in the Hotel Grand. the steumheating as aratus in the HotelGrand.

The game of base ball played at Elmdale, Sunday, between the Elmdale and Strong City Ciubs, was quite interesting and quite exciting, but the Strong City boys had a complete "walk over." The game resulted in 22 scores for Strong City and 13 for Elmdale.

Mr. bennis Murphy, of Trinidad, Col. passed through town. Tuesday, on his way to Missouri, where his brother, Mr. Patrick Murphy, formerly of this city, who was stabbed three times in the breast, the particulars of which your correspondent was unable 'to learn.

The new residence of Mr. G. K. Hagans, outh of the depot, is fast nearing completion Mr. Charles Clausman is doing the carpenter work, and Mr. Patrick Raliegh the lastering, and excellent work they are doing. The boys all expect to have a house warming when finished.

when finished.

The bill passed in the Legislature, last winter, prohibiting minors from using tobacco, proves to be a fullure. If a person inquires of the boys wh re they get their tobacco, they will put their thumb up to their nose and puff smoke in your face and remark: 'What's it to you?' Fhe "God and morality" party should look after this.

X. L. C. Orr

CLEMENTS ITEMS.

Mrs. J. Duehn goes to Topeka, this week, to visit friends. 'Squire C. S. Green attended the Re-

union, at Ellsworth, last week. The business houses of Clements are all doing a thriving business, which is

a good indication for the town. J. L. Crawford starts his saw mill. this week, and will continue to work the same until he gets his yard clear

of logs.

Messrs. Santy & Hamil are running their quarry and stone mill in good shape. We hear they will continue

House bonds, and County, Township-or City refunding bonds,) and respect- soon, in good shape.

The social hop at Crawford's Hall, last Friday evening, was a splendid affair. J. L. Crawford's band furnished

the music, and Uncle Joe knows how to entertain his many friends.
Graham & Tucker, of Florence, have posted large circulars advertising their goods in fine shape. They have their bills printed on canvass. This is as it should be, as they will have to remain up a long time before any of our reco up a long time before any of our peo-ple will be pursuaded to trade in Flor-Kansas City and Denver on daily trains leaving Kansas City at 11:20 a.

HICH SCHOOL ITEMS.

Miss Birdie Gray, of Emporia, an old student, gave us a call one day last week.

The second division have rhetorical exercises, next Friday.
Last Faiday was the last day of our first month of school.

Prof. Myler made a few remarks just before the close of school, and, in conclusion he quoted the following:

"I would if I could, though often in use, Is but a mistake and a poor excuse; And many a person who could if he would, Is often heard saying, I would if I could,"

The girls sing at n.ou and recess, and the boys, for the want of something better to do, listen to them.

The girls met and made a beautiful banner with the following motto inseribed upon it:
"Banner Room:" It goes to the room having the lowest per cent. of tardiness each week.

Mrs. Grisham's room won the banner for

week. Mrs. Grisham's room won the banner for this week.

The bojs who treat the girls to apples and candy ought to be very popular with the girls.

The Senier class selected, for this week, the following motto: "Errors like straws, upon the surface flow, He who would seek for pearls must dive below." H. B. M. J.

SUNDAY SCHOOL COMYENTION. SUNDAY SCHOOL CONYENTION.

The executive committee of the Township sunday School Association have arranged to hold the township convention in the M. E. church, at Cottonwood Falls, Saturday, Oct. 19th, beginning at ten o'clock, a. m. This will be our first township convention, so let us all come prepared to make it a success.

PROGRAMME.

Opening exercises—Rev T. J. Blenkarn. Address of Welcome—Rev. J. W. Wright. Business Session, fifteen minutes. Report of President
Question, "How shall temperance be taught in the Sunday School?—Opened by Mrs. Shipman.

Song service conducted by Mrs. W. G. Pat-

Report from Schools.
Paper entitled "Intemperance," by Mrs. L.
Kirket.

. Kirket.
Paper on missions—Mrs. J. P. Coe.
Report of committee on nomination.
Question drawer, conducted by Rev. W.
Matthews. MRS. LILLIE WILLAMS, Pres, MRS. ETHEL HENDLEY, Sec.

CRAND PUBLIC SALE OF HORSES AND CATTLE.

I will sell at my farm on Bloody creek, 10 miles southeast of Cotton-wood Falls, on Monday, October 14th, 1889, commencing at 10 o'clock, a. m., the 'following property, to-wit: 100 head of cattle, consisting of steers, cows and heifers, principally Galloways, and 100 head of horses, consisting of brood mares, work horses and colts—all horses four years old and under, sired by registered Clydesdale stallions. stallions.

TERMS:-A credit of 10 months will be given on bankable paper, with interest at 10 per cent. from date. 5 per cent. off for cash. Free lunch.

C. Wilson.

L. F. PRUYN, Auctioneer.

"The Good Old Way."

At the request of a good many farmers I have, at considerable expense, fitted up a No. 1 Custom rig at Wyoming mills, Cedar Point, and am prepared to grind Wheat, Rye, and Buckwheat, grists in the "good old way". yards. He lives at Emporia.

Mr. Charles Hagans acted City Marshal for Marshal F. G. Hardin, while the latter was down to Emporia, as an important witness in a case tried there, last week.

The young men are going to organize a dramatic company, for the purpose of winter amusements. That's good. We have plenty of young folks who have the ability.

Mrs. Greelish arrived home lest. Such as the state of the

TEACHERS' EXAMINATION. There will be an examination of apolicants for teachers' certificates, held Mr. Geo. T.Nicholson, G. P. &T. A., A. T. in the school-house in Cottonwood & S. F. F. R. R., was in town, Tuesday, checking up ticket books, because of the loss of accounts in the burning of the general office, at Topcka

J. C. Davis, Co. Supt.

SHERIFF'S PROCLAMATION!

OF THE TIME OF BOLDING

GENERAL ELECTION

For County and Township Officers

STATE OF KANSAS, } 88

The State of Kansas to all whom these presents shall come, greeting.

Know ye, that I, E. A. Kinne, Sheriff of Chase county, Kansas, by virtue of autority in me vested, do by this proclamation give public notice that on the

Tuesday Succeeding the BRAND First Monday in November, 1889,

there will be held a General Election, and the officers at that time to be chosen are as follows, to-wit: County Treasurer, County Clerk,

Register of Deeds,

Register of Deeds,
Surveyor,
Coroner,
Coroner,
Co Commissioner for District No 3,
One Trustee, one Clerk, one Trensurer, and
two Constables in each township except Dismond Creek township, where there will be
three constables chosen.
One Justice of the Peace in Bazaar and
Diamond Creek township, to fill vacancies,
and.

and.
One Road Overseer in each road district in the county, except the cities of Cottonwood Falls and Strong.
And votes of electors for said officers will be received at the polis of each election district in said county.

In witness whereof I hereunto set my hand at my office at Cottonwood Falls, and the seal of Chose county, this loth day of October, A. D., 1880.

E. A. Kinna, Sheriff.

The Fisher estate, consisting of 460 acres of good, bottom land, all under fence, in Falls township, on the Cottonwood river, east of Cot.

November 9th, 1889, between the kours of 10 o'clock a. m and 3 o'clock p. m, the following described school Lands, to-wit:

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J. P. STRODE, Yardman and Assistant Salesman

STRONG CITY A Mr. Monroe, a brakemon on the C. R. & wheat grists, in the "good old way," W., was severely hurt at Miltonvale A cattle chute struck him while passing the stock yards. He lives at Emporia. Mr. Checke Hermoria. Mr. Checke Hermoria. Mr. Checke Hermoria. Mr. Checke Hermoria. Mr. Monroe, a brakemon on the C. R. & wheat grists, in the "good old way," either for cash or grain toll; Rye and BuckBuckwheat, on Mondays only; Corn and Wheat any day (except Synder)

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COTTONWOOD FALLS.KAS., THURSDAY, OCT. 10, 18 9.

W. E. TIMMONS - Ed. and Prop

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No due bills for patent medicines or other
goods taken on advertising; that is, we will
not advertise for manufactures of goods and
then pay them, in addition to the advertising, as much cash, if not more than the articlessalvertised are worth for the privilege of
advertiseming their goods.

DEMOCRATIC MASS CON-

The Democrats of Chase county, Kansas, will meet in mass convention at the Court-house, in Cottonwood Falls, at 11 o'clock, a. m., on Saturday, October 12, 1889, for the purpose of nominating candidates for the follow-lng county officers, to be voted for at the coming November election, viz: ance at the G. A. R. I County Teasurer, County Clerk, Sheriff, Register of Deeds, County have returned home. Surveyor. Coroner and County Com-missioner for the 3d District; to elect a County Central Committee for the ensuing year, and to transact such other business as may come before the convention.

By order of the County Central ommittee. H. W. PARK, W. E. TIMMONS, Chairman. Committee. W. E. TIMMONS, Secretary.

LOCAL SHORT STOPS.

Businessiocals, under this head, 20 cents a ne, first insertion, and 10 cents a line for ach subsequentinsertion.

Read Democratic call above. Commissioners proseedings next

Mr. S. T. Bennett was at Emporia, last Thursday.

Mr. Wm. Hillert was down to Emporia, Tuesday.

Judge L. Houk, of Hutchinson, was in town, Sunday.

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last week, with cattle. Conductor J. S. Scott has returned from his visit in Ohio.

Dr. Cartter's horses won two races at the Council Grove Fair.

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Gruwell, Tuesday evening, a daughter.

Mr. Silas Finefrock has gone back to Ohio. He sold his farm, on Rock creek, to Mr. Charles Yeager.

Saturday, from Chicago, where he had taken eight car loads of cattle.

Go to the New York Dry Goods Store and see their new Novelties in Dress Goods

Mr. Edgar W. Jones arrived here, Tuesday, from Herrington, where he has an interest in a clothing store.

The Thurman postoffice has been moved to Little Cedar creek, five miles northeast of the old location.

Mr. Charles (Dick) Watson, who has been working at Emporia for some time past, came home, Monday night.

Mrs. J. H. Doolittle is filling her place
Mr. E. T. Baker took a car load of fat cattle to Kansas City,last week,and returned, Saturday, with a car load of feeders.

Mr. E. T. Baker took a car load of fat cattle to Kansas City,last week,and returned, Saturday, from Oklahoma, where Mr. Byram has a claim, and to which they will return next spring.

Mr. E. C. Holmes, of Clements, returned, Tuesday evening, from Chicago, where he had taken several car loads of cattle.

Judge McCaskill and wife, of Taylorsville, Ill., is visiting at Dr. John McCaskill's, on Bloody creek, a broth-

fine for winter use.

All the soldiers who were in attendance at the G. A. R. Re-union at Ellsworth, from this county, last week,

Mr. Leroy Hackett, of this place, has been elected President of the Phar-maceutical Society, at the State University, at Lawrence. A cornet band has been organized at

Clements, and the instruments have arrived. Prof. J.B. Davis, of Florence, will instruct the "boys." Mr. Joe Miner has sold his property here, to Mr. J. S. Leutes, and he and his family will move to Illinois, See the notice, in another column.of

town, last Saturday, taking them to

Butler county, to winter. Mrs. Asa Chaple returned from Eureka Springs, Arkansas, Wednesday of last week, and Mr. Chaple came in from Oklahoma, Saturday.

Mr. J. A. Smith started to Oklaoma, this morning,
Mr. H. B. Jackson was at Chicago, last week, returned home, Sunday, via Kansas City, where he stopped to see the Priests of Pallas.

Mr. W. H. Nicholson, of Wonsivu, who has been under medical treatment from a Docter at Florence, for several months past, called in to see us, Tues-

sidewalk in front of his residence.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Cuthbert went to Wichita, Tuesday evening.

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Gru-

Mr. And Mrs. Albert Daub, of Hymer a daughter.

T. H. Grisham, Esq., will deliver an address before the Gladstone Historical Society, at the miller school-house, Saturday evening, October 12. Everybody is invited to attend.

Mr. Amby Hinkle went to Wichita,

returned home, last Thursday, from a visit at Emporia.

District Court Clerk Geo. M. Hayden returned, Saturday morning, from a visit at Chicago.

Mr. A. R. Palmer shipped fifteen

ear loads of cattle, last Friday, from Bazaar to Chicago.

The Republican nominees for Constables in Falls township are Charles Hagans and M. P. Strail.

Mr. C. C. Special and turned it into a dwelling.

It is Mr. D. A. Ellsworth and not Squire D. C. Ellsworth, who is to spend his time at the law offices of the Madden Bros., in Marion and at this place, as he is needed at either office.

Mr. C. C. Smith, of Cedar Point, returned, Sunday, from his visit at his old home in Virginia.

Messrs. J. R. Holmes & Son shipped eleven car loads of cattle, last Friday, from Elmdale to Chicago.

Royn on Wednesday.

While working in Rettiger Bros. & Co.'s quarry, east of town, Monday morning, Mr. Charles R. Sharp, was accidentally hit on the left side of the hunt.

Every one who is thinking of hunches and the control of the same of the control of the house of the control of the c

Born, on Wednesday morning, October 2, 1889, to Mr. and Mrs. A. O. Young, near Cahola, a son.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Ferlet and Mr. W. C. Giese, were down to Emporia, ver.

Mr. Wm. Jeffrey, of West Virginia, arrived at Elmdale, last week, on business and to visit his children.

Mr. E. W. Ellis, who was visiting relatives in this city, will start back to St. Paul, Minn., the last of this week.

Mrs. C. S. Ford and son, Clarence of Toledo township, arrived home from Colorado, Tuesday, where they had been for the health of the son, who has improved in his health very little, if any.

Wood taken on subscription.

The New York Dry Goods Store meets Kansas City prices Mr. J. H. Doolittle returned home on all Bress Goods, Notions

Mr. W. A. Crawford, of Kansas City, Mo. was here visiting his cousin, Mr. J. K. Crawford, returned home, Tuesday. Perhaps the latter will go to Kansas City to go into partnership with the former.

Dr. Jessiker and Mr. Geo. P. Harhas an interest in a clothing store.

Capt. Henry Brandley, of Matfield
Green, returned home, last week, from
Chicago where he had taken cattle.

desty, of Kansas City. arrived here, vesterday morning, and the former will return to Kansas City, to-day, while the latter will remain here with friends for a week.

Don't fail to attend the great cattle and horse sale of C. Wilson, on Bloody creek, next Monday, October 14, as he has one hundred head of each, which he will dispose of, that day, to the highest and best bidder.

Mrs. Geo. B. Carson, Miss Eulalia Neale and Mr. E. Carson, of Joplin, Mo., a brother of Mr. G. B. Carson, who is visiting at that gentleman's, went down to Emporia, Tuesday, on a yisit to friends and relatives.

The Union Labor party will hold a McCaskill's, on Bloody creek, a brother of the Judge.

Mr. John Shofe, Sr., showed us a bunch of winter peas, Tuesday, with one hundred pods on it, which were fine for winter use.

Mr. Frank Gillett, who lives at foot of Hazel street, is building a boat, 14 feet long, 2½ feet deep and 3 feet wide, in which he and his wife and child intend going from here to the Gulf of Mexico, on reaching which they will take a steamer for Tampa Bay, Florida.

Dr. T. M. Zane and Messrs. Jacob Etter and T. C. Bond started, Sunday, for Coffeyville, to visit Mr. A.P. Bond, brother of the latter gentleman and brother in law of the former. They were accompanied as far as Emporia by Mr. Ed Grogen who returned home.

about a month from now.

Mr. Louis Meade, of Council Grove, took 22 head of yearlingsteers through town, last Saturday, taking them to is a chance for a person to get some of the finest and best cattle and horses at a bargain.

of last week, and Mr. Chaple came in from Oklahoma, Saturday.

Mrs. A. Z. Scribner and Mrs. W. E. Timmons and daughters, Bessie and Mary, started, Tuesday evening, for Ft. Worth, to visit relatives there.

Mrs. Physical Polyters of the property of the pr efficient officer, in whatever position he has been placed.

Mr. J. S. Wierman and family, of Southern Illinois, arrived here, last Friday evening. Mr. Wierman is a brother-in-law of Mr. T. B. Johnston. They have bought the store of Smith & Comer, and intend putting in a general merchandise stock of goods here, occupying the Smith & Cartter

called in to see us. Monday.

Mr. Geo. Somers is now acting deputy postmaster at this place.

Mrs. J. F. Duchanous was down to Emporia, last week, on a visit.

Mr. B. F. Largent, of Matfield Green, was down to Emporia, Tuesday.

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Mr. Geo. Somers is now acting deputy bears and been for several weeks past, canning fruit and vegetables.

Mr. Chick Smith, of the late firm of Smith & Comer, will go to Human-ville, Polk county. Mo., as soon as he gets his business straightened uphere.

Messrs. A. Z. and N. B. Scribner rent to Wichita, Tuesday evening.

Mrs. M. Oliver has just received a large supply of fall and winter milliners and 20. The Guild will meet Wednesday. October 16, at 2:30, p. m. at the residence of Mrs. E. F. Holmes. Every member is urgently requested to be present. Mrs. C. M. Frye, Mrs. S. A. Breese, Sec'y.

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Kansas. Mr. Wright is quite an outwell, Tuesday evening, a daughter.

Mohair Tamise, latest Dress
Goods out, at New York Store.

Dr. W. H. Cartter went down to Emporia, Tuesday, to attend the races.

Mrs. A. D. Hinote went to Emporia, Sunday, and returned home, Monday.

Week.

Mr. J. M. Fanning went through town, Monday morning, with 89 head of cattle, from Hodgeman county, that he wounded the feelings of a few people he was taking to his farm in Coffey county.

REMEMBER, the New York retails you Dry Goods at whole-

down, to Emporia, Tuesday, on a wint of the postoffice, one door west of the postoffice, one door west of the postoffice, one door west of the postoffice, where he is prepared to loan money, of the following named ladies presented there in the future. Before leaving the following named ladies presented there in the future. Before leaving the following named ladies presented there in the future. Before leaving the following named ladies presented there in the future. Before leaving the following named ladies presented there in the future. Before leaving the following named ladies presented there in the future. Before leaving the following named ladies presented there in the future. Before leaving the following named ladies presented there in the future. Before leaving the following named ladies presented there in the future. Before leaving the following named ladies presented there in the future. Before leaving the following named ladies presented there in the future. Before leaving the following named ladies presented there in the future. Before leaving the following named ladies presented there in the future. Before leaving the following named ladies presented there in the future. Before leaving the following named ladies presented there in the future. Before leaving the following named ladies presented there in the future. Before leaving the following named ladies presented there in the future. Before leaving the following named ladies presented there in the future. Before leaving the following named ladies presented there in the future. Before leaving the following named ladies presented there in the future. Before leaving the following named ladies presented there in the future. Before leaving the following named ladies presented there in the future. Before leaving the following named ladies presented there in the future. Before leaving the following named ladies presented there in the future. Before leaving the following named ladies presented there in the future. Before leaving the following named ladies

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Born, on Thursday evening, Oct. 3, 1889, to Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Foreacre, of Morgan, a son.

Mr. S. J. Evans is making several changes and improvements in his livery stable.

Mrs. Moore and Miss Laura Moore returned home, last Thursday, from a visit at Emporia.

Mr. S. John Pitzer bought the Rice & Pave whetegraph building of Mr. J. M. sides being ably qualified to fill the offices for which they may be nominated, possess such honesty and popular-ity as to win to themselves the esteem of all men and the votes of all liberal voters.

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Coal delivered to any part of the city by Kerr.

Although the nights are getting coo the days are still quite warm, and pecple will need ice for some time to come, and they should recollect that E. W. Brace is delivering ice in all parts of the city, and give him their

Brown & Roberts have all the furni-ture and undertaking goods in Cotton-wood Falls, and will sell them cheap. Ford, der Uhrmacher zu Cottonwood Falls, garantirt alle von ihm angefertigte Arbeit. Fremde und schwierige Uhrwerke sind seine besondere Spezialiteat.

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Children's Chi Children's. Try a pair of the Ladies' seamless hose, at 25c.

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LOOSE'S OLD STAND.

HE good fortune of Happy Luck was played out—busted. For three months not a pan had turned over a shining par-ticle of gold and the exchequer of the camp had been reduced to poker chips. Before this financial famine the saloons faded away. The half a dozen faro

banks moved on, and in their train the miners. It came to it that only Joe, the Apostle and St. John were left, and they lingered because of a mournful love of solitude, independent of all wealth-seeking considerations. Joe was a gambler, the apostle a miner and St. John a literary gendeman in reduced circumstances. In the flush days of Happy Luck these three had formed an attachment for one another; when the hard times came they remained bound together. The morning that they discovered themselves to be the sum total of the population of Happy Luck, St. John, moved by the romance of their situation, surprised the other two with an original proposition. His language was choice. He unconsciously fell back into old

"We are three human beings with a common interest-wealth. Having failed in this common interest and having nowhere to go and nobody to seek us, I propose that we stay here until the summer is over. The mountains and the streams will give us food, the blue sky shall be our roof and the stars the torches to our couch. Free from the tumultuous mob now madly careering after gold and death, we can commune here with nature in her grand-

est form and be a law unto ourselves.
"We shall not cry with the sage: 'O! solitude, where are thy charms?' but rather echo back the words of the immortal bard: 'Here found I peace and happiness.' Let us for a brief time be happy in the con-sciousness that we have lived independent of all conditions but the dictates of our own hearts and manhood."

He paused and looked at Joe, who, mouth agape, had been mentally swallowing his

"Bless my dashboards!" exclaimed that gentleman, "but you do throw words with great celerity. I don't know about using the stars for torches, since I never was a sky-scraper, but, bless my suspenders, if I

The Apostle had his eyes fixed on a distart, snow-white peak. His answer came

"Wall, thar Lord gives an' He takes. Perovidence must guvern thar case. Ef at

no time she don't object I'll stay."
"Bless my hat, that was a long one for you," commented Joe, and so the compact was sealed. With mock facetiousness St. John was made mayor of Happy Luck, Joe chief of police, and the Apostle had full charge of the commissary department. All three abandoned themselves to an indolent, lazy existence. The search for gold was entirely given up. They climbed the mountains, hunted and fished, revived past experiences and long-forgotten knowledge. The summer speeded by with infinite con tentment for them. It was mid-August before they realized the swiftness of time. In all of these days no one had come near them. The Apostle spoke of this on the morning of the 15th of August.

"Perovidence hez clean forgott'n thar camp. We air cut off frand heavenly salvation." We air cut off from earthly soci'ty

"Bless my pants!" broke in Joe, that's so, what's coming down the trail?"
"Perovidence!" exclaimed the Apostle, involuntarily, and looking up the yellow dusty way to see a woman coming toward

"She has the face of Ruth," said Sir ohn to himself as she drew nearer. The crio rose as one man when she approached and lifted their hats. She was young and pretty, but her clothes were mean and her bare feet could be seen through her torn shoes. Her eyes were a deep brown and in the hollows of her cheeks had once been When her lips parted to speak they showed white teeth; her hands were small

and shapely.
"Is this Happy Luck?" she asked, not speaking to any one of them, but looking at

quired Joe. She turned her eyes on the Apostle and asked again. But he had lost his wits in trying to realize that he was looking at a woman for the first time in ten St. John gave her answer courte-

ously:
"This is Happy Luck. What can we do 'I am looking for a miner by the name of

Joe looked at the Apostle and the latter stared at St. John. They hurriedly withdrew a distance from her and engaged in a



MBLESS MY PANTS! WHAT'S COMING DOWN THE TRAIL?

vigorous whispering. She could see the Apostle shake his head and St. John turn his back on Joe, who came toward her. He doffed his hat again and said: "If you will follow me, miss, I will tell

She did not hesitate to go with him. They went past the empty cabins of the camp up to a hill slope where there were a numbe of mounds of earth. Joe seemed terribly barrassed when they reached this spot He twisted his fingers and looked up and down, but not into her face. She stood silent, ently waiting for him to speak.

"Bless my buttons, miss," he found courage to say at last, "but all that was left of Mr. Grace was buried here six months ago. He had a bad attack of cold lead."

Then he saw her reel and fall unconscious at his feet. St. John saw him coming back with her in his arms, her dark hair against his bronzed cheek. Joe laid her down in a cabin. Water was brought and when she revived she was alone, free to weep over

Outside the two were keeping guard. Late in the day she told St. John her story. How her father, by name Grace, had come haf neckties from Connecktiecut! Mixed to the raines to win wealth. How she had suits vas my specialty!—Puck.

mained on the coast teaching school until | THE CORPORAL'S STATEMENT. his letters had ceased to come. When nearly half a year had passed she started to find him, but a sudden sickness had kept her back, absorbed her money, and she had only reached Happy Luck—the last place he had been heard from-by the aid of charity. When she had finished, St. John stealthily peeping to see if the others watched, took her hand in his and told her that she should stay at the camp until rested, and then they would find ways and means to get her back to civilization. She was given a cabin to herself and the men constituted themselves her body-guard, but by his superior education St. John took first place with her at

Joe saw this, too, but said nothing. The Apostle, having no interest in her sex, constituted himself as a watch-tower between the other two. In a week he knew that both loved her and that she knew it, too. The Apostle struck a balance of their attractions. Joe was handsome, worldly educated, and, though a gambler, what the Apostle called "square." St. John was tall and lank, finely educated and glib-tongued. and also what the Apostle was pleased to



term "soapy." He decided that with fair play between the men Rose Grace in the end would prefer Joe: if there was to be trickery, St. John would win. Ten days passed without an open rupture between the rivals, but in that time St. John had deliberately twice set Joe aside with a snub. The latter said privately to the Apostle: "Bless my blest self, but wasn't I chosen chief of police?"

The Apostle admitted that he had been so chosen, at which Joe at once appointed him his assistant with many injunctions to obey his orders. Rose was in her cabin resting and St. John came down the trail toward them. When he was within ten feet, Joe covered him with his pistols and in the name of the law arrested him. The Apostle took his fire-arms away and in a few moments he was in the cabin at the farthest end of the camp, a prisoner, bound hand and foot. At supper Rose asked for him, but Joe apologetically explained that he had been suddenly called away and might not be back for some time. That night she walked with Joe and he made hot love.

The Apostle watched the raging prisoner. A week passed in this way and the last night of it Rose Grace told Joe that as soon as he could go back with her to where she had come from she would be his wife, providing, too, that he gave up cards. Joe saw her safely into her cabin, then hurried away in the darkness to St. John's prison. The Apostle grunted when he heard the news. Joe bent over St. John.

"You told her that I was a dead man, but she is going to marry me. Just as soon as it is daylight I am going to stand here by the door. The Apostle will set you free and you are to go away without looking back. If I ever see your face again, bless my heart, if I don't kill you."

So St. John went away and did not look back. That same day the fall rains set in, and Joe and Rose waited for a temporary had concluded to go with them. The third night of the rain Joe left Rose early. He and the Apostle slept in another cabin close by her own. In the morning when they came out she was gone. There were the prints of horses' feet on the trail and tacked to the door of the cabin was a card:

"When this you see,

Remember me. "ST. John." "Perovidence agin," whistled the Apostle, looking at the trail, "and six hours' start." Joe walked over to a water-course where the rain had coursed through the day fore. He kept his hands on his pistol and his face was black.

"Bless my life," he suddenly yelled. The Apostle rushed over to find him down on his knees peering into the course. Ah! it sparkled there and made yellow glints before his eyes. Gold, any quantities of it, washed at last from the hidden recesses. Before these men lay a wilderness of wealth. They had naught to do but lay hands upon it. The Apostle lifted his hands, looked at the marked trail, then back to the water-course, and exclaimed: "Thar Lord gives an' He takes. Happy

Colorado Cure.

Former Resident (visiting his old New England home)-Hello, Bicksby! Don't you

HENRY AVERY.

reconct me!
Bicksby - Why - er-it's-er-ye're Bill
Jenkins, be'ant ye? I thought sao! Haow
d'y' dew, Bill? Yeou've got stouter'n yeou Former Resident-Yes; I've thickened up

Where's Si Draper now? Bicksby-Didn't yeou hear 'bout poor Si? Nao! Why, he took sick with lung trouble

and went aout tew Colirady. Former Resident-Did he get cured? Bicksby-O, yes; he got cured quick. They sent him home erthin two weeks arter he struck Denver. Sent him in er box by express, C. O. D., completely cured. That's his muniment over there.-Time.

An Interesting Story. Watson-What was the largest trout you ever caught, Fly? Fly-Let me see: what day of the week

Watson-Monday, I believe. But what in the world has that to do with my ques-

Fly-Oh, nothing; only I guess you'd better wait till Wednesday. I always like to get as far as possible from Sunday when I tell about that trout .- Somerville Journal.

The Work of the Doctors. Old Mrs. Bentley-What a lot of new diseases they have now that they didn't

have twenty years ago.
Old Mr. Bentley—Yes; but you should remember, Eliza we have a terrible sigh. more doctors now than we had twen by years ago .- Judge.

The Right Shop. Customer-I want to git a mixed suit:

hat hev ye got in that hne? Proprietor I haf pants from Pansalvania; I haf vests from Vest Virginia; I haf collars from Colorado; I haf coats from Dakota; I

They put me in the Pension shop, they raised The Magnificent Ships Provided by the agreat hurrah, Democratic Administration. a great hurrah,
They knew I'd make 'em solid with the G. A. R., They slobbered o'er the soldiers, they made a

joyous hymn, "Hurrah for bigger pensions and hurrah for But when I tried to do the thing I was put

there to do, They choked me off and said I made too much of a hullabaloo. I sounded on the bugle and I beat upon the

drum,
I lay awake devising schemes to make surplus hum;
I asked my comrades to come in and warm
them from the cold,
And stuff their pockets brimming full of greenbacks and of goid;

ally thought that Harrison had meant the

things he said, When, all at once, he says: "Shut up, you're suffering from big head." He thought that I was good enough to win the

soldiers' votes, But when I tried to keep his pledge he said I felt my oats: A battered veteran like me was handy for a

To show the Administration was great in the pension line.
But I was much too honest in my speech and And so for indiscretion I have been made to

Now, indiscretion is a fault to make officials grieve, And consists in saying publicly the things that

you believe, And in failing to take notice of the deprecatory wink
Which shows that your superiors aren't saying what they think.
But I'm an up and downright chap, I can not

And so they thought it safest to get rid of Cor-

In '88 Ben Harrison was glad to hear me speak, But now my conversation appears to make him weak. Have I changed or has he changed? that's what

I want to know; And if it's I, why, then, of course, 'twas right that I should go.

He thinks I'm suffering from big head; perhaps the charge is true, I respectfully submit he's got the big But

head, too.

-N. Y. Sun.

PRIVATE DALZELL. Sounds Sundry Death Knells and Curses of the Fairchild Order.

Though too indignant and exasper ated to write concisely, my humble opinion of the dismissal of Corporal Tanner, requested by you, is of little worth, but here it is: It is the old story of "I find no fault in this man, but crucify him!" If Tanner had been found guilty of drunkenness, stealing or other crime the soldiers would be satisfied. If his crime is that he is not an aristocrat with a pedigree, a martinet with a title, or a millionaire with a million, a million men who wore like him the private's blouse will condemn and avenge this decapitation. If his fault is that he was too liberal toward the soldiers it will and should destroy the Republican party, for it obtained power alone by promise of increased and unmeasured liberality in pensions. My own opinion is that any man, no matter who, had better been dismissed than Corporal Tanner, and I am confirmed in this opinion by the universal voice of all soldiers here, whose indignation is simply indescribable.

The proposition to raise a quarter million dollars for legless Corporal Tanner is gaining ground daily among the indignant soldiers. They raised such funds for Grant and Garfield. They can do as much for Tanner, to show their appreciation of his liberality as Commissioner, their sympathy with him in his distress, and their contempt and hatred of his persecutors.

In his degradation they see their own. In his fall they see theirs. They see all privates are despised and scorned and ostracized. They hurl back their indignant defiance in the faces of the plutocrats who degrade Tanner and in degrading him show their contempt for us all.

A curse - a blighting, withering, damning, lasting, blasting curseseize them one and all; the blistering, blasting curse of the rank and file who won the victories of war and whose ballots achieved all the victories of

We are betrayed in the house of our friends, and this fund shall be our significant reply to be reckoned by avenging ballots at the polls.

I never saw them so angry before since Lincoln was assassinated, for their best friend has been stabbed to death in the house of his friends. It may all be explained and made satisfactory yet, but nothing so far seems to justify this monstrous crime against the rank and file. We all know and admire and indorse Corporal Tanner and had expected great things of his ship of Virginia he can not get it .administration in carrying out the | Philadelphia Record. pledges whereby the Republicans gained power.

No matter what Tanner said in words, he left two more legs on the field than any man did who forced his decapitation. The soldiers don't know that man's name and a thousand-fold better had it been that that man had been forced out. It sounds the death knell of the Republican party unless it can be explained. It destroys the man who instigated it, anyhow, standing though he be behind the President. urging on this outrage. I have also felt that man's venom.

If the rank and file are not fit to hold office they are not fit to vote. Corporal Tanner was the first private ever yet appointed to any office-he will be the last. One might as well be a nigger as a private under any administration, for all despise him and seek to humiliate him .-- Private Dalzell, in N. Y. Herald.

--- If officials are to be executed for looking out for their own interests, giving public places to their relatives, courting the soldier vote to the point of political lewdness and scattering the public money as if there were no end to it, Mr. Harrison power, and give us back home rule. may well ask with Hamlet: "Who of us shall go unbanged?"-- N. Y. Times. | Cincinnati Enquirer.

WHITNEY'S TRIUMPH.

Secretary Tracy's dispatch to ex-Secretary Whitney congratulating him on the magnificent success of the new cruiser Baltimore, built under the late administration, was a graceful and just tribute to one conspicuous example of the good work done by a zealous, painstaking official. It is in stables sometimes suffer more than if striking contrast to the snarling out-doors, for they can not exercise or malice of the Utica Herald, which change position, and must stand dumbthe builders of the Baltimore to achieve the remarkable results for that no cold can come up from below, which Mr. Tracy congratulates him, and it is a rebuke to the New York Tribune, which keeps silent on the doors and windows carefully fitted. It subject, although the day before it is possible at a moderate expense to had much to say on the Roach cruiser Atlanta. The Republican organs united in a peal of triumph because the Atlanta was not sunk on her way to Newport, and point to the fact of her safe arrival as a vindication of Roach and condemnation of Whitney. During her trip from New York to Newport the Atlanta labored fearfully in a forty-mile gale, and it took four days and four nights for her to make the trip. While this vaunted Roach cruiser was making a desperate fight for life, dozens of other vessels were out in the same gale, and seemed not

to be affected by it. All the vessels designed and constructed under Mr. Whitney's direction have so far proved decided successes, and the United States may well be proud of the nucleus of the new navy provided by the Democratic administration. Secretary Tracy found the Navy Department in the most admirable order when he assumed charge of it, and there were no Roach failures before him to patch up or violated contracts to set right. He has manfully acknowledged the debt of gratitude which the country owes his predecessor for giving it the swiftest and best cruiser afloat. If the snarling Republican organs have any respect for the memory of John Roach they will refrain from dragging him from the grave and drawing attention again to his conspicuous failures -Albany (N. Y.) Argus.

AMONG OUR EXCHANGES.

-Protection fills the dinner-pail

-with wind. -St. Paul Herald. -If the Harrisonian concern has got so deep in the mire in six months, how much of it will be sticking up at the end of twelve? - Louisville

Courier-Journal. -Tanner has gone, but let us not forget what Mr. Assistant Secretary Bussey said about the deserters: "The dishonorable discharge of a soldier from the service of the United States is no bar to a pension." There is the platform that this Administration rests on. - Chicago Herald.

-General Alger is quoted as saying that he "would rather be Commander-in-Chief of the G. A. R. than President of the United States." Without enlarging on the acidity of the grapes that hang beyond our reach, let us hope that Governor Alger will always continue to preserve the modesty of his ambition .-

-- "There are nearly 8,000,000 colored people in the Democratic Southern country, and they have but one member of Congress to represent them." says the Cincinnati Commercial Gazette (Rep.). There are nearly 80,-000 colored people in the State of Ohio, and they have not so much as one postmaster to represent them .--N. Y. Evening Post.

-- What has been termed Commissioner Tanner's liberal pension policy has not been in the interest of those most deserving and needy. It has chiefly resulted in rerating in cases of favored pensioners who had other sources of income, some of them of a liberal kind, and the special listing of other favorites to the exclusion of equally meritorious but less influential claimants. - Philadelphia Inquirer.

--- The experiment of sending visiting statesmen to help elect a Republican Congressman in the third Louisiana district turned out so disastrously that Mahone may take warning and not desire that kind of assistance in Virginia. "Fat," and not advice, is what Mahone needs and what suits the style of his political campaigning. If he can not buy the Governor-

--The pension-claim agents at Washington, who have been getting rich "hand over hand" of late, are not at all discomposed by Tanner's removal. The National Tribune, organ of Captain George E. Lemon, the leading claim agent, says editorially that Corporal Tanner retires solely because of administrative differences between himself and the Secretary of the Interior; but that "this will make no practical change in the conduct of the Bureau, which, in other hands, will continue the liberal system inaugurated by its late chief.

Ohio's Democratic Platform.

Lift the weight of taxation. Stop the squandering of the people's money. Restore the ballot to those who bear

the burden.

Make necessaries cheap, even it luxuries become dearer. Put fetters on those who rob, whether they rob on the highway or in the arrangement of our taxes.

Knock out the party of the trusts. and put in the party of the people. Utterly demolish the one-man This is the platform for Obio. -

GOOD STOCK BARN.

One That Will Pay for Itself in the Course of a Few Years.

But what is a warm stable? Not a building boarded with inch boards, with cracks open for the wind to blow tirrough, and perhaps destitute of under-pinning, so the wind can blow under it and come up through the floor. I think cattle tied up in stalls in such ble is one thoroughly underpinned so and double boarded up the sides, with building paper between, and all the make stables so warm that a barrel of zero, and it will pay to do this. A stable 25x50 feet will furnish stall room for twelve cattle, with 8 feet taken off at one end for feed rooms, meal bins, etc., and a stable 18x24 feet for throwing the manure from the twelve calves; or it can be divided when necessary into box stalls, by temporary partitions. Such a barn can be built of good material and in a thorough manner for \$400 or less, and the extra cost to double board the stable and put ceed \$40. Now I believe it to be a moderate estimate that cattle fed in such a stable will gain 100 pounds each counting that our twelve grown cattle would be worth \$4 per head more in the more, and we have \$68 saved in a year would more than return the entire cost a half per day. of the barn. There ought to be a little credit in addition for the increased which would be made in such a stable.

Suppose my estimate is too high by a barn would be a good investment. But when we consider the convenience of feeding in a well-arranged stable, that large letters on the top. the cattle can not get the food under foot and waste it, and that all the manure is saved in the best possible condition. I believe the estimate is a low one. that the cost of the barn would be saved in less than six year.

To build such a stock barn at the price I mention will require a light frame, as both lumber and labor will be saved by its use. With proper conlarger than six inches square is needed in a stock barn of this size or even larger, for it is not the size of the timber but the way it is put together that gives the strength to a building. There is a stock barn in my cattle and horses, which is built of tim- about her house. ber of this size. For the small stock barn the nail ties may be 4x4 inches. except the ones which support the loft floor; these should be 4x6. The plates | do this. should be 4x6 and rafters 2x6. The from it. At one end of the manger square into which to drop hay or fodder from the loft above. At one side of room of the same size, and at the other and there can be a smaller meal bin. be pushed along through it, or it can be cows stand. - Ohio Farmer.

HANDY HARROWING

In plowing stubble-ground for wheat

Why the Harrow Should Be Kept Up Close With the Plow.

writer well says that to insure a desirable, firm seed-bed, with fine tilth of the upper portion of the soil, the land should be harrowed as fast as plowed. Most good wheat land contains a considerable proportion of clay, which usually turns up more or less lumpy. and exposure to sun and wind a few days renders the lumps so hard it is church. She is a church member in harrow keep up close with the plow. A thoughtful neighbor accomplishes this with little or no expense. He keeps two plows running with horse teams while a yoke of oxen is attached to the harrow. The latter is allowed to cover four furrows, so the oxen accompany the horses every second quent rest in this hot weather. The harrow and the last plowman, just the right distance for him to manage the idleness. -Boston Herald. oxen. They have learned so well what is required of them that it is rarely necessary to speak to them. They turn when the horses do and keep just the same distance opposite their driver all the time. The harrow can cover eight furrows, but taking only four fresh ones at a time, it really gives the ern Rupert's Land, 4,000 on the Arctic field two harrowings. Some portions of the field plowed up very lumpy, but this timely and thorough harrowing made all fine at no expense except the service of the cattle, for it was no det- Island. riment to drive them. Besides making a good seed-bed, it is a satisfaction kept up even all the time. - Galen Wilson, in N. Y. Tribune.

A SMART YANKEE GIRL.

She Is Twenty-Seven Years Old, and Can

Do a Great Many Things. In a boarding-house at Preston. Ca. there is an American servant-girl aged twenty-seven years, who was born in-New Preston and attended a private school until thirteen years of age, leaving it with an award for the best scholarship in book-keeping. She immediately took a clerkship in the local postoffice, and although so young, handled the mail and performed other duties in abuses Mr. Whitney for encouraging ly and suffer. What I call a warm sta- the store adjoining satisfactorily. After six months she worked in a factory in Watertown, making ferules for umbrellas. After that she took a clerkship in a dry-goods store in Waterbury, which she kept for three years.

She then went to Bethel to learn the hatting trade, and became so expert potatoes could stand in them without that she made all the samples and was freezing, with mercury at or below appointed forewoman. The man in whose store she had been employed in Waterbury proposed to open another store in Meriden and to give her entire charge and a good salary. She accepted, and did all the buying, boo.skeeping, writing and general managstalls, and this will stable from eight to ing; but just as the enterprise became a success, the proprietor died and she was thrown out of employment. She then went to Philadelphia, where she learned cigar-making and worked at the trade for three years. She came home and obtained a situation as stagebuilding paper between would not ex- driver, going twice a day to meet passengers at the station, five miles distant. She managed and often harnessed the two horses, lifted and strapped on more than if fed the same amount of to the stage all baggage and carried feed exposed to winter storms, and the mail. Mr. Kinney, the owner of the stage says he has never since had his business so thoroughly attended to. At spring, and ten young cattle \$2 each the end of six months, she learned carriage painting here in a factory, and by the warm stable, and in six years it for some time earned two dollars and

When work gave out here she went to Hartford where for a short time she amount and better quality of manure did copying in the office of the fire department. Sheafterward went into the carpet-sweeper factory, and took conhalf, and that it would take twelve tract for cutting and dovetailing the years to get the money back; still the woodwork. Before leaving she made several entire sweepers herself. even to putting the stamp of the maker in

She came home for rest, and a resident gave her two mustang ponies that he had been unable to manage. They had been harnessed but a few times and were unshed. She caught them in the field, harnessed and drove them, and in a few weeks had them completely under control.

Between times this unusual girl has mended shoes, planted tobacco by the struction and bracing no stick of timber | acre, ridden the horse with a cultivator and raked hay with a patent race. She had laid a new kitchen floor in her father's house, built a veranda for her uncle, and shingled and sided an icehouse for a neighbor. She takes care of the home garden and made and county which has stalls for 140 head of keeps in order the winding walks

She is also an adept at shaving and hair cutting, and waits upon gentlemen at their residences in the village to

She is fond of hunting and fishing, manger should be in the center, wide and in the fall bags many partridges, enough for two rows of cattle to eat | woodcock and rabbits, and in the season catches bass from the lake and treat there should be a feed room 8 feet from the brooks. Last spring she caught the champion trout that weighed two pounds and a half. The fish broke this feed room you can locate a meal the pole, but she jumped into the water waist deep, secured the disappearing the stairs will go up to the hay loft, section of the pole, and safely landed the trout. She catches frogs and dresses The manger should be floored with the legs for her own taste. She is dressed lumber so that hay can easily much interested in natural history, and has specimens of snakes, lizards and easily swept. The floor on which the | many other curious things preserved in cattle stand should be a foot lower than alcohol. She had a tame water-snake the floor of the manger, and I would that came about the door, but her make it of concrete, with a manure mother disliked the familiarity of the ditch two feet wide and six or eight visitor and killed it. She alo climbed inches deep, and a walk two feet wide a tree to examine a crow's nest, and on a level with the floor on which the took one of the young ones home. Sie brought it up on Indian meal and bread crumbs and taught it to laugh and say "Hello."

This girl has also invented a kitchen utensil upon which steaks can be broiled, potatoes fried, and another vegetable cooked at the same time.

It might be concluded that this girl must be masculine and unrefined but this is not the case. A recent caller found her reading "Milton's Paradise Lost," with several musical instruments in her room. She is a fair musician, and sings in the choir of the village difficult to crush them with any imple- good standing, and will not read novels ment; hence it is advisable that the or play cards or in any way desecrate the Sabbath. Her house is adorned with embroidered lambrequins and draperies that she has made, and she makes her own dresses and takes work home from residents here when time permits. She clothes entirely a sister and child whose means are limited. She is a proficient housekeeper and round, giving them needed and fre- good cook, and gives the greatest satisfaction to her present employer. She plowmen keep six furrows ahead of the does not prefer housework as a means cattle; so when the latter are at work of livelihood, but during July and Autwo furrows intervene between the gust when trades are dull she accepts a domestic situation rather than live in

-Canada has 124,589 Indians, of whom 37,944 are in British Columbia, 26,368 in Manitoba and the Northwestern Territory, 17,700 in Ontario, 12,465 in Quebec, 8,000 in Athabaska, 7,000 in the Mackenzie district, 4,016 in East-Coast, 2,145 in New Scotland, 2,038 in the Reace river district, 1,594 in New Brunswick, 1,000 in the interior of Labrador, and 319 in Prince Edward

-A young lady recently presented her lover with an elaborately conto the owner to know that the work is structed pen-wiper, and was astonished the next Sunday to see him come to church wearing it as a cravat

A VIVID MEMORY.

When the dews of eve are falling And the sun has gone away; When the whip-poor-will is chanting Her weird and mournful lay.

When the darkness comes in silence, And the stars begin to show, It is then, I'm thinking, dreaming

I can hear my dear old father Coming through the old yard gate, I can see him tower above me, I can mark his looks irate.

I can hear his heavy footsteps, I can see his angry glance,
I can feel the piece of pailing As it falls upon my pants.

I can see my darling sisters
Standing weeping near the door;
I can hear their cries of anguish,
As the old 'un pounds me sore.

I can see my darling mother, As she stands in stlent mood;
I can hear her softly whisper:
"That's right, give it to him good!"

-J. Noel Johnson, in Drake's Magazine.

RUSES OF REPORTERS.

A Brief Dissertation on the Art of Gathering News.

Cheek, Chance and Cunning the Chief Reliances of the Newsgatherer-Fortune, Though, Does Not Always Smile Upon the

Perseverance is a prime requisite in a reporter. The faculty of holding tenaciously to a clue and the knack of absorbing quickly all there is in a case place he saw a room full of people, all children were dancing and frolicking and not allowing himself to be driven away by rebuffs make a man valuable in this profession. The one who can do this and not be thought a bore is an artist in his work, but he is a good man who holds to his purpose though he knows the victim he cross-questions wishes him at the antipodes. When to of good luck and a degree of tact or thoroughly armed for his work. Chance and cunning play a great part in the success of a reporter.

than under almost any other circum-

stances, for the proprietor of the house

is bound to guard them against intru-

succeed in gaining admission for a said: "Got 'em again?" The reporter newspaper man, but in such cases the maintained his solemn visage and comguest is so incensed that the interview pletely ignored the salutation. He tion of the scene; but his father added, is not unceremoniously ordered out of enter the annointing-room when one of the room. Chance frequently aids the reporter and gains him his wished-for once at the Grand Pacific, and a certain is your ailment?" Staggered for a moreporter had tried all the afternoon to ment by the sudden query, the reporter see him. Regularly every hour he hardly knew what reply to make, and, sent a card to the Senator's room only catching a quizzical glance from the to receive each time the answer: 'Too doctor's eye, his face broke into a smile came on, and half-past nine o'clock thought so," said the doctor; "you had had rolled around and the reporter, better get out of line and take a seat; though tired of trying, still held to his I will tell you all you must know about soming plum-trees and reading these purpose tenaciously. He sent his card this matter after a while; you are a re- poems; for, although it is not recorded trip, had a card from some other this time and the defeated but una- means of praising his Rosalind, none the same floor with the Senator, and fact or fancy the doctor chose to give passing from tree to tree perusing the CATTLE-Shipping steers \$ 3 20 @ 4 30 when he returned he had things slight- him. ly mixed. He informed the stranger that the "gentleman was not in," while to the reporter he said "Come up at ciety. They used to meet regularly in suspicion that a mistake had been they had in organizing, the society conmade, but he was not around rectifying tinued for many months, and for all the other people's errors. Here was his much talked of inability of woman to chance and he took it quickly, resolved keep a secret, this band defied all ef- for the collection of mail matter will be to trust to luck for the outcome. He forts to discover the reason of its exknocked at the Senator's door and istence, and, so far as any revelations the experiment will first be tried in the heard a cheerful "Come in," and as he made by members was concerned, the business section of the city and if found advanced into the room that gentleman | society might be in operation still. The | to be successful there the pipes will be came to meet him, but surprised the ladies were true to their oaths of se- extended to all parts of the city. The reporter by saying: "Glad to see you, crecy, but they had the insatiable curisir: Mr. Ellis, I believe." The scribe osity of the persistent reporter to conowned at once that his name was not | tend against, and that disturbing elehastened to say that he had not done stove-pipe hole. The door leading to

lieve that is 'Welles,' and not Ellis,' position where he thought he might after all; I am expecting a call from a hear, if not see, what was going on; gentleman named W. Ellis, and that but before the meeting was called to really looks like it, doesn't it?' and in order he saw that by changing his poevident good humor he handed it to sition he could not only hear, but see, the reporter. That serene young man and he determined to try and seadded that the Senator was perfectly and quietly he moved himself about, excusable. "And now, sir, that you gradually nearing the place he coveted, are here, what can I say to you?" asked when suddenly a slat he was bearing on Senator Hoar. "You evidently are broke, throwing him heavily upon the anxious to see me from this pile of weak lath and plastering, which, giving cards you have sent up; if they had the way, he was precipitated to the floor euchro with," and the Senator laugh- almost an instant of time rehearses his showed the old gentleman a clipping, reporter during the instant of his deaccusing him of using certain language scent thought less of bodily injury than concerning some person, and as he had of being caught in the act of playing the newspaper man.

the Democratic Central Committee held started up and were screaming in sur- a jealous old maid, who had the pair their meetings in a room on the ground prise and fear. With a bound he was promptly arrested. When brought befloor of the Palmer House. A reporter at the door, which had not yet been fore the magistrate he could find nothworking on a Republican paper was in rastened, and like a deer he ran out of ing in the code forbidding the action, the habit of getting shaved in the bar- sight. The ladies held no meeting that and quickly discharged the prisoners

ber shop of that establishment, and as day nor did they ever again, but their is sometimes the case, had become very friendly with the barber who shaved far less than that of the reporter, who him. This artist one day, while en- lived in hourly trepidation of being acdeavoring to make the reporter pre- cused of the dastardly act of spying. sentable, incidentally told him some The ladies need have had no fear of things he had heard relative to the that chap ever again trying to solve the central committee. It was a good mystery of the woman's secret society. pointer and the reporter inquired how he had "got onto it." The artist with much show of secrecy then told the scribe of a closet off the main shop One of the Most Popular Amusements of which was next to the meeting-room of the central committee and said that, in place of a window between the two, almost to adoration. They are insepmeeting and that Republican paper had points. a continous grist of talk, moves and scraps of the committee during the

whole campaign.

A young fellow was once sent to a faith- served with delicious tea from a neighavoid a reporter, are harder to reach was marching along with solemn face, these little sonnets in praise of the trying his best to look as if he had something the matter with him, and had it bad, when to his surprise some one sion. Trickery and cheek sometimes called out his name and with a laugh is chilly and brief, even if the reporter marched steadily on and was about to the professors, standing at the door eyeing those who passed, gently laid his interview, when all cunning might hand upon the reporter's shoulder and meet with defeat. Senator Hoar was said: "My brother, let me ask, what busy now to see any one." Evening and he said: "The liquor habit." "I up again. The bell-boy, on the same porter." The scheme did not work that the Japanese lover takes this visitor to a friend in some room on bashed scribe waited and took what of the less do Japanese maidens delight in

In an Indiana town, some years ago,

some women had organized a secret so-The reporter had a shadow of a school-house, and, whatever object "Ellis," and he told the Senator he ment of society broke them up and In private business he has found that by was the reporter who had been trying came very near breaking his own neck a generous use of wind dollars can be all day to see him. "How dare you, at the same time. This ambitious newssir, intrude here, and by a subterfuge. paper sleuth made a quiet investigation the compass into one big money-box, It is a dishonorable cheat, sir, to send of the school-house premises and found up the name of a gentleman I am ex- that over the meeting-room was an pecting to see; you have gained admis- attic, and in that, close to the head of sion here by fraud, sir." The reporter the stairway leading to the attic was a any thing of the kind; he declared he the stairway was locked, but that diffihad sent up his own card and that the culty the reporter easily overcame by bell-boy had told him to come up, and getting a key to fit, and thus he was he had responded; he said if the bell- enabled to leave the door as he found boy had made a mistake he was not to it after he got inside. He knew the blame, and he told the Senator about day and hour of meeting, and after he the boy having two cards when he came | had completed these arrangements he up-stairs. Senator Hoar picked up the went to the place one day, determined card from the table and looked at it to fathom the meaning of the secret conclave. Just before the time for the not seen it or heard of it he was inter- the spy, and he quickly reasoned that ested at once. He denied it in toto and the plaster, falling about him, would began talking on the subject thus make a thick dust, under cover of the interview he wanted. Tenacity, escape with his identity undetected. for the clerks.-Philadelphia Record. chance and tact had gained success for Fortune favored him that much at least. He landed on his feet with his During the political campaign of 1884 back to the group of women, who had kissing the other day in New York by

fear of their secrets being found out was -Chicago Herald.

A FLOWER HOLIDAY.

The love of flowers in Japan amounts there was a wire screen, so that any arable from the life, art and literature one in th closet, it being dark, could of the people, and to deprive the Japanot be seen but could hear every word nese of them would be to take the sunthat was said. What a snap for an am- shine out of their lives. On one occabitious reporter! With some assistance sion I received through my young from the barber he secreted himself in friend an invitation from his parents to the closet during every session of the accompany them on a visit to a very committee and his reports day after day celebrated grove of plum trees that of secret work caused consternation were then in full bloom. After an among the members. They could not hour's r de in a "jinrikisha," or "kuimagine the source of the paper's in- ruma," as these little man-carriages formation and each one suspected the are more commonly called, we arrived other of betraying his trust. They did at our destination, where great numnot however change their place of bers of people were flocking from all

The trees were one mass of fragrant white and delicate pink blossoms. Hundreds of visitors in holiday attire were Notwithstanding a universal belief to strolling about under the branches with the contrary, the reporter is but human extreme delight depicted on their after all and his cunning often fails to countenances. Others again had spread secure the hoped-for successful results. rugs under the trees, where they were cure establishment. Arriving at the boring tea house. The brightly clad evidently afflicted and desiring relief. in the shade of the blossoms, and a He looked carefully about him to see more perfect picture of sunshine and if there was any other reporter present happiness can hardly be imagined. or any one who might know him, and Innumerable little strips of paper flutseeing the coast clear in that particu- tering among the blossoms attracted lar determined to try and get to the in- my attention. Miss Okiku informed side of what he believed was but a me that it was the happy custom of the fake. He noticed a procession being people to give vent to their delight on perseverance and tenacity the element formed for the purpose of being an- these occasions by inscribing poetic nointed, that operation being a neces- sentiments, too brief perhaps to be cunning are added, a reporter is pretty sary preliminary to entering the inner called poems, and hanging them up in circle where the healing act was per- the boughs. And sure enough, as I formed. The reporter wanted to go looked about me, I observed several through the whole business and he, persons with paper and pocket ink-Guests at hotels, if they desire to therefore, joined the procession. He stands in hand engaged in composing

blossoms. Yasumaru was at some pains to explain to me that these poetic effusions were supposed to be composed on the spot-that the expression, the form of the idea, was derived from the inspirawith a twinkle in his eye, that many came with their poems already prepared. I was honest enough to confess to the old gentleman that this proceeding was not altogether different from the habit of our after-dinner orators who surprise their friends with impromptus composed, as the French put it a loisir; that is to say, at their ease. Some months later I painted a picture entitled "Spring's Inspiration," in which two young girls are represented walking over the huge steppingstones through a huge grove of blosfluttering inscriptions. - Century.

LETTERS WILL WHIZ.

A. Scheme for the Rapid Collection of Mail Matter in Cities.

A commotion has been caused among the letter-carriers in the post-office over a rumor that the pneumatic tube system introduced in this city. It is said that Postmaster-General has been investigating this scheme and is said to be favorably impressed with its feasibility. made to roll from the four points of and he sees no reason why the same agency can not be made to serve Uncle Sam and bring mail dropped into the letter-boxes in all parts of the city into

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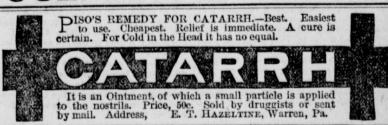
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The Deep-Water Convention Meets at Topeka-A Large Attendance-Prominent Men Present.

TOPEKA, Kan., Oct. 2 .- At four o'clock yesterday afternoon the deep water convention was called to order by ex-Governor Evans, of Colorado, president of the permanent executive committee, in the Grand Opera House, in which all sessions will be held, and was packed from pit to roof. The delegates were seated by States and Territories. On the stage were many distinguished men among whom were Governors Francis, of Missouri; Thayer, of Nebraska; Humphrey, of Kansas; ex-Governors Evans, of Colorado; Hubbard, of Texas; Glick, of Kansas; Senator Plumb, Congressmen Weaver, of Iowa; Crain and Martin, of Texas; Carey, of Wyoming; Funston, Perkins, Morrill and Kelley, of Kansas; ex-Senator Armstrong, of Missouri; Major Fulton, of Galveston; C. S. Chase, of Omaha, and many others. The stage was handsomely decorated, the most notable features being two obelisks thirty feet high of Kansas corn and grain, and one bore the inscription, "Gulf Port," the other, "Liverpool," and flags and bunting were displayed everywhere and the general aspect was that of a great political convention. The invocation was pronounced by Dr. J. A. Lippincott, chancellor of the State University, and Chairman Evans addressed the convention, indersed on behalf of the inter-State committee the call and supplemental summons issued by Governor Humphrey and thanked the delegates for their prompt response to these calls. He called attention to the object of gathering and outlined the work of the committee and its success in having a commission of eminent engineers pointed to examine the harbors on the Texas coast. This convention, he said, is not to say where the port shall be located, but to secure the co-operation of Congress, the source from which the appropriation must come. The appointment of a temporary chairman being next in order, Hon. James Legate, of Leavenworth, nominated Congressman Charles H. Mansur, of Missouri, who was unanimously chosen. On taking the chair Mr. Mansur made a splendid speech which captured the convention outright. He counseled harmony between the rival factions representing Galveston, Aransas Pass and Sabine Pass and said the people of the North are not so much interested in where the harbor shall be located as that you shall have a harbor. We, in Missouri, are wedded almost to a man to the improvement of the Mississippi river and if we aid you we expect that in due time you will aid us in our pet project of improving not only the Mississippi but its tributaries, the Missouri and Kaw. In approaching Congress let us do it not with bated breath and bended knee, but as free men demanding our rights." F. S Dana was elected company secretary. The committee on credentials were then appointed.

On motion of Mr. Legate, of Kansas, the delegation of thirteen from Illinois was admitted to the floor as delegates and granted all the privileges of the convention. A committee of five from each State and three from each Territory was appointed on permanent organization. The convention will report this morn-ing in favor of Senator Plumb, of Kansas, for permanent president, and F. L. Dana for permanent secretary. Governor Francis, of Missouri, moved a call of the roll by States, and that each State hand in the names of five delegates and each Territory of three each on order of business and on resolutions, two separate committees. There was a lively little fight over this motion, but it finally prevailed, and the committees were named:

The committee on resolutions is: Utah, Arkansas, W. M. Fishback; Louisiana, S. P. Watts; New Mexico, Richard M. White, W. B. Brunton, W. W. Griffin; Iowa, A. P. Chamberlain, J. N. Camp, Eli Wilkins, Philip Crapo, N. R. Jones; Nebraska, Champion S. Chase, H. M. Bushnell, G. M. Lambertson, H. C. Smith, A. R. Talbot; Missouri, D. H. Armstrong, Thomas Shackelford, Noah Given, M. J. Murphy, E H. Allen; Kansas, Cyrus Leland, Howell Jones, J. S. Emery, J. M. Graybill. J. H. Downing; Texas, A. W. Houston, Walter Gresham, T. W. Ford, J. H. Garrett, Major E. C. Douglass; Illinois, R. A. D. Wilbanks, R. H. Cable, J. R. Clark, Charles Wallace, J. W. Ela. The delegation from California reported late and was authorized to fill up its places on the committee. A motion to refer all communications and resolutions to the committee on reso'utions without debate prevailed. The convention was invited to attend a reception at Representative Hall and take a drive yesterday and then adjourned till this morn-The reception last night was a brilliant affair. Representative Hall, the largest in the city, was elaborately decorated nd ablaze with light. All the departments of State were thrown open and the rooms and corridors were everywhere bung with

THE PUBLIC DEBT.

The St atement Shows a Reduction of Over Thirteen Million Dollars.

WASHINGTON, Oct. 2.-The public debt statement issued yesterday shows the debt, including interest, to be \$1 636.775 -After deducting the cost of items available for the reduction of the debt reserve held for the redemption of United States notes and no cash on band, the net debt is found be \$1,070,055,530.96, or a reduction of \$13,6-5,094.25 since September. Treasurer Huston's statement shows assets \$713,266,-023.55 and liabilities \$642,623,257.05; surplus \$46,544,428.75, not including minor or fractional coin; receipts of the Government for September, \$31 416,298.92; expenditures, \$16,462,660.17; expenditures for three months ended Monday were \$16,980,000 over the same period last year, as follows, rivers and harbors, \$3.200,000; military establishment, \$1.955,000; navy, \$1,226,000; deficency in postal revenues, \$1,696,000: pens, \$10,663,000. From this should be deducted the interest and premium paid less this year than last of \$1,675,000.

Miners Starving. PORT TOWNSEND, W. T., Oct. 2—Four miners have arrived from Forty-Mile Creek, Yukon river, Alaska, via St. Michael's Is and and Ounalaska, and report that three hundred miners on Upper Yukon, 1,600 miles from any settlement, are in destitute circumstances. The newly built steamer Arctic, which was laden with supplies for them, was wrecked a few days after leaving St. Michael's. The old steamer Yukon has been dispatched with twenty tons of provisions but it is very doubtful if she can reach the miners in time, and only a very few can return on her. The season will be closed and starvation will face 300 men, who will undoubtedly be attacked with scurvy.

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THE SECOND DAY.

Continuation of the Session of the Deep-Water Conventien — Senator Plumb Chosen Permanent President—A Silver

Gavel From Colorado.
TOPEKA, Kan., Oct. 3.—The convention was slow in assembling yesterday morning and instead of being called to order at 10:30 it was 11:15 o'clock when Chairman Mansur's gavel fell. The delegates dropped in as they returned from their drive, and meantime the band broke the nonotony of delay by some of its best selections. The announcement of the death of ex-Governor Martin called out appropriate resolutions and remarks.

The report of the committee on credentials was presented and there was some discussion over the fact that many names were reported as entitled to seats whose

owners were not in the city.
Senator Plumb explained that the committee on credentials had only authority to say who are entitled to seats and not who are present. He read several letters and telegrams from prominent men, explaining their absence and expressing their sympathy with the movement. Governor Francis offered as an amendment that the word absent be written after the names of those not here in the printed report. This suggestion pre-

M. J. McNamara, chairman of the committee on permanent organization, made the following report:

For permanent president, Hon. Preston B. Plumb, of Kansas; vice-presidents. R. B. Hubbard, of Texas; Silas W. Woodson, of Missouri; George W. Glick, of Kansas; G. M. Lambertson, of Nebraska;
G. M. Lambertson, of Nebraska;
John Evans, of Colorado; Philip
M. Crapo, of Iowa; W. M. Fishback, of Arkansas; F. E. Warren,
of Wyoming; Hadley Johnson, of Utah;
W. W. Griffin, of New Mexico; S. P. Watts, of Louisiana; Solomon Thatcher, Jr., of Illinois; A. S. Johnson, of Cali-fornia; permanent secretary, F. C. Dana; assistants, W. G. Sprague, of Colorado, and H. A. Lewis, of Texas; sergeant-atarms, S. L. Seabrook, of Topeka.

The report was unanimously adopted, and Senator Plumb being escorted to the chair by a special committee, made a lengthy speech, which was frequently interrupted by applause.

A dispatch was read by the chair announcing that, on account of the death o ex-Governor Martin, Senator Ingal would be unable to be present and address the convention. Congressman Perkins, of Kansas, was appointed to deliver the welcome of the delegates. The convention then adjourned to meet at 2:50 p. m.

But little was accomplished by the conrention in the afternoon, the session being devoted to speech-making. On convening at three o'clock H. B. Chamberlain, president of the Denver Chamber of Commerce, presented the convention with a solid silver gavel made from the products of the mines of Colorado. Chair man Plumb accepted the present with a happy speech. The address of welcome was then delivered by Congressman Perkins, of Kansas. It was warm and hearty in its words of welcome to the visiting delegates, sound and wholesome in congratulations upon the prosperity of the States represented and the good feeling existing between the representatives and the people of the States, and acceptable in its assurances of the interest of Kansas, and representives of the State in Congress to do all in their power to assist in this great enterprise. Ex-Governor Richard Hubbard, of Texas, responded. The reputation of the ex-Governor of the great Lone Star State as an orator had proceeded him, and the audience expected a great deal. It was not disappointed. He was eloquent throughout, witty at times, and carried the large audience with him.

The chairman delivered an invitation to H. D. Johnson; California, Colonel A. S. Johnson and J. F. McGrath; Wyoming, H. F. Cabben, F. J. Stanton, J. M. Carey; convention

veterans. INTERNATIONAL CONGRESS.

Preliminary Meeting of the International

American Congress at Washington-Sec-retary Blaine Named For President. WASHINGTON, Oct. 3.—Shortly before icon yesterday the delegates to the laternational American congress repaired in a body to the State Department. All of the delegates to the congress were present, with the exception of Mr. Coolidge, of Boston, who will join the party later on. After a short stay, the delegates were escorted by Assistant Secretary Adee to the diplomatic reception room. Here they wer met by Secretary Blaine, who after greeting the delegates delivered the address of

At the conclusion of the address, which was received with an amount of enthusiasm somewhat remarkable in a body of this character, Secretary Blaine retired the following resolutions adopted:

Resolved, That this congress names as president pro tem. Hon. J. B. Henderson, a delegate

to this congress, representing the United States of America. Resolved, That a committee of five members be appointed by the president, whose duty is shall be to designate the report to the congress on its reassembling in November such committee as in its judgment should be appointed to facilitate the business of the congress and the number of members which each committee

Mr. Henderson, of Missouri, took the chair and, under the last resolution, the following committee on organization was announced by the chairman:

Senor Romero, Mexican Minister; Councellor Lafayette Rodriquez Pereirra, of Brazil; Dr. Alberto Nin, of Uruguay; Dr. Horation Guzman, of Nicaragua, and Dr. Jose M. Hurtado, of Columbia.

The committee retired and in a few moments returned with a recommendation, which was immediately adopted, that Secretary Blaine benamed as president of the congress.

On motion of one of the South American delegates a resolution was adopted accepting the invitation to be guests of the Government. Secretary Blaine took the chair and the convention adjourned until November 18.

After the adjournment the delegates were escorted to the White House by Secretary Blaine, pausing for a few moments at the eastern entrance of the State Department to have their pictures taken in a group.

WASHINGTON, Oct. 3.—The Choctaw claim case was called up Tuesday in the equity court, and Judge Cox granted the request of Henry E. McKee, the attorney for the Indians, to be discharged from further responsibility in the inter-pleader suit brought by him when he deposited \$161,000 and asked the court to distribute the same to whom it was due. Judge Cox, at the same sitting, also ordered that testimony in the suit of Ward Laman and Chauncey F. Black vs. McKee be closed in thirty days, and denied the motion of his atlike an early settlement of a case that has been before the courts for fifty years.

ADJOURNED.

The Deep Water Convention Adopts Reso-

Made to Pay Expenses.

TOPEKA, Kan., Oct. 4.—The deep harbor convention adjourned at noon yesterday after a two hours' session, which was the liveliest of the week. Contrary to the expectations of many the Texas delegates remained harmonious to the very last, but Kansas threw a bomb into the convention which, for a time, threatened to do much damage. It was removed, however, before the fuse had burned down to the exploding point, and the convention finally accomplished satisfactorily the

work cut out for it. There was barely a quorum present when the gavel fell yesterday morning. Chairman Plumb had been called away on business and ex-Governor Hubbard, of Texas, called the convention to order and presided throughout the session. Senator Armstrong, of the committee on resolu-tions, announced that the committee was ready to report, and read the following resolutions, which were signed by all but two members of the committee:

WHEREAS, The general welfare of our country, in so far as it relates to navigable rivers, harbors and commerce, is committed by the Constitution of the United States to the exclusive charge of the Congress: and
WHEREAS, Cheap transportation of our com-

mercial products constitutes one of the most important elements of the general welfare; and Whereas, The Congress has donated to private corporations more than one hundred millions of money and upwards of two hundred millions of acres of our National lands with which to construct artificial, and therefore much more expensive highways owned by private individuals, while they have neglected to make adequate appropriation for even one feasible harbor on the northwest coast of the Gulf of Mexico, which would not only afford very much cheaper transportation, but which, by our organic law, is under the exclusive care nd control of Congress; and
WHEREAS, The vast and rapidly developing

area lying west of the Mississippi river, com-prising more than three-fifths of the National domain, and yielding largely more than one half of the agricultural, meat and mineral products of the entire country, is by this neglect forced to transport its commerce across the continent by way of these artificial and ex-pensive highways, subject to such exactions of private cupidity as amounts always to a serious

burden, and sometimes to total interdiction to both consumer and producer; and WHEREAS, There can be no justification of this discrimination in favor of public highways, which, during the last year cost the commerce of the West an enormous loss in transportation expense, estimated at more than one hundred and twenty millions of dollars, or upwards of ten m llious per month, therefore,

Resolved, That in reaffirmance of the action

of the Denver convention, and of the committees organized thereunder, it is the sense of this convention that it is the duty of Congress to appropriate permanently and for immediate use, whatever amount is necessary to secure a deepwater port on the northwest coast of the gulf of Mexico. west of the 931/4 degree west longitude, capable of admitting the largest vessels, and at which the best and most accessible harbor can be secured and maintained in the shortest possi-ble time and at least cost; the time, place and cost to be ascertained from the board of engineers appointed under an act of Congress passed at its last session.

Resolved further, That this convention, in behalf of the people it represents, thanks the Congress of the United States for the prompt and atisfactory action heretofore taken in recogni-tion of the request of the Denver deep harbor

Resolved. That the thanks of this convention are due to the permanent committee appointed at the Denver deep harbor convention for their efficient action in the past, and said committee is hereby requested to continue earnestly the work so well begun, and said committee is instructed to present these resolutions to the President of the United States, with the request that he, in his annual message to Congress, recommend such an appropriation as may be reported necessary to secure the permanent deep harbor on the coast of Texas which may be recommended by the report of the loard of engineers.

Resolved, That those States and Territories represented in this convention and not repre-sented on the permanent committee shall have the privilege of reporting to the permanent committee the names of such members of the committee as they may be entitled to under the basis of representation on which that com

Then S. B. Watts, of Louisiana, secured recognition and presented a minority report signed by himself and W. H. Cline, of Texas, favoring the construction of at least three harbors on the gulf coast west of the Atchafalaya bay.

After a long debate the majority report was adopted amid great enthusiasm, and after a resolution of thanks to the people Topeka the convention adjourned In the afternoon the permanent deep

harbor executive committee held a session at the board of trade rooms and made the following assessments to meet current expenses: Texas, \$3,500; Kansas, \$1,000; Colorado, \$1,000; Nebraska, \$500; Missouri, \$500; Iowa, \$2,000; New Mexico, \$250; Arkansas, \$250.

Changes were made in the membership of the committees as follows: Illinois-S. Thatcher, Jr., George F. Alford, A. J. Streator, B. F. Flev. J. B. Clark. Nebraska C. S. Chase, H. Kountze, H. M. Bushnell, E. O. Goodell, J. Hull. Louisiana-J. H. Putnam, T. W. Pool, Captain James Hine. olorado-John Evans, Alva Adams, W. J. Jackson, C. B. Kountze, M. J. McNa-mara. Okiahoma-Sidney Clark, John D. Miles, J. H. Foreman. Kansas-Howell Jones, J. S. Emery, J. H. Rice, James F. Legate, G. W. Clements. Arkansas-A. C. Morgan, R. S. Hughes.

The next meeting of the committee will be held at the port designated by the board of engineers appointed to select a suitable location for a harbor.

An Important Decision.

FINDLAY, O., Oct. 4 .- Judge Pendleton has given his decision in the injunction suit of the Standard Oil Company against the Toledo, Findlay & Springfield Railroad Company to restrain that corporation from constructing its roadbed the Standard over lands on which the Standard held leeses, on the ground that an oil or gas lease carried with it absolute control of the premises for all purposes, save alone agricultural. The judge dissolved the injunction. He decided that the leases only gave the lessees the right to use such of the surface as was necessary to the prosecution of their work in developing and utilizing the gas and oil. A decision in favor of the company would have given them and other companies absolute control over hundreds of thousands of acres of land in Ohio, Indiana and Pennsylvania.

Minneapolis Flour Output. MINNEAPOLIS, Minn., Oct. 4.-The Northwestern Miller of Wednesday said: With all except three mills in operation and a good deal of steam in use the flour output naturally reached very heavy figures last week, notwithstanding the prevalence of low water. The aggregate production was 151,300 barrels, averaging 25,217 barrels daily, against 125,200 barrels the week before and 187,100 barrels for the corresponding time in 1888. This is the largest amount ground in nearly a year. Lower wheat has again made the market inactive, though prices are firm. Most of the mills sold freely when the bulge was on and have enough orders on band to keep them going for some days." In time to avert a disaster.

EX-GOVERNOR MARTIN DEAD. Death of the Late Governor of Kansas at His Home in Atchison—Sketch of His

Atchison, Kan., Oct. 3 .- Ex-Governor Martin died at 6:30 o'clock yesterday morning. Mayor Wagoner has called a neeting of the people for this evening to make arrangements for the funeral on

Ex-Governor Martin's death followed an illness of more than two months. His disease was a mysterious one, and at no time were the physicians able to intelligently diagnose it. His death had been expected for some days.

Ex-Governor John A Martin was born March 10, 1839, at Brownsville, Fayette County, Pa. When a mere lad he learned the art of printing in the office of the Brownsville Clipper. He emigrated to Kansas in 1857 and located at Atchison. In 1858 he purchased what was then known as the Squatter Sovereign and changed its name to the Freedom's Champion. Later the name of the paper was changed to the Atchison Ch mpion. With the exception of the Troy Chief it is the oldest paper in Kansas. Governor Martin was early and late a staunch Free State man, and was first and last an ar dent Republican. He entered early into pub-lic life, and he was elected to the State Senate from the district composed of Atchison and Brown Counties before he was twenty-one years old. He was secretary of the Wyandotte Constitutional convention, and served as a delegate to the Territorial convention at Lawrence in 1860. He was also a delegate to the Na tional convention at Chicago which nomi-nated Lincoln for his first term. He was secr tary of the State Railroad convention which met a Topeka in 1860 to devise a rail-way system for the State. During the summer of 1861 he assisted in organizing the Eighth Kansas infantry, of which he was appointed Lieutenant-Colonel. The regiment served or the Missouri border during the fall and winter Early in 1862 he was appointed Pro vost-Marshal of Leavenworth, and in March of the same year his regiment was ordered to Corinth, Miss., with Lieutenant-Colonel Martin in command. A few weeks after arriving at Corinth the regiment, with the division which it was attached, was ordered to General Buell in Tennessee, and thereafter, during the whole war, it served in the army of the Cumberland. Lieutenant-Colonel Martin was promoted to Colonel on November 1 1852 and was provost marshal of Nashville Tenn., from December, 1862, to June, 1863 The regiment which he commanded took part in the battles at Perryville and Lan caster, in Kentucky; in the campaign against Tullahoma and Chattanooga; the storming of Mission Ridge; the campaign from Chattanooga to Atlanta and the subsequen pursuit of Hood northward. Colonel Martin commanded the Third brigade. First division of the Twentieth army corps, on the secon day of the battle of Chickamauga and during the siege of Chattanooga. At the close of the war he returned to Atchison and resumed control of the Champion. The first number of the Daily Champion was issued March 22, 1865. represented Kansas as a delegate National Republican conventions, 1868, 1872, and 1880. He of 1860, 1868, 1872, and 1880. He v. as a member for many years of the Republican National Committee. was elected Commander-in Chief of the State encampment, G. A. R.; was a member of the United States Centennia Commission; was one of the incorporators of the Kansas Magazine and of the State Historical Society. He was elected mayor of Atchison in 1865, and was elected by the two houses of

some estate, the value of which is estimated at from \$75,000 to \$100,000. THE ELECTIONS.

Congress one of the board of managers of the Na-

tional Soldiers' Home in 1878. In 1884 he was elected Governor of the State of Kansas and

re-elected in 1883. His wife, who survives him

was the daughter of Dr. William L. Challis, o, Atchison, and the result of this union was four

children. Ex Governor Martin leaves a hand-

Three of the New States Are Republican— Prohibition Snowed Under in North Dakota.

HELENA, Mont., Oct. 3 .- Returns are coming in very slow and the figures are so close that the majorities will not be much either way. The Democrats claim row escape from lynchin the State by 300 to 500 and the Republic-Purse, of Wallace, Kan. ans by 600 to 1,000. The Democrats con-Carter's election to Congress. Toole, Democrat, is 300 ahead of Powers Kansas about a year ago. The story of for Governor, with three counties, claimed his crime and arrest is as follows: When by both parties, still to hear from. The Democrats have the Legislature by a wife, to whom he had only been small majority. The Republicans elect a married a short time, but soon after this majority of the minor State officers. The arrival he became infatuated with the Independents claim the election of Toole wife of a merchant named Joseph Wilby 300 to 400 and a majority of nine on marth, who was in business at Wallace. joint ballot in the Legislature for the Purse, to get rid of his wife, sent her to a Democrats. IN WASHINGTON.

SEATTLE, Wash., Oct. 3.-The Repubbut this (King). Kittatus' majority in the State is probably 7,000. The Republicans will have a majority of twenty on joint Legislature ballot. The Constitution is adopted, but none of the three capital rivals will have a majority.

BOTH DAKCTA'S REPUBLICAN. ST. PAUL, Minn., Oct. 3.—In the Dakota elections it is evident that both the North and South States have given a decisive majority for the Republican ticket. It seems that while North Dakota last November gave 5,000 majority for the Republican candidate for Delegate to Con-

gress, the new State will not be able to

give a greater majority for the same party For Governor, John Miller, the Republican candidate, received 5,000 more votes than W. N. Rosch, the Democratic nominee. All returns yet received indicate that the vote for Congressman drew out at least 2,000 votes, making the majority for H. C. Hansbrough for Congress 7,000 or more. Twenty Republican, five Democratic and one Independent Senator and forty-two Republican and ten Democratio

returns from twenty-six counties out of The new judges are: First district, C. F. Templeton, (Dem.); Second, D. E. Morgan, (Rep.); Third, W. B. McConnell, (Dem.); Fourth. W. S. Lander, (Rep.); Fifth, Roderick Ross, (Dem.); Sixth, W.

Representatives are elected, as shown by

H. Winson, (Rep.)
PIERRE, Dak., Oct. 3 - South Dakota's first State election descended to a de-grading scramble for capital location. Mellette was elected Governor by over 20,000 majority; Pickles and Gifford go to Congress; the Republican majority in the Legislature will be at least sixty, insuring the election of two Republican United States Senators. For the capitol Pierre, Huron, Watertown, Chamberlain, Sioux Falls and Mitchell were entered. The reports indicate a vote for Pierre of 26,000, Huron 21,000, Sioux Falls 11,000, Water-town 10,000, Mitchell 7,000 and Chamber-

FARGO, N. D., Oct. 3 -Returns from State elections are unprecedentedly slow in reaching State committee headquarters. The Republican majority in the State will not exceed 7,000 and the sprinkling of Democrats in the first Lagislature will be far greater than has ever before been the case with the representatives of the North division. Seventeen counties return a net majority of 1.3 0 against prohibition. The State will go over 1,200 against the prohibitory clause.

An Infernal Machine. GENOA. Oct. 3 -- An infernal machine was discovered near the royal palace here MARTIN'S FUNERAL.

Private and Public Services Held Over the Remains of the Ex-Governor.
Atchison, Kan., Oct. 5.—There was

private funeral service at the residence of the late John A. Martin yesterday morning in advance of the public service. This occurred at 8:30, and no one was admitted to the parlors except the family and other relatives. Rev. D. D. Proper, pastor of the Baptist Church, conducted the ser-

At nine o'clock the body was borne to the church with an escort of G. A. R. post No. 93, where it lay in state until twelve o'clock and was viewed by thousands, including many distinguished men from other places.

At eleven o'clock the schoo's of the city were dismissed, and teachers and children marched to the church to view the

Aboutten o'clock a special train arrived from Topeka bearing the State officers, G. A. R. and others, and a tew minutes later a train arrived from Leavenworth, bringing delegations from the Soldiers' Home and the Fort. The visitors were escorted to the church at once to view the remains.

It was part of the programme of the citizens that Senator Ingalis should deliver a eulogy at the grave, but Mrs. Martin did not approve of it, but requested instead that a memorial service be held in the near future, when she would like the Senator to pronounce a eulogy. Mrs. Martin also asked that there should be no floral contributions on the occasion, desiring nothing but the American flag should be placed on the casket.

At noon the exercises at the church began. The Rev. Mr. Proper preached the sermon, which was brief. Many hundreds could not get into the church, but stood waiting in the street.

Mrs. Martin and her mother, Mrs. W. L. Challis, did not attend the public services After the sermon the body was sealed in the casket and conveyed by the pallbearers to a military caisson drawn by four splendid horses. It was placed upon this vehicle and reverently covered with the flag of the Eighth Kansas regiment, which the deceased commanded as Colonel during the war.

Behind the caisson followed a magnificent charger, led by two men, to represent the Colonel's horse. This horse and the caisson and its four horses were loaned for the occasion by Governor Smith, of the Leavenworth Soldiers' Home.

The procession then formed in the following order: City marshal and squad of police; officiating minister; drum corps from Leavenworth soldiers' home; funeral escort of ten men; G. A. R. posts and old soldiers generally; caisson bearing body, and guard of honor from the Eighth Kansas; Colonel's horse, led by two men with sword and boots lashed to the saddle; loyal legion; family in carriages; officers and member from Soldiers' Home; State officers; members of Supreme Court; members of Senate and House; ex-State officers; mayor and City Council; Board of Elucation; other city officials; civic societies.

The order of march was from the Baptist Church on Kansas avenue to Fourth to Commercial, to Tenth, to Mt. Vernon

cemetery.

The acting pall-bearers were all resi dents of Atchison as follows: W. C. Mc-Pike, David Auld, D. C. Newcomb, Frank Howard, E. K. Blair, S. R. Washer, J. W. Parker and John M. Price.

TRAGEDY AT WALLACE. Illicit Love Causes William D. Purse to

Commit Murder.
St. Joseph, Mo., Oct. 5 —Word was received in this city of the arrest and narrow escape from lynching of William D. Purse, of Wallace, Kan. Purse was a relative in Indiana and then began to push his attentions on Mrs. until her husband became cognizant licans have made gains in every county of what was going on. He threat-but this (King). Kittatus' majority in ened to kill Purse on sight if the latter did not leave town, and thinking that a slight change of scenery might do him good Purse left for Wa Keeney, but only remained away a short time. Procuring a Winchester rifle he returned to Wallace and laid in wait for Wilmarth, concealing himself in an empty building near the latter's store. Unconscious of the fact that Purse was in the city, Wilmarth was entirely off his guard and stepped out of his store in full view of his enemy. Waiting until Wilmarth had taken a seat on a box with his back toward him Purse opened fire, and at the second shot sent a bullet through Wilmarth's heart. The shooting attracted a crowd who were highly excited over the unprovoked murder, and in a few minutes Purse was in custody and a rope produced to lynch him, but better counsel prevailed

The Union Pacific's Sea Route. OMAHA, Neb., Oct. 5.—General G. M. Dodge, of the Texas & Fort Worth road, said yesterday regarding the lease of the Fort Worth by the Union Pacific, that while it was not definitely arranged in just what way the Union Pacific would take hold of the line it was decided definitely to make this its seaboard route. H? also said that the Union Pacific would build to California in all probability, although the enabling act had not been passed by the directory. Both matters will probably come before the directory in

Miners Strike.

TOPEKA, Kan., Oct. 5 —News comes from Osage County that all the coal miners employed there are on strike. O age coal advanced 50 cents per ton in Topeka and if the trouble is not soon settled it is likely the price will be higher next week. The Santa Fe Company, which owns many mines in Osage County, are well supplied with coal for present necessities. The strikers ask an increase of one cent per bushel for mining. General Blunt Dead.

FORT LEAVENWORTH, Kan., Oct. 5 .- A elegram was received here yesterday fernoon announcing the death of Brevet Brigadier-General Asa P. Blunt, of the quartermaster's department, at Mancheser, N. H. The deceased was a native of Vermont, from which State he entered the army in 1861 as adjutant of the Third Vermont infantry.

Rise in Beef. CITY OF MEXICO, Oct. 5 .- The price of beef has risen in the city markets. There is a scarcity of Mexican cattle, and the recent washcuts have delayed shipments from the North. When the retaliatory duties takes effect next month the price

THE PACIFIC ROADS.

Annual Report of the Commissioner of Railroads-Statement of Business-Tee Many Roads in the West.

WASHINGTON, Oct. 2-Horace A. Taylor, the Commissioner of Railroads, has flied with the Secretary of the Interior the annual report of the operation of his bureau for the fiscal year ending June 33, The Commissioner discusses the situation in the West and Northwest and presents the following statement:

The subsidy bonds issued to the Union Pacific Company to aid in the construc-tion of its road, amount to \$33,539,512, and the interest paid thereon by the United States to \$43.161,405, aggregating the sum of \$76,700,919 There has been repaid by the company in transportation services and cash payments as shown by the books of the Treasury Department the sum of \$25,431,127; which makes its liabilities to the Government on June 30, 1889, amount to \$51,269,792. The excess of interest paid by the United States over all credit amounts to \$17,830,280. The debt of the company June 30, 1889, was \$165,637,679, and the capital stock of \$6',868,500, making a total liability of \$226,526 159. The assets amounted to \$275,304,723. The amounts due from the company under the acts of July 1, 1862, and May 7. 1878, for the year ending December 31, 1888, were as follows: Union divisions, total earnings, \$13,820,594; total expenses, \$10,085; - 339; net earnings, \$3,785,255. Twenty-five per cent. of net earnings, under act of May 7, 1878, \$946 314.

Kansas division-Total earnings, \$3,328,-576: total expenses, \$1.987.192: net earnings. \$1,341,383. Five per cent. of net earnings and one-half Government transportation, \$115,219, making a total of \$1,-

061 533. The subsidy bonds is ued, to aid in the construction of the Central Pacific road, amount to \$27.855,680 and the interest paid thereon by the United States to \$25,148.849, aggregating the sum of \$63,004 52% There has been repaid by the company in transportation service and cash payments, as shown by the books of the Treasury Department, the sum of \$10 747.794, which makes its liability to the Government June 30, 1889, amount to \$52,256,734. The excess of interest paid by the United States over all credits amounts to \$24,-

401,054. The total debt of the company June 30, 1889, was \$125,296,165, and the capital stock. 68,000,000. The assets amounted to \$222,-757, 362. During the year the liabilities increased \$2,029,835 and the assets \$1,297,001, making a net increase in assets of \$732. 835. The funded debt amounted to \$87. 614 680.

The amount found due from the company under the acts of July 1, 1862 and May 7, 1878, for the year ending December 31, 1888, was as follows: Total earnings. \$9,178,266; total expenses, \$7,633,915; net earnings, \$1,514,351. Five per cent. of net earnings, \$77,317; whole Government transportation, \$389,999; total due, \$467,-

The sinking fund of the Union Pacific and Central Pacific Companies, held by the Secretary of the Treasury June 20, 1889, amounted to \$13 514,604, the Union Pacific having to its credit \$9 298,852, and the Central Pacific \$4,215,752. The premium paid on the sinking fund of the Union Pacific amount to that date \$1,752,-726, and the interest received from investments to \$1,216,575. For the Central Pacific the premium amounted to \$998,986. and the interest received on investments

The Sioux City & Pacific Railroad Company received bonds from the Government amounting to \$1,632,320 to aid in construction of 101.58 miles, that portion of the line between Missouri Valley and California Junction, 5.84, being sut s dized. The interest paid by the United States amounts former resident of St. Joseph and is well to \$2,050,492, and there had been retained known here, having removed to Western by the Treasury Department on account by the Treasury Department on account of transportation services rendered the amount due the Government, June 30, 1889, of \$3,525.303. The excess of interest paid by the United States over all credits amounted to \$1,896,983. The amount due he Government under the act of July 2, 1864, for the year ending December 31, 1888, was as follows: Total earnings, \$517, 290; total expenses, \$375, 617; net earnings, \$141,672; five per cent of net earnings and one-half Government transpor-

tation, \$18,984. The subsidized portion of the Central Branch of the Union Pacific line is operated by the Missouri Pacific Railway Company and extends from Atchison to Waterville, Kan., a distance of 100 miles, the Government having issued bonds to aid in its construction amounting to \$1,-600,000. The interest paid by the United States amounted to \$2,125,808, and there had been repaid by cash payments and money for transportation services withheld, the sum of \$391 045, making the aggregate debt to the Government June 30, 1889, amount to \$3,334,762. The excess of interest paid over all credits amounts to \$1, 734, 762.

The amount found due the United States, under the act of July 2. 1864, for the year ended December 31, 1888, was as follows: Total earnings, \$426,034; total expenses, \$278.143; net earnings, \$147,890; five per cent, of net earnings and one-half Government transportation, \$14,664.

The Commissioner then reports to the effect that repeated and rumous rate wars have prevailed to an alarming extent throughout the West in recen Rate wars were in many, if not in most cases, devoid of palliation or excuse-inaugurated without reasonable cause and vindictively prosecuted with an utter disregard of their disastrous effects upon the interests of the companies engaged and the business public. They destroy or pervert the value of railroad securities, impose unjust burdens upon the commerce of competing sections, prevent stability in business and render the profits of the producer and the trader alike uncertain. Railroad building has been carried on far in advance of the needs of the country. In many sections of the West, conspicnously so in the States of Iowa and Kansas, the mileage of railroads is greatly in excess of the legitimate needs of the carrying trade. It is apparent beyond controversy that the subsidized roads can not discharge their obligations to the Government at maturity, and existing laws are wholly inadequate to secure the payments of the debts due.

A Whole Family Starving. SPRINGFIELD, O, Oct. 2.—Hunters in the vicinity of Pitchen, this county, came upon a family, comprising husband, wife and seven children, all camped in the woods. The nine persons had been traveling, but several weeks ago their money gave out and sickness attacked the father, and, too proud to beg, they lived in the woods, subsisting on sour milk and potatoes. Their clothes became so ragged as to barely cover their nakedness, and all of them are more or less diseased. A sixteen-year-old daughter was found in an abandoned pig pen. Yesterday the members of the family were brought here to the county infirmary and they ate raven-ously of the food placed before them.