

HAGUE PEACE CONFERENCE.

Some Propositions Agreed to and Others Rejected. THE HAGUE, July 22.—Baron de Staal presided at the plenary session of the international peace conference yesterday to place the final seal upon the labors of the first committee. The first point M. van Karnebeck's report dealing with prohibition of dropping explosives from balloons, was unanimously agreed to.

BRIEFLY TOLD.

C. A. Marshall, Dentist. For Rent—Five-room cottage. R. B. Windham. Ice cream packed for picnic parties at Holloway's. Before buying binding twine see Ebinger Hardware Co. Ice cream freezers of the best makes. Ebinger Hardware company. Ice cream flavored with extracts, 25 cents per quart at Holloway's.

Council Proceedings.

All the members of the city council were present at the regular meeting last evening. Councilman Sattler presided. A petition for a sidewalk along Andy Hedlund's property, on South Tenth street, was disposed of by resolution. A petition from the park commissioners and the M. W. A. band for an electric light at the band stand was read and referred to the light committee.

REPORT OF CHICAGO MARKETS

Table with columns: Options, Opening, Highest, Lowest, Closing. Rows include Wheat, Corn, Oats, Soybeans, Pork, Lard, and various months.

RAILROAD NOTES AND PERSONALS

Henry Waterman of the Burlington supply department at Lincoln was in the city today on company business. C. F. Stoutenborough, the agent at the Missouri Pacific depot, is going to take a thirty days' leave of absence beginning with the first of August, and in company with Mrs. Stoutenborough will take a trip to points of interest in the east.

Great Reduction

In price of Hammocks. We have too many hammocks on hand, owing to unseasonable weather, so here they go: \$5.00 HAMMOCKS, \$3.50. 4.00 " " 3.00. 3.50 " " 2.25. 3.00 " " 1.65. 2.50 " " 1.60. 2.00 " " 1.25.

WILL PATRONIZE UNION LABOR

Agreement Between Local Merchants and Cigarmakers' Union No. 276. PLATTSMOUTH, Neb., July 13, 1899.—Whorens, it is a matter of fact, that a great number of cigars are sold in this city, made in the east by girl, child and even convict labor, and it is evident that dealers, by handling such goods and sending their money away, do not help the prosperity of this community.

IN A FEW DAYS Our Store Room will be finished. We are crowding the decorators out at the back door to make room for our customers at the front. Come in and see for yourself. G. E. Wescott & Son Cor. Fifth and Main.

A Few More of Those Iron Beds Left. With Mattress and Springs Complete for \$5.00. Beautiful Line of Bookcases. Those Oak Rockers at \$1.75... J. I. UNRUH, The Furniture Man and Undertaker

MOTT'S PENNYROYAL PILLS They overcome Weakness, irregularity and omissions, increase vigour and banish "pains of menstruation." They are "LIFE SAVERS" to girls at womanhood, aiding development of organs and body.

New Hardware Store Having returned to Plattsouth, I will be glad to welcome all my old customers, as well as new ones, and show them a select line of Stoves, Hardware, Tinware and anything usually carried in a first-class hardware store.

The Platte Mutual Insurance Co., \$150,000 Insurance in Force. HOME OFFICE AT PLATTSOUTH, NEB

WHY will you pay your money to foreign Insurance companies, who take it out of the state, when you can get Insurance for less cost from a Nebraska Company. Only the Best Class of Business and Dwelling Home Property Accepted.

THE SUCCESSOR OF ALGER.

The President Has Made Choice of a New War Secretary. WASHINGTON, July 22.—The name of the successor to General Alger as secretary of war may be announced today. The president has made his selection and it is understood that Elihu Root of New York is his choice.

THEIR HEALTH IS GOOD.

Signal Companies in the Philippines in Fine Shape. WASHINGTON, July 22.—The chief signal officer has received the official sick report for the month of April, covering all the signal companies on duty in the Philippines. It shows a total of 14.23 per cent sick, a remarkably favorable state of affairs for any climate.

The Mayor Detroned.

SPRINGFIELD, Ill., July 22.—A State Register special from Taylorville says that in the Christian county circuit court today in the contested mayoralty election case of Former Mayor E. Bach, democrat against Mayor W. E. Peabody, republican, in which Peabody was declared elected on the face of the returns, Judge Farmer delivered his decision to the effect that a recount of the ballots shows that Bach was elected, and issued a decree to that effect.

Next Convention at San Francisco.

INDIANAPOLIS, July 22.—The executive committee of the North League occupied in deciding on the meeting place for 1901, finally selected San Francisco. Three cities were entered in the contest, San Francisco, Los Angeles and Denver. The former city secured the majority of votes on the first ballot.

NEBRASKA NEWS.

Geneva has raised \$1,000 with which to entertain its company of the First Nebraska. The populist judicial convention for the twelfth district meets at Ravenna August 16. Arapahoe people are debating the advisability of putting in waterworks and electric lights.

COLOR OF SUMMER CLOTHING.

In the Sun a Light-Colored Winter Overcoat is Cooler Than a Black Alpaca Garment. "I must call attention to the most important factor to be considered in regard to proper dress for summer—that is, the necessity for paying more attention to the color of the clothing than to its weight during the day, and vice versa in the evening."

A Family Quarrel.

Charles Hasson, who has been employed as a block watchman in this city for a couple of years, became involved in a quarrel with his wife last evening, and while it appears that no one witnessed the proceedings or heard the conversation between them, it was reported about town that he had beaten her severely.

The Organ Recital.

The organ recital at the Presbyterian church Sunday afternoon was exceptionally good. Miss Florence White furnished two vocal numbers and Miss Kauble two violin solos. These young ladies are well known in musical circles, and their appearance is always eagerly looked for and warmly welcomed.

Ward's Consumption of Beer.

An official document recently issued sets forth some remarkable figures regarding the quantity of beer consumed throughout the world. The total quantity consumed, it is stated, amounts to 17,700,000,000 litres or quarts.

A Baby's Shoe.

An ancient pair of babies' shoes was brought to Chicago this week by George E. Bowen (Phelps, Dodge & Palmer Co.) from his customers, E. G. Dovey & Son, Plattsouth, Neb. Mr. Dovey found them when clearing away some old things and claims they were made fifty years ago.

3 Cents

Buy a hemstitched handkerchief of Elson, the Clothier.

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