Nebraska's Name Abroad.

ABOUT NEBRASKA.

Lincoln correspondence Omaha Bee: Governor Thayer has probably done more during his term to make Nebraska knewn throughout the union than any of the executives who have previously filled the position. He believes that the union, and that it should be known himself. He was placed in the lock-up. and recognized as such. It is in accordance with this idea that he has accepted an invitation to attend, with his staff, the opening of the centennial exhibition in commemoration of the settlement of the Ohio valley and the northwestern states in 1788, and the adoption of the ordinance of 1847 forever prohibiting slavery north of the thirty-sixth parallel in the northwestern territory. All the governors, and especially those of the northwest, have been urgently invited to be present, and Governor Thayer desires Nebraska to be represented as well as her sister states. The exposition will open on the 27th of October. President Cleveland has signified his intention of gracing mitting the horrible deed. the occasion with his presence, and many of the prominent men of the country will attend and lend their assistance to make it an affair of national dignity and importance.

An Imposing Funeral.

York special to the Omaha Bee: The funeral of Sheriff Hamilton occurred from the Methodist church in this city this afternoon. All business houses were closed in accordance with the pro- the sufferer, who was tormented by the clamation of the mayor, and business of all kinds was entirely suspended. The new court house was draped in mourning and a deep gloom pervaded the entire community. The funeral was in charge of the Masonic fraternity and that houses of prostitution must go was the largest ever known in this part of the state. The procession was composed of the Masons, Odd Fellows, Grand Army, fire department, county and city officers, members of the bar, United Workmen and a company of National Guards headed by a band, about | American eagle on the Fourth, but the one hundred carriages completing the grandest funeral cortege ever seen in the west.

Nebraska's Crop Prospects.

The Bee this morning prints reports from its correspondents in every county of Nebraska showing the condition and promise of the crops. As a whole, they are most cheering. In the southeastern counties the corn is all in, and thus far all the conditions have been favorable. The advices from the western counties are in the main satisfactory, the farmers generally reporting the outlook to be almost as favorable as at this time last year, although the season has been more backward. In the northern counties the continuous rainfall has delayed corn planting, but this will be completed within another week. As to wheat and oats the general outlook is excellent, and the promise is good for an abundant hay crop. The season has thus far been very favorable to the smaller grains. The corn area, it is indicated, will be considerably larger than last year, and if the present promise is realized this most important of Nebraska's cereal products will this year add largely to the wealth of the state. It is expected, also, that other grains will show a considerable increase over the crops of last year.

Conditions may of course occur that will hereafter somewhat change the present favorable aspect and indications, but there is no necessity for borrowing any trouble on this score. It is sufficient now to congratulate the farmers and people of Nebraska upon a favorable state of things which holds out the promise of a generous harvest that will materially advance the prosperity of the commonwealth, and have an important influence in attracting to it popnlation. On every hand the promise for the present year gives cause for conon and confidence. - Omaha

STATE JOTTINGS IN BRIEF.

The oldest Indian village in Dakota county, of which there is any record was located by the Omahas near the present site of Homer. They burned it in 1800 to get rid of the small-pox.

-A Kearney special says: A novel question came up in the district court. Last term two boys named McCloskey were tried and convicted of burglary and Judge Hamer ordered them to the state industrial school. Superintendent Mallalieu refused to receive them upon the ground that the order did not state that they were under eighteen years of age. The state board of public lands and buildings supported the superintendent in his action. To-day Attorney Thompson, in behalf of the boys, brought a peremptory writ of mandamus to compel the superintendent to receive them. This the court granted. The superintendent demurred to their petition in order that Attorney General Leese could carry the case to the supreme court if he desired. It is a as his body was being taken from the time he has been dozing at frequent inclose legal question and it is thought train the supreme court should be asked to pass upon it.

A man who gave his name as North Eend has been acquiring a large dated. number of Swine not belonging to him. He went to the pens of the Bay State Cattle company and and purloined the porkers, selling them to shippers in whose yards they were found. For one offense he was fined \$100 and costs and for the Bay State thieving ne will be compelled to answer for it in the coming term of the district a restraining order in the case of Sun-

-The citizens of Arlington have will go on as usual. building a new court house for Washington county, providing the county seat is located at that place.

-The Niobrara Canning company has contracted for 3,000 bushels of toma-

-Ross L. Hammond, editor of the Fremont Tribune, was thrown from a

horse and quite severely injured. -The city council has granted the franchise for an electric light plant and a system of lights to be operated in Blue Springs, to Alexander Stewart and Ora Richards. They intend to have the sys-

tem completed in about two months. -W. S. Walker, of Webster City, Ia., was killed by lightning in Broken Bow. Sunday night. Mr. Walker was visiting his brother, and intended to start for home Monday morning. The lightning struck the hotel in which he was

stopping. -An electric light wire got off the poles in Lincoln the other day, and before being fixed knocked down a horse and stunned a man.

-Six hundred and fifty building permits have been issued thus far this year in Omaha, which is fifty in excess of the number issued for the same period | age.

-There is being very much interest manifested in the issuance of license at Exeter and testing the validity of the petitions. The cold water party is going to make a test case of it through the Slocum law and the chances are it will be carried to the higher courts.

-William Robinson, who claims to have, on May 8, 1886, deserted from company A, Seventeenth United States infantry, while stationed at Fort Abe Lincoln, near Bismarck, Dakota, walked Nebraska is one of the greatest states in other day and voluntarily surrendered

-The Sunday school convention at York passed the following resolution by 58 to 36: Resolved, That we will not vote for any political party that will not promise to submit a constitutional prohibition amendment to a popular vote.

-The Dodge county teachers' institute will be held in July, lasting two

-Lincoln parties will put in the system of water works at Orleans.

-Joseph Roberts, a resident of the outskirts of Omaha, and a man of family, fiendishly outraged an eight-year-Fourth of July, 1888, and close on the old girl, the child of a neighbor. The scoundrel made his escape after com-

-Miss Harding, a Minnesota pupil in the Orleans Free Methodist college, took an overdose of laudanum last week, but was rescued from the grave by a stomach pump.

-A farmer named Mason, living five miles west of York, was bitten by a dog in February last, and late on the 19th hydrophobia developed. Next morning five physicians were called to attend most excruciating spasms. There is no relief for the unfortunate man except in death, which it is expected will soon

from the capital city. Inmates are to be arrested and fined as often as may be necessary to rid the city of their pres-

-Fremont will probably soar the preliminaries are all yet to be arranged.

- Why not raise, inquires the Madison Reporter, \$10,000 as a manufacturing bonus to be divided into proper sized purses and given to persons who

will start factories in Madison. -Burglars broke into the railroad station at Ames, but were rewarded with a find of only \$7. -Business was suspended in York on

the occasion of the funeral of Sheriff

Hamilton. -Two traveling men, while at Oakland, got on a hilarious high, and did damage that cost them about \$100 each. -Aurora will probably get in a good system of water works this year at a

cost of about \$25,000. -The board of public lands and build ings held a session last week to open bids on the new kitchen and dining room of the deaf and dumb institute at Omaha. The following are the bids, all bidders being from that city: J. P. Craey & Co., \$10,955; John Cully, \$17, 935; Helkjaer & James Skow, \$11,140; Robbins & Co., \$10,011; F. L. Reeves, \$11,900; Arthur & Hurd, \$10,700. All the bids were rejected, for the reason that they exceeded the estimated appropriation, which was \$10,000.

-A Nebraska City special says: A heavy frost visited this section last night, but did little damage. The long continued cold, wet weather has in many instances rotted the corn now in the ground, which will have to be replanted. Farmers say that while the unfavorable weather has kept work behind, the cold rains have been a blessing, as all the chinch bugs have beer

-Norfolk's school rooms are too small for the rapidly increasing rising

-A fatal accident occurred at Fort of company A, Eighth infantry was shot through the arm and body while on target duty. He had arranged the target and was in the act of backing out from it when he received the shot which He has some trouble in breathing will undoubtedly cost him his life.

-Burglars operated quite extensively in Wahoo the other night, going those around him. Peptonized milk through a number of houses. In none of and chicken broth were given him, and them were they successful in getting he took the latter with relish. Nour- bill to confine the products of convict dicial appropriation bills are now pend-

-At the dedication of the new Congregational church at Dodge on the 13th the remaining sum owing on the structure was raised in the congregation present and the church was dedicated free from debt.

-The court house at Wilbur was bur--As the Missouri Pacific passenger train from Omaha was drawing near Springfield last week, a Swede named Mattson either jumped from the train had blown away. He was brought to rested easy. From 2 until 5 o'clock he Springfield, but breathed his last just slept for quite a while, and since that

-Additions are being made to the insane asylum at Norfolk, which, when completed, will give room for double Schmidt and living ten miles north of the number of patients now accommo-

-At the York Sunday school convention Mr. Gage, the statistical secretary, reported 2.335 schools in the state with 20,365 officers and teachers, and a total membership of 142,040. School expenses,

-Judge Wakely has refused to grant day base ball at Omaha and the game

with each other to see which can put in the finest and most costly fixtures.

showing a lack of interest in the affairs of the town. -The state veterinarian last week

-Charles Melvin, a young farmer of Richardson county, has been adjudged insane and sent to the asylum at Lin-

-The Lincoln city council has passed an ordinance prohibiting the sale of tobacco to minors under fifteen years of

-The franchise has been granted for establishment of an electric light plant at Central City.

At South Omaha last week the son of Mr. McMahon was so badly kicked by muis that it is thought he will die.

-Cozad, on the main line of the Union Pacific, has a population of one -The union bricklayers of Omaha are still at outs with the contractors.

Building operations, however, are going forward in good shape. -Quite a commotion was stirred up in Fairbury over the city council being in session for the purpose of consider-

ing the question of imposing an occupation tax upon the different branches of business conducted in that place. Enthusiastic meetings were held by the citizens, the sense of which were unanimously against such proceedings. The question has been dropped for the pres--William Bignell, of Nebraska City, has received a patent for a brick of his

own invention, claimed to be specially adapted for street paving. The bricks are peculiar in shape and down each side is a groove, so that when in position these grooves coming together form a hole into which sand or concrete is poured, making a solid surface for travel. The clay from which the sample bricks were made was found in the vicinity of Nebraska City, and can be their manufacture profitable.

-Work on the new deaf and dumb therefor is \$10,000.

-The system of water works to be put in at Aurora will cost about \$25,000.

-Two soldiers by the name of Brooks and Morrison, who deserted from their company at Sidney barracks, were coptured in North Platte by City Marshal Sol Friend and placed in the county jail to await the coming of officers from Sidney. Next morning, when the lienthe purpose of getting their prisoners, the roof of that institution had the apning and the deserters had left for parts | of agriculture. unknown through a hole they had kicked through the roof.

-At the last annual meeting of the Nebraska state teachers' association it was voted to recommend to the teachers in Nebraska that they attend the meeting of the National educational associabership of the National educational association has been placed at a low rate to Nebraska teachers and their friends. It is said that the state will be well represented at the great gathering.

-Lincoln expects the Rock Island in that city within a year.

THE GENERAL OF THE ARMY.

He is a Very Sick Man With no Hope of Recovery. Washington, May 27.—General Sherdan was not so strong nor so well this evening as he was earlier in the day. There has been no recurrence of the heart trouble, but the efforts of the phy-

hopeful than before. Inquiry was made at 11:30 as to Sheri-

death." General Sheridan's condition is much worse than it was last night. His strength is gradually failing, and while failure, there is a continual tendency in The blood is thick labored. through the night, but he improved early in the day. He rested easily and was conscious and rational, recognizing

clock it was found necessary to give and third reading of the bill. at his side to give immediate attention ator Sawver Carried in case of need. He did not leave his bed during the day, but remained there propped up with pillows. The oedema of the lower limbs, which has been mentioned, is a dropsical swelling, and is

tendance said this evening: two days, unless there is a great change.

Fatalities of the Flood.

killed several glandered horses in Cus- to-day record the drowning of Sam. route service. Rejected. ter county, one of them a stallion val- nel Moore in Indian Grove Leves district, and of two children of William Senator Allison, from the committee on -There is a growing feeling in Johnson in Sny district. Two families appropriations, reported the deficiency O'Neill that that city should appropri- living in Sny district are unaccounted appropriation bill for the expenses of ately celebrate the Fourth of July, and for. No trace of them can be found. It collecting the revenue, and also the Init is probable that the same will be is probable that many fatalities will be dian appropriation bill. recorded when all the facts regarding ator Stewart then called up the joint -With plenty of work to be done at the flood are fully known. Much sick resolution offered by him, providing for good wages, Fremont is overrun with ness prevails among the destitute peo- a constitutional amendment reducing to idlers who are not looking for employ- ple from the inundated districts, but the a simple majority the vote necessary to relief committees of Quincy are render- override a presidential veto, and ading every possible assistance to those in dressed the senate at length in its supdistress. The river to-day is falling port. Senators Vest, Plum, Mander-slowly, having declined nine inches son, Cullom and Cook were announced from the highest point reached. Trains as the committee to examine into the on the western roads will be resumed question touching the meat product of to-morrow and the damage to all roads the United States. The conference reare planning for a monster celebration in this locality will be repaired as speed-port on the pension appropriation bill are the Fourth of July.

A Strange Case.

Minneapolis (Minn.) special: When the practical winter season lies white erection of a public building at Patterand steadfast upon Minneapolis people son, N. J. The postoffice appropriation who are unfortunate enough to choose that time for dying have to get along without the customary formality of interment until the frost gets out of the ground enough to let the grave diggers do their work without dynamite. In the interim their caskets are deposited in the vault with which each cemetery is equipped. This disposition of the remains is always made by the relatives, and apparently the relatives now and then forget that their duty does not end with simple entombment. Mr. Layman, the owner of the cemetery of that name, has recently sent to the board of health a long list of persons who have left the remains of friends in the vault at his cemetery with an implied understanding that they were to return in the spring and lay the caskets in graves, but who have never paid any further attention to the matter. As the remains of mortality have gone the way of all flesh the odors about the vault are just now overpowering. A health inspector has been detailed to work up the case and fix the responsibility where

SENATE AND HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

A Synopsis of Proceedings in the Senate of House of Representatives.

House. - The house on the 21st passed a bill creating a department of agriculprocured in sufficient quantity to make | tion was adopted directing the committee on fisheries to investigate the fur seal fisheries, and another setting apart the 22d for the consideration of the lainstitute at Omaha is to commence at bor bill. Bills were introduced to pay an early day. The appropriation made | fourth-class postmasters an addition of 5 per cent per quarter to the salaries they now receive. Placing on the free list articles of merchandise, the production of which may be controlled by trusts and combinations. The house passed the bill to enlarge the powers and duties of the department of agriculture, and making it an executive department by a vote of 233 to 13. The bill creates an executive department to graphs for amendment. The greater be known as the department of agricul- part of the afternoon was consumed in ture; provides for the appointment of a tenant and sergeant went to the jail for first assistant secretary of agriculture of salary for house employes, and in deand transfers the weather service of the tails on a point of order. No material United States signal service bureau from | changes were made in the bill. McCopearance of having been struck by light- the war department to the department mas, of Maryland, offered an amend-

Senator Hoar offered a resolution directing the committee on military affairs to report whether the laws should be amended so as to prevent the enlistment, in time of peace, of men with wives or families dependent upon them, tion which will be held at San Fran- without notice to or consent of their cisco, Cal., in July next. The fare from | wives. The bill was passed to perpetu-Missouri river points to San Francisco ate Sault Ste. Marie as a port of deliv-The senate bill for the erection of postoffice buildings in towns and cities where the postoffice receipts for three of action, the senate adjourned.

was decided by a vote of 28 to 29 not to partment of labor was passed. The bill provides for a department of labor, the general design and duties of which shall be to acquire and diffuse among the people of the United States useful information on subjects connected with sicians to rally him from the attack of labor in the most general and compreyesterday have proved unavailing. At hensive sense of that word, and es- and will likely complete it by this time (8:15) the doctors are even less pecially upon its relation to capital, hours of labor, earnings of laboring men and women, and the means of promoting their material, social, intellectdan's condition. The answer returned ual and moral prosperity. The personwas: "He is hovering between life and | nel is to consist of a commissioner to be appointed by the president, by and with the consent of the senate, who is to hold office for four years and receive a salary of \$5,000; a chief clerk, stenographer and four minor clerks, copyists and mesthere has been no recurrence of heart sengers. The following bills also passed: Senate bill authorizing the construction that direction, and the pulse has been of a railroad bridge across the Missouri growing weaker and breathing more river at Nebraska City, Neb.; senate bill and black. Ever since the attack for the completion of the public build- of last congress nine appropriation bills last night the physicians have been ings at Winona, Minn., to \$150,000; had been passed by the house; now but Niobrara last week. Private Hoolahan, doing everything in their power to stim- senate bill appropriating \$100,000 for six have passed that body. Three had ulate action of the heart, but without public building at Vicksburg, Miss.; success, and its beating is feeble and house bill authorizing the purchase of uncertain, despite the administration of additional ground for a public building ular appropriation bills have passed digitalis and other powerful remedies. in Council Bluffs, Ia., at a cost not ex-

ceeding \$10.000 House. -In the house on the 22d the floor was given to the committee on labor, and O'Neill, from Missouri, chairman of that committee, called up the while the legislative, executive and juishment, however, did not seem to give | labor to the state in which they are prohim any strength, and he grew weaker duced. After prolonged and tedious and weaker. His interest in passing debate Cannon, of Illinois, offered an events did not seem so keen as on the amendment prohibiting the importaprevious day, and he read no newspa- tion for commercial purposes, of all pers as formerly. A few intimate goods, wares or merchandise from any friends were admitted to his room, and foreign country to the United States those he listened with attention. which in whole or in part, were manu-His respiration grew worse as factured or produced by convict labor, glarized last week. The thieves were the day wore on, and the and prescribing penalties for the violanot successful in securing much booty. lungs failed to properly purify the tion of this prohibition. Adopted. The blood. The digitalis failed to have previous question was then orderedmuch effect upon him, and about 2 yeas 185, nays 44, on the engrossment

him oxygen in order to prevent the SENATE. In the senate on the 23d blood from becoming poisoned. This several bills were reported, after which or fell off in looking for his hat, which gave him considerable relief, and he the senate proceeded to executive business. When the doors were opened tervals. Bromide of potassium mixed the routine was disposed of Mr. Spooner with chloral has been given him to in- moved that the senate adjourn out of duce sleep. Two physicians remained respect of the death of the wife of Sen-

House.-The house on the 23d passed the bill granting right of way through Lac de Flambeau Indian reservation in Wisconsin to the Milwaukee, Lake due to the impartial circulation of blood. Shore & Western railway company. General Sheridan fully recognizes that | The house then went into committee of his end may come at any time, and it is the whole on the postoffice appropriasaid he has made all the arrangements | tion bill. Mr. Kerr moved to strike out | he desired to have perfected prior to his the appropriation for rent, light and demise. One of the physicians in at- fuel for third-class postoffices. Lost. Mr. McRae of Arkansas offered an "Sheridan has great vital power, but amendment providing that fourth-class floor and the children were stretched on the postmasters shall receive a compensation postmasters shall receive a compensation of their beds. Everything was turned up--The saloons of Aurora are vieing hours from now, and certainly not in tion of \$20 per year in addition to the side down inside the house, and it is heard by her father who was working compensation allowed by the existing He has no pain, and I think he will sink law. Ruled out on a point of order. away easily. A recurrence of the heart | Mr. Adams of Illinois moved to increase -The Hastings board of trad. according to the Journal, of that city, is to beat and all will be at an end."

Mr. Adams of Himois moved to increase from \$6,000,000 to \$6,200,000 the appropriation for the free delivery service. priation for the free delivery service. Rejected. Mr. McRae of Arkansas moved to increase from \$5,400,000 to Quincy dispatch: Reports received \$6,000,000 the appropriation for star

SENATE. -In the senate on the 24th

for burial. day in a becoming manner,

House. - The house on the 24th passed the bill appropriating \$80,000 for the bill was considered without action. The house then passed the senate marine conference bill. It authorizes the president to invite the governments of all maritime nations to send delegates to a marine conference to be held at Washnate, and to appoint five delegates, one of whom shall be an officer of the navy, and another an official of the life saving service, to represent the United States at the conference. It is made the object of the conference to revise the rules of the road at sea and various other natters pertaining to ocean navigation. An appropriation of \$15,000 is made to ference. The conference report on the

duced a joint resolution proposing an amendment to the constitution to the effect that no state shall ever make or lishment of religion, or prohibiting the lution, which was adopted, instructing the committee on Indian affairs to inbonds held by the United States in trust for the Indians, the amounts overdue thereon, whether there is any legal method of enforcing the payment, and if not whether any such can be devised.

same as it passed the senate.

House.-Private business having been put aside the house on the 25th went into committee of the whole on the legislative, executive and judicial appropriation bill, which was read by paradiscussions upon the proposed increase ment increasing the clerical force of the SENATE. - In the senate on the 21st civil service commission. Pending a vote upon the amendment the committee rose, and the house then took a recess till 8.

WHAT THE SENATE AND HOUSE WILL DO. 4 Rush of Business With Important Bills to

be Considered. Washington, D. C., May 27.-Congress will present a variety of busiand return, including certificate of mem- ery, and the house bill to establish a ness this week, and its proceedings will The valves of his heart have failed to port of delivery at Grand Rapids, Mich. | undoubtedly be full of vigor. The sen- | close with his pulse beats, and the circuate intends to consider the pension bills, lation of his blood has instantly ceased worked his own "plan of campaigns," the north Dakota and other territorial at times. It is untrue that he has apoyears preceding have exceeded \$3,000 statehood bills, and the fisheries treaty. plexy and that he is hable to die from a stroke of paralysis. The general reper annum was taken up and discussed The republicans believe that they will clines day and night in an easy at length, but without reaching a point succeed in securing an open session for chair. Colonel Mike Sheridan, the debate on the fisheries treaty, but his brother, is constantly by his SENATE.—In the senate on the 22d it it is likely that the resolution which side, and is assisted by Colonel Kellogg will be adopted making this proposi- or Colonel Blank, the general of the consider the fisheries treaty in open sestion, will despoil the party of its vic- family to make publicly known his contion of two senators at any time, when adverse to having his sickness discussed secret matters are to be spoken of, the in the press. Five of the physicians at-

doors may be closed. The house will to-morrow continue the consideration of the legislative, exeentive and judicial appropriation bill, Tuesday evening. When this bill is and Byrne act as nurses. This afterout of the way the debate on the Mills tariff bill will be resumed under the five minute rule, and will probably hold the floor without any interruption until the end of the week. The democratic members say they will ask to have the tariff bill set aside during the week after next, so as to permit any of the members who wish, to attend the democratic national convention at St. Louis. If this is done, next week will be occupied with the appropriation bills. These bills are father behind now than for many years at this period of the sesincreasing the appropriation of \$12,000 | sion. At this time in the first session passed the senate, while this year but two have been disposed of. Only two regboth houses during this congress-the pension and military academy. The diplomatic, District of Columbia, Indian and river and harbor bill and postoffice appropriation bills have passed the house and have gone to the senate, ing in the house. The following appro-

priation bills have not yet been reported to the house: Sundry civil, fortifications, army and navy, agricultural and general defi-

To-morrow night the democratic members of the house will hold another caucus to further consider the amendments which have been offered to the tariff bill. Congressman Mills does not hesitate to discuss the prospects of his tariff bill, and indeed rather enjoys the pass the house, and that several mem- and thence distributed by canals in bers who have been considered doubtful have assured him of their support. He expects that amendments will be accepted, but says he is at liberty to state that eral principles of the bill.

Murder of Four Persons.

Viroqua (Wis.) dispatch: Information was received here to-day of the murder of four persons last night in the town of Kickapoo. Mr. and Mrs. Reuben Drake, an old couple, were shot dead in their own house by unknown parties and the throats of their two little grandchildren were cut from ear to ear. The lifeless bodies were found this morning when the neighbors made an investigation because of the unusual quiet about the house. The old couple lay on the supposed that the murder was the re- near by and he started in pursuit, and sult of an attempt at robbery. The old | with the aid of neighbors, caught the | man had been known to receive pension | brute, who gave the name of Frank | WHEAT-Ungraded red money, and it is supposed that the rob- Fiske. The father borrowed a gun, Conn-No. 2..... bers were in quest of this. As Mr. and and it was with the utmost difficulty Oars-Mixed western... Mrs. Drake were fully dressed it is sup- that he could be restrained from blow- Pork..... posed the murder occurred early in the | ing the worthless wretch's head off. The | LARD... evening. The neighborhood is greatly excited, but there is no clue to the perpetrators.

Mrs. Senator Sawyer Dead. Washington dispatch: Mrs. Sawyer, oner is closely guarded. wife of Senator Sawyer of Wisconsin, died at 10:45 this morning at her residence in this city. Mrs. Sawyer has been an invalid for several years and for the last six months has been unable to will be sent to her home in Wisconsin

-Falls City will do Independence will be especially called for that purpose Hogs-Good to choice....

A GALLANT COMMANDER'S END NEAR. heridan's Physicians Pronounce His Con-

dition Very Critical.

Washington, May 25 .- General Sheridan was very low this morning, and there need be no surprise if his death is announced at any time within the next few days, or even hours. The physicians, resulted in the death of : of whom there are five in attendance, ington on October 1, 1888, or at some | have issued a very guarded bulletin, in other time or place, as he may desig- which they admit that his attack on Monday, when he fell on the sidewalk, was due to heart failure, and that a recurrence this morning places him in a very precarious condition. The bulletin was issued against the wishes of the family, who do not appreciate themselves how near to death the general meet the necessary expense of the con- lies, but the physicians insisted that the public should be warned and prepared invalid pensions appropriations bill was against an approaching calamity, and agreed to. The bill is practically the to prevent any accident the bulletin says: "A physician has been con-stantly in attendance," which means The engineer and fireman were in-SENATE. -On the 25th Mr. Blair introthat another attack may happen at any time, and it is liable to be fatal. The general is resting in an easy chair, and second wreck. A negro who was stealsleeping most of the time. There has ing a ride was injured. Brakemen maintain any law respecting the estab- been a physician at his side constantly Royston and Armstrong escaped uninsince Monday afternoon. Drs. Reilly, free exercise thereof, and that every Yarrow, Matthews, Bryne and others state shall establish and maintain a system of free public schools, but that no is described as "heart failure," is the money raised by taxation shall ever be refusal of that organ to perform its appropriated, applied or given for any functions, and digitalis, a drug which is school, institution, corporation or per- made from the roots of the lily of the son whereby instruction is given in any | vally, has to be administered to stimuture, the consular and diplomatic ap- doctrine, tenets, beliefs, ceremonials or late its action. It was on Monday Brakeman Royston, hearing one of the propriation bill, and the District of observations peculiar to any religious morning when the general started from tramps call for help, clamored over the Columbia appropriation bill. A resolu- sect. It was laid on the table at his his house to the war department that wreck which filled the ravine in search own request. Edmunds offered a reso- the first attack came, and he was com- of him. At this moment the Wabash pelled to sit down on the pavement. He was carried to his room and has not quire into the condition of the state left it since. Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday he seemed to be picking up bravely and the doctors were able, by of fainting appeared, to ward it off. But about half past eight this morning Armstrong and the tramps who had he had an attack which was worse than the first one and for a time it seemed doubtful whether the doctors would be able to keep the spark of life alive. from the wreck, but the body of a They did succeed, however, in restoring consciousness, but it was a very narrow escape. The doctors say they have hopes still, but it is not very strong. General Sheridan's condition to-night

indicates that death may occur at any time. He may live for some time and indeed may recover, but his life tonight is in the balance, and there is but a shadow of a chance for him. This morning a telegram was sent to his mother at Somerset, O., and to other members of the family summoning them to the general's bedside. His will was hastily prepared and presented to him, with the statement that there were very few chances of his recovery. The priest calls upon him twice a day. This evensix physicians who have examined him, cotting, the weapons with which they

tending him are of the regular army corps of surgeons. Dr. O'Reilly, the president's physician, has charge of the case. Surgeon General Moore calls twice a day and Drs. Harrow, Matthews noon there was a rally of the general's strength, and his barber was sent for to shave him. he was leaving the general told him to come back again to-morrow and Sunday at the same hour, adding: "I will see you at the club on Monday." "I hope so," replied the barber, but the doctors present looked meaningly at each other. The general sleeps considerably and occasionally gets up and walks about a little, "To get the wrinkles off his legs," as he puts it. He will not confess that he is seriously ill. If the general should a strong man again.

A Scheme for Utilizing Freshets.

Washington special: The proposition to reclaim a vast region of arid land in Colorado and Nebraska, which has been before the senate, is attracting a great | City. deal of attention here in Washington, and it is quite possible there may yet be some successful outcome to the proposition. The Evening Star to-night, in discussing the subject, says: Major for governor and president of the Bris-Powell's scheme for damning the tributaries of the Mississippi and Missouri rivers, and using their waters for irrigating about a million square miles of arid lands lying east of the Rocky mountains, suggests a means of preventing the annual freshets, one of which has just worked such injury to the Minsissippi valley, and at the same time of making the work of prevention pay for itself in the increased value of the irrigated land. If the vast volume of water which now not only goes to waste itself, but lays waste to everything else within subject. He says the bill will surely its reach, can be turned into reservoirs such a way that the farmer can make use of it as he wants it, the result ought to be the raising of the value of the public domain at least twenty fold. Major Powell wants an appropriation of \$250,-000 wherewith to begin work. While corgress should not vote away so large a sum or undertake so great an improvement without careful determination of the whole subject, it cannot afford to treat the matter lightly, and if investigation shows that the plan is feasible a wise economy would approve the spending of all the money it is

likely to cost.

Brutal Assault by a Tramp. Heron Lake (Minn.) special: Yesterday afternoon a tramp assaulted Theresa Mexxon, 11 years old, while she was driving the cows home, about four miles west of this town. Her cries were offender was brought here and turned over to the sheriff. He will have a hearing to-morrow, if the people do not Conx-Per bushel..... take the matter into their own hands. Oars-Per bushel .. There is a strong feeling, and the pris- PORK

Will Accept on Conditions.

Washington dispatch: Rev. Dr. Leonard of St. John's church this evening announced to the committee appointed WHEAT-No. 2 red cash 31 @ leave her bedroom or speak above a to notify him of his election by the con- Corn-Perbushel 55 @ whisper. The immediate cause of her vention of the southern diocese of Ohio Oats-Per bushel... death was slow, progressive paralysis and failure of the heart. Private the position if certain canonical condifuneral services will be held at the res- tions were complied with. The quesidence Tuesday, after which her body tion of Dr. Jaggar's position, who is at present nominally holding the bishop- WHEAT-Per bushel ... ric, will have to be settled by the Epis- Conn-Per bushel copalian house of bishops. This body Oars-Per bushel .. in the near future.

A FRIGHTFUL DOUBLE WRECK.

Rock Island and Wabash Bridges Both Give

KANSAS CITY, Mo., May 23. - A double wreck of freight trains occurred this morning near Randolph, five miles east of here, on the Rock Island road, which

E. G. Armstrong, a brakeman of Belleville, O. T. Restron, a brakeman of Edgerton

Junction, Kan. James Taylor and Emil Strohers.

Two tramps and an unknown tramp. Benjamin Norvis, a Rock Island engineer of Chillicothe, Mo.; Benjamin Mc-Clellan, a Wabash engineer of Kansas City; C. J. Snyder, a Rock Island fireman of Trenton, Mo., and a negro who

was stealing a ride, were injured. The first train, which was the Rock Island, went through a bridge over a ravine thirty feet deep, through which quite a large stream of water runs. The jured, but it is not known whether both the tramps were killed then or by the

mred. Close to the Rock Island bridge at this point is the bridge of the Wabash, the two being braced together. The first wreck knocked out the supports of the Wabash bridge, and knowing that the Wabash train was due Brakeman started to go up the track to signal it, while train came thundering along. The engineer saw the wreck, but too late to stop, and both he and the fireman jumped quickly enough to save their ives, while the train dashed on to the means of the digitalis, when symptoms bridge and on top of the first wreck, killing both Brakemen Royston and called for help. None of the trainmen of the Wabash were hurt.

To-night four bodies have been taken tramp who is known to have been killed is still in the debris. The colored man who was hurt says that an old man and his son were in the same car with him. These have not been accounted for. Traffic on the Rock Island, Wabash and Hannibal is entirely suspended, but it is expected will be resumed within thirtv-six hours.

Severe Arraignment of Bishops.

Dublin, May 27.-Mr. John Dillon, addressing a national league meeting at Kildare to-day, denounced in scathing terms the bishops who support the papal rescript. The national party, he declared, are not afraid of the threats of any bishops; neitheir are they going to ing there was a consultation between abandon the plan of campaign and boyhave fought their battle until now.

Mr. T. M. Healey, speaking at Water ford, twitted the pope with having when the Sardinians grabbed his territory, and with having boycotted Victor Emanuel after that monarch arrived in

Mr. William O'Brien, addressing an immense meeting at Limerick, employed the most bitter invective in characterizing the conduct of Bishop O'Dwyer, whose threats he said were the most rash and unjust ever issued by tory, by a provision that upon object dition is that the general is very much a prelate. Bishop O'Dwyer's action in leaving Limerick yesterday after supplying copies of his manifesto to every orange newspaper in the country and failing to send a copy to the mayor of Limerick, to whom it was nominally addressed, and who only learned of the letter from seeing it in print was, Mr. O'Brien said, as cowardly as his allegations were untrue. There never was, he asserted, anything more false than Bishop O'Dwyer's assertion that the promoters of this meeting were agitating against the people. Mr. O'Brien's remarks created great excitement.

Long and Short Hauls.

Washington dispatch: The interstate commerce commission has rendered a decision in the case of Martin & Co. against the Southern and Union Pacific Railroad companies, who complained of pull through he will never physically be a greater charge on dried fruit transported from San Francisco to Denver. Col., than for the longer haul from San Francisco to Kansas City, Mo. The commission reached the conclusion that there are no adequate grounds for a greater rate for the short haul to Denver than for the longer haul to Kanses

Joseph R. Anderson Dead.

Bristol (Tenn.) dispatch: Mr. Joseph R. Anderson, prohibition nominee tol National bank, died this morning at the age of 67. He came to Bristol in 1852. His business prospered and from a poor clerk he gradually grew to be one of the richest men in this section of the state. His death will necessitate the naming of another candidate by the third party organization, either through another convention or by the executive

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