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ABOUT NEBRASKA. An Appeal to Charity.

To the Editor of the Bee: In your

paper of Friday you call attention to the suffering condition of some sixty families in Keya Paha county and in a portion of Cherry county, and suggest that the gevernor designate the channel through which contributions might be made for their relief.

I have received a communication from T. R. Evans, chairman of a relief com- his mind that temporary insanity ensued mittee, and D. T. Gerdes, secretary, of and he sacrified his own life.

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Nordan, Keya Paha county, appealing for relief. The condition of these families is deplorable. The hail storm destroyed every vestige of their crop. They appeal to me to furnish aid from the state, but that, of course, is not in gleton, seated near the rear of a team of my power to render, but in their behalf horses. Mr. Penwick passed between I appeal to the charitable public to make the horses and the gentlemen named such contributions as they feel able to when it appears one of the horses made give. The call is urgent, and I hope it a vicious kick, apparently at Mr. Fenwill be liberally responded to.

As the Bee was so successful in securing a large amount of aid for the school near the upper portion of the jaw bone, teachers who suffered so terribly by the close to the car. He never uttered a sylblizzard last winter, I respectfully sug- lable but expired in a few moments." gest that the Bee be the channel through which contributions may be forwarded for the relief of those suffering families. Persons living in that portion of the

state might contribute directly to the officers of the relief committee above named. Very truly yours, John M. Thayer.

Texas Fever in Omaha.

On last Sunday the Bee's special telegram from Chicago told of the experiment made by veterinary surgeons in determining the danger of allowing Texans to associate with native cattle. Cows of both breeds were placed in the same pen, and it was found that after a short time the natives had contracted the fever with which the others were afflicted. '

In talking with Dr. Ramaceiotti about the subject, a Bee reporter learned that about a week ago three Jerseys belonging to Herman Kountze died from the same disease. A fourth cow had been placed with them in a pasture near the B. & M. road, and after a short time she too died. The last mentioned was a native which Mr. Kountze had taken on trial as a milk-giver. But she died before he was satisfied to purchase her. How they became affected is a mystery. They had not come in. contact with Texans, and it could

-A second G. A. R. post lins beep organized at Tecumseb, starting out with a membership of fifteen. -Pat Brown fell from the Omaha and Council Bluffs bridge the other day and

was killed. -A fire of unknown origin occurred in York last week. The loss was about

-A barn on the farm of U. Barnes. near Central City, was struck by light ning last week and burned.

-Joe Armstrong, formerly editor of the York Democrat, and son of the old gentleman Armstrong, whose murder so ago, snieided at Long Island, Kan. He cember.

had been accused of embezzling a large sum of money, and although another party was afterwards suspected of the offense, the accusation so weighed upon

-The Keith County News says of the death of Mr. Radeliffe, of that county, who was killed by the kick of a horse: "He was, with S. S. Ryan and Mr. Mugwick, who had just passed, but missing him struck Mr. Radeliff with full force

-A number of glandered horses have recently been discovered in Douglas county and slaughtered.

-Frohibitionists of Pawnee county have made nominations for representatiyes in the legislature.

-Waverly was visited by a very severe hail and rain storm last week. Hai stones were picked up the size of walnuts. Several windows were broken and considerable damage to crops is reported.

This storm seems to have visited only a small strip of country. -The two canneries in Plattsmouth have packed this season 146,000 cans of

peas and beans. They are now ready for the corn crop, and will put up 10,000 to 15,000 cans a day. Both institution-

are in a flourishing condition. —A man named Ralph, living near Elkhorn, was nabbed in Fremont last week for horse stealing. He was jailed at Omaha and in time will probably fetch up in the penitentiary.

-At Grand Island the other day Thos. Miller, aged about 45 years, was kicked in the face by a horse, the kick breaking his jaw and causing concussion of the brain. The unfortunate man has lain unconscious ever since and his recovery is thought to be extremely doubtful.

-The Ohio soldiers resident of Nescarcely be believed that the disease braska will attend the national encamphad originated in them. One theory is ment at Columbus, Ohio, in a body. E. this end and will get rates, and special cars will be procured. A large number of Ohio soldiers residing in Iowa will join the Nebraska delegation. There are 3,000 ex-Ohio soldiers resident of Nebraska and it is expected that 800 will go on this trip.

-The watermelon crop it is said will be good. The supply will be so plenti

ful that the small boy can help himself without danger of being shot. -The Wahoo school board has made

arrangements for a 500 nound bell to be placed in the school house tower. A DISCUSSION IN THE SENATE.

Which the Epithets of "Yankee," "Rebel,"

Etc., Are Bandied in Bad Temper. WASHINGON, Aug. 15.-After passing few unimportant bills the senate resumed

consideration of the fisheries treaty, with Morgan speaking in favor of his motion to agitated that community several years postpone further consideration until De-After some allusion to Yankees on the one side and ex-slaveholders on the other,

(between Senators Morgan, Frye, Dawes and Hawley). Morgan said: "You have not hesitated to sneer at us and to say we are rebels, traitors; that we all deserved to be hanged, and that we are living now by your mercy and grace. I have only said that you did not dare to hang any of us." Teiler, replying to some statements in Morgan's speech, said during Arthur's administration there never had been a seizure of a single American vessel for violation of the treaty of 1868, but since the present ad-

ministration came into power there had been more than 400 American resseis seized. More than 2,000 boarded by Canadian and British authorities, the flag had been hauled down, and no apology had

ever been made for it. Vest said his judgement was that no treaty which could be negotiated by Cleveland's administration with the British government could be ratified by the senat . Referring to a recent speech of Senator

Stewart on the Chinese question, he proceeded to argue that the anti-Chinese legislation in the senate in 1881 and 1882 had come, not from democratic, but from re-1 u dican senators, and particularly from

Harrison, the republican candidate for the presidency. Stewart said Harrison had not during the discussions of the anti-Chinese measures uttered one word in favor of Chinese immigration, and his votes had simply been conformable to the treaty. His record was as satisfactory to the people on the Pacific coast as if he had abused the Chinese for

forty years. Beck called attention to the speech recently made by Senator Voorhees in Terre Haute, asserting that Harrison had voted fifteen times against the bill to restrict Chinese immigration, and said the statement had not been contradicted.

Dolph denied that Harrison's record in congress would show that he had ever been in favor of the admission of Chinese labor in the United States. The people of the Pacific coast were not to be deluded in this

matter. Mitchell also defended the record of Harrison on the Chinese question.

Allison said he desired to put in his most emphatic protest against the at

tempt made by Vest to draw found the Thingvalla to be locked with distinction between the two great another steamer, which I did not then political parties on the subject of Chinese immigration. He would say for himself that after Senator Morton's report in 1878 My steamer had cut right through his room, or 1879, and after debate in the senate in 1879, his mind was clear that it was the duty of the government to exercise its un-doubted power in the most appropriate way to secure the prohibition of Chinese way to secure the prohibition of Chinese One of the Thingvallas boats had just been lowered when the other steamer went down immigration. He did not believe that Harrison entertained any different sentistem first. This scene was ment. He did not speak for Harrison. He A FRI HITFUL ONE. Some of her rassengers were rushing madwould defend him on all proper occasions ly about her deck, while others were crowded per to the effect that the effort of the as respected his votes in the senate. in several boats in the water. I think many Allison presented the conference report on the army appropriation bill, which, pessengers must have been killed in their without being read, was ordered to be bunks by the force of the collision. As the a bargain with J. Milton Turner (the without being read, was ordered to be streamer plunged beneath the water, printed in the record, to be acted on to-morrow. Adjourned. shricks and prayers. Most of the people probably went down with the Geiser. They The Campaign in Nebraska. Two-thirds of the people of Nebraska wer- tollowed soon after by the ill-tat d souls in the boats, who must have been sucked are republicans. It is safe to predict that under as the ship sank. The cries of the Harrison and Morton will carry the state dying still sing in my ears. Three of our boats were already launched and trying to by from twenty-five to thirty thousand majority. This majority is assured even save as many as they could from the doomed if every republican paper and every republican if every republican paper and every repubtively lew managed to keep affoat after the lican campaign orator remain mute on the steamer's disappearance. The two vessels were not more than one hundred feet apart when the Geiser went down. The screams of the drowning lasted probably two minutes, and suddenly all became quiet. Our three boats returned loaded with the saved, who had been picked up in the water or off the bottoms of their capsized boats. I

A CORRECTED LIST OF THE LOST.

One Hundred and Five Lives Lost by Geiser Disaster.

NEW YORK, Aug. 17 .- A corrected list of the lost is 105, as given by Captain Muller, of the steamer Geiser. The Geiser carried ninety-three passengers and a craw of forty-three. Of the passengers fourteen tween the department of justice and the Paul, Chicago and Philadelphia have been notified to send on their lists of tickets sold on the Geiser.

At 10 this morning the agent for the line , of the fisheries treaty in open executive

received a dispatch from Captain Lamb session, and was addressed by Call in that the Thingvalla had arrived safely at Halifax. Captain Muller, of the Geiser, of the treaty till December. The matter went before the Danish consul this morning | finally went over one day and the senate and swore to his statement of facts connected with the collision. The consul states the circumstances attending the collision will , be investigated here on the arrival of Captain Lamb, instead of at Copenhaven, as the principal witnesses can be more easily reached in New York. Captain Muller states that at the tiu e of the collision he was about thirtyfive miles south of Sable Island, and about | Referred. Bills relative to the District 185 miles off Halifax.

The passengers of the Thingvalla were registered in Castle Garden to-day, and on-

ly await the arrival of their baggage. A number of women seem not to have fully receivered from the shock.

The Story Retold.

HALIFAX, Aug. 17 .- The Danish steamer Thingvalla was signalled off the harbor at 6 o'clock this morning, in charge of a pilot. kota was passed. The resolution offered She crawled along at the rate of two miles some time ago instructing the select an hour, and three hours elapsed before committee on Indian traders to continue she arrived at the wharf of Pickford its investigations during the recess was

& Black. The Thingvilla presents reported back and agreed to. The sennearly ste then resumed consideration of the strange spectacle, with the whole of her bow torn away, leaving an fisheries treaty in open executive sesimmense hole exposed to view. The powerful iron plates were broken through and Having quoted from Chandler's speech snapped off as if they were of card board. Crowds flocked to the wharf to see

the steamer, and wonder is expressed way which might convince the world that she ever reached port. After that when the senate sat with closed repairing she is to reload her cargo and doors nothing but scorpions were approceed for New York. Captain Lamb, of the Thingvalla, has imposed silence upon his seamen as to the disaster, but has himself prepared a statement of the details of the collision as he knew and saw. This is

THE CAPTAIN'S STORY; It was about 4 o'clock on the morning of Tuesday, the 1 th, when my second officer came down and 1 asked him how the second officer weather was. he said it was raining, but not

not foggy. A few minutes later I heard the telegraphic signal for the engines to reverse. Leaping from my berth, I ran for the de k. As I was hurof free fish rying up the collision occurred. It was a territe shock, the steamers coming together with a frightful crash. Rushing forward, l

SENATE AND HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

Lightning Fires Hundreds of Houses and A Synopsis of Proceedings in the Senate and

MONTREAL, Aug. 18 .- . ne thunder SENATE. -In the senate on the 13th, storm that passed over eastern Ontario and the resolution offered last week by the whole of Quebec Thursday night and early yesterday morning was the most terrific ever known here. Hunwere saved and of the crew seventeen. The supervisor of elections in the city of Ireds of houses and barns were Hown agents of the line at Worcester, Mass.; St. New York, on the subject of registration down or burned. Crops are in many and election, was taken up, and its purplaces destroyed. Horses and cattle pose was explained by him. After brief by the hundreds have been knied, and discussion the resolution was adopted.

> support of its ratification. Discussion daughter were struck by lightnan . The then ensued on postponing consideration father, wife and son were killed, and the daughter cannot live. A laborer employed

> on the Sauve farm was allo hit on by lightning. At St. Ignace George Lochan was killed by the falling of a time time him. In St. Hyacinth a s n of the pro i which was referred, calling on the at- ator of a small hotel was killed while en ing his windows. A report comes inon Claudiere that two lumbermen were swept over the falls while crossing the river, 'i.e hotel at Smith's Falls was set on me and m was reported that the will of the proper to died from fright.

> From all over Quebec come reports of houses being set on fire and families freing left destitute, and int a small place called L'Original Parish the church was struck by lightning. The place was full of people at deafness. Unanimous consent for the fro.n the storm. A panic ensued and many immediate consideration of the depenpeople were seriously injured by being dent pension bill was asked but Mr. rampled upon. Walker, of Missouri, objected.

In this city all the electric lights went SENATE .- In the senate on the 14th, out and in the big hotels there were panics the house bill granting the right of way among the guests. Several builtings were to the Yankton & Missouri River railway struck by lightning, trees were torn up, telthrough the Yankton reservation in Daegraph poles blown down and miles of telegraph, telephone and electric light wires were entirely burned out by the lightning. It is estimated that the damage d-ne by the storm in this provinc alone w. 1 reach over \$1,500,000.

Reports from Valleyfield, Beauharnais county, mate that five men have been killed by lightning in that vicinity. Great sion, and was addressed by Morgan. damage has been done along the St. Louis river. Houses and barns have been swept some extracts reflecting on the secretary away or burned, and it is impossible to apof state, Morgan said the tongue of scanproximate the damage. dal had been let loose in this debate in a

WILL KEEP WHAT SHE HAS GAINED.

What the Emperor of Germany Said in a Replied to the backs of American citizens cent Speech.

who had been nominated for office or BERLIN, August 18 .- The Empero who had taken part in the treaties. In lunced to-day at headquarters of the first the discussion of the question of foreign fish, Morgan said that the New England infantry. In a speech in response to a senators and the owners of fishing vessels had thought they were putting up keep what she had rained, and expressed the smartest sort of a job in trying to conviction that the army was able to meet use the treaty making power to issue proclamations of the non-intercourse as all comers. The language of the means of prohibiting the introduction Emperor, although no immediate

HOUSE.-In the house on the 14th, the his habit of expressing himself bluntly. His senate bill to regulate commerce carried

PERSONAL AND OTHER MATTERS.

Mayor Hewitt is in doubt whether he vill again run for mayor of New York. At least six cities have already proposed to crect monuments to General Sheridan.

English gossips still claim that Joseph Chamberlain and Miss Endicott are to be married in the fall.

Ex-Speaker Randall is slowly recovering, but is not yet able to sit up. Hehas lost a great deal of flesh.

Sheridan's illness lasted eighty-five days, Garfield's seventy-nine, Grant's and Arthur's about twelve months.

Lady Jane Henrietta Swinburne has entered her 90th year. She is the mother of the poet and critic, Mr. Algernon Charles Swinburne.

Colonel Samuel Scott, of Kansas City, has subscribed the largest amount to the republican national campaign fund of any one save Levi P. Morton.

Before his death General Sheridan called Dr. O'Reilly to him and said he would like to appoint him to his personal staff. The physician did not feel he could accept the honor.

General Sherman, who has lived in a hotel ever since he went to New York, has just purchased a house on Seventy first street between Eighth and Ninth the time who were praying for projection avenues, paying \$35,000 in cash for it.

Mrs. Langtry has grown quite stout. She now weighs 185 pounds, and is still growing. When Mrs. Langtry reaches 200 pounds she will be obliged to abandon the title, "Jersey Lily." One can not conceive of a fat lily.

Arpad Haraszthy, the great Hungarian-California wine grower, is reported to have said that pure California wine could be laid down in New York as cheap as beer. He and others estimate the California wine crop of this year at 30,000,000 gallons.

The president has approved the act for two additional associate justices of the supreme court of Dakota; also the act inregard to the marriage of Indian women and white men, and the act anthorizing a bridge across the Missouri river near Plattsmouth, Neb.

A rumor was current at the postofficen New York, on the 12th, that Postmaster Pearson had resigned. The postmaster quietly denied the story and handed the reporter a statement which toast to his health, he said Germany would he said he wished published. The statement simply denies, and at the same time explains, all the allegations brought against him as to detention of mails, and says that the New York postofficeis now, and has been since he had charge menace, is not to be attributed to of it, in a better condition than it was when he was appointed.

A Man Shoots His Wife. VERONA, Mo., Aug. 18 .- This morning, tew minutes before 7 o'clock, the inhabitants of the flourishing little city of Verona. were startled by two pistol shots, and on investigation it was found that they came from the house of Frank Cindenburg, a German living with his of town. A few minutes after the shooting several of his neighbors opened the door, entered the house and found the woman lying in the corner of the room, bleeding profusely, and the man sitting on the edge of the bed, looking more like a madman than anything else. Lindenburg and his wife had been quarreling over the transfer of some land, and he ended the matter by shooting her through the head and then shooting himself. After he had shot his wife he told his daughter that he intended killing the army. Notwithstanding the wide op- himself also, and when she implored him not to do so he said: "I have shot her, and changes the war office is confident that the | if I do not kill myself they will hang me." Then he placed the revolver, an old-fashioned German weapon to his head and pulled the trigger. The woman is still alive, out can not live long with a pistol ball in her brain. 'the man will probably recover, as the ball entered the center of his forehead, glanced scaip at the top of the head. Lindenburg has always been considered a quiet, hardworking man, and was generally well thought of.

House of Representatives.

Edmunds calling on the attorney general for copies of correspondence be-

The senate then resumed consideration and many people have been los. At a

small village called St. Louis de Gate aque, Captain Louis Sauve, his wife, sen at

TERRIBLE STORM IN CANADA.

Many Lives are Lost.

adjourned. HOUSE.-In the house on the 13th Mr.

Dubofs, of Idaho, offered a resolution, torney general for a list of the pardons granted by the president to persons convicted of unlawful cohabitation in Utah and Idaho since March, 1886. Mr. Davidson, of Colorado, introduced a

oint resolution appropriating \$200,000 to aid in suppressing infectious diseases. of Columbia were then considered. The sepate bill was passed increasing to \$30 a month the rate of pension for total

that some Texans must have been driven | P. Roggen is making arrangements to from the B. & M. road across the hills to the stock yards, and that the stricken animals had come in contact with Texans which were passing in the cars and were thus affected. But this idea receives little support.

When the autopsy was performed, Dr. Ramacciotti found the spleen of each snimal to have greatly enlarged while before death each one displayed the lack of spirit, the arched back and the dry nostrils peculiar to cows affected with the fever.

Dr. Ramacciotti says pathologists have yet a great deal to discover regarding Texas fever and thinks the investigations now in progress in Chicago will develop new facts in connection with it.-Omaha Bee.

Killed by a Runaway.

DAVID CITY, Neb., Aug. 10 .- TLIS CITY and community was greatly shocked this morning on learning the particulars of an accident which occurred about three miles south of here last night. Drs. J. H. Calkins and T. J. Murphy left the city last evening at 7 o'clock to attend Mrs. Bucknor, residing south of the city, and who had quite unexpectedly and unattended by any one, stven birth to twins yesterday before noon. They visited the lady's home and started back about dark, and while on their way the team, which was a fractious one with a ranaway reputation, became unmanageable and started across the prairie at r tearful rate of speed. Dr. Calkins, who was driving, was thrown from the buggy and was no doubt killed instantly. His neck was broken and everything indicated that he had not attempted to move after striking the ground. Dr. Murphy was thrown 'out soon after, and received serious injuries. Several of his ribs were broken; and he was insensible for some time. On recovering coneciousness he made his way to a house and informed the family of what happened. Dr. Calkins' fate was unknown until 2 o'clock this morning, when the searching party succeeded in finding his cold and lifeless body on the prairie. The deceased man was very highly esteemed by all, and his death is sadly lamented. The remains were sent to Mertin, Wis., to-day for interment. A wife and one child mourn his departure. Dr. Murphy's injuries are not considered fatal, although they were quite serious. Mrs. Bucknor, the lady whom they attended, has since died.

STATE JOTTING'S IN BRIEF.

-Sheriff Wilson, says the Wahoo where he went with a requisition from twenty-second national encampment, Governor Thayer on the governor of G. A. R., to be held at Columbus, O., Kansas for one Oliver Ellis, who is ac- September 11 and 14 inclusive. cused of stealing a horse from Henry F. Whitten, of Valparaiso, on the 16th day of March last. Sheriff Wilson found his man in the hands of the law at Cotton Wood Falls, Kansas, and brought him 15th of August. back with him.

-Dr. Harrison, of Wood River, was living on a farm about three miles north doctor to give him all the valuables in single man, have lived together. The brought forth a Colt's revolver of the in a field. When he came

-The reunion of old settlers of York. Seward, Butler and Polk counties took place on the 18th inst. near Gresham, York county. The gathering was full of interest and good feeling.

-Lincoln had an insurance test of its water works the other day, and it was so satisfactory that there is hope of a reduction in rates.

-Mentioning that the wheat, oats and other small grain has been harvested. the Madison Chronicle says the yield in that locality will not be more than half a crop. Rust and chinch bugs did the mischief.

-Officers of the Madison county agricultural society are putting forth strong exertions to make the forthcoming exhibition a success in its every feature. -During the recent electrical storm

L. K. Mote, living near Wanatah, Dawes county, was struck by lightning and nearly killed. He was engaged in building a fire when the storm came up and had his hand on the cover lifter, when the lightning came down the stove pipe, crossed the stove and went up the lifter and the arm of the unfortunate man. Mr. M. is badly paralyzed, but may recover full use of his limbs in course of time.

-Two of Fremont's oldest citizensone 72 and the other 78-had a scrimmage the other day which might have resulted seriously had they not been separated. Both were arrested.

-Wolstein & Co., wholesale liquor dealers of Nebraska City, mourn the loss of their traveling salesman. Max Miller, and about \$100 in money.

-The dwelling of Chief of Police R. P. O'Niell, at Grand Island, was struck by lightning last week, the roof being The stove and other utensils in the kitchen were scattered around lively, and the electric bolt finally passed out of the kitchen down a well curb, and in the house at the time, were injured. swayed from their duty?

-Lincoln is said to have a female detective.

-W. C. Henry, commander of the Department of Nebraska, G. A. R., has fully represent the people, and venal issued a general order designating the rogues who want to sell out or intend to Wasp, returned Tuesday from Kansas, Burlington as the official route to the use their positions for levying blackmail. in order to belog the taxpayers, and seek

Record, opens very low this season, but more vitally concerned in the background. fifteen cents being offered and that only They will discuss protection and free trade on contracts to be delivered before the

-Mrs. Claasen, a Prussian woman the battles of the war, but make no referhome last

national issues from now until the third of November. But there are issues vital to the people of this state which must be fought out in the open arena. In this irrepressible contest party lines cannot

safely be drawn. The people of Nebraska are confronted with grave problems with which the next legislature must grapple. Nebraska is one of the most taxridden states in America. State taxes are higher in Nebraska than in any state in the union, excepting alone Nevada. With a debt of less than half a million, of which over four hundred thousand dollars is held by the permanent school fund, Nebraska last year levied a state tax of eighty one cents on the hundred dollars of assessed valuation. The state of Louisiana, with a state debt of nearly

twelve millions, levies a state tax of only sixty cents on the hundred dollars. North Carolina with a state debt of over fifteen millions levies a state tax of only twentyfive cents on the hundred dollars. The state tax in Iowa is twenty-five cents, in Kansas forty-one cents, Minnesota thir-

teen cents, nad Wisconsin fifteen and three-quarters cents on the hundred dollars. The ordinary running expenses of this state for salaries and maintaining state institutions are over one million a year, and the last legislat ire piled up appropriations for another million a year

which have to be wrung from a people torn off, a part of the siding torn out heavily burdened with county and municiand the building generally demoralized. pal tx aes. How is this exhausting drain to be checked? How are the people to secure tax reduction and a more equitable distribution of the burd ens of taxation? Can these needed reforms be secured unless the next state officers and legislators are neither Mr. nor Mrs. O'Niell, who were | men of integrity and men who cannot be

This is only one of the issues. The ever pressing and ever present railroad issue must be met and the lines must be sharply defined between honest men who will faith-

Brazen throated railroad politicians and professional jobbers will, as usual, howl themselves hoarse over the national issues

-The oats market, says the Strang to keep the issues in which the people are when the people want to hear about revision of the state assessment laws and railroad regulation. They will fight over

ence to the scandalous debauchery of our called to see a patient west of town and of Beatrice, committed suicide last legislature and the law defying course of on his return was accosted by a stranger week by jumping into the river, near the railroads. It remains to be seen, howwho grabbed his horse and requested the her home. She and her son, a young ever, whether the people of a state that ceived and distracted by such tactics. It his possession. The man of medicine son was absent during the day working remains to be seen whether they will blindly support "yellow dog" candidates

ent them back to continue the search for survivors, but they returned with only the corpse of a woman. Day was just be inning to break when the

collission occurred. It was raining, as the second officer told me just before. It was not The assistant engineer was saved OLEN. with a broken arm, while his two companions were lost. In my opinion nearly all the prope on the Geiser's deck and in the boats sank with the steamer, Everything that we could do possibly to save acm was done. After the Geiser disap- taken on all amendments, motions and peared we began jettisoning the cargo to keep the Thingvalla atout, between 9 and 10 resolutions of ratification. It was so o clock we stopped throwing cargo over and ordered. got to work shoning up the compariments. We were leaking badly. At 11 o'clock the steam r

Vieland hove in sight, and we transferred all the rescued passengers as well as our own too pas engers to her. The Wieland proceeded about 3 o clock in the alternoon, leaving us steering for New York. We decided to nead for Halifax. 'I ne Geiser had been seen by our first onlicers.

SEVERAL MINUTES

before the collision. She was nearly straight ahead of as, but a little on the port bow. She starboarded to get out of the way, and we ported. She should have ported likewise. Our whistle was not blowing at the time, as there was no need for it."

From Captain Lamb's statement of the lisaster it would appear the fault lay with those on board the Geiser, who put her to starboard instead of to port. The Geiser's officer, who was on watch at the time of the collision, was among those who perished. Capt. Lamb himself does not express an opinion on the cause of the disaster. He says he will leave that to be found by official investigation. First Oficer Peterson has been asked to make a Deputy United States Marshal J. H. Bull, statement, but says he does not wish to do 80.

Investigation of Immigrant Abuses.

NEW YORK, Aug. 17 .- The investigation of immigrant abuses was resumed to-day by the congressional committee at West minster hotel. Superintendent Jackson, of Castle Garden, secretary of the immigration commission, testified. He said that in as he is too weak to do much manual labusy times about 4,000 immigrants land bor. He says he served in the 12th Illinois daily. The largest number landed in any infantry, company A, and was wounded one day was 9,000. He explained the during an engagement on the British road workings of Castle Garden in detail. Last between Johnson and Schofield. He made year 360 immigrants were returned to application for a pension, and it E trope.

to several cases of importation to this had removed to Texas, he was arrested on some time ago.

on by telegraph was referred to the committee on commerce. The house committee on merchant marine and fisheries of Alaska is directed to ascertain whether contracts which have been made by the government with any persons or companies have been violated, and report whether any legislation is necessary for the protection of the seal fisheries. O'Neill, of Missouri, rising to a question of privilege, sent to the clerk's desk and

had read an article in a Washington pademocrats to pass a bill for the relief of the Cherokee freedmen was the result of freedmen's attorney) and was intended as compensation to him for his services to the democratic party at the Indianapolis colored convention. O'Neill said he desired to brand the statement as an absolute lie from beginning to end.

SENATE .- In the senate on the 17th. the bill amendatory of the act of June 18, 1686, relating to postal crimes was then taken up and after being amended so as to reduce the penalties, passed. Chandler gave notice that on Wednesday next he would ask the senate to take up the resolution in regard to the investigation of the Louisiana election. The senate then took up the fishery treaty, the pending question being on the motion submitted yesterday by Gibson. Mr. Frye asked unanimous consent for an order of the senate that at 1 o'clock each day debate on the treaty shall proceed, and shall close on Monday next at 6 o'clock, the friends of the treaty having the last two hours, and that on Tuesday next at 12 the final votes shall be

HOUSE.-In the house on the 17th. senate amendments to the sundry civil appropriation bill were non-concurred

in and a conference ordered. The house then, in consideration of the morning hour, resumed consideration of the res-

olution assigning certain days for general pension legislation, the pending question being on the demand for the previous question. A call of the house showed there was no quorum present. Further proceedings under the call were dispensed with. Payson, of Illinois, asked unanimous consent that the hour should be extended until the resolution was dispensed with, but the demand for the regular order operated as an objection.

An Alleged Pension Fraud.

WACO, Tex., Aug. 19.-W. D. Stark was brought here to-day under arrest by and placed in jail, on a capias from the trying to defraud the government applying for a pension as a wounded union soldier. He is 50 years old, a German by birth, is married, and has a small farm near Merridian, in Bosque county, which his wife cultivates,

peech at Frankfort was premeditated. not verbally prepered. The emperor's crew has been excited by the Russian goveroment permitting or inviting the press to raise the Schleswig-Holstein question, with the additional contention that the czar, as the representative of the house of Holstein Gotterp, claims the spec al right to support the claim of Denmark. The press concur in regretting the futility of the Peterhof and Copenhagen wife and daughter in the south part visits. It says that within four weeks after the interview between the czar and Emperor William, the tension of the situation threatens Europe more than ever. The sweeping changes in command of the army are impending. Nine more generals, nine lieutenant genrals and a number of major generals will retire. Gen. Von Schellendorf's successor as minister of war will be Gen. Von Cayrivi, Gen. Von Schellendorf gets command of the First army corps. Feverish

activity prevails in every department of eration and brusque character of these army will be kept every moment well in hand.'

NOTES FROM THE NATIONAL CAPITAL.

The house committee on pensions has agreed to report with favorable recommendation a substitute for Mr. Buchanan's bill to pension members of the life- off the frontal bone and lodged under the saving service.

A favorable report has been made from the senate committee on judiciary on the bill giving Idaho territory an additional associate justice of her supreme court.

On the 13th, Senator Paddock from the committee on public lands, called up and had passed the house bill for the relief of settlers upon the old Camp Sher-

Breadstuffs exports during July aggregated in value \$7,881,794, against \$15,759,219 for the same month last months of 1887.

The secretary of the treasury has is sued a circular to collectors of customs notifying them that existing regulations relating to collection of duties on mer- WHEAT-NO. 2 chandise arising by parcels post from Cons-No. 2 mixed..... various foreign countries are extended | OATS-No. 2 to merchandise coming to this country RYE-.....

in a similar manner from Mexico. The postmaster general has recom-

transportation of mail on the railroads, due, it is stated, to an increase in the in the western and northwestern states | TURNIPS-Per bo

Senator Paddock has introduced a bill directing the secretary of the interior to refund to the settlers upon the Otoe In-HAV-Bailed..... dian reservation in Nebraska and Kansas the excess of money paid for their lands over the appraised value as shown by the records of the land office. The amount of all such rebates thus refunded

is to be deducted from the principal of

country from Switzerland, under contract a charge of attempting to defraud the gov- A dispatch from Minneapolis to the LARD.

Affecting Indemnity Lands.

DUBUQUE, Aug. 13 .- Mr. Bishop, of Des. Moines, law partner of Attorney General Eaker, was in the city to-day for the purpose of instituting suits against every railroad company doing business in Dubuque, idan military reservation. The bill now or refusing to adopt the ta iff issued by the goes to the president for his signature. Iowa railread commissioners.

Two Burned to Death.

CHARLESTON, W. Va., Aug. 17 .- Theyear, and for the seven months ended boarding house of Summers & Lynch burn-July 31 past, \$57,537,272, against \$100,- ed this morning, at West Charleston. 418,048 during the corresponding seven Simon Wallace, aged 31, and his mother, aged 55, burned to death.

THE MARKETS.

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federal court of Kansas, charging him with volume of mail by reason of the 2-cent

to work in the watch case factory of the ernment, and was carried to Kansas. evening papers of Washington gives an evening he found a note on the table CHICAGO. first-class pattern, when the would-be because they were tagged and labeled Waltham watch company. Passage money There he found that the charges account of the formation of an immense straight by a packed convention. The campaign in Nebraska is already begun. from his mother, telling of her inten-WHEAT-Per bushel..... was advanced to these men, which they highwayman beat a hasty retreat. against him were that he was lumber trust, which is to control the Cons-Per bushel..... tion to drown herself. The neighbors agreed to pay back in installments. Engnot W. D. Stark; that he never -Tramps are becoming so numerous The industrial classes must do their duty. were called and the river dragged, relishmen were brought over to work in the and bold at North Platte that something Let them rally and unite, regardless of He produced his papers to show his iden- Congressman Stephenson of Wisconsin, LARD-Pong..... sulting in finding her body. same factory under like conditions. Witparty, to elect honest, competent, and untity and service, was examined by the phy- who is the largest lumberman in the Hogs-Packing & shipping. 6 30 @ 6 46 is to be done for protection against -Daniel, James E. and D. A. Baum, ness fortified his testimony by exhibiting purchasable men to the next legislature. them. Recently they built a fire near documents showing the contracts entered of Omaha, have filed articles with the The BEE proposes to do its full share of the city that nearly resulted in a disasinto. Witness said importation of foreign the work to redeem the state from mosecretary of state incorporating the trous conflagration. nopoly misrule. With this end in view it engravers and watch case makers had received an increase he made another ap- clude any of the timber interests in his Baum Iron company. The company ST. LOUIS. tended to drive American mechanics into -Preparations go forward for the will labor earnestly until the legislature plication with the result as above. He is part of the state. It is the general imauthorizes \$100,000 capital, divided into WHEAT-No. 2 red cash quite infirm. pression here among the members of convenes. We want to place a copy of the coming Nebraska state fair at Lincoln. other associations. pression here among the members of congress, even the high protectionists, that the formation of this trust at this that the formation of this trust at this shares of \$100 each, and the indebted-Captain Francis W. Bell, the pilot of WEEKLY BEE in the hands of every farmer Bad weather is the only thing that can ness at no time to exceed \$33,000. and mechanic and appeal to friends of Joint Discussion of the Tariff. seventeen years experience, testified that interfere with making it the biggest and -The Gage county fair will be held good government to aid us. We will fur-WASHINGTON, Aug. 17 .- The Star this time will have the effect of stimulating CATTLE-Feeders 2 20 @ 2 50 he had knowledge of the practices of best exlabition ever held. Charles Lockwood and William McKay in nish the WEEKLY BEE from now until the September 4th, 5th, 6th and 7th. end of the year for thirty-five cents, or in is under consideration by the democratic in their forthcoming bill, even if they -The Ainsworth agricultural imple--The camp meeting of the State Hol securing neutralization papers' for natives clubs of ten for three dollars. Address all KANSAS CITY. ment dealers have sold thirty harvesters | liness association will commence at Benof Novia Scotia, and then placing them in do not cut it off entirely. Against this proposition strenuous objections have command of American vessels within two campaign managers to arrange for a joint orders to THE BEE PUBLISHING Co., WHEAT-Per bushel .. nett, August 20th. Omaha, Neb. the present season. weeks. They received \$10 a head for the discussion of the tariff question by Speaker CORN-Per bushel .. been raised, not only on the part of the -The new church at Lambert, Holt -The Ainsworth Journal has started a Oars-Per bushel ... A Vessel Held in Quarantine. service. Lockwood told witness he was northwestern senators, but by senators Cariisle and Mr. Blaine. It is proposed to CATTLE-Feeders 1 60 @ 3 65 relief fund for Anderson, the man who county, was dedicated on Sunday last. WASHINGTON, Aug. 17 .- Surgeon Genenabled to make citizens in the time menfrom the southwestern states, notably challenge Mr. Blaine to meet Carlisle and Hogs-Good to choice ... spent nine days in a well. -- Those from abroad who attended tioned because of his friendly relations Messrs. Call and Pasco of Florida. eral Hamilton has received a telegram from debate the question in alternate speeches -Falls City's new educational struc through the week the campmeeting at with the son of Judge Moore, of Brooklyn. the assistant surgeon at Fortress Monroe, in the twelve principal cities of the union, ture will be ready for pupils in the early Fremont were disappointed on account Brother and Sister Killed. Va., saying he had quarantined the British tix to be named by Blaine and six by the days of November. of frequent rains. GREENFIELD, Mass., Aug. 17.-Deacon ship Ashens, seven days from Pensacola to To Be Fitted For Service. -Texas fever has been discovered in -The Fremont cannery is preparing speaker. The opinions of a number of lovering, aged 90, his sister and house-Newport News. He says a case of homasome cattle near Omaha. Three died 4,000 cans of sweet corn daily. NEW YORK, Aug. 17 .- Orders were reprominent democratic congressmen as to keeper, Mrs. Richardson, living in Gill, temesis with collapse was found on board, ceived at the Brooklyn navy yard yesterfrom the disease. -The Beatrice Express says that wife the patient being too ill for transportation. the advisability of such a course have been were instantly killed by lightning last -There was a mad dog excitement at beating is beginning to grow monoton The vessel is being fumigated. General day to fit up the cruiser Boston for sea asked and there is a very general concurnight, and the farmhouse, barns and out-Lincoln the other day. The canine was ous in that town. Tar and feathers is Hamilton telegraphed to hold her in quar- | without delay. She will join the Eurorence of approval. huildings burned. i suggested as a remedy. killed before doing any damage. antine for further observations. pean squadron, Charles and the second second

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